

# ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE PARISH

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**BOOKKEEPER:** Angela Kim  
**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION:** Melanie Gaddi

## LORD'S DAY MASSES

**Saturday:** 5:00 P.M.  
**Sunday:** 9:00 A.M.; 11:00 A.M.; 8:00 P.M.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

**Friday** 9:30 - 10:00 A.M.  
**Saturday** 9:30 - 10:00 A.M. and 4:00-4:30 P.M.  
or by appointment

## BAPTISMS

If you are seeking baptism for your child, please complete the [Request for Baptism](#) form found on our website and email to [aouellette@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:aouellette@hamiltondiocese.com) or drop off in person at the parish office.

## MARRIAGES

Couples planning to be married must contact the priest ~~one~~ year in advance. You must be a registered parishioner, attending this parish.

## WEEKDAY MASSES

**Monday to Saturday:** 9:00 A.M. (Except Tuesdays)  
**Tuesday ONLY:** 7:00 P.M.

## OFFICE HOURS

**Monday:** 9:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.  
**Tuesday - Friday:** 9:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M., 1:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M.

## NEW PARISHIONERS

If you wish to become a member of the parish, we invite you to take time to register by completing a Parish Registration Form available on our parish website. The forms are also available at the parish office if you require a hard copy. If you are currently registered and now wish to use Offertory Envelopes please complete the registration form and return to the parish office or drop in the Offertory basket. If you wish to sign up for Pre-Authorized Debit please complete the form available on our website. These forms are also available at the parish office.

## BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

All bulletin announcements must be received by the parish secretary no later than Monday at noon to ensure publication in the upcoming Sunday bulletin. All announcements and inserts are subject to the pastor's approval.

## PARISH SCHOOLS

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# DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY APRIL 16, 2023

## April 17 – April 23, 2023 WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

DATE	MASS INTENTIONS
<b>MONDAY</b> 9:00am Mass	<u>April 17, 2023</u> – St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin Margaret Betty and Joe Casey
<b>TUESDAY</b> 7:00pm Mass	<u>April 18, 2023</u> David McBride Maria Ruggiero Helen McHugh Intentions of the Unborn
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> 9:00am Mass	<u>April 19, 2023</u> Josefa and Francisco Gumiran Deceased Members of the Lobo, Raymond & Pinto Family Edward Even Stantcombe Fr. Wallace Metcalf
<b>THURSDAY</b> 9:00am Mass	<u>April 20, 2023</u> Robert Marvin Hull Jr.
<b>FRIDAY</b> 9:00am Mass 9:30am – 10:00am 9:30am – 12:00pm	<u>April 21, 2023</u> Shirley Cloutier <i>Confessions</i> <i>Adoration</i>
<b>SATURDAY</b> 9:00am Mass 9:30am – 10:00am 4:00pm – 4:30pm 5:00pm Mass	<u>April 22, 2023</u> Bernetta Rankin <i>Confessions</i> <i>Confessions</i> Noel Vincent Egan Barbera and Renod Family Litowski and Kozak Family Intentions of Lam Le
<b>SUNDAY</b> 9:00am 11:00am 8:00pm	<u>April 23, 2023</u> – THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER Mass ( <i>Livestream</i> ) Mass Mass

### Vocation View

"As the Father has sent me, so I send you." Will you respond to God's call to be sent as priest, deacon, sister or brother or consecrated virgin? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

Email: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)  
[www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations)

### SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday:	St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin Protectress of Canada Acts 4.23 -31, John 3.1-8
Tuesday:	Acts 4.32-37, John 3.7b-15
Wednesday:	Acts 5.17-26, John 3.16-21
Thursday:	Acts 5.27-33, John 3.31-36
Friday:	Acts 5.34-42, John 6.1-15
Saturday:	Acts 6.1-7, John 6.16-21
Sunday:	<b>THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER</b> Acts 2.14, 22b-28, 1 Peter 1.17 Luke 24.13-35

### HAMILTON DIOCESE WEEKLY PRAYER CALENDAR

We pray for the following people or groups:

Monday:	St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Protectress of Canada
Tuesday:	Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger
Wednesday:	Jesuit Fathers (S.J.)
Thursday:	Rev. Joseph Gregory Michel
Friday:	Rev. Wilson Andrade, C.S.C.
Saturday:	Rev. Emmanuel Ralte, C.S.C.



