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Our Lady of Lourdes Site:

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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

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

THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Our Financial Stewardship:

Feb 29/Mar 1: \$10,704.75

Stations of the Cross on the Fridays of Lent, at 7:00pm, at the Our Lady of Lourdes site.

Mon	<i>Rev. Ken Miskiewicz</i>
Tues	<i>Rev. Terence Sehl</i>
Wed	<i>Franciscan Fathers</i>
Thurs	<i>Rev. Jason Kuntz</i>
Fri	<i>Rev. Edward Mahony</i>
Sat	<i>Rev. Fulbert Jonas Ahouansou</i>



Corpus Christi site

Tues Mar 17	6:30pm	<i>Maurice Kowal</i>
Wed Mar 18	9:00am	<i>Lina Febbraro</i>
Thurs Mar 19	9:00am	
Fri Mar 20	9:00am	
Sat Mar 21	5:00pm	<i>Anne O'Brien, Lucia DiFilice, Ignazio Falcone</i>

Our Lady of Lourdes site

Tues Mar 17	7:00pm	<i>Vincenzo Licata, Carmela & Domenico Scalia, Father Secondo Casrotta, Christina Sanmartin, Giacinto Pacini</i>
Wed Mar 18	8:30am	<i>Catherine Hannon</i>
Thurs Mar 19	7:00pm	<i>St. Joseph</i>
Fri Mar 20	8:30am	<i>Deceased Members of the Denis Keane Family</i>
Sat Mar 21	5:00pm	<i>Joan Mule, Juanito & Romana Chan and Deceased Members, Edward Cunningham, John Melo, Osman Zeka, Salvatore Cocuzza</i>

3rd Sunday of Lent – Mar 15, 2020

“But the one who drinks of the water that I will give will never be thirsty.” Do you thirst to know where God is leading you? Could you be thirsty for an understanding of your purpose? If you feel God is calling you to priesthood, religious life or diaconate, 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!*

Lenten Reflection Series: We are hosting two reflection evenings during Lent. One will focus on the Bible, the Word of God. The second will focus on the Eucharist. All parishioners and guests are invited to join one or both of these reflection evenings. In particular, Lectors and Choir members are encouraged to attend the evening on the Word of God. Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers and Altar Servers are encouraged to attend the evening on the Eucharist.

Wednesday March 25, 7pm. at Corpus Christi Site: *Reflection Evening on the Word of God.* A Liturgy of the Word with a talk on the theme "Catholics and the Bible". This evening we will be hosting two volumes of the St. John's Bible; a great opportunity to examine this beautiful work of art. See below for more information about the St. John's Bible.

Wednesday April 1, 7pm. at Our Lady of Lourdes Site: *Reflection Evening on the Eucharist.* A Scriptural Rosary with a talk on the theme "Becoming the Body of Christ".

The Saint John's Bible is a hand-written and hand-illuminated Bible encompassing seven volumes: Pentateuch, Historical Books, Wisdom Books, Psalms, Prophets, Gospels and Acts, and Letters and Revelation. St. John's Abbey and University commissioned British calligrapher Donald Jackson to oversee the creation of The Saint John's Bible, the first of its scale commissioned by a religious order in 500 years. The Diocese of Hamilton is home to a Heritage Edition of The Saint John's Bible. It is a fine art reproduction of The Saint John's Bible. The Heritage Edition reproduces all of the illuminations and text of the original, highlighted using real gold.

The Fun and Friendship group meets every Tuesday 1:00-3:00pm, in the Church Hall, at the Our Lady of Lourdes Site. If you are over 55 years old and interested in playing Euchre or Bingo, please call Victor Micallef at 905-574-6595 or the Lourdes site, church office at 905-383-3381 ext 2.

A ***BIG thank you*** to everyone who generously left donations of wool at the back of the church at the Lourdes site. The response was overwhelming! Many people in Hamilton hospitals will benefit from the blankets made from your donations.

Baby Shower for Birthright on Tuesday, *April 7*, after the 6:30pm Mass. Knit, crochet, quilt, or purchase items to donate for babies up to 2 years of age.

If you recently paid your CWL membership by dropping your envelope into the offertory basket in the past three weeks to a month, please contact Barbara Fanson at barbara@fanson.net or Rachel at the Lourdes office, 905-838-3381 ext 2, with your name and contact info. and method of payment for your registration; the church office at Corpus Christi site has had a recent break-in and some of the envelopes were stolen. If you wrote a cheque you may want to cancel the cheque and will need to issue a new one for your registration. Please be in touch to let us know if this affect you. Our parish will cover the cash envelopes that were stolen.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
13th ANNUAL RIB NIGHT

Saturday, March 21, 2020

Doors open 6:00pm, Dinner 6:30pm at the Lourdes Hall
Tickets available at the Our Lady of Lourdes site
following Masses or from the parish office –

Get yours early!

Full Rib Dinner - \$30.00 ~ Cash Bar
½ Rib Dinner - \$20.00
Cordon Bleu - \$20.00

Knights of Columbus Fraternal Benefits Night -
Tuesday March 17 after 7pm Mass in Our Lady of Lourdes Hall. Everyone welcome to come and find out more about the Knights of Columbus in our parish. Families invited to join us.

Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass June 14, 2020

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2020? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 14, 2020 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if you require assistance). Please refer to the poster in the church for information on how to register for the celebration, or go to www.hamiltondiocese.com. You are welcome to call the parish office to register.

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