# St. Catherine of Siena Parish

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## Our Lady of Lourdes Site:

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

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

**SUNDAY MASS:** 

**WEEKDAY MASS:** 

Sat. 5:00pm Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am Tues. & Thurs. 7:00pm Wed. & Fri.. 8:30am

#### **RECONCILATION:**

Tues. 6:00-6:45pm Sat. 3:30-4:30pm (or by appointment)

## Corpus Christi Site:

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**SUNDAY MASS:** 

**WEEKDAY MASS:** 

Sat. 5:00pm,

Tues. 6:30pm

Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am Wed., Thurs., Fri., 8:30am

#### **RECONCILATION:**

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

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#### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IN OUR PARISH:

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Corpus Christi site

Our Lady of Lourdes site

## ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

#### **Our Financial Stewardship:**

The foundation of all stewardship is a generous heart.

Jan 13/14: \$9,279.00 Visa/MC: \$2.041.00

#### **Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar**

Mon	Rev. Kevin D'Souza
Tues	Rev. Peter Meyer
Wed	Fraternity of the Poor of Jesus Christ
Thurs	Rev. James Petrie
Fri	Rev. Joe Selvanayagam
Sat	Rev. Stephen Gilbert

Mass for the



# Intentions Week

Tues Jan 30	6:30pm	Special Intention for the Anoumedum Family
Wed Jan 31	8:30am	Pearl Laing
Thurs Feb 1	8:30am	Patricia Moos
Fri Feb 2	8:30am	Fatima Clamaneio
Sat Feb 3	5:00pm	Special Intention for the Anoumedum Family
Tues Jan 30	7:00pm	Margaret Mrowka, J & B Lewis Family and Friends, A. DiGiacomo Family & Friends, Special Intention for David Craughwell,
Wed Jan 31	8:30am	Margaret Garzoni
Thurs Feb 1	7:00pm	Barry Dowling
Fri Feb 2	8:30am	Morgan Miles
Sat Feb 3	5:00pm	Virginia Allega Di Sanza, Michael Aquilina, Rosa Trecapeli, Special Intention for Noel & Marie Santos (30th Wedding Anniversary)

## 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!* 

### <u>Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time –</u> January 28, 2018

Pray to know how God wants to use your talents and abilities. Could it be He is calling you to consider priesthood, religious life or deaconate? 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: <a href="mking@hamiltondiocese.com">mking@hamiltondiocese.com</a>.
www.hamiltonvocations.com



# <u>Children's Liturgy</u>

## <u>Program</u>

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

The Meditation Group at the Corpus Christi site meets Saturday mornings at 9:30am 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.'

# CWL Meeting - Corpus Christi Site

Play bingo and support Heart & Stroke

Join us on Tuesday, February 6 and play bingo. Each bingo card is \$2 and the proceeds go to Heart & Stroke Foundation. Have fun and support a good cause. Tuesday, February 6 at 7 p.m. after the 6:30 p.m. mass.



# 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.

### **CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING**

Liturgical Publication will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin beginning March 2018. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service.

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

### Join the "Call for Conscience" in the Hamilton Diocese

The Government of Canada passed legislation in June 2016, legalizing euthanasia/assisted suicide. Despite wording in the legislation intended to protect doctors and facilities, the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario is forcing health care workers to participate in ending the lives of their patients. No other country or province in Canada does this. Ontario, however, refuses protect doctors who object to assisted suicide/euthanasia. The Hamilton Diocese is wants to protect the rights of all healthcare workers. Please visit www.CanadiansforConscience.ca to learn more, write a letter (samples available at the back of the Church or on their website) to your Provincial Member of Parliament and consider adding your e-mail address to the Conscience Coalitions network to receive future information. We all need to join the "Call for Conscience" taking place between Feb. 6 and March 31st.

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.\_\_\_\_

#### 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, call 905-664-5212 please or email: hamiltonretrouvaille1@cogeco.ca or visit the web site at www.retrouvaille.org.

# **Knights of Columbus**

11<sup>th</sup> Annual Rib Night

Saturday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>. 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.

**The Men's Group of Corpus Christi Church** invite you to join us for our

# Pancake Brunch

Sunday, February 11, 2018

After the 11:00am Mass at Corpus Christi School Gymn, 25 Alderson Dr.



Adults \$5.00 ~ Children (5-12) \$3.00

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