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♦ Mon-Fri 9:00am 12:00noon ♦ or by appointment

SUNDAY MASS:

Sat. 5:00pm

Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am

WEEKDAY MASS:

Thurs. 7:00pm

Wed. & Fri., 8:30am

RECONCILIATION:

Sat. 3:30-4:30pm (or by appointment)

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SUNDAY MASS:

Sat. 5:00pm,

Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am

WEEKDAY MASS:

Tues. 6:30pm

Thurs. 9:00am

RECONCILIATION:

Sat. 4:00-4:30pm (or by appointment)

BAPTISMS: Please contact the office at least 2 months prior to desired date.

Becoming Catholic-RCIA:

For those not Baptized, or who have not yet completed their initiation, please call the office or speak to one of the priests.

MARRIAGE: Couples intending to marry, kindly contact the office about a year in advance.

Wedding Anniversary Blessing on the last Sunday of the month.

FUNERALS: When a family death occurs, please contact the office for assistance with arrangements.

VOCATIONS: Diocese of Hamilton www.hamiltonvocations.com

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES: www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca 905-522-7727

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IN OUR PARISH:

Corpus Christi: 905-389-3940

Our Lady of Lourdes: 905-383-9233

St. John Paul II: 905-525-1300

St. Marguerite d'Youville: 905-387-4600

St. Teresa of Calcutta: 905-318-7933

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***Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar***

Mon	Rev. Paul Patrick, O.M.I. Chrism Mass
Tues	Rev. Msgr. Pierre-Philippe Jean-Pierre
Wed	Oblates of Mary Immaculate (O.M.I.)
Thurs	Holy Thursday
Fri	Good Friday
Sat	Holy Saturday

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK***Corpus Christi site:***

Tues Apr 4	6:30pm	Special Intention of S. & M. J. Special Intention for family healing Special Intention of Helen Raftis Deceased members of the Kelly family Deceased members of the Ong, Sancho, Alaras and Marciano families
Wed Apr 5		No Mass
Thurs Apr 6 *	7:00pm	Holy Thursday
Fri Apr 7 *	11:00am & 3:00pm	Good Friday
Sat Apr 8 *	8:00pm Vigil	Holy Saturday – Easter Vigil

Our Lady of Lourdes:

Tues Apr 4		No Mass
Wed Apr 5	8:30am	Ezio & Linda Cinelli
Thurs Apr 6	7:00pm	Holy Thursday
Fri Apr 7 *	11:00am & 3:00pm	Good Friday
	7:00pm	Stations of the Cross
Sat Apr 8 *	8:00pm Vigil	Holy Saturday – Easter Vigil

Passion (Palm) Sunday - April 2, 2023

“Blessed is the one who comes in the Name of the Lord!” Are you being called to proclaim Jesus as a priest, deacon, brother or sister 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
hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/



**Society of
Saint Vincent de Paul**
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The new winter 2023 edition of our newsletter is now available. Also our Store is looking for a new manager, do you know anyone who might be interested? Finally we have several events planned for 2023, a lottery, a dance/silent auction and a golf tournament, we would “really” appreciate your support. Details can be found here

<https://ssvphamiltonpc.org/newsletter-5/>.

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THANK YOU for your support!

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul 905-383-4850

Visit our website at

<https://www.ssvphamiltonpc.org/scos/>

Publication of Banns of Ordination

Reverend Mr. Carlos Diaz is scheduled to be ordained to the Priesthood at 11:00am on Saturday, May 6, 2023 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton, Ontario. If anyone knows of a serious cause why this ordination should not take place, please notify your Parish Priest. Let us all pray that Reverend Mr. Carlos Diaz will be a good and faithful servant of the Lord and His Church.

**Our regular weekday and weekend Mass times will resume on Tuesday, April 11th, 2023.*

**There will be no Confessions at either site on Holy Saturday.*

***The Church office will be closed Good Friday & Easter Monday.*

Divine Mercy

St. Catherine of Siena Parish will celebrate The Feast of Divine Mercy on April 16, 2023, with 2:00 p.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament / Confession / Holy Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet / 4:00 p.m. Holy Mass. Blessings of religious articles will follow after the mass. Main Celebrant: Most Reverend Auxiliary Bishop Wayne Lobsinger. Everyone is welcome to attend.

First Reconciliation 2023

Parents/Guardians are invited to bring their children for Confession some time before First Communion; any Saturday, from 3:30pm to 4:30pm at Our Lady of Lourdes Site or 4pm to 4:30pm at Corpus Christi Site. You can also contact us to set up a different time.

First Communion Celebrations 2023

Corpus Christi site

- Saturday April 15, 11am – Corpus Christi School
- Saturday April 29, 11am and 1pm – St. Marguerite D'Youville School
- Sunday April 30, 2pm – St. John Paul II School

Our Lady of Lourdes site

- Saturday April 22, 11am – Our Lady of Lourdes School
- Sunday April 23, 2pm – St. Teresa School

Parish Stewardship

A parish is called to be the living body of Christ within a community. As we continue our preparations for entering our new church, we are now encouraging all parishioners to review their own service of the parish. Each baptized Catholic is called to share in the mission of the church. We thank you for your generous financial support of our parish with your Sunday contributions. Also, your prayer and holiness are a gift to the parish. Now each parishioner is asked to review ways in which they want to be actively involved in the ministry of the parish. We have had two Stewardship weekends, one at each site, to encourage such reflection. A special Stewardship pamphlet was handed out and is available at each site to be picked up. Also, this form is available on our parish website. Click "About Us" and go to the Ministries & Groups section. You are encouraged to prayerfully reflect on the various ministries and groups in our parish and consider becoming involved. If you have any questions or want more information about a ministry or group, let us know and we will speak with you.

We all want St. Catherine of Siena Parish to be a vibrant and living Catholic community in which the love of Christ is made visible. All of us are needed in building up this parish.

Corpus Christi Site Lent/Easter

Palm Sunday Masses

- ≈ Saturday, April 1st, at 5:00pm,
- ≈ Sunday, April 2nd at 9am & 11:00am

Mass of Chrism

- ≈ Monday, April 3rd at 2:00pm,
- Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King***

Confession:

- ≈ Tuesday, April 4th after 6:30pm Mass

Holy Thursday, April 6th

- ≈ Mass at 7pm

Good Friday, April 7th

- ≈ Service at 11:00am & 3:00pm
- ≈ Church open 10:30am-5pm for Private Veneration of the Cross

Holy Saturday, April 8th

- ≈ Blessing of the Food, 12:00 Noon

- ≈ Easter Vigil, 8:00pm

Easter Sunday Masses, April 9th

- ≈ Easter Sunday, 9am, & 11:00am

Our Lady of Lourdes Site Lent/Easter

Friday's - Beginning February 24, 2023

- ≈ Stations of the Cross at 7:00pm

Palm Sunday Masses

- ≈ Saturday, April 1st, at 5:00pm
- ≈ Sunday, April 2nd at 9am, 10:30am, 12noon

Mass of Chrism

- ≈ Monday, April 3rd at 2:00pm,
- Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King***

Confession:

- ≈ Wednesday, April 5th after 8:30am Mass and 7pm

Holy Thursday, April 6th

- ≈ Mass at 7pm

Good Friday, April 7th

- ≈ Service at 11:00am and 3:00pm
- ≈ Church open 9am-8pm for Private Veneration of the Cross

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