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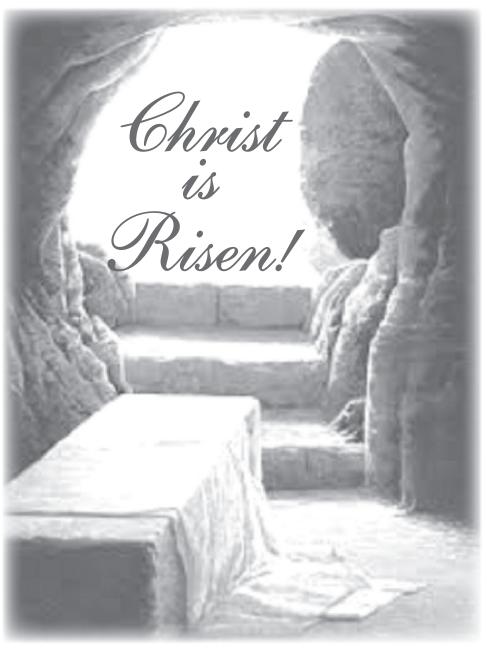
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#### **Parish Staff**

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Welcome to Holy Rosary Catholic Community. We hope you enjoyed your Lord's Day worship. May God bless you and your family abundantly.



### **Mass Intentions This Week** (8:00 a.m. unless otherwise noted)

Join us to pray the Rosary before Mass. Rosary starts at 7:30 a.m.

Tues. April 23	James Lagan	
Wed. April 24	Angela Blake	
Thurs. April 25	Mark Tonkovich	
Fri. April 26	Linda Cupido	
Sat. April 27 Dominic Chuck		
@ 5:00 p.m.	Suzanne Chuck	
	Megan Chuck Thomas	

#### **UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS/EVENTS**

#### Tuesday

12:45 pm - Seniors' Bridge - Parish Centre

7:00 pm - CWL General Meeting - Parish Centre

#### Wednesday

7:00 pm – Quest Small Group Bible Study – Library

#### REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The gospel for Second Sunday of Easter (of Divine Mercy): John 20.19-31

#### **OUR GIFTS TO GOD**

We thank you for your continued spiritual and financial support of Holy Rosary Parish.

April 14<sup>th</sup> Collection

Sunday	Loose	Pre-Authorized	Church
Envelopes	Collection	Debit	Maintenance
\$4,900.	\$517.	\$1,184.	\$1,041.
Share Lent Collection todate			¢11 /55

#### DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Sat. Apr. 27	Rev. Martin Vallely	
Fri. Apr. 26 Rev. Michael Downey		
Thur. Apr. 25	Rev. Peter Ciallella	
Wed. Apr. 24	Pallottine Fathers (S.A.C.)	
Tues. Apr. 23	Rev. Phillip Cook	
Mon. Apr. 22	Rev. Andrew Czarny	

#### FIRST COMMUNION MASSES

Our children who have been preparing for this very special day will be celebrating their First Communion next weekend. The students in the Parish Program will be receiving their First Communion at the 5 p.m. Mass on Saturday, April 27. The grade 2 children at Holy Rosary school will receive their First Communion on Sunday, April 28<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m. Please keep them in your prayers.

### Easter Sunday The Resurrection of the Lord

April 21, 2019

I have risen. and am with you still!





#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

All ladies are invited to our General Meeting, Tues. April 23 @ 7 pm in the Parish Centre. We welcome guest Beth Carver who will demonstrate the art of making a spring floral arrangement. We will vote on our Council's 2019 budget and for election of the Diocesan Executive at Mav's convention. Please come and bring along a friend!

All are welcome to join us for Hospitality in the Parish Centre after all the Masses on the weekend of May 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup>. Help us celebrate May, the month of Our Holy Mother, Mary by coming to the Crowning of Mary at the 11:00 a.m. Mass on May 5<sup>th</sup>. (There will also be rosary bracelets available for sale that day after the 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Masses—proceeds going to Canadian Food for Children.)

Then to top things off, we're having our Spring Fashion Show & Dinner with fashions by ALIA N TANJAY of Burlington Mall on Monday, May 6th, so mark your calendars now. Signup board in the Narthex. For more information, call Theresa Milton at 905-632-5646.

#### B THE HOPE FOR HOMELESSNESS Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm

All are invited to join the Holy Rosary Young Vincentians for an evening beginning with Mass in our church at 5:00 pm, followed by a brown bag lunch in the Parish Centre. We have games, displays from organizations who assist homeless teens and a time of prayer. Please use signup sheet in the Narthex as we need to know how many bag lunches to make. For further information call Stephanie at 905-320-9042 or Elske at 905-320-8336.

