

# Holy Rosary Parish Community

287 Plains Road East - Burlington, Ontario L7T 2C7

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



## **Mission Statement**

*Holy Rosary Burlington Catholic Parish Community, disciples sent forth by the Holy Spirit to live and proclaim Christ Jesus, strives to constantly grow in faith, vibrant worship, warm welcome to all, and compassionate outreach, to be a vital witness of care and hope wherever the Lord needs us.*

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## **Parish Office Hours**

Tuesday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 12 noon & 1 - 4 p.m.  
Friday 9 a.m. - 12 noon  
Office closed - Sat. / Sun. / Mon.

## **Masses on the Lord's Day**

Saturday 5 p.m. | Sunday 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.  
Summer - Saturday 5 p.m. | Sunday Mass 10 a.m.

## **Weekday Mass**

Tuesday - Friday 8 a.m. (Rosary at 7:30 a.m.)

## **Confessions**

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

## **New Parishioners**

We welcome you. Please introduce yourself and complete a registration form in the book rack at the church entrance.

## **Pastoral Care of the Sick and Homebound**

Please contact the office whenever a family member is hospitalized or confined to home. Privacy law prohibits the parish from obtaining information from the hospital. Parish staff and volunteers visit the sick and homebound regularly and bring Communion to those unable to come to the church. Call the office if you or a member of your family wishes to receive the Anointing of the Sick.

## **Remember Your Parish**

Keep your love for your parish alive. Remember Holy Rosary Parish in your will and when recommending expressions of sympathy.

Welcome to Holy Rosary Catholic Community. We hope you are spiritually enriched by the Lord's Day worship.



**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., May 31	Tom Reynolds
Wed., June 1	Joe Johnson
Thurs., June 2	Edward Light
Fri., June 3	Denise Toffoletti
Sat., June 4 5:00 pm	Ken Gallimore Sister Rose Gabriel, CSJ Angelina Piccini

**MARY EDMONDSTONE RETIRES**

After 15 years of devoted and caring service to the Holy Rosary community, our Mary Edmondstone has decided to retire from her position as Lay Pastoral Minister. She communicated this decision to Monsignor Martin just after the turn of the New Year 2022, with a view to staying on until the new Youth and Family Minister was in place, and until all arrangements were made for carrying on the many ministries to which she has given herself. Mary will retire as of **Friday, June 24<sup>th</sup>**.

We all know how Mary has poured herself out for religious education and other pursuits for our youth; for the sick, elderly and grieving; for the disadvantaged and lonely. With the RCIA, the liturgy, with our refugees, with families preparing for Baptism, assisting parish organizations, helping plan events, taking initiatives---the list is endless. Always with a ready listening ear, a supportive smile, attention to the finest details, a profoundly prayerful spirit.

We cannot ever be sufficiently grateful for Mary's care for Holy Rosary. Fortunately, she remains a parishioner, whose wisdom will be available to help us out here and there, in the months to come!

Mary wants no fuss to attend on her retirement. But **she will be available at our gala Parish BBQ on Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup>**, for anyone who would like to speak to her that morning to wish her well. Please pray for Mary and Dan and their family, that they may be graced with the Lord's peace and joy in the years ahead.

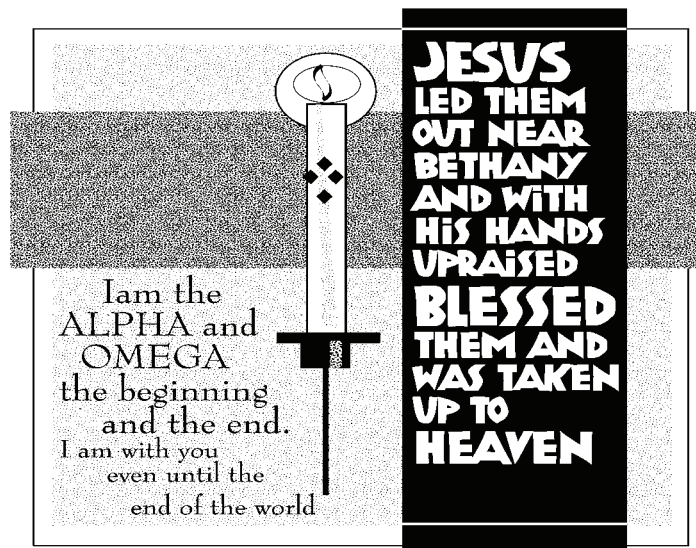
**ADVANCE NOTICE---SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE**

