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OFFICE HOURS

Monday 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon, 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Tuesday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon, 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Friday Closed

WEEKEND LITURGY

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

WEEKDAY LITURGY

Tuesday 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday 6:15 - 6:45 p.m.
Saturday 11:30 a.m. - 12 noon, and by appointment

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS

Tuesday evening Mass

SACRED HEART DEVOTION

First Friday of every month at 8:30 a.m.

BAPTISMS

Please take a baptism package from the tables in the church entrances.

MARRIAGES

Please contact the Pastor at least nine months in advance.

PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE

For more information or assistance contact our parish priest(s) or see www.vocationinfo.ca

MINISTRY TO SICK/SHUT-INS

Please notify the Rectory Office and arrange Communion.

CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in your family please advise the priest immediately and they will assist you in making the liturgical arrangements. For information on Catholic burial, contact the cemetery office at 905-522-7727 or 1-800-661-5985.

NEW PARISHIONERS

We invite you to take the time to complete a census form, located at all doors of the church. Please drop it into the collection basket.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

All bulletin announcements MUST be received by the parish office no later than Monday at 3:30 p.m. to ensure publication in the upcoming Sunday Bulletin.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT EVERY FRIDAY AFTER 9 AM MASS - 12 NOON

THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST



*"I will lift up the cup
of salvation, and call
on the name of the
Lord."*

- Psalm 115 (116)

Monday June 4

2 Peter 1:1-7; Mark 12:1-12 – No Mass

Tuesday June 5 – St. Boniface

2 Peter 3:12-15a, 17-18; Mark 12:13-17

7 PM – Eileen Cheuter

Wednesday June 6

2 Timothy 1:1-3, 6-12; Mark 12:18-27

9 AM – Deceased members of the Colwill family

Thursday June 7

2 Timothy 2:8-15; Mark 12:28-34

9 AM – Lou McDermott

Friday June 8 – Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Hosea 11:1-4, 8ac-9++; Ephesians 3:8-12, 14-19; John 19:31-37

9 AM – Krystyna Binkley

Saturday June 9 – Immaculate Heart of Mary

Isaiah 61:9-11; Luke 2:41-51

5 PM – John Andrade

Sunday June 10 – 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Genesis 3:8-15++; 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1; Mark 3:20-35

9 AM – Pro Populo (for the parishioners)

11 AM – Sean Rock



CWL Message

Congratulations to Father Ralph on his 50th Anniversary of Ordination. We hope everyone will plan to attend our **Potluck Meeting** on Monday, June 11 at **6 PM** in the parish hall. Bring a dish to share with others and your own plate and cutlery. Tea, coffee and punch will be provided. We will have our 'Christmas Bingo' that was postponed in December. Bring along a friend to share in the fun!

FORMED Presents:

The Mystery of the Eucharist

It's not about what it is. It's about Who it is. On this Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, explore the mystery of God's love expressed in the Eucharist with this new original series by Augustine Institute Studios. World renowned presenters unveil the truth and beauty behind the "source and summit" of the Christian life, from its origins in Sacred Scripture to its profound role in the life of the Church and its members. Find this 4-part video-based study on our St. John the Baptist page on FORMED.org in the "Community" tab. Not registered on FORMED yet? Register for free using our parish code: RHTGK2.

The Men's Group are still looking for volunteers to help with car parking. We are still in desperate need of volunteers for Saturday, June 16. We cannot do this without the man (or wife) power so please consider this soon. The Saturday, 2-6 p.m. time slot still needs 5 more volunteers. If you can help, please contact Tim O'Brien at 905-632-2954. This is the Men's Group only fundraising event.

Bishops Award for Service

Congratulations to Evan LaSalle and Emma Murphy from our parish who received the Bishop's Award for Service from Bishop Crosby during the 35th Annual Altar Servers Awards Ceremony on Tuesday, May 29, at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King. We congratulate them for this deserved recognition.

Parish Food Drive

Our parish will be holding our Annual Food Drive next weekend on Saturday, June 9 and Sunday, June 10. We ask that you bring your non-perishable food items to the Mass you attend and place them on the two sides of the sanctuary. Kindly be as generous as you can to help our neighbours who are struggling.



