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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:

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

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Our Financial Stewardship:

The foundation of all stewardship is a generous heart.

Sept 29/30: \$ 10,041.05 (combined totals)

Oct 6/7: \$ 11,844.20 (combined totals)

Mon	Rev. Bradley Markus
Tues	Rev. Paul Boucher
Wed	Sisters of St. Joseph of Cluny
Thurs	Rev. Jeffery Oehring
Fri	Rev. Mark Gatto
Sat	Rev. David Reitzel



Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time – October 21, 2018

Jesus' life was the best 'job description': sympathy; mercy; service; compassion; and total giving. Life is rewarding when one lives for others. Do you want to serve or be served? 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

Corpus Christi site

Tues Oct 23	6:30pm	<i>Eva Angelini, Angela Cooke, Frank Salvatore</i>
Wed Oct 24	9:00am	<i>Antonino Caliri</i>
Thurs Oct 25	9:00am	No Mass
Fri Oct 26	9:00am	No Mass
Sat Oct 27	5:00pm	<i>Rosario Amurao, Domenico Sabatino, Pat Kraemer, Angelo Palazza, Mary Desender,</i>

Our Lady of Lourdes site

Tues Oct 23	7:00pm	<i>Ed & Katie Pare, Lido, Dominic, Luca & Concetta Bucci, Maria, Livio & Gildo Silvestri</i>
Wed Oct 24	8:30am	<i>Joan Nowacki</i>
Thurs Oct 25	7:00pm	No Mass
Fri Oct 26	8:30am	No Mass
Sat Oct 27	5:00pm	<i>George Janca, Mary & Gerald Davoren, Joseph McDonagh, Gerald Davoren, Francesco Fortino, Emidio Alfonsi, Asteria Rapadas</i>



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!*

Please note Fr. Mark & Fr. Ross will be attending the Diocesan Clergy Seminar this coming week so there will be no weekday Masses on Thurs. Oct. 25th & Fri., Oct. 26th.

Ex Corde Foundation (“From the Heart”) Grant:

Established in 2011 by Bishop Crosby, the Ex Corde Foundation provides financial assistance to Parishes and other Catholic charities within the Diocese of Hamilton and across Canada. The Foundation provides grants to repair or renovate buildings; to provide and maintain religious and devotional artifacts, stained glass windows, and other religious works of art; and to support religious education, catechesis, and the provision of liturgical resources and pastoral programs. About 79% of the grants assist parishes in our Diocese.

I am glad to announce that our parish application for such a grant has been accepted. The stairs on the south-west entrance at Our Lady of Lourdes site were badly damaged and became a security concern. With our building project soon on the way, we are very glad that we will now be able to do the repairs to these stairs without going in to our savings which will be needed. The grant received is for \$17,000, covering the cost of the repairs. We are very grateful to Bishop Crosby and the Ex Corde Foundation.

Becoming Catholic: Anyone who is interested in exploring the possibility of becoming Catholic or if you know someone who may be interested in becoming Catholic, please have them speak with one of our parish priests or contact the parish office. Fr. Mark mgatto@hamiltondiocese.com or Fr. Ross rcampbell@hamiltondiocese.com

ALTAR SERVER MEETING

Altar Server Meeting, **Tues., Oct. 23rd**, at **5:00pm** in the **Church Hall, at the Lourdes site**, for pizza and then a run through of the Mass.

Our Lady of Lourdes CWL Bake Sale

Come and join the CWL ladies for some sweet treats at our Annual Bake Sale, October 27th & 28th after each Mass, in the Lourdes site, Church Hall. You may drop off bake goods before each Mass. Come and have some sweet treats!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

ANNUAL LOBSTER & STEAK NIGHT

Saturday November 10th, 2018. Tickets available from the Knights of Columbus, in the Church narthex.

St. Catherine of Siena Winter Wonderland

Join us for our first annual **St. Catherine of Siena Winter Wonderland**: Let’s start the new calendar year with a parish event bringing together everyone from both sites in our parish. This banquet is to be a joyful event helping us get to know each other better. The evening will include a three course dinner and dance at Michelangelo’s Banquet Centre, with entertainment, door prizes, children’s activities. Mark your calendars now and save the date so you can help us celebrate St. Catherine of Siena Parish, with members of both Corpus Christi and Our Lady of Lourdes sites. More information and tickets will be coming soon – **save, Saturday February 16, 2019**. Doors open 6pm, dinner at 7pm.



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Holy Sepulchre Cemetery All Souls Day Mass

Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, OMI, Bishop of Hamilton, will celebrate the annual All Souls Day Mass at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Burlington, on Sun., Nov. 4th at 2:00pm. All are welcome. For more information, please call (800) 661-5985, or visit www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca.



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Register to attend **only one** of the following dates:

Thurs., Oct 25th - 6:30pm-8:00pm

Wed., Nov 7th - 6:30pm-8:00pm

Tues., Nov 20th - 6:30pm-8:00pm

Contact the Foster and Adoption

Recruitment Coordinator, Niamh O’Flaherty at

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