April 2, 2023

Weekly Offerings (Including PAD and E-transfers) **\$23,225.85**

### First Communion Celebrations

Grade 2 students from our six elementary schools are currently preparing to receive the sacrament of First Holy Communion. Six celebrations are happening on June 3rd and June 10th. We also have our Parent & Child meeting coming up on Thursday, April 27th at 6:30PM as well as rehearsals on May 25th (6:30pm), May 26th (6:30pm) and May 27th (10AM) at the church. Please keep all our Grade 2s and their families in your prayers.

### Indigenous Reconciliation Fund

On Sunday April 23, 2023, Parishes from the Diocese of Hamilton will be collecting donations in support of the [Indigenous Reconciliation Fund](#). Please visit our parish website for a [Letter to Parishioners](#) from Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, Bishop of Hamilton, regarding this initiative.

### Rosaries for Africa

Most Rev. Matthew Ustrzycki has been supplying the poor areas of Africa with Rosaries for several years. In the past St. Paul's Ministry to the Needy has been supporting this initiative. If you have rosaries that you are no longer in need of, please feel free to bring them to the parish office and we will make sure that Bishop Ustrzycki receives them.

## Divine Mercy Sunday

Our Lord instructed St. Faustina that the Feast of Divine Mercy be celebrated on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter. In her Diary, St. Faustina tells of our Lord's desire to extend his unfathomable mercy to poor sinners who approach him with repentant hearts.

"My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the Fount of My Mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. On that day all the divine floodgates through which graces flow are opened. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet. My mercy is so great that no mind, be it of man or of angel, will be able to fathom it throughout all eternity. Everything that exists has come forth from the very depths of My most tender mercy. Every soul in its relation to Me will contemplate My love and mercy throughout eternity. The Feast of Mercy emerged from My very depths of tenderness. It is My desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter. Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My Mercy." (*Diary, 699*)

## FORMED

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## From the Pastor's Desk

Fr. John is embarking on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land with a group of pilgrims from across Canada and departed on April 14, and will return on April 26. Fr. Pawel and Fr. Malcolm will take care of the parish duties while Fr. John is away, and the parish office will hold any messages until his return. Please keep Fr. John in your prayers,

## Prayer Circle for Prisoners

The Prayer Circle for Prisoners group invite all to their monthly meeting Monday April 17th at 7:00 PM in the Conference Room. The discussion will be on Mental Health Issues and Correctional Services.

## Coffee Sunday

Please join us April 30th for Coffee Sunday in the parish hall after the 9am and 11am Masses for refreshments and fellowship. Thank you, Social Committee/Italian Club!

## Aging Issues: Listening to Indigenous Voices

Join us for this chance to learn about aging from the perspective of three Indigenous speakers in our region. The Diocese, through the Family Ministry Office, is co-sponsoring this Zoom event on Saturday, April 22 from 2-4 pm. For registration and information, please contact Ellen Ryan, [hamiltonagingcommunity@gmail.com](mailto:hamiltonagingcommunity@gmail.com) or at 905-648-0437.

## Young Adults Night

May 6, 2023 – Hamilton- Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and early 30s) of our diocese to attend a night of Adoration, Fellowship and Praise Music. Arrival and Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), Social with Food (7:30pm-8:30pm), Praise Night and Vocation Testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on Saturday, May 6th, at Canadian Martyrs Catholic Church and Chaplaincy, 1349 Main Street West, Hamilton Ontario. Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, please contact: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com).

## RESTART: Refresh, Renew, Revive

Separated or Divorced ? Looking for some learning, support and fun on a Friday evening? RESTART: Refresh, Renew, Revive group held the 2nd & 3rd Fridays of each month. These get-togethers offer continual support and insights for people as they journey through the divorce/separation process and beyond. Join in-person at 700 King St. W, Hamilton, or by Zoom. No registration required. For Zoom contact Sarah [familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com) or at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249. We look forward to seeing you!

## Parenting Tip of the Month

Parenting Tip 149 - As spring begins, we see new life erupting everywhere. This is a great chance to point out the beauty of God's creation to your children, as buds form, trees bloom and flowers grow. Remind them of God's creative power and how he created all this for us, but also gave us the task of caring for His creation. We must nurture and protect God's created world. It is also a chance to remind them that life too has cycles and we can begin anew – the Sacrament of Reconciliation allows us to seek forgiveness and start anew, just as nature does each spring! Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.



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