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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. 6:15-6:45pm Sat. 3:30-4:30pm (or by appointment)

Corpus Christi Site:

1694 Upper James St., Hamilton, ON ◆ L9B 1K6

Telephone: 905-389-2472 ◆ Fax: 905-389-7525

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SUNDAY MASS:

Sat. 5:00pm,

Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am

WEEKDAY MASS:

Tues. 6:30pm

Wed., Thurs., Fri., 9:00am

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

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

St. Jean De Brebeuf Secondary: 905-388-7020

BAPTISM OF THE LORD

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Our Financial Stewardship:

The foundation of all stewardship is a generous heart.

Dec 15/16: \$8,119.30 (combined totals)
 Visa/MC: \$4,129.66 / Building: \$247
 Dec 23/24: \$10,925.45 (combined totals)
 Dec 25: \$23,749.00 (combined totals)

Mon	Rev. Todd Arsenault
Tues	Rev. Pierre Caouette
Wed	Consecrated Men and Women
Thurs	Rev. Thomas Flynn
Fri	Very Rev. John Van Hees
Sat	Very Rev. Con O'Mahony



Corpus Christi site

Our Lady of Lourdes site

Tues Jan 15	6:30pm	Rita Fortino, Len Malloni, Emmett & Isobel Kelly, Mandy Kelly, Michael Kelly
Wed Jan 16	9:00am	Michael Bruce Voss
Thurs Jan 17	9:00am	Genevieve D'Entremont
Fri Jan 18	9:00am	Michael Zoss
Sat Jan 19	5:00pm	Yolanda Scaglione, Frank Della Maestra
Tues Jan 15	7:00pm	Timara Prokipczuk, Lloyd James Shepherd, Doris Barker, Teresa Bowen, Amedeo Palarchio, Maynard MacLeod
Wed Jan 16	8:30am	Silvano Fortun
Thurs Jan 17	7:00pm	Brian Felix
Fri Jan 18	8:30am	Arrigo Gris
Sat Jan 19	5:00pm	Lina Valenti, Teresa Bowen, Alfonzo Dalli Cordillo, Rosa Laporta, Giovanni Laporta, Concetta Matteliano, Norma Buenaventura, Ian Perera, Salvator Maida, The Lopresti Family

The Baptism of the Lord – Jan 13, 2019

As John the Baptist introduced the people of his time to Jesus a voice from heaven said, "You are my Son, the Beloved, with you I am well pleased." Perhaps God is calling you to do the same in our time as a priest, deacon or religious consecrated man or woman. If you feel God is calling you to priesthood, religious life or deaconate, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988. email: mking@hamiltondiocese.com. www.hamiltonvocations.com



Children's Liturgy

Program

Takes place at the 9:00am & 11:00am Mass for children aged 4-7 years, at the Corpus Christi site and at the 11:00am Mass, at the Lourdes site.

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!*

There will be a **Men's Group meeting** This Tuesday, following the 6:30pm Mass, in the Daly Rm. All men in the parish are welcome!



The Catholic Women's League

welcomes new members – the membership fee is \$25. You will find a pink envelope for the CWL at the front of your new boxed set of 2019 offertory envelopes or you can put your membership fee in an envelope from home, label it CWL and drop in the offertory basket. Even if you cannot come to the monthly meetings we welcome you to join – we rely on your support and prayers!

There will be no CWL meeting in January.

Please note: As we start the year with new envelopes, please record your donation, by circling or writing the amount in the space provided – this saves the volunteers & office staff this task before posting the information into the church data system under your envelope number. ***Thank you for your kind assistance!***



OFFERING

2019 Offertory Envelopes

Please pick up your envelopes at the back of the church (*Corpus Christi site*) or the Church Hall (*Lourdes site*). If you used offertory envelopes regularly this past year, a boxed set has been prepared for you.

If you have not used envelopes but would like to, please call the office for assistance.

Visa/MC payments are also available options.

If you are using envelopes only a couple times in the year, we recommend that you take a few of the generic pink envelopes at the back of the church for your giving, as boxed sets are expensive to print. Donations will still be recorded and tax receipts issued for gifts over \$20.00 per year.

Any remaining boxes will be returned to the office by the end of January.

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publication will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin beginning **March 2019**. The advertisements make our bulletin possible. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service.

Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

St. Catherine of Siena Winter Wonderland

Join us for our first annual **St. Catherine of Siena Winter Wonderland**: Let's start the new calendar year with a parish event bringing together everyone from both sites in our parish. This banquet is to be a joyful event helping us get to know each other better. The evening will include a three course dinner and dance at Michelangelo's Banquet Centre, with entertainment, door prizes, children's activities. Mark your calendars now and **save, Sat. Feb. 16th** Doors open 6pm, dinner at 7pm. Adults - \$50/Child (under 12) \$20. ***Tickets are on sale now – either after weekend Masses or at the church office, either location.***



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Friday Night Support Group for Persons Separated or Divorced meets the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month and they can help! No need to register just come and join us at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West, Hamilton from 7 – 9 p.m. For more information call the Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 x2249-NO Cost.

Seeking the Sacred: The Soul's Slow Ripening - A Senior Adult Workshop Series taking Tuesday afternoons, starting Jan. 29 2019 1:30- 3:30pm at the Chancery Office in Hamilton. This 7 part workshop/study session will explore twelve unique Celtic-Christian spiritual practices intended to give practical ways for us to deepen our relationship with God and all of creation.

Facilitated by Sister Mary Heather MacKinnon SSND. ***The cost will be \$35, which includes the text.*** Please register by Jan. 25th. For further information please contact 905-52807988 ext. 2238 or check the website, www.hamiltondiocese.com

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