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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.

## WEEKDAY MASSES

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

## 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.

## 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.

## 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.

## MARRIAGES

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

## 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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# FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 10<sup>TH</sup>, 2024

## March 11 – March 17, 2024 WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

<b>DATE</b>	<b>MASS INTENTIONS</b>
<b>MONDAY</b> 9:00am Mass	<u>March 11, 2024</u> Mary Mikula
<b>TUESDAY</b> 7:00pm Mass	<u>March 12, 2024</u> Jack Hubbel
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> 9:00am Mass	<u>March 13, 2024</u> Sante and Augusta Di Spalatro
<b>THURSDAY</b> 9:00am Mass	<u>March 14, 2024</u> Michael Jason Lewis
<b>FRIDAY</b> 9:00am Mass 9:30am – 10:00am 9:30am – 6:50pm 7:00pm	<u>March 15, 2024</u> Int. of Elvira Fernandes <i>Confessions</i> <i>Adoration</i> Stations of the Cross
<b>SATURDAY</b> 9:00am Mass Intentions:	<u>March 16, 2024</u>
Mary Mikula	Norman & Lorraine Blower & Family
John Verghese	Mary Moraghan
Peter Ngoan Nguyen	Maria Hoa Pham
Iris Hanc	Int. of Matthew Le
9:30am – 10:00am	<i>Confessions</i>
4:00pm – 4:30pm	<i>Confessions</i>
5:00pm Mass Intentions:	
Jean Pantaleon	Fernando Manuel Lopes
Wayne Robertson	Nancy Romero Penalosa
Delia Madrigal	Jose Miguel Da Gama Gomes
Marlin Uddenberg	Alexandra Marie Kijonek
<b>SUNDAY</b> 9:00am 11:00am 8:00pm	<u>March 17, 2024</u> – FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT Mass ( <i>Livestream</i> ) Mass Mass

### Vocation View

St. Paul reminds us that we are "created in Christ Jesus for good works". If you think God's plan for you could be to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988. Email [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com) Visit [hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/](http://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/)

### SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK

- Monday: Isaiah 65.17-21, John 4.43-54
- Tuesday: Ezekiel 47.1-9, 12, John 5.1-16
- Wednesday: Isaiah 49.8-15, John 5.16-30
- Thursday: Exodus 32.7-14, John 5.18, 31-47++
- Friday: Wisdom 2.1a, 12-22, John 7.1-2, 10, 25-30
- Saturday: Jeremiah 11.18-20, John 7.40-53
- Sunday: Jeremiah 31.31-34++, Hebrews 5.7-9, John 12.20-33

### HAMILTON DIOCESE WEEKLY PRAYER CALENDAR

- We pray for the following people or groups:
- Monday: Rev. Sutherland MacDonald, C.R.
  - Tuesday: Rev. David Mowat, C.R.
  - Wednesday: Lay Parish Ministers
  - Thursday: Rev. Harry Reitzel, C.R.
  - Friday: Rev. Raymond Reitzel, C.R.
  - Saturday: Rev. Florian Stasinski, C.R.



February 25th, 2024

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### All Day Confessions

**Saturday, March 23**, we will have all day confessions from **9:30am to 4:30pm**. The church will be open and there will be 2 priests available during those times for the sacrament of reconciliation. For other times of confessions, please see the bulletin, or the Lent and Easter Schedule which can be found on our parish website. Come and encounter the Lord and his mercy in this sacrament before Easter! There are resources to help you prepare for confession on our parish website. Under Sacraments, click "[Reconciliation/Penance](#)" to access various materials about this sacrament.

### RCIA This Week

On March 10<sup>th</sup>, at the 9am mass, the Elect, those in RCIA who are unbaptized, participated in the Second Scrutiny. As they move forward in their Lenten retreat, preparing for baptism, the Second Scrutiny draws attention to Christ as the Light of the World, leading all people out of darkness. All in attendance were reminded that we are called to profess the Good News of salvation and share it with others.