Our Parish

Monday June 4

Emotions Anonymous Meeting – 7 PM – WR

Tuesday June 5

CWL Craft Group – 10 AM – Hall

Wednesday June 6

Legion of Mary – 9:30 AM – WR

Women's AA Group – 6:15 PM – Hall

Thursday June 7

Cenacle Group – 9:30 AM – WR

Christian Meditation – 1 PM – WR

Choir Practice – 7 PM – Church

Friday June 8

AA Meeting – 9 PM – Hall



Please remember to pick up your envelope sets from the parish office if you haven't done so. If you are new and would like a set of envelopes, please phone or visit the parish office.

Maple Villa Walking Program – Volunteers Needed

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is seeking help from parishioners who are able to spare an hour to assist senior in wheelchairs and walkers to travel from Maple Villa to Spencer Smith Park. We need this assistance on Fridays at 10 a.m. on June 8, July 13, August 10, September 14 and October 12. If you can help, please contact us at 905-979-6460 or email us at stvatsj@gmail.com. More info on the parish website.



Would you like to help our parish, grow your faith and meet new people in the process? **The Knights of Columbus** is always looking for new members to join the largest fraternal organization within the Catholic Church. Membership is open to men 18 years of age and over. For information or to enquire about membership please contact St. John the Baptist parish representative, Camille Johnson at 905-681-2026 or email cam@cam-johnson.com.

Have you been quietly considering becoming a Catholic? Do you identify with this community of faith but have not been able to participate fully in the sacramental life of the church? This is an invitation to find out more about what's involved. Please phone the office and ask about the **RCIA** program that will begin in the fall.

IN THE DIOCESE

Gate of Heaven Cemetery Memorial Mass

The Annual Memorial Mass at the Gate of Heaven Cemetery will take place on Saturday, June 16 at 11 a.m. The principal celebrant will be Very Reverend Wayne Lobsinger, EV. For information phone 905-690-7547.

Catechetical Correspondence Courses

Programs are available for children from Kindergarten through to high school for children not currently receiving religious instruction. Families work through the programs at home to prepare children not in Catholic Schools for 1st Communion and Confirmation. Contact Monica Verin at 905-528-7988, ext. 2238. www.hamiltondiocese.com.

Do you have ideas on how to support families in our Diocese? We want to hear from you.

Families today need more support than ever as they raise the future generation. Are you willing to add your voice at our gathering this fall to discover ways we can help families? If yes, phone Lena at 905-528-7988, ext. 2249 or email familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com.

A Friday Night Support Group for Persons Separated or Divorced is available at the Chancery Office. Would it help to have people around you to understand what you're going through? Would you like to hear some ideas that will encourage and help you to develop new ways of coping with the stresses in your life? The Hamilton Diocese Support Group meets on the 1st and 3rd Fridays of each month from 7- 9 p.m. and they can help you! No need to register and no cost. Phone 905-528-7988, ext. 2249.

IN OTHER PARISHES

The Feast of Corpus Christi Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ ~ Holy Mass and procession will take place on Sunday, June 3 at 3 p.m. at Regina Mundi Church, 631 Mohawk Rd. W., Hamilton. The celebrant is The Most Reverend Matthew Ustrzycki, D.D., Auxiliary Bishop Emeritus of Hamilton. Refreshments will follow. All are welcome.

IN THE COMMUNITY

Join the 50th Anniversary Pilgrimage to Italy – St. Padre Pio from September 16-27. Father Tom Sullivan will lead the pilgrimage to Rome, Vatican Museum, Assisi and much more. Cost is \$3995 + taxes and includes all travel, accommodations and 2 meals daily. Phone 905-664-1871 or 289-941-1938.

Pilgrimage to the Quebec Shrines

Visit Our Lady of the Cape, St. Anne de Beaupre, Blessed Frederick's Tomb, St. Joseph's Oratory, St. Joachim Church and more! August 19 to 22. Price of \$410/person includes coach bus, accommodation and hotel meals. For more details phone Louise at 905-664-1871 or Adele at 905-643-7562.

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