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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 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 : 8:30 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.
Tuesday - Friday: 8:30 A.M. - 12:00 P.M., 1:00 P.M. - 4:00 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

Canadian Martyrs	3201 Lansdown Drive	905-336-5792	Louise Cronin-Nowitsky, Principal
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Saint Anne	4675 Doug Wright Drive	905-315-8384	Brian Melanson, Principal
Saint Christopher	2400 Sutton Drive	905-335-7553	Gord McCarles, Principal
Saint Elizabeth Seton	5070 Dryden Avenue	905-331-7246	Lisa MacLennan, Principal
Saint Timothy	2141 Deer Run Avenue	905-332-5253	Anna Marie Tolti, Principal
Notre Dame Secondary	2333 Headon Forest Drive	905-335-1544	Norm Roberts, Principal
Corpus Christi Secondary	5150 Upper Middle Road	905-331-5591	Christopher Chlisczyk, Principal

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**FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME
FEBRUARY 5, 2023**

**February 6 – 12, 2023
WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE**

DATE	MASS INTENTIONS
MONDAY	<i>February 6, 2023</i> – ST. PAUL MIKI & COMPANIONS, MARTYRS
9:00am Mass	Intentions of Matthew Le – The Family
TUESDAY	<i>February 7, 2023</i>
7:00pm Mass	Rita & Damir Hutinec Teresa Borrilli – Maguire Family John Rebello – Rebello Family Intentions of Samera Haefner – The Family
WEDNESDAY	<i>February 8, 2023</i>
9:00am Mass	Intentions of Mallissa Le – The Family Egidio Mannarino -- Gina Boris Buckley – The Family Carlos & Ines Vidal – The Family
THURSDAY	<i>February 9, 2023</i>
9:00am Mass	Teresa Wroblewska – The Family Jennifer Moraes – The Family
FRIDAY	<i>February 10, 2023</i> – ST. SCHOLASTICA, VIRGIN
9:00am Mass	Intentions of Melanie Le – The Family
9:30am – 10:00am	<i>Confessions</i>
9:30am – 12:00pm	<i>Adoration</i>
SATURDAY	<i>February 11, 2023</i>
9:00am Mass	Clerio Domenico Spacca – The Trott Family
9:30am – 10:00am	<i>Confessions</i>
4:00pm – 4:30pm	<i>Confessions</i>
5:00pm Mass	Stephen Harapiak – Denise Duhaime Cathy Paszt – The Family Peter Pinto – Claudine & Ian Macedo Gillian D'Silva – Claudine & Ian Macedo
SUNDAY	<i>February 12, 2023</i> 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00am	Mass (<i>Livestream</i>)
11:00am	Mass
8:00pm	Mass

Vocation View

"You are the light of the world." Are you willing to let your light shine as a priest, deacon, brother or sister or consecrated virgin? If you think God is calling you to a Church vocation, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988. Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations

SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK Feb 6-12

Mon. Feb 6	Genesis 1.1-19, Mark 6.53-56
Tues. Feb 7	Genesis 1.20-2.4a, Mark 7.1-13
Wed. Feb 8	Genesis 2.4b-9, 15-17, Mark 7.14-23
Thurs. Feb 9	Genesis 2.18-25, Mark 7.24-30
Fri. Feb 10	Genesis 3.1-8, Mark 7.31-37
Sat. Feb 11	Genesis 3.9-24, Mark 8.1-10
Sun. Feb 12	Sirach 15.15-20 1 Corinthians 2.6-10 Matthew 5.17-37

HAMILTON DIOCESE WEEKLY PRAYER CALENDAR

We pray for the following people or groups:

Monday:	Rev. Matthew Durham
Tuesday:	Rev. Kevin Upendran
Wednesday:	Missionaries
Thursday:	Rev. Leszek Szczygiel
Friday:	Rev. Tom Moisan
Saturday:	Rev. David Weise



OFFERING

January 22, 2023

Regular Sunday Offerings	\$ 4,245.50
Building Maintenance	25.00
Loose Offerings	881.20
E-Transfer	745.00
Total	\$ 5,151.70

Temporary Office Hours

The parish office hours are temporarily adjusted as follows: Monday to Friday, 9 am to 1 pm. We thank you for your patience and will return emails and phone messages as soon as possible.

2022 Tax Receipts

2022 tax receipt for the parish and Society of St. Vincent de Paul are now ready for pick up in the narthex. Please be sure to retrieve the correct tax receipt. Please note that SSVP prepare and issue their own tax receipts for offerings made directly to the organization.

CWL

Annual dues: We are still accepting dues payments of \$40. Please note that we can now accept e-transfers at stpaulcwl@gmail.com. Next meeting is on February 14 at 7:30PM. All are welcome.

