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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Thursday 9:00am - 4:00pm

Friday 9:00am -12:00noon

WEEKDAY MASS:

Tuesday, 7:00pm
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday
9:00am

SUNDAY MASS:

Saturday, 5:00pm
Sunday, 9:00am, 11:00am

RECONCILIATION:

Tuesday, 6:15pm -6:45pm
Saturday, 4:00-4:30pm
(or by appointment)

BAPTISMS: Please contact the office at least 3 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.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES: www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca 905-522-7727

FUNERALS: When a family death occurs, please contact the office for assistance with arrangements.

MARRIAGE: Couples intending to marry, kindly contact the office about a year in advance.
Wedding Anniversary Blessing on the last Sunday of the month.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: Do you know someone in need? Please contact 905-383-4850 or visit our website at <https://www.ssvphamiltonpc.org/scos>

VOCATIONS: Diocese of Hamilton www.hamiltonvocations.com

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IN OUR PARISH:

Corpus Christi: 905-389-3940

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

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

Our Financial Stewardship:

The foundation of all stewardship is a generous heart.

March 16/17 \$ 12,407.55

Month of March - Visa/Mastercard

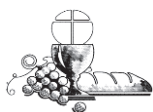
Regular Sunday offering \$ 7,858.67

Building Fund offering \$ 418.00

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Mon	Most Rev. Matthew Ustrzycki <i>Chrism Mass</i>
Tues	Rev. Gerald Mulhall
Wed	Sisters of St. Joseph in Canada(C.S.J.)
Thurs	<i>Holy Thursday</i>
Fri	<i>Friday of the Passion of the Lord</i>
Sat	<i>Holy Saturday</i>

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK



Tues Mar 26	7:00pm	Tony Ferrer Pasquale & Luciana Di Felice Livio Sanmartin The Souls in Purgatory Claudio Gapaz Vincenzo Licata
Wed Mar 27	9:00am	Angeline Peres Special Intentions of Myrna Springer
Thurs Mar 28	7pm	Holy Thursday
Fri Mar 29	11am 3pm	Good Friday
Sat Mar 30	8:00pm Easter Vigil	Peter Alessi Manuel Cabral Jim & Estelle Ferguson Filippo & Vince Bufalino

Good Friday and Easter Monday the Office will be closed

FUN & FRIENDSHIP

This social club is decades old with roots tied to our Lady of Lourdes Parish. Membership is based on retirees/seniors. We gather once a week (Tuesdays at 12:45pm) in our parish hall to play either euchre or bingo.....and, most importantly share in fellowship. New members are most welcome. For additional clarification, please feel free to contact David Quinton @ 905-388-6595

ST. ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY

St. Elizabeth of Hungary Chapel at Rymal and Garth is a part of our parish. Everyone is welcome to attend. Daily weekday Mass at 8:30am, Sun. Mass at 9:30am.



Passion (Palm) Sunday – March 24, 2024

Blessed are those who come in the Name of the Lord! Blessed are they who live their lives in the Name of the Lord! If you feel God is giving you the blessing of a call to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call -Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

Email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publication will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in June 2024 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. **Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.**

PHOTO DIRECTORY

We need you! We need everyone!

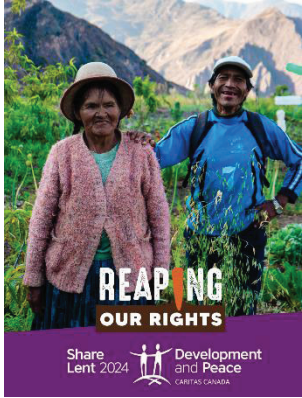
Please help us make our church photo directory as complete as possible.

You can sign up this weekend for a photo appointment. You will have the opportunity to purchase professional portraits. Best of all you will receive a free photo directory just for getting your picture done. Appointments are available from April 9th to 17th. It only takes 15 minutes to get your photo done. Additional dates are available.

What an amazing keepsake of our first year at St. Catherine of Siena Parish.

All families, singles and couples are welcome to participate.

Thank you for giving from the heart to Share Lent 2024!



Development and Peace — Caritas Canada thanks you for supporting the *Reaping our Rights* campaign with your Share Lent donation. Thanks to your generosity. This sum will help support our sisters and brothers in Africa, Asia, Eastern Europe, Latin America and the

Middle East. If you have not yet had a chance to give, you can still donate online at devp.org/give.

Thank you for continuing to pray for all those who are working to build a world of peace and justice.



SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL

St. Vincent de Paul dinner and dance will be held at Michaelangelos's Friday, May 31. Tickets are \$80, available soon. Everyone welcome!

CAN YOU SPARE A FEW HOURS A MONTH TO HELP PEOPLE IN NEED? Consider Volunteering at our SSVP Thrift Store. Everyone is welcome! Email Rita at ritassvphamilton@gmail.com. See this short video for more info

<https://catherineofsienachurch.ca/volunteers-needed>

DIVINE MERCY

Divine Mercy Apostolate of Canada cordially invites everyone to celebrate: The Feast of Divine Mercy on April 7, 2024 (Sunday) at 2:00 p.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament / Confession / Holy Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet / 4:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist Celebrant: Most Reverend Wayne Lobsinger, VG, EV. (Auxiliary Bishop of Hamilton).

MONTHLY PRAYER REFLECTION

MORNING – April 12, 2024

Second Friday of each month 9am to 12noon.

Beginning with mass 9am followed with social, opening prayer, meditation, reflection and closing prayer. Contact Sister Elaine to register:

sisterelainess@gmail.com or 289-237-2245.

Lent/Easter

Friday's - Beginning February 16, 2024

≈ Stations of the Cross at 7:00pm

Palm Sunday Masses

≈ Saturday, March 23rd at 5:00pm

≈ Sunday, March 24th at 9:00am, 11:00am

Mass of Chrism

≈ Monday, March 25th at 2:00pm,

Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King

Confession:

≈ Tuesday, March 26th

6:15-6:45pm and after 7:30-8:00pm

≈ Wednesday, March 27th

9:30-10:00am, 7:00pm-8:00pm

Holy Thursday, March 28th

≈ Mass at 7:00pm

≈ Adoration 8:00pm-10:00pm

Good Friday, March 29th

≈ Service at 11:00am and 3:00pm

≈ Church open 9am-8pm for Private Veneration of the Cross

≈ Stations of the Cross at 7:00pm

Holy Saturday, March 30th

≈ Blessing of the Food, 12:00 Noon

≈ Easter Vigil, 8:00pm

Easter Sunday Masses, March 31st

≈ Easter Sunday, 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am

The St. Catherine of Siena Meditation Group

meet Saturday mornings at 9:00am -10:30am in the

St. Brother Andre Bessette Room. Everyone is welcome!

HEART2HANDS WORKSHOP

Our next Heart2Hands Workshop will be held on Saturday, April 13th. The workshop starts at 1:00 pm until 3:00 pm. It will be held in the St. Kateri Room, everyone is welcome.

First Communion Celebrations 2024

Sat. Apr. 13th – 11am Corpus Christi School

Sun. Apr. 14th – 2pm St. Teresa of Calcutta School

Sat. Apr. 27th – 11am St. Marguerite d'Youville School

Sun. Apr. 28 – 2pm St. John Paul II School

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL INFORMATION

NIGHT: Wednesday, April 10th beginning at 7:00 p.m. on Zoom.

To register for the evening, please register

here: <https://tinyurl.com/vbsinfo2024>

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