# St. Catherine of Siena Parish

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#### Our Lady of Lourdes Site:

416 Mohawk Rd. E., Hamilton, ON ◆ L8V 2H7

Telephone: 905-383-3381

Parish Office Hours

♦ Mon-Fri 9:00am 12:00noon ♦ or by appointment

**SUNDAY MASS:** 

**WEEKDAY MASS:** 

Sat. 5:00pm Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am Thurs. 7:00pm Wed. & Fri., 8:30am

**RECONCILIATION:** 

Sat. 3:30-4:30pm (or by appointment)

#### Corpus Christi Site:

1694 Upper James St., Hamilton, ON ♦ L9B 1K6 Telephone: 905-389-2472 ♦ Fax: 905-389-7525

Parish Office Hours ♦ Appointment only

**SUNDAY MASS:** 

**WEEKDAY MASS:** 

Sat. 5:00pm, Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am 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

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#### **Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar**

Mon	Rev. Miro Grubisic, O.F.M.		
Tues	Feast of All Saints		
Wed	Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed		
Thurs	Rev. Henryk Krajewski, C.R.		
Fri	Rev. George Nowak, C.R.		
Sat	Rev. Krzysztof Szkubera, C.R.		

Mass for the



Intentions
Week

#### Corpus Christi site:

Tues Nov 1	6:30pm	All Saints
Wed Nov 2	7:00pm	All Souls
Thurs Nov 3	9:00am	Special Intention of S.&M. J.
Fri Nov 4		No Mass
Sat Nov 5	5:00pm	Gene Smith Margaret D'Addario Mike DiCenzo Margaret Campbell Deceased parents of D & L

#### Our Lady of Lourdes site:

Tues Nov 1		No Mass
Wed Nov 2	8:30am	All Souls
Thurs Nov 3	7:00pm	Mohmoud Dyub Josefina Tamayo David Clark Pietro & Rosina Melfi Tony Ferrer Maria Kapp Mark Piccolotto
Fri Nov 4	8:30am	Primo Salvucci
Sat Nov 5	5:00pm	Wilma Alaba Antonio Sy Almario Sy Aussena Zawi Melville & Florrie DeSilva Donato Tartaglia Mark Piccolotto

## <u>Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time – October 30, 2022</u>

Can I risk sharing the goodness God has given me? Can I care for the needs of my brothers and sisters? Can I respond to God as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton (905-528-7988).

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

#### $\frac{\text{CWL}}{\widehat{\alpha}}$



Corpus Christi CWL will be meeting on Tuesday, November 1 at 7 p.m., after the 6:30 mass. We'll be discussing the membership fee increase and start discussion of amalgamation with Our Lady of Lourdes for the new church.

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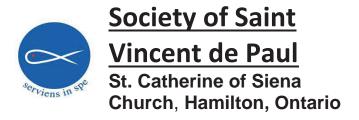
#### The Knights of Columbus

would like to thank all those that attended and supported the breakfast fund raiser and Fr. Patras our guest speaker. A cheque for \$1,300.00 will be issued to the St. Catherine of Siena Church Building Fund.

#### **Christian Meditation:**

Each Saturday morning at 9:30am at the *Corpus Christi Site*. No registration necessary and come as often as you wish.

Everyone is welcome and includes those who are new to meditation!



Christmas - a time for giving!

As in previous years, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Conference will be providing Christmas assistance to families in need in our community.

The Christmas Tree will be in the narthex from November 12<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup> until December 4<sup>th</sup>. A Christmas package of food voucher/gift cards will be delivered about December 17<sup>th</sup> to families by our volunteers.

St. Catherine of Siena parishioners have always been incredibly generous with our Christmas program by assisting families each year.

We kindly ask for your support by taking a tag from the tree, purchased a gift card(s) *and place it in the designated gift box, located in the narthex*, by Sunday, December 4<sup>th</sup>.

Examples: purchase a \$10, \$15, \$25, \$50, or any other gift card \$ amount. Possible suggestions are Indigo, Toy R Us, Giant Tiger, Old Navy and Walmart. We are so grateful for your ongoing generosity. Many blessings to each of you!



We just want to share with you the latest issue of our Newsletter and give you an update of what the Society has been doing to help families in need. We hope you will enjoy reading it. (limited printed copies are available in the narthex).

https://ssvphamiltonpc.org/newsletter4.pdf
THANK YOU for your support!

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul 905-383-4850 Visit our website at https://www.ssvphamiltonpc.org/scos/ Memorial Masses of Thanksgiving

We will be hosting a Memorial Mass of Thanksgiving at each church site in our parish. This Mass will be to give thanks for all priests, deacons, lay ministers, staff and parishioners who have been part of the parish since they were founded. Our Lady of Lourdes Parish since 1958 and Corpus Christi Parish since 1962. At each Mass we will have a moment of silence to remember all who had a funeral in the parish. All previous Pastors have been invited to join us at this special Mass in each site. Three previous priests of Lourdes are now bishops and are planning to attend at Our Lady of Lourdes: Bishop Bergie, Bishop Miehm and Bishop Lobsinger. At Corpus Christi, the Bishop of our Diocese of Hamilton, Bishop Crosby will attend. Please keep the date for these Masses in your calendar.

Corpus Christi Memorial Mass of Thanksgiving: Sunday November 6, 2022. 3pm Our Lady of Lourdes Memorial mass of Thanksgiving: Sunday November 20, 2022. 3pm



#### St. Catherine of Siena Parish Choirs



O come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation! ~ Ps.95

If you sing or play an instrument, come be part of the Music Ministry at the Memorial Mass of Thanksgiving on November 6<sup>th</sup> at the Corpus Christi site.

For further information, please contact: Sharon Fazari, Music Director 905-648-5674 or

sfazari@hamiltondiocese.com

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