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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:

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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

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Our Financial Stewardship:

The foundation of all stewardship is a generous heart.

Mar 16/17: \$9,604.80 (combined totals)

Visa/MC: \$2,301.66 Building: \$225.00

Mon	Rev. Philip Reilly
Tues	Rev. David Walter
Wed	Holy Ghost Congregation
Thurs	Rev. George Stortz
Fri	Rev. Msgr. Earl Talbot
Sat	Rev. Robert Stainsby



Corpus Christi site

Tues Apr 2	6:30pm	<i>Emmett & Isobel Kelly, Mandy Kelly, Michael Kelly, Deceased members of CWL</i>
Wed Apr 3	9:00am	
Thurs Apr 4	9:00am	<i>Josephine Sottile</i>
Fri Apr 5	9:00am	<i>James Capuccinello</i>
Sat Apr 6	5:00pm	<i>Anne & Maurice O'Brien, Fedele Mule, Monique Dubois, Barbara McInnes</i>

Our Lady of Lourdes site

Tues Apr 2	7:00pm	<i>Salvatore Brucculeri, Bruce Newlove, Eamon Gilmore, Special 90th Birthday Intention for Sr. Monique Tremblay</i>
Wed Apr 3	8:30am	<i>Manuel, Maria Ellen & Maria Ceu</i>
Thurs Apr 4	7:00pm	No Mass
Fri Apr 5	8:30am	<i>The Deceased members of the Bucci & Silvestri Families</i>
Sat Apr 6	5:00pm	<i>Deceased members of the Morta Family Deceased members of the Hall Family, Deceased members of the Pyin Family, Giovanni Esposto</i>

Please Note: Due to Confirmations on Thursday, April 4th, being held at the Cathedral Basilica, the 7:00pm Mass at the Lourdes site is cancelled.

Fourth Sun in Lent– Mar 31, 2019

Like the forgiving father of Luke's Gospel, God welcomes us home in spite of our sinfulness, and calls us to a life of holiness. Where are you at home? Are you being called to a life as an ordained or a consecrated person? 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!*



The grade 7 students from our five parish schools, will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation this coming week, at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, at 7:00pm each evening: April 3rd, St.

Teresa of Calcutta & Our Lady of Lourdes Schools; April 4th, Corpus Christi & St. John Paul II Schools; and April 5th, St. Marguerite d'Youville School and children registered at other schools, whose families are registered members at our parish. Please pray for these young people and for their families.

Building Update: Tuesday, April 2nd, at 7:00pm

Men and women are invited to join us to find how the new church is progressing. Father Mark and Deacon Tom will update us with maps, architectural renderings, and info. Corpus Christi CWL is hosting this event on Tuesday, April 2 at 7 p.m. (after 6:30 p.m. mass) in the P.J. Daly Room.

Corpus Christi School is doing an **ECO fundraiser**. Corpus Christi school will be collecting gently used clothing, linens, stuffed animals and shoes (tied together). Collection will take place at the school from **April 1st to April 3rd**. Items can be dropped off during school hours at the office. Thank you from the Corpus Christi ECO Team.

Remember Keep it Clean and Go Green!

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

SAVE THE DATE!

Friday, May 24th, 2019

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul, Hamilton Particular Council, announces its

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John @905-870-0550 or Barb@905-515-7059

ALL PROCEEDS GO TO HELP THE NEED

**A Lenten Evening of Prayer
In the Style of TAIZÉ**



**St. Catherine of Siena Parish,
Corpus Christi Site
Wednesday, April 10th ~ 7:00pm
The St. John's Bible will be on display
during the prayer.**



A note from The Catholic Cemeteries

Families are kindly reminded to remove all wreaths on stands and other winter decorations from their lots by **April 1st** to facilitate the spring clean-up. Any wreaths and decorations remaining after April 1st will be removed and discarded. For further information, please do not hesitate to contact the cemetery office at 905-522-7727.

N2N sends a heartfelt THANK YOU to all the

parishioners of St. Catherine of Siena, who generously bring food donations to the collection boxes located at both sites.

During the past 6 months approximately 3450 lbs of food has been collected from our parish. Lent is an especially good time to remember those who do not enjoy a secure food supply. Over 1000 mountain area families visit the food bank at N2N every month.

Nonperishable items that are always in short supply include:

Proteins (Canned meat, tuna, peanut butter, chick peas, lentils)

Grains (Pasta, rice, cereals, granola bars, oatmeal)

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