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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 14/15: \$9,256.80

Visa/MC: \$2,293.66 Building: \$280.00

Mon	Rev. Gary Schlack
Tues	Rev. Thomas Manninezhath
Wed	Carmelites of Mary Immaculate
Thurs	Rev. Lawrence Parent
Fri	Rev. Paul Jamroz
Sat	Rev. Gabriel Morais Catarino



Corpus Christi site

Tues Oct 1	6:30pm	<i>Emmett & Isobel Kelly, Mandy Kelly, Michael Kelly, Special Intention for 50th Anniversary for Lynda & Dominic Stanchieri</i>
Wed Oct 2	9:00am	<i>Michael Buist</i>
Thurs Oct 3	9:00am	<i>Alfredo Palazzini</i>
Fri Oct 4	9:00am	<i>Julie Jover</i>
Sat Oct 5	5:00pm	<i>Kevin Casagrande, Peter German</i>

Our Lady of Lourdes site

Tues Oct 1	7:00pm	<i>Lorenzo Curto, Angelo Clappa, Peter Anthony Degan, Don Prosia, A Mass of Thanksgiving</i>
Wed Oct 2	8:30am	<i>Aniello Lombardi</i>
Thurs Oct 3	7:00pm	<i>Manuel Antonio Nuila</i>
Fri Oct 4	8:30am	<i>Gino Filice</i>
Sat Oct 5	5:00pm	<i>John Melo, Emidio Alfonsi, Michele, Maria & Peter Ruffolo, Barbara Greco, Caterina Tarantino, Clara Marotti & Family, Joseph Harvey, Anne-Eileen Ryan</i>

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Sept 29, 2019

But if only someone would go to them. Pray for those who are called to 'run the race' as priests, sisters, deacons or brothers. 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, starting Sept 22nd and at the 11:00am Mass, at the Lourdes site, starting Sept 15th.

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!

There will be a **Parent Meeting for 1st Communions** at St. Catherine of Siena Parish Church, at the **Our Lady of Lourdes site, Wed. Oct 23rd, at 7:00pm**, for *Our Lady of Lourdes and St. Teresa of Calcutta Schools* and at the **Corpus Christi site, Thurs., Oct 24th, at 7:00pm** for *Corpus Christi, St. Marguerite d'Youville and SJPII Schools*; all parent(s)/guardians of grade 7 students who will be receiving the Sacrament are asked to attend to **register** their child. Registration forms and a parent letter will be coming home from your child's school that is from the church office. Please complete the registration form, staple a **photocopy** of your child's **Baptismal certificate** to the **back** of the form and bring it with you to the meeting. **Thank you!**

Fall Food Drive for Neighbour to Neighbour

Corpus Christi CWL will also be accepting donations of non-perishable food for Neighbour to Neighbour from Sept. 28 to Oct. 1. Shelves at the food bank are empty right now, so please consider bringing gift cards, boxed cereal, baby food, pancake mix, cake mix, spaghetti sauce, etc.

Corpus Christi CWL will finish the annual Fall Food Drive on Tuesday, Oct. 1 at 7 p.m., after 6:30 Mass.

Healthy Relationships Share Common Skills – Come and Learn More!

“Keys to Loving Relationships” is a ten week video-based program that all people (married, dating, or single) can use to develop the skills needed to have a truly meaningful relationship with a spouse, family member or friend. Learn how to become a better “me” in all your relationships! The program is offered **In Hamilton:** At the Diocesan Chancery Office, 700 King ST. W., Ham., Thursday evenings from 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. Sept. 19 - Nov. 28, 2019
Cost is \$45.00. For information or to register call (905) 528-7988 ext. 2249 or visit www.hamiltondiocese.com.

Feeling the need for support, healing and/or hope after a separation or divorce?

The Diocesan Levels Programs let you start this new journey with support and tools to remain healthy. LEARNING TO COPE (Level 1) starts Tuesday, September 24 (7:00 pm to 9:00 pm), at the Chancery Office, 700 King St. W, Hamilton and runs for ten weeks. For more information or to register, contact the Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988, ext. 2249, or register on line at www.hamiltondiocese.com. Cost: \$35, but no one is turned away. Past participants are welcome to inquire about further Levels programs (Level 2, 3 & 4).

If you like to sing or play music and would like to volunteer your time as a **musician** or **choir member** for the weekend Masses at Our Lady of Lourdes site, your time and talent would be greatly appreciated (everyone welcome). Talk to Peggy at any weekend Mass. The Youth choir sings at the 11am Mass and the Adult choir sings at the 9am Mass. Many thanks to those already involved in our music ministry.

Practice on Mondays

Youth choir @ 6-7pm

Adult choir @ 7:30-9pm



Stress in Your Marriage? – Are you feeling bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in your marriage? Are you wondering how to change the situation, or how to communicate with your spouse about it? Retrouvaille is a program designed to help with any problem in a marriage – large or small. Retrouvaille can help- our next weekend program is being held October 25, 2019. For confidential information about the program, or to register please call 905-664-5212 or email: Teamrecine@gmail.com or visit the web site at www.retrouvaille.org.

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

Consider helping those in Need!

Join us! New volunteers always welcome, call 905-383-4850.

Furniture to donate?

Support our SSVP store, 905-549-3902.



Upcoming “Men’s CURSILLO WEEKEND” for the Hamilton Diocese. A three-day **Cursillo weekend**,

which is a short review of Christianity, designed to help you on that journey.

Beginning on Thursday night and ending Sunday afternoon, through a series of talks **by lay people and clergy**, and the sacraments,

you will get to take a closer look at yourself, God, and others.

- **Men’s Weekend is Thurs. Evening October 17th to Sunday October 20th, 2019** (19yrs. and older)

Visit: cursillohamilton.org, or hamiltondiocese.com (programs and workshops) or **contact:**

- Marg Weber marg.weber@sympatico.ca
519-747-5937
- Dan Brown dmbrown269@gmail.com
519-570-4105
- Fr. Gary Schlack gschlack@hamiltondiocese.com
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A Women’s Weekend will be offered in the Spring 2020.



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