Choir Practice

We would like to encourage anyone interested in joining the choir to please contact the office. Practices are 7:00 pm Thursday evenings. We sing on Sunday at the 11am Mass. If you are interested in learning more about the choir please come to a scheduled practice or contact the office for more information.

Safe Travels to Father Pawel

Please keep Father Pawel in your prayers as he journeys to Vietnam this month for vacation and to attend the wedding of a good friend. He will be back in the parish at the end of the month.

Update on Collective Mass intentions

Currently we have 3 Masses per week where we accept collective (multiple) Mass intentions: Tuesday evening, Wednesday Morning, and Saturday evening. **Beginning on July 1, 2023**, there will be a change in the Masses and number of intentions to be in accordance with the Diocesan Guidelines for Collective Masses intentions. Beginning on July 1, Collective Mass Intentions will be on Saturday at the 9am Mass, and Saturday at the 5pm Mass each week. A maximum of 10 Intentions will be taken for each Mass. Thank you for your understanding as we make this change.

New Reconciliation Room

The construction project for the new Reconciliation Room is completed. The former storage closet has been converted into the new reconciliation room with an entrance from the nave (main area) of the church. The green light above the door indicates a priest is available to hear confessions. Penitents may line up along the wall near the new door and wait until the reconciliation room is vacant before entering.

Holy Communion on the Tongue

Recently I was asked by a parishioner; "*Father, what is the correct way to receive Communion on the tongue?*"

The following is the best practices for receiving on the tongue: The individual should stand before the minister who is distributing the Body of Jesus. Stand about as close as necessary as if you were to receive the host on the hand. After the priest says "The Body of Christ", reply "Amen" and then tilt your head back, open your mouth, and extend your tongue. Keep your head still and wait for the host to be placed on your tongue. Do not attempt to "catch" the host from the priest, and do not close your mouth until the host has been placed on your tongue. You must be very steady and wait until the host is placed on your tongue before moving.

The faithful can receive communion on the tongue at any point in the communion line. However, at St. Paul's, we are asking those to come to a member of the clergy (a priest or deacon) to receive on the tongue rather than an extraordinary minister of communion, who will always give on the hand for the time being.

Confirmation Celebrations 2023

On February 4th and 11th, the Grade 7 students of our parish will receive the sacrament of Confirmation. We welcome Bishop Crosby here on February 4th and Bishop Lobsinger on February 11th to bestow this sacrament. Please keep the Confirmation candidates and their sponsors in your prayers at this special time.

Evenings With His Excellency

Auxiliary Bishop Wayne Lobsinger invites everyone to join him for "Evenings with His Excellency." An opportunity to learn more about our Catholic Faith based on the Catechism of the Catholic Church. Class is the second Friday of each month from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. at St. Ann Parish in Ancaster. It is also available on St. Ann's YouTube channel. No cost, no homework, just an opportunity to learn about our faith. All are welcome.

2023 Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass

Bishop Douglas Crosby will celebrate the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday April 16, 2023, at 1:30 PM at Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King

The Mass is for couples celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th or 60th year (or each year after 60!) of marriage in the year 2023. You are cordially invited to join us for this Mass of celebration.

Couples may also register on-line at www.hamiltondiocese.com, or call Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

Following the Mass, light refreshments will be served in the Cathedral Basilica's McNally Hall. The Bishop will try to meet each couple individually to offer words of congratulations after the Mass and a certificate commemorating the occasion will be given to each couple. There is no cost to the couple for the celebration.

From the Pastor's Desk

On February 4th we welcomed Bishop Crosby to our parish to celebrate Confirmation with our Grade 7 students. This was the Bishop's first visit to the parish since early 2020, just weeks prior to our shut down due to Covid. It was my pleasure to welcome the Bishop back and to update him on all the upgrades and changes that we have done in our parish in the last 3 years. Among the most notable changes: we have renovated our parish office to be more accessible with a better use of space, we have installed a projection system allowing us to stream church events into the hall, added a new Reconciliation room, new entrance doors and updated lighting (ongoing).

I thank all of you for your ongoing generosity that makes these updates and changes possible.

World Day of the Sick

Saturday February 11th marks the annual World Day of the Sick and the Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes. On this day we acknowledge the healing ministry of the Church and reminded that service to the sick and suffering cannot be neglected. This is a day to recognize the great efforts of all who restore health and provide care to those in need including doctors, nurses, health care institutions and pastoral care workers.

2023 Offertory Envelopes

There are some 2023 Offertory Envelopes remaining in the narthex. The final date for pick up of these envelopes is February 19th.

Church Bulletin Advertising

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in **February 2023** and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.



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