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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)

Corpus Christi Site:

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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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Our Lady of Lourdes: 905-383-9233

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

St. Teresa of Calcutta: 905-318-7933

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SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

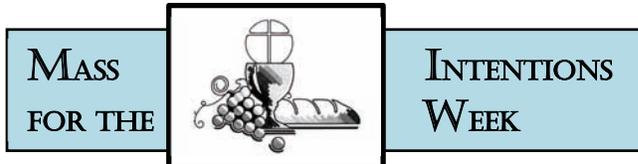
Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Our Financial Stewardship:

The foundation of all stewardship is a generous heart.

Donation totals to be reported in a later bulletin.

Mon	<i>Rev. Junghyuk Choi</i>
Tues	<i>Rev. Allen Varlaki</i>
Wed	<i>Benedictines</i>
Thurs	<i>Rev. James Malone</i>
Fri	<i>Rev. Stephen Csiszar</i>
Sat	<i>Rev. Jerome Mascarenhas</i>



Corpus Christi site

Our Lady of Lourdes site

Tues Jan 16	6:30pm	<i>Rosa Scozzari, Len Malloni</i>
Wed Jan 17	8:30am	<i>Kim Elizabeth Putrickovich</i>
Thurs Jan 18	8:30am	<i>Irmengard Jones</i>
Fri Jan 19	8:30am	<i>Irmengard Jones</i>
Sat Jan 20	5:00pm	<i>Vittorio DiPietro</i>
Tues Jan 16	7:00pm	<i>Brian Felix</i>
Wed Jan 17	8:30am	<i>Stella Zahodnik</i>
Thurs Jan 18	7:00pm	<i>Giemma Clementina & Pasquale Buzzelli</i>
Fri Jan 19	8:30am	<i>Lina Valenti, Carmela Giambra, Teresa, Giuseppe Prizzi Sr. & Jr., Nicolò Valenti & Erminia Valenti</i>
Sat Jan 20	5:00pm	<i>Darcy Amaral, Concetta Matteliano, Carlo Daddato, Deceased members of the Ormichigos & Batista Families, Deceased members of the Nagy & Virga Families</i>

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time – January 14, 2018
 A good vocation prayer to say every day - from the time we are young until we are in our golden years - is found in today's first Scripture reading: "Speak Lord, for your servant is listening". Just try it with sincerity, starting today and 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 Hamilton at 905-528-7988 email: mking@hamiltondiocese.com. www.hamiltonvocations.com



Children's Liturgy Program
 For children aged 4-7 yrs.:
 Corpus Christi site, 9:00am & 11:00am Masses
 Lourdes site. 11:00am Mass

"Be who God meant you to be and you will set the world on fire." ~ St. Catherine of Siena

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!*

Corpus Christi CWL – Annual membership due

The annual membership fee of \$25 for Corpus Christi CWL is now due. You can use the pink envelope in your box of envelopes or write CWL on an envelope and drop it into the offertory basket. Thank you for your support.

There will be no meeting in January – meetings will resume on Feb. 6th with more information to come.



OFFERING

2018 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.

A Prayer and Life Workshop (PLW) is a series of sessions where you learn to enter into a personal relationship with the Lord through different prayer methods, from the first steps of simple prayer to the heights of contemplation. At the same time, you will learn to transform your life with the help of the Word. **An information meeting** will be held on ***Wednesday, February 7, 2018 at 6:30pm*** in the Daly Room (*Corpus Christi site*). For additional information, please call Carlana Midence at 905-388-7922.

THE ANNUAL DIOCESAN MULTICULTURAL MASS is scheduled for January 21st, at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, beginning at 1:30 p.m. This is always a lively and colourful gathering, drawing together the many cultures present in the Diocese. We pray in thanksgiving for the richness they bring to the Diocese. It is also a time to pray for the 250 million migrants world-wide, including 22.5 million who are refugees. The Mass is followed by a time of celebration in McNally Hall below the Cathedral, with spring-rolls available for all!

Knights of Columbus
11th Annual Rib Night

Saturday, February 3rd. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Dinner at 6:30 p.m. (*Our Lady of Lourdes site*) Tickets will be available after the Masses for the next few weeks or from the parish office during regular office hours.

- ½ rib dinner - \$20.00
- Full rib dinner - \$30.00
- Cordon Bleu - \$20.00

Cash Bar. Limited number of tickets available for this event! Get yours early.

Band of Christian Brothers Men's Conference

On **February 24th** join **Hector Molina** and **Bishop of St. Catharines, Gerard Bergie**, along with hundreds of men for Serviam Ministries' 3rd annual **Band of Christian Brothers Men's Conference** at Canada Christian College in Toronto. The theme is "Manly Virtue". It is a one day intensive men's retreat consisting of spiritual talks, Mass, Adoration, Confession, fraternity and prayer. Special Father/Son rates available. For tickets/info: 1-888-522-2070

<https://www.serviamministries.com/events/virtue/>,
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