### **Holy Rosary Catholic Community**

287 Plains Road East - Burlington, Ontario, L7T 2C7

### **Pastor**

**Reverend Martin Vallely** 

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### Parish Staff

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### **Music Directors**

William Renwick 905-523-0082 Christina Puchalski 905-920-8587

### **Parish Office Hours**

Tuesday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Friday: 9:00 a.m. -12:00 Noon

### Our Lord's Day Liturgies

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. \*June 19 to Sept. 4—Sunday mass 10 a.m.

### Weekday Mass

Tuesday-Friday 8:00 a.m.

### Confession

Saturday 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

### **Catholic Funeral Rites**

**Contact Holy Sepulchre Cemetery** 905 522-7727 or visit their website at: www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

### **New Parishioners**

We welcome you. Please complete a Registration Form in the book rack.

### Contact us

Parish Office 905-634-7441

Fax 905-634-6264

Email: hrosary@cogeco.net

Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary, Pray for us.



Holy Rosary was formed out of portions of the Cathedral parish in Hamilton, St. John's, Burlington and St. Thomas, Waterdown. Father Bernard Harrigan was the first Pastor and the first Mass was celebrated on June 6, 1947 in the chapel of Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Holy Rosary School was built in 1951. Under the leadership of Father Blake Ryan (1953-1964) a new Church and rectory were built. The 400 seat church was dedicated on May 1, 1955. In 1987, during the pastorate of Father Anthony Ciavarro, the church was redesigned with a 180 degree rotation. Beautiful stained glass, statuary, and sculpture adorn the renewed space. Other pastors who served the parish were: Msgr. Bernard Harrigan, Father Blake Ryan, Father Harold Smith, Father Carlo Bianchi, Father Anthony Ciavarro, Father Ron Cote, Father Frank Trzupek, Msgr. Murray Kroetsch, Msgr. Edward House and the present pastor, Father Martin Vallely. Today there are Website: www.holyrosaryburlington.com over 600 registered families.

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. Feb. 7	Mary Grace Brunt
Wed. Feb. 8	Patricia Phoenix
Thurs. Feb. 9	Mario Abballe
Fri. Feb. 10	Stephen Casarsa
Sat. Feb. 11 @ 5 pm	Intentions of Burlington
	Christian Academy Staff
	Maria Cantarelli

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

Sunday (Feb. 5)

12 noon – Young Vincentians – Heritage Room

Monday

7:00 pm - CWL Bridge - Hearth Room - Parish Ctr.

7:00 pm – RCIA – Library

**Tuesday** 

1:00 pm - Seniors Bridge - Parish Centre

Wednesday

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

**Thursday** 

1:00 pm - Crafts - Parish Centre

7:00 pm - Finance Council - Heritage Room

7:30 pm - Choir Practice - Parish Centre

Saturday

6:15 pm – Valentine's Dinner & Dance –Parish Centre

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

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

### January 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017 Collection

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\$3,333.	\$420.	\$1,585.

#### SEMINARY COLLECTION – Sun. Feb. 5<sup>th</sup>

Your donations to this collection today assist our seminarians in covering the cost of education and housing during their studies. Please pray for those studying for the priesthood and for all who are discerning the call of God in their life. Please be as generous as you are able.

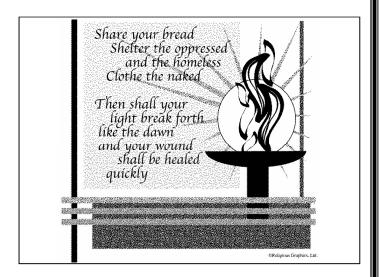
#### **DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR**

Mon. Feb. 6	Rev. Raymond Peter
Tues. Feb. 7	Rev. Gary Palangio, C.R.
Wed. Feb. 8	Discalced Carmelite Fathers (O.C.D.)
Thurs. Feb. 9	Rev. George Nowak, C.R.
Fri. Feb. 10	Rev. Pawel Szymanowski, C.R.
Sat. Feb. 11	Rev. Lech Wycichowski, C.R.

### Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 5, 2017

In the sight of the angels, I will sing your praises Lord.



#### **REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL**

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week! The Gospel for the Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time is:

Matthew 5.17–37

### HOLY ROSARY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS VALENTINE DINNER & DANCE—Sat. Feb. 11



Join us for an evening of dining, dancing & friendship. Doors open 6:15 pm, Dinner 7:00 pm SHARP! Catered dinner, and dancing with DJ Rockin' Robin. Singles, couples, groups welcomed. Cash bar, draw prizes. Tickets \$40pp are available this weekend after mass, or call Ron or Susan at 905-521-9445.

