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Our Lady of Lourdes Site:

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Telephone: 905-383-3381

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)

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

Thurs., Fri., 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

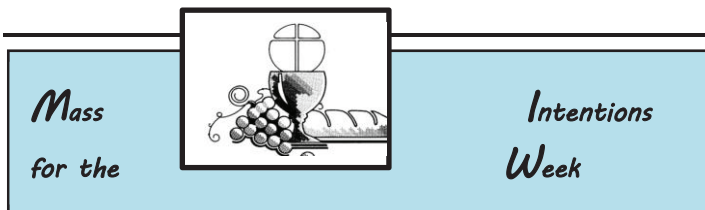
St. Teresa of Calcutta: 905-318-7933

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ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

Our Financial Stewardship:

September 4/5 \$ 10,764.95
September 11/12 \$ 7,036.50



Corpus Christi site:

Tues Sep 21	6:30pm	<i>Gian Battista Steranzina & Mark Bellini Carmela Pietrantonio Deceased members of the Caluori Family Franca DiGennaro</i>
Wed Sep 22		No Mass
Thurs Sep 23	9:00am	<i>Karina Seva</i>
Fri Sep 24		No Mass
Sat Sep 25	5:00pm	<i>Giuseppe DePasquale Carmen George Anthony DePasquale Ilda Maria De Melo Special Intention for Robert and Sonia Ira</i>

Our Lady of Lourdes:

Tues Sep 21		No Mass
Wed Sep 22	8:30am	<i>Francesco & Serafina D'Angelo and Deceased Family Members</i>
Thurs Sep 23	7:00pm	<i>Special Intention for Flor Queypo Janet Harper Alexander Jose Ernesto Aguadalto Francesco Spezzano</i>
Fri Sep 24	8:30am	<i>Elena Salvi Enio Grasi</i>
Sat Sep 25	5:00pm	<i>Maria Inez Cabral Ernesto Pacheco & Family The Souls In Purgatory Gary Boone Silvio Pacini Mary Amaral</i>

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Mon	<i>Rev. Bernard Carroll, S.J</i>
Tues	<i>Rev. Eric Jensen, S.J.</i>
Wed	<i>Chancery Staff</i>
Thurs	<i>Rev. Rafal Dygula, S. Chr.</i>
Fri	<i>Rev. Stan Kuczaik, S. Chr.</i>
Sat	<i>Rev. Laszlo Amarzka</i>

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Sep. 19, 21

“Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all.” This life is the ministry of a priest, sister, brother or deacon. If you feel God is calling you to one such vocation, call Bishop Wayne Lobsinger Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton, 905-528-7988 ext. 2222. Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com Website: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations>



Children's Liturgy Program

We will unfortunately be unable to have Children's Liturgy for the foreseeable future. Please check out our website for any updates.

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!

Seminarian William Meehan:

We have been blessed to have William with us this summer. He will be returning to Rome to continue his seminary studies on September 24. The plan is for William to return to our parish again next summer and each summer during his years of study. Continue to pray for him as he continues his formation, hopefully one day to be a priest for our Diocese of Hamilton. See below his address in Rome for those who would like to write to him or perhaps visit!!!

Mr. William Meehan
Venerabile Collegio Inglese
Via di Monserrato 45
Roma, RM 00186
Italy

Foster Care Webinar

Wednesday, September 22, 2021

7:00pm – 8:30pm

We are looking for skilled individuals and families who are interested in fostering adolescence, children with complex needs, and racialized children. Please join us for a virtual information night.

Please contact Jennifer Veenstra to pre-register for this webinar at 905-525-2273 or

jennifer.veenstra@hamiltonccas.on.ca.



OFFERING

2021 Offertory Envelopes

Please pick up your envelopes at the back of the church. If you use offertory envelopes regularly, a boxed set has been prepared for you.

If you have not used envelopes but would like to, please call the office for assistance. *Visa/MC payments are also available options.*

If you are using envelopes only a couple times in the year, we recommend that you take a few of the generic pink envelopes at the back of the church for your giving, as boxed sets are expensive to print. Donations will still be recorded and tax receipts issued for gifts over \$20.00 per year.

Any 2021 remaining boxes will be returned to the office by the end of September.

2022 Envelopes will be available in December

Praying Our Future Parish Synod Body

We hope to form a Synod Body in our parish to lead a process for Praying our Future. Pope Francis has called upon the church to embrace synodality. Synod is an ancient practice in the church which simply means “walking together.” A universal Synod of the church has been called to take place between 2021 and 2023. It will begin with synod listening at the local level through each Diocese in the world and parishes within each Diocese. It will conclude with a special Synod of Bishops in 2023. A proposed Synod Body in our parish will guide us in “praying our future” as we prepare to enter a new church building. This Body will connect us to the universal Synod and oversee listening to all parishioners and to our community. It will also assist us as a parish to address issues such as Residential School History, racism, climate change, poverty, homelessness, and so on. Rooted in the Gospel and in Catholic Social Teaching we hope to create a humble servant parish. If you are interested in being on this Body, please fill in the form available in our two church sites or email/contact Fr. Mark directly. The Synod Body will consist of about 10 members, but all who put forward their name will be included in assisting with the listening sessions in the parish. This will hopefully be a way for our parish to be open to the Holy Spirit and listen to all within the parish as we move forward.

Join our mailing list to receive the Church Bulletin and important Parish News & Events in your Inbox Visit our website at catherineofsienachurch.ca and SIGN UP on the join our emailing list box. You will be asked to type your first name and email address and then press submit. You will then receive it each week in your email inbox!

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