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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

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

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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

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Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Mon	Rev. Joe Selvanayagam
Tues	Rev. William Foote
Wed	Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate (S.S.M.I.)
Thurs	Rev. Terence Sehl
Fri	Rev. Scott Whitfield
Sat	St. Francois De Laval Patron of the Bishops of Canada

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

Tues May 2	6:30pm	Primo Salvucci Deceased members of the Kelly Family Special Intention of S&M J. Special Intention for Family Healing
Wed May 3		No Mass
Thurs May 4	9:00am	
Fri May 5		No Mass
Sat May 6	5:00pm	Eileen D'Angelo Mary Gatto Sharon Black Michael Winn Peter Bonitatibus.

Our Lady of Lourdes:

Tues May 2		No Mass
Wed May 3	8:30am	Sofia Kwarczynski
Thurs May 4	7:00pm	John McCotter Mary Gatto Barb Leitao Deceased members of the Bucci & Silvestri families Special Intention of Domenico Spadafora
Fri May 5	8:30am	Aristotle Ong
Sat May 6	5:00pm	Luigi Gabriele Donna Marie Campanelli Gian Mario Chiesa Nita Ormichigos Rita Cassiani Mary Gatto Deceased members of the Arca, Cabanas and Martinez families

Fourth Sunday of Easter - April 30, 2023 - World Day of Prayer for Vocations

The Good Shepherd calls his own sheep by name and leads them. Is He asking you to help others to find Him? Pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, religious and consecrated life, especially for our diocese, that God will raise up good shepherds in our midst. 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**
Hamilton/Hamilton West Councils

The new winter 2023 edition of our newsletter is now available. 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/>.

<https://ssvphamiltonpc.org/news-events/>.

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Society of Saint Vincent de Paul 905-383-4850

Visit our website at

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


Members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be in the narthex the weekend of May 6&7 at both sites to sell 50-50 tickets (\$5 ea, 5 for \$20) and dinner / dance tickets, \$70.00 in support of the works of the society. Draw will take place at the dinner dance, May 26.

Statue of Our Lady of Lourdes:

The Statue of Our Lady of Lourdes presently at Our Lady of Lourdes church will not be brought with us to the new church. We have obtained a beautiful 6 foot bronze statue of Our Lady of Lourdes that will be in the Grotto at our new church site. I am glad to announce that Our Lady of Lourdes School has requested to receive the old statue.

Therefore, on **Tuesday May 2 at 10am**, there will be a May Crowning Mass. Teachers and students from Our Lady of Lourdes School will be present. Anyone else is welcome to join us for this Mass. At the end of the Mass, the students will process with the statue back to the school where the Our Lady of Lourdes statue will find a new home in their school. I am pleased that this statue will be a place of prayer for young people in the years ahead.

Heart2Hands Ministry, we are inviting all knitters, crocheters, quilters to our next workshop on **May 13, 2023 1 to 3 pm** at Our Lady of Lourdes location. The ministry is looking for individuals to help with the creation of mittens, hats, shawls and afghans in addition to our plarn mats for our community outreach. Anyone interested and would like more information please come to the workshop or call: Maria Baiardo at [905-973-2467](tel:905-973-2467) Elizabeth Paal at [905-387-5324](tel:905-387-5324)



St. Catherine of Siena
1347-1380
Doctor of the Church
Memorial - 29 April

Prayer to St. Catherine of Siena

St. Catherine of Siena, Doctor of the Church, intercede for me this day. O bold bride of Christ, pray ceaselessly for my intentions (mention) which I entrust to your persevering devotion. Share with me your impassioned liveliness for union with God, in fidelity to my vocational calling. Counsel me by your charisma of exhortation, that I may be perfected in Triune love. Teach me to discern, with clarity and certainty, our Lord's perfect and holy will for my every situation. Inspire me into courageous action so that whatever our Heavenly King may ask of me, be it great or small, I may respond with a generous love and a pure heart. In each circumstance may I weight faith and reason in the scales of self knowledge and our Divine Savior's kind providence. Wherever God may place me, I wish to tirelessly serve our Eucharistic Lord by serving those He has entrusted to my care. Dearest St. Catherine, I humbly echo your prayer, "I trust in the Lord Jesus Christ, not in myself." Amen.

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.

CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK BEGINS SUNDAY,

APRIL 30th! Hamilton-Wentworth Catholic District School Board (HWCDSB) kicks off the week with a Pilgrimage Mass at Cathedral High School at 11:00 a.m. The Mass is followed by the popular *Pilgrimage Walk* up the escarpment! The entire week is packed with many activities sponsored by the seven Catholic District School Boards serving the Diocese of Hamilton that celebrate the gift of publicly funded Catholic Education in Ontario. Watch for exciting celebratory messages from students on social media throughout the week!



THE RITE OF ORDINATION TO THE MINISTERIAL PRIESTHOOD

CARLOS DIAZ | JOHN HA | PAUL NIESIOBEDZKI | JONATHAN REITZEL

SATURDAY, MAY 6, 2023 AT 11:00 A.M.

With praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God, The Diocese of Hamilton joyfully announces and invites you to attend the Ordination of:
Carlos Diaz, John Ha, Paul Niesiobedzki & Jonathan Reitzel to the Ministerial Priesthood of Jesus Christ through the Imposition of Hands and The Invocation of the Holy Spirit by:
The Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, O.M.I.
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Saturday, May 6, 2023 at 11:00 a.m.
at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King.

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