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Parish Office Hours

◆ Mon-Fri 9:00am 12:00noon ◆ or by appointment

SUNDAY MASS:

Sat. 5:00pm

Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am

WEEKDAY MASS:

Thurs. 7:00pm

Wed. & Fri., 8:30am

RECONCILIATION:

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

Thurs. 9:00am

RECONCILIATION:

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

BAPTISMS: 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

St. John Paul II: 905-525-1300

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ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA***Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar*****Our Financial Stewardship:***The foundation of all stewardship is a generous heart.*

July 15/16 \$ 8,826.50

Month of July - Visa/Mastercard**Regular Sunday offering \$ 5,763.67****Building Fund offering \$ 398.00**

Mon	Rev. Lourdy Dorismond, O.M.I.
Tues	Rev. Jarek Pachocki, O.M.I.
Wed	<i>St. Anne & St. Joachim, Parents of Blessed Virgin Mary</i>
Thurs	Rev. Hanh Van Tran, O.M.I.
Fri	Rev. Adam Voisin
Sat	<i>Saints Martha, Mary & Lazarus, Disciples of the Lord</i>

Mass Intentions for the Week***Corpus Christi site:***

Tues July 25	6:30pm	Special Intention of the Stone Family
Wed July 26		No Mass
Thurs July 27	9:00am	
Fri July 28		No Mass
Sat July 29	5:00pm	Toni & Des Gillen Mary & Marty Martinello Teresita Ong Pam Kelly

Our Lady of Lourdes:

Tues July 25		No Mass
Wed July 26	8:30am	Quinto D'Angelo
Thurs July 27	7:00pm	Antonio Costantini Girolamo Fanara Teresita Ong Donato Tartaglia
Fri July 28	8:30am	Amedeo Capoferri
Sat July 29	5:00pm	Italo Damiani Ernesto Pacheco & deceased family members Deceased members of the Janca and Nedelko families Pina Valenti Angelo Sferrazza Aaron Stone & Carissa MacDonald

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 23, 2023

"The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought..." For five minutes today rest with Jesus and ask Him what He requires of you. If God is calling you, to the priesthood, diaconate, religious or consecrated life, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988

email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

SUNDAY MASS INTENTIONS:

Due to the large number of requests for Mass Intentions at Saturday/Sunday Masses, we are required to put in some policies to be fair to everyone and have a common practice. So, from this time forward we will accept Intentions for the deceased at Saturday/Sunday Masses with following restrictions:

- One Saturday/Sunday following the death or funeral. Approximately 30 or 40 days afterwards, if desired.
- Then maximum of twice a year on Saturday/Sundays, for the anniversary of the funeral and some other significant date.

This will keep us from having too large a number of intentions for the dead at Saturday/Sunday Masses and insure that everyone has an opportunity. Thanks for understanding.

Weekday Masses will remain first come first served.

PHOTO DIRECTORY

St. Catherine of Siena Parish will be producing a Photo Directory in order to help us acquaint ourselves with one another and strengthen the bond of our faith community.

This will be happening in November!

Everyone who participates will receive a free directory. You will also have the opportunity to purchase portraits.

More information will follow.

THIRD WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY



The Blessing of Long Life God of mercy, Who has given the gift of long life to Your children, grant them Your blessing; let them feel the sweetness and strength of Your presence: Turning back to the past let them rejoice in Your mercy and looking to the future Let them persevere in the hope that does not die. Praise and glory to you for ever and ever.

On Sunday, July 23, 2022, the ***Third World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly*** will be celebrated throughout the universal Church. The theme chosen by the Holy Father for the occasion is "*In old age they will still bear fruit*" (Psalm 92:15) and intends to emphasize how grandparents and the elderly are a value and a gift both for society and for ecclesial communities.

[World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly, Pope Francis grants the gift of indulgences \(laityfamilylife.va\)](https://www.laityfamilylife.va/)



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<https://ssvphamiltonpc.org/golf>.

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Heart2Hands Ministry, would like to thank the Parishioners of St. Catherine of Siena for the donations of milk bags for the mats we are creating for the homeless. We are appealing to parishioners to help with the crocheting of the mats. There will be a box clearly marked to place the clean and dry milk bags(only the outer bag please) at the back of the church. Our next workshop will be held Saturday July 29th at Our Lady of Lourdes Church hall 1pm-3pm. A special Thank you to St. Jean de Brebeuf HS for the large amount of Milk Bags collected. Anyone interested and would like more information please come to the workshop or call:

Maria Baiardo at [905-973-2467](tel:905-973-2467)

Elizabeth Paal at [905-387-5324](tel:905-387-5324)

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