#### **ROSARY BRACELETS FOR SALE**



**Sun. May 5<sup>th</sup>** after 9 & 11 a.m. masses we have Rosary bracelets for sale in the Parish Centre. Proceeds go to Canadian Food for Children, a most worthy charity. All workers are volunteers, and food, medicine, clothes, etc. are all donated. They work with the Missionaries and the poorest

people in Africa, Central & South America and the Philippines.

### VACATION BIBLE CAMP - July 8<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>



Calling all children (ages 5 to 10) to join us for our Third Annual Vacation Bible Camp from 9 am to 12 noon each day! We'll have fun games, neat activities, songs and yummy snacks as we learn about God's goodness in our lives. Registration forms in the Narthex, \$30 each. For more information.

contact: mary.edmondstone@cogeco.net

#### OTHER COMING EVENTS

#### LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR 2019 Thursdays – April 25<sup>th</sup> to June 13<sup>th</sup>

Would you like to deepen your relationship with God? Learn to yield to the action and grace of the Holy Spirit in your life, so that you can experience His presence? Begin to experience Him working in you and through you? Join us at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, Stoney Creek for this seminar every Thursday from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. Register by calling 905-643-1637, cost is \$15 per person.

#### HOLY SEPULCHRE CEMETERY MEMORIAL MASS

Most Reverend Anthony Tonnos, Bishop Emeritus of Hamilton, will celebrate the Spring Memorial Mass at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Burlington on **Saturday, April 27**<sup>th</sup> at **11 a.m.** For more information, please call 905- 522-7727, or visit <a href="www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca">www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca</a>. All are welcome!

#### **OUR PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED**

We offer our prayers for **Jose Geada** and **Alois Ambruz** who have died. May they enjoy the blessedness of eternal life.

### Assumption Catholic Secondary School SPRING FUNDRAISER – PLANT SALE Monday, April 15<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup>

A selection of hanging baskets and spring plants is offered for **purchase until April 29**. Information available at: <a href="https://www.gobluego.ca">www.gobluego.ca</a> Purchased spring hanging baskets and planters must be picked up at: Assumption North Campus, 1433 Headon Rd. on Tues. Mar. 6<sup>th</sup> from 3:00-7:30 p.m. All funds raised go toward the Crusaders for Life Club and the March for Life Rally being held in Ottawa on May 9-10. For more info contact Miss Adolphe at Assumption School at 905-634-1835. Thank you for your support!

#### **DIVINE MERCY CELEBRATION**

Sunday, April 28th



Join us at St. Gabriel Church, Burlington with Celebrant: Bishop Emeritus Matthew Ustrzycki. Begins at 2:00 p.m. with Confessions, followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Readings and Chaplet of the Divine Mercy at 3:00 p.m. and video on Divine Mercy – Sister Faustina at 4:00 p.m. For information call 905-335-6902. Refreshments to follow. Free will offering.

## DIOCESAN RALLY: #RallyUp: According to Your Word – Saturday, May 25<sup>th</sup> from 8 am to 9 pm

The annual Diocesan Youth Rally for young people in grades 7 to 12 takes place at Bingeman's Park. There's music, a talk by Chika Anyanwu, as well as encounters and activities to get us thinking about God's work The day ends with Mass with Bishop Crosby and a BBQ dinner. We'll go by bus to Bingeman's and back. Registration forms in the narthex (or from Mrs. Edmondstone) or Mrs. Cabral at Holy Rosary school. Check out: hamiltondioceseyouthrally.com

## 8<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL HCCEF CHARITY GOLF CLASSIC Wed. June 12<sup>th</sup> @ Piper's Heath Golf Club Milton

This tournament supports Halton students through the Halton Catholic Children's Education Foundation (HCCEF). Every student needs basic necessities like food and clothing to succeed and 1 in 10 kids have a challenge doing so. We need golfers, sponsors and prizes! For info visit our website: <a href="https://www.hccef.org/?post\_type=events&p=3022">www.hccef.org/?post\_type=events&p=3022</a>



Spring is here and with it comes the renewal of a new season. If you are thinking about being outdoors or working in your yard, now is a good time to check in on your neighbours. They might be parish members who have been away or spending more time indoors over the winter. Take a moment to welcome them back to be part of our Parish community.

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