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Parish Office Hours ◆ Tues-Fri 9:00am - 12:00noon

SUNDAY MASS:

Sat. 5:00pm

Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am

WEEKDAY MASS:

Tues. & Thurs. 7:00pm

Wed. & Fri., 8:30am

RECONCILIATION:

Tues. 6:00-6:45pm 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

Wed., Thurs., Fri., 8:30am

RECONCILIATION:

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

BAPTISMS: Baptisms are celebrated the first Sunday of the month (Corpus Christi site) and the last Sunday of the month, (Our Lady of Lourdes site) except the Season of Lent. Preparation is provided for first time parents. 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

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SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

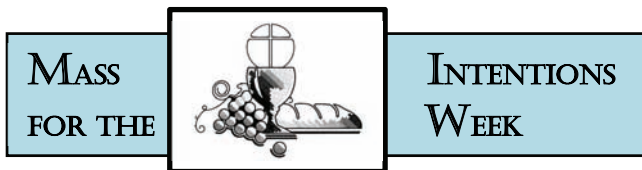
Our Financial Stewardship:

The foundation of all stewardship is a generous heart.

Feb : To be reported in next week's bulletin

Mon	<i>Rev. Pierre Caouette</i>
Tues	<i>Rev. Rev. Thomas Murphy</i>
Wed	<i>Soeurs du Sacre-Coeur de Jesus</i>
Thurs	<i>Rev. Todd Arsenault</i>
Fri	<i>Rev. Fernando Ferreira Pinto</i>
Sat	<i>Very Rev. Wojciech Kuzma</i>

Please pick up a copy of our Lenten & Easter schedule, located at the doors of the church ~ *Thank you*



Second Sunday of Lent - February 25, 2018

If you need examples of persons responding to God's call, look at Abraham and Sarah - called in old age to leave their country and have a child. Then Abraham was asked to sacrifice that child. What faith! Answering God's call to be a priest, brother, sister or deacon is also taking a great risk. If you think that God is calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Ham. at 905-528-7988. email: mking@hamiltondiocese.com. www.hamiltonvocations.com

Corpus Christi site

Tues Feb 27	6:30pm	<i>Attilio Filice, Frank Reich</i>
Wed Feb 28	8:30am	<i>Frank Reich</i>
Thurs Mar 1	8:30am	<i>Ken Hanrahan</i>
Fri Mar 2	8:30am	
Sat Mar 3	5:00pm	<i>Venera Fazio</i>

Our Lady of Lourdes site

Tues Feb 27	7:00pm	<i>Maria Alves, Gil Alves, Maria Garcia, Miguel Garcia, Joe Nunes</i>
Wed Feb 28	8:30am	<i>Deceased Members of the Maser Family</i>
Thurs Mar 1	7:00pm	<i>John Ramadori</i>
Fri Mar 2	8:30am	<i>Frank Duff</i>
Sat Mar 3	5:00pm	<i>Rosa Trecapelli, Polecapio & Anita Ybiosa, Daniel Ybiosa</i>



Children's Liturgy

Program

For children aged 4-7 yrs.:
Corpus Christi site,
 9:00am & 11:00am Masses;
Lourdes site, 11:00am
 Mass

Parish Registration

If you are new to the parish, please pick up a registration package at the back of the church, complete the forms that pertain to you/your family and return the sealed envelope to the offertory basket. To maintain current parish records, we ask that you inform our church office if you are moving or moving out of the parish. *Thank you!*

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

On **Sun., June 10, 2017**, Bishop Douglas Crosby will celebrate the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass at the *Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King* in Hamilton at 1:30 pm. The Mass is for couples married 25, 40, 50, 60 or 60 plus years in the year 2017. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if assistance is required). **To register** for the celebration go to: www.hamiltondiocese.com or call our church office for assistance.

Lenten Retreat: The Mass Explained

This reflection retreat will include talks explaining the various parts of the Mass along with times of prayer. Prayer will include Lectio Divina with Scripture, Guided Meditation, Intercessory Prayer, etc. Fr. Mark will lead us through this reflective Lenten retreat. This retreat is open to everyone, but Liturgical Ministers (Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers, Music Ministers, Altar Servers) are especially encouraged to attend. There will be a sign up at entrance of the church to provide us with an idea of numbers attending. It will be offered once at Corpus Christi site and at Our Lady of Lourdes site.

Wednesday March 7, 7pm to 8:30pm.

Our Lady of Lourdes Site

Saturday March 10, 3pm to 4:30pm.

Corpus Christi Site

The Saint John's Bible at the Corpus Christi Site

Men & women are invited to view The Saint John's Bible on Tuesday, March 6. **Corpus Christi CWL** have booked the Gospels and Acts and Wisdom Books volumes.

5 – 6:30 p.m.	View volumes in the Daly Room
6:30 – 7 p.m.	Mass
7 – 7:30 p.m.	A special guest from the Hamilton Diocese will speak about the Bibles
7:30 p.m.	Refreshments

The Saint John's Bible is a modern day illuminated bible intended "to ignite the spiritual imagination of believers throughout the world". The CWL is delighted to have the opportunity to share this work of art, because they have been travelling to schools and churches within the Hamilton diocese.

<https://hamiltondiocese.com/stjohnsbible/index.html>

Retrouvaille

Stress in Your Marriage? – Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Most couples don't know how to change the situation or even communicate with their spouse about it. Retrouvaille can help. For confidential information about, or to register for the program beginning with a weekend **March 16, 2018**, please call **905-664-5212** or email: hamiltonretrouvaille1@cogeco.ca or visit the web site at www.retrouvaille.org.

SHARE LENT ~ Building cultural and religious tolerance in Lebanon

During this second week of Share Lent, we focus on the organization Adyan, a Development and Peace partner that contributes to peace in the Middle East by fostering cultural and religious tolerance. Adyan offers a wide range of programs, including conferences, training sessions, and workshops on peace, reconciliation, and coexistence. In



this part of the world wounded by past and present wars, Adyan's work is essential and your support is indispensable to them. "At Adyan, we promote spiritual solidarity, which means integrating the other into my thoughts

and prayers. I must integrate the suffering of others and understand it." - Nayla Tabbara, Director of the Institute of Citizenship and Diversity Management at Adyan.

To find out more about Share Lent, please contact Melanie Vert at melanie.v@live.ca.

Photo: Rasha Elkhateeb did a training with Adyan, Lebanon.

St. Catherine of Siena Family Game Nights

Please join us in the church hall for Family Game Nights. Board games and refreshments will be provided. All family members, big and little, are welcome, **Wed., Feb 28th from 6:30 - 8:30**, at the *Lourdes site*.



stcatherinefamilygamenight@gmail.com.

Persons Separated and Divorced Hamilton

Programs: *LEARNING TO COPE* (Level 1) is a ten week support program **starting Tuesday, March 6** (7:00 pm to 9:30 pm), at the Chancery Office, 700 King St. W, Hamilton. The program is for persons experiencing difficulties as a result of a separation or divorce. Cost is: \$35.00. For more information or to register, please contact the Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988, ext. 2249, or register on line at www.hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/divorce-separation.php. Past participants are welcome to inquire about further Levels programs, (Level 2, 3 & 4) starting the same week.

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