#### MINISTERS OF COMMUNION TO THE SICK

Our parish brings Holy Communion to the Catholic residents of Hampton Terrace on Sunday mornings after the 9 a.m. Mass. Each week, 20 residents gather to listen to God's word and to receive Communion. There is a great need for more Ministers of Communion to the Sick. You do not need to be a Minister of Communion at Sunday Mass to participate in this ministry – all that is required is compassion for the elderly. Training and orientation are provided. Please speak to Mary Edmondstone if you are interested.

### WORLD DAY OF THE SICK - FEBRUARY 11TH

World Day of the Sick highlights the healing ministry of the Church. We are reminded today to make time to pray for the sick and for those who work hard to alleviate the sufferings of those affected with illness and disease.

### YOUNG VINCENTIANS' BAKE SALE Feb. 18 & 19 in the Parish Centre



We are holding a bake sale after all masses to raise money for 'Canadian Food for Children', a non-profit charity that feeds the poorest of the poor in developing countries. Hope to see you in the Parish Centre and thank you in advance for your support.

# Is your child in Grade 6? Did you know we celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation in Grade 7 in the Diocese of Hamilton?

Confirmations at our parish are normally celebrated in the Fall of each year. Because it will come quickly upon us, we want you to be ready in advance. If your child does not attend Catholic School, please contact Mary Edmondstone in the parish office as soon as possible so we can assist you. The Catechetical Correspondence Courses from the Diocese of Hamilton may be right for you. For more information on the Correspondence Courses, visit the website <a href="https://www.hamiltondiocese.com">www.hamiltondiocese.com</a> or call Monica Verin at 905-528-7988, ext. 2238.

### OTHER COMING EVENTS

#### PERSONS SEPARATED AND DIVORCED

**LEARNING TO COPE (Level 1)** is a ten week support program **starting Tues. Feb. 28**<sup>th</sup> (7:00 to 9:30 pm), at the Chancery Office, 700 King St. W. Hamilton. The program is for persons experiencing difficulties as a result of a separation or divorce. For info, contact the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988, ext. 2249. Cost: \$35. Past participants are welcome to inquire about further Levels programs starting same week.

### COME JOIN US TO FIND THE "KEYS TO LOVING RELATIONSHIPS"

"Keys" is a ten week video-based program meant for anyone (married or single) who is looking for a more meaningful relationship with a spouse, family member or friend. Learn how to become a better "me" in all your relationships! The program runs Thursdays from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. starting March 2<sup>nd</sup>, at the Chancery Office, 700 King St. W, Hamilton. The cost is \$45.00. For more information, please call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

### PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH

(from Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office 905-528-7988, ext. 2250)

Parenting Tip 95 – Spending quality time together will pay great dividends to all involved, especially our children. Time together allows for positive interaction, the ability to learn about each other and the chance to build strong bonds and memories. A great starting point is a shared family meal, but reading together, playing a board game, or working on a puzzle together are but a few of the many ways we can build connections. The result will be higher self-esteem for children, a greater cohesiveness in the family unit and the desire for more time as a family. Try it, you won't regret it!

#### MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH

(from Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office 905-528-7988, ext. 2250)

Marriage Tip 75 – The gift of self, promised during our wedding vows, is essential to put into action during moments of struggle. When a spouse's actions cause anger, sadness or disappointment, we must try to look past the action or words and see the person you love. Instead of responding negatively in the moment, try to understand what has caused this situation and propose a resolution that will work for both of you and for your relationship. In our most vulnerable moments we have a chance to show our greatest love by responding as we should, as opposed to how we feel.

### WORLD DAY OF PRAYER Friday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> – 1:30 pm Holy Rosary Church



The World Day of Prayer is an invitation for Christians to pause and pray together ecumenically. This year's theme and service—"Am I Being Unfair To You?"— was developed by the World Day of Prayer Committee of the Philippines. This year Holy Rosary Parish is hosting the afternoon service at 1:30 p.m.

in the church, followed by refreshments in the Parish Centre. Father Martin Vallely will be the guest speaker. An alternate service is being held at 7:00 pm at Appleby United Church, 4407 Spruce Ave. Burlington. Snow Date – March 10.

#### **VOCATIONS**

"You are the light of the world." Are you willing to let your light shine as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If you think God is calling you to a Church vocation, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 or by email: mking@hamiltondiocese.com or you can visit the website: www.hamiltonvocations.com

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