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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

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

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA


Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Our Financial Stewardship:

The foundation of all stewardship is a generous heart.

May 7/8 \$ 9144.40

Mon	Rev. Melvin Pinto, O.C.D.
Tues	Rev. Mark Sullivan
Wed	Seminarians
Thurs	Rev. Peter Tuyen Nguyen
Fri	Rev. Stephen Gilbert
Sat	Very Rev. Lukasz Kopaniak, S.A.C.

<i>Mass</i> <i>for the</i>		<i>Intentions</i> <i>Week</i>
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Corpus Christi site:

Tues May 17		No Mass
Wed May 18		No Mass
Thurs May 19	9:00am	<i>Special Intention of S. & M. J. Hilbert Freiburger</i>
Fri May 20		No Mass
Sat May 21	5:00pm	<i>Nicolas Cabezas Lina Febbraro Lucy Bozzelli Severina & Armando Valdez Lucia and Giovanni Marcone Deceased parents of Gemma Reich</i>

Fifth Sunday of Easter – May 15, 2022

The new commandment of love is required of everyone who follows the risen Lord. How do you fulfill the commandment? If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton (905-528-7988).

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

Our Lady of Lourdes:

Tues May 17		No Mass
Wed May 18	8:30am	<i>Pedro Rodrigues</i>
Thurs May 19	7:00pm	<i>Tony Nardone Gaetana Nardone Lucy Bozzelli Conor Gilmore Raquel Diaz and deceased family members</i>
Fri May 20	8:30am	<i>Nicola Gabriele</i>
Sat May 21	5:00pm	<i>Nicola Gabriele Michael Aquilina Osman Zeka Darryl Browne Deceased members of the Ong, Shanchio, Alaras & Mariano Families</i>



Do you know someone in need?
Please contact the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul
at 905-383-4850
Visit our website at
www.ssvphamiltononpc.org



First Communion Celebrations Dates 2022
St. John Paul II School:

Sunday, May 15, 1pm - at Corpus Christi Site

PLEASE NOTE

Mass scheduled for Tuesday, May 17th @ 6:30pm at the Corpus Christi site has been cancelled.
Sorry for the inconvenience.

Indigenous Reconciliation Fund: Canada's Bishops have established a special Fund to fulfill the \$30 million financial commitment they made. Working with Indigenous partners the funds will contribute to the following priorities:

- healing and reconciliation for communities and families
- culture and language revitalization
- education and community building
- dialogues for promoting indigenous spirituality and culture

The Diocese of Hamilton is committed to supporting this effort. This weekend envelopes for the Fund are available in the church. Please return these in the regular collection on the weekend of May 14/15.

Cheques made out to "St. Catherine of Siena Parish." You may also donate directly on our website, catherineofsienachurch.ca noting that the donation is for "reconciliation fund."

For more information about the details of this Reconciliation Fund, you may go to the Canadian Catholic Bishops site, ccc.ca/reconciliationfund.



The Knights of Columbus would like to thank the congregation of St. Catherine of Siena for their generosity during our Roses for Life drive. Over \$775 was collected to be distributed to Pro Life charities in the Hamilton area.

AFTER SEPARATION OR DIVORCE: support, care and tools for the journey! Join us for one or both of two online sessions that will help you understand your feelings and help you to begin the process of moving forward. Wednesday, May 11th and Thursday, June 9th 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. check out the Diocesan website at: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/divorce-separation.php> to register and find out more detail. If you have questions, call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.



CYO Camp Brébeuf in Rockwood, ON is hiring teenagers and young adults as camp counsellors for this summer. Please visit www.campbrebeuf.ca/employment for more information

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH - Parenting Tip 140: As the buds begin to sprout and the weather allows us to head outdoors more often, take some time to discuss the importance of God's created world with your children. Point out the connectedness of each of us to nature and our dependence on it to survive. Help them understand that every person is tasked with being a steward of God's world. Explain how we can each participate in caring for nature and remind them that when we each do our part, nature thrives and so do we. From: Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH - Marriage Tip 120: It is true to say that no two people think exactly alike and that is why being married can sometimes be challenging! What makes complete sense to one person, may not make sense to the other; what one likes the other may not; what is funny to one, may be anything but to the other! It is important for married couples to constantly remind themselves that marriage does not mean you are exactly the same. Allow room for differences and don't judge your spouse on your own likes and desires, but instead try to move together to a more neutral place that you can both live with. And sometimes, agree to disagree! Your spouse has many diverse qualities, embrace them when you can and work to negotiate when you can't, so love will flourish and provide a strong foundation for all of it! From: Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

AGING WITH WISDOM AND GRACE is the fifth talk in the Hamilton Diocesan Speaker Series being held on Wednesday, May 18th, from 7:00-8:30 p.m. Dr. Elizabeth Bookser Barkley uses her own experiences and the wisdom of her contemporaries to explore some of the physical, emotional and psychological issues we all face as we age. Dr. Bookser Barkley, is a professor of English at Mount St. Joseph University, Ohio and author of four books, including Life after Death: Practical Help for the Widowed. Register [Speaker Series – Amoris Laetitia \(hamiltondiocese.com\)](http://hamiltondiocese.com)

GRIEF RELIEF! Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? The Office of Family Ministry will offer a six-week online grief program on Tuesday evenings from 7:00-8:30 p.m., on May 17th, 24th, 31st and June 7th, 14th and 21st. Register [Diocesan Grief Workshops - Diocese of Hamilton \(hamiltondiocese.com\)](http://hamiltondiocese.com)

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