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## Our Lady of Lourdes Site:

416 Mohawk Rd. E., Hamilton, ON ◆ L8V 2H7

Telephone: 905-383-3381

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

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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](http://www.hamiltonvocations.com)

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### **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

**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.*

Jan 1:           \$ 10,910.85    (combined totals)  
 Jan 6, 2019   \$ 11,067.35    (combined totals)

<b>Mon</b>	<i>Rev. Felix Nwatu</i>
<b>Tues</b>	<i>Rev. Czeslaw Kolasa</i>
<b>Wed</b>	<i>Discalced Carmelite Fathers</i>
<b>Thurs</b>	<i>Rev. Ranjan D'Sa</i>
<b>Fri</b>	<i>Rev. Louis Lenssen</i>
<b>Sat</b>	<i>Rev. Alessandro Tirelli</i>



Corpus Christi site

<b>Tues Jan 22</b>	<b>6:30pm</b>	<i>David Freitas, Pat Strafacci, Rosa Scozzari, Fred Grasby</i>
<b>Wed Jan 23</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	
<b>Thurs Jan 24</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	
<b>Fri Jan 25</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	
<b>Sat Jan 26</b>	<b>5:00pm</b>	<i>Anne &amp; Maurice O'Brien, Frank Della Maestra,</i>

Our Lady of Lourdes site

<b>Tues Jan 22</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<i>Teresa Bowen, Lucia Porco, Mrs. Ann Yaksich, Alfie Campanella, Alfonso DiFiore, A Mass of Thanksgiving for the Angel DeLeon Family</i>
<b>Wed Jan 23</b>	<b>8:30am</b>	<i>Paul Oakley</i>
<b>Thurs Jan 24</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<i>Thomas Keating</i>
<b>Fri Jan 25</b>	<b>8:30am</b>	<i>Alfonso DiFiore, Alphonse Lambe</i>
<b>Sat Jan 26</b>	<b>5:00pm</b>	<i>Teresa Bowen, Lillo Mendola, Daniel Bennett MacInnis, Joe, Mike &amp; Ersilia Martorana, Carmelo &amp; Maria Miraglia, Lucia Martorelli, Ian Perera</i>

***Second Sun in Ordinary Time– Jan 20, 2019***

Pray to know how God wants to use your talents and abilities. Could it be He is calling you to consider priesthood or religious consecrated life? 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](mailto:mking@hamiltondiocese.com)  
[www.hamiltonvocations.com](http://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!*

**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. 16<sup>th</sup>** 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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**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 Thursday, January 31 at 6:30 PM in the parish hall (Our Lady of Lourdes site). For additional information, please call Carlana Midence at 905-388-7922 or speak to Fr. Mark.

**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.

**The cost will be \$35, which includes the text.** Please register by Jan. 25<sup>th</sup>. For further information please contact 905-52807988 ext. 2238 or check the website, [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com)



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