### Adult Faith Formation

#### Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist

The Eucharist is more than bread and wine, it is the "source & summit" of the Christian life. *Presence* explores the truth and beauty of Christ's real presence in the Eucharist, from its origins in Sacred Scripture to its profound role in the life of the Church and its members. This Lent, join us in the parish hall on **Thursday, March 14** from 9:30am - 11:30am as we explore the FORMED program *Presence*. This morning will provide an opportunity to watch the video series, study scripture of the Eucharist and discuss the role of the Eucharist in our salvation. Refreshments will be served. There is no cost to attend, and registration is not required. This is the final session of this program.

## Youth Choir

The St. Paul Youth Choir will be singing at the Easter Sunday Mass on March 31<sup>st</sup> at 12:00pm. We welcome all youth ages 8-17 to come and join the choir. Practices take place Thursdays from 6:30pm – 7:30pm in the Church, under the direction of the Music Director. We request that parents remain onsite during rehearsals. For more information, and to register, please visit the parish website.

## An Update

In accordance with Diocesan guidelines, the faithful may receive Holy Communion on the tongue from any minister. A reminder, when receiving Holy Communion on the tongue, please tilt your head back, open your mouth, and extend your tongue.

## The Dismas' Plea

The Dismas' Plea group invite you to join them **Monday March 18th** at 7:00 PM in the Hall. Our topic question this evening is: "How do we respond to the Migrant and Refugee crisis?" Everyone is welcome to attend.

## Catholic Women's League:

March General Meeting: Monday, **March 11th at 6:30** in the parish hall. We will have a guest speaker from the Halton Community Paramedic Program. All ladies of the parish are welcome. Looking forward to seeing you there!

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## Where are You?

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To access FORMED, simply go to [Formed.org/signup](https://formed.org/signup) and search for St. Paul the Apostle Parish, 2265 Headon Rd. Burlington ON.

## Toronto Airport Catholic Chaplaincy

Wishing all students a safe and happy March break. For all those traveling via Toronto Pearson International Airport, the Toronto Airport Catholic Chaplaincy offers many services, such as Mass and Confessions. For more information visit the [Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Toronto](https://www.roman-catholic-archdiocese-of-toronto.com/)



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## Holy Week Resource for Teens

The Office of Youth Ministry will be publishing, *Walking the Way* a Holy Week Journal for Teens. This resource has been developed for youth aged 13-16 in mind. The journal bridges the Gospel readings for each day of Holy Week to practical ways young people can live out the message. The journal also has reflections from Pope Francis' letter, *Chistus Vivit* for young people to consider. The Holy Week Journal can be found here: <http://tinyurl.com/yyxvxyj>

## Reel Justice Film Festival March 28, 7:00 – 9:00 PM

Join us for our special youth screening of **Island of Lemurs, Madagascar**. An insightful documentary for the whole family! Follow Dr. Patricia C. Wright's mission to help lemurs, the highly evolved creatures who arrived on Madagascar millions of years ago as castaways but are now highly endangered. Daytime screening for D&P Schools also available. The screening and discussion will be hosted online via Zoom. Register at: <https://reeljustice.hamiltondiocese.com/> A partnership between the Bishop Farrell Library & Archives and Development and Peace, the Reel Justice Film Festival shines a spotlight on issues of social, political, and economic injustices.

## Parenting Tip of the Month

Vacations or 'Stay-cations' are a wonderful time to step away from the busy-ness of everyday family living and reconnect with each other. As you laugh and play this March break, do not forget to stay connected to your faith. Be the family that plays and prays together. Take some time to talk about Lent and how it leads us to the great celebration at Easter!

## Marriage Tip of the Month

Marriage in the Catholic Church is a sacrament: our love for each other is to mirror the love of God for each person. When you look at your relationship, do you see it truly reflecting the total love and giving of God's love? Love is a choice and the decision to love can and should influence how we treat our spouse. When we purposely act in ways that reflect God's love, our marriages are better and will then echo, through our relationship, a visible love showing God's invisible love to the world.

## Step/Blended Family: Smart Steps for Building Family

Are you a parent or stepparent adjusting to blended family life? Smart Steps offers practical insights and suggestions on how to make the relationships work well for all. The next session will be held at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph, 28 Norfolk Street. TIME: 9:15AM - 3:30PM. PRICE: \$50 per person (includes lunch). DATE: Saturday, April 20, 2024. Register on line at [hamiltondiocese.com](https://hamiltondiocese.com) and look under Upcoming Events. For more information, contact the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.





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