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Parish Office Hours

♦ 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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February 4/5 \$ 8914.50

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Mon	Rev. Francis Noronha, C.S.C.
Tues	Rev. Rafal Tomon
Wed	Discalced Carmelite Sisters (O.C.D.)
Thurs	Very Rev. Tim Uniac, C.R.
Fri	Rev. Pat Aiello, C.R.
Sat	Rev. Chris Buda, C.R.

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

Tues Feb 14	6:30pm	Daniel Cegnar
Wed Feb 15		No Mass
Thurs Feb 16	9:00am	
Fri Feb 17		No Mass
Sat Feb 18	5:00pm	Lina Febbraro Sandra Kendall Daniel Cegnar Deceased members of the Veltri and Gallo families Giuseppina Scozzari

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time - February 12, 2023

"No eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the human heart conceived, what God has prepared for those who love him." If you feel you are being invited to spread the Good News of God's love as a priest, deacon, brother or sister or consecrated virgin, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

Our Lady of Lourdes:

Tues Feb 14		No Mass
Wed Feb 15	8:30am	Emily Kusmirski
Thurs Feb 16	7:00pm	Special Intention of Rev. Mark Gatto Special Intention of Bernadette & Johnny Lewis and family Francesco & Carmela Pietrantonio Sam Misale
Fri Feb 17	8:30am	Deceased members of the Salvi family
Sat Feb 18	5:00pm	Maria Gabriele Silvio Pacini Giacinto Pacini Hussiena Zawi Kay Grant Kevin Greenlaw Deceased family members of the Ong, Sancho, Alaras & Mariano families



**Society of
Saint Vincent de Paul**
Hamilton/Hamilton West Councils

We just want to share with you the latest issue of our Newsletter and give you an update of what the Society has been doing to help families in need. We hope you will enjoy reading it. (limited printed copies are available in the narthex).

<https://ssvphamiltonpc.org/newsletter4.pdf>

THANK YOU for your support!

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul 905-383-4850

Visit our website at

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

The Corpus Christi Meditation Group
meet Saturday mornings at 9:30am -11:00am in
the
P.J. Daly Rm.
Everyone is welcome!

Christian Meditation is not new: It is central to the Christian experience and is deeply rooted in Christian tradition. It is also known as contemplative prayer, the prayer of silence and listening.
'Be still and know that I am God.'

Stewardship Weekend:

As we prepare for entering our new church sometime this year, we are now also encouraging stewardship within the life of the parish. We hope as many parishioners as possible will be involved in some form of ministry, service, etc. Therefore, our Synod Body will be hosting a Stewardship weekend at each site. A special pamphlet listing all ministries will be handed out to everyone and the homily will be time for us as a parish to reflect on the importance of all the Baptized members of the church building up the church in various ways.

February 25/26: *at Corpus Christi Site*
March 4/5: *at Our Lady of Lourdes Site*

Altar Servers

We are now accepting applications for anyone wanting to become an Altar Server. You must be Grade 4 and Above. Please fill in the registration form at the back of the church or email Fr. Mark at mgatto@hamiltondiocese.com

Young people from Our Lady of Lourdes will have their training session on Sat. Feb. 18, 3pm
Young people from Corpus Christi will have their training session on Sat. Feb. 25, 3pm.

If unable to make it for the training session then speak to Fr. Mark and we will set up a separate time.

Church Building Video Series:

A series of 13 videos have been created to provide information and education about church architecture and design. They will highlight the items and artwork in our new church. The first video is released on Saturday February 11th and then a new one weekly after that. They can be found on the home page of our parish website: catherineofsienachurch.ca

If you sign up on our website to receive the parish bulletin by email each week, then you will also receive notice of the release of each new video.

The St. Catherine of Siena Knights of Columbus

are hosting a guest speaker from the Good Shepherd Venture Centre. All parishioners are invited to please join us Tuesday February 21st @ 7:30pm at the Our Lady of Lourdes site in the church hall for this presentation and a hot or cold beverage & snack. Doors open at 7:15pm.

Join the Reel Justice Film Festival February 23, 2023 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM for a film screening featuring two short films that highlight challenges and approaches to affordable housing. ***A Better Tent City*** follows a group of dedicated individuals, including those living rough, service providers, community members and municipal staff, working together to create a self-organized housing community in Kitchener, ON. ***Safe*** explores the housing and opioid crises through the stories of tenants that live in Indwell affordable housing units, available for people experiencing poverty because of their mental health and/or substance use disorders, in Hamilton, London, Woodstock, Simcoe and Mississauga. Both films focus on the necessity for low barrier housing, community building, and respect for our shared home. Special discussion following the screening with **Fr. Toby Collins, C.R., Pastor at St. Mary, Kitchener** speaking about his work and ministry with **Tiny Homes and A Better Tent City**, as well as with **Jess Brand, Indwell regional manager for Hamilton** discussing the community engagement, programs, and initiatives offered through Indwell to provide supportive affordable housing. **The screening and discussion will be hosted online. R.S.V.P. and view our full schedule of events at: reeljusticefilmfestival.wordpress.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 injustice.

Grief Relief - Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Join us on Thursdays from 7 – 8:30 p.m. from April 13th - May 18th, 2023 to learn more about what you are feeling and how to gently move forward. You are not alone! The Diocese of Hamilton program will be offered online using Zoom. To register, go to www.hamiltondiocese.com and look for April 13th under Upcoming Events. To find out more, please call Teresa at 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

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