After two years of extra caution, we will return to our traditional practice of going down to one Sunday Morning Mass in the summertime. Starting July 2<sup>nd</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup>, and ending September 3<sup>rd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup>, the weekend Mass Schedule will be: **Saturday, 5:00 P.M.; Sunday, 10:00 A.M.** The regular Mass Schedule will resume on the weekend of September 10<sup>th</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup>. During the summer, the bulletin will only be published a couple of times. Mass Intentions will always be available on the bulletin board and on the parish website.

**Seventh Sunday  
of Easter**

May 29, 2022

Seek the face of the Lord,  
Our God!



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**REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL**

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The Gospel for Pentecost Sunday is:  
**John 20.19-23**

**OUR GIFTS TO GOD**  
May 22<sup>nd</sup> Collection

Sunday Envelopes	Sunday Loose	Pre-Authorized Debit	Saint Vincent de Paul Society
\$ 2,590	\$ 421	\$ 1,439	\$ 445

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

**Note: \$ 3,130.00 has thus far been donated to the Indigenous Reconciliation Fund collection. Thank you!**

**DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR**

Mon. May 30	Rev. Tim Theriault
Tues. May 31	Rev. Msgr. Martin Vallley
Wed. June 1	Barnabite Fathers (C.R.S.P.)
Thurs. June 2	Rev. Paul Patrick, O.M.I.
Fri. June 3	Rev. Robert Sims
Sat. June 4	Rev. Godwin Pinto, O.C.D.



## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS)---A FRIENDLY REMINDER!

We are so pleased to be able this year to resume having this successful summer program, after two years when it could not take place. It will be offered 9:00 A.M. – 12:00 Noon, all week, July 11<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>, in the Parish Centre and on the grounds. For children 5-10 years old. We are looking forward to re-engaging these great traditions for our youth, and building on them a strong relationship with God and others throughout every activity. A wonderful opportunity for growth in Christian community in an environment of great fun. Information has gone home through Holy Rosary School. Application packages are available in the entranceway. Contact Cristian Lecanda for further information: E-Mail at [clecanda@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:clecanda@hamiltondiocese.com), or call the rectory, 905-634-7441.



## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR VBS

We would like to extend the invitation to our youths in Grade 7 & Grade 8 to be part of the leadership team for the 2022 VBS; the leadership team will be helping us with multiple tasks and diverse responsibilities during the week-long VBS. Note also that this is a great opportunity to earn some community hours that you may need later on in High School. If you are interested and like the idea of being part of our team, please take with you a form available at the church entranceway; return the completed form to the rectory office. Contact Cristian Lecanda with questions, for further information: E-Mail at [clecanda@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:clecanda@hamiltondiocese.com), or call the rectory, 905-634-7441.

## ON-LINE LEARNING COURSE ON INDIGENOUS RECONCILIATION AND HEALING

The Diocese of Hamilton is pleased to have The University of Dayton: Virtual Learning Community for Faith Formation (VLCFF) as a partner in adult faith formation. The VLCFF is a living adult faith community offering online learning opportunities to address the learning needs of adults in our Diocese. **To Inform, To Encourage and To Heal** is a NEW four-week online seminar in which you will have the opportunity to engage meaningfully in the work of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission. Following the course texts and online discussions, you will gain a greater understanding of your role as a Catholic Christian in the work of reconciliation and solidarity in support of Indigenous communities. For more information, or to register for the upcoming June 2022 session, contact the Diocesan Office for Evangelization and Catechesis, by E-Mailing [catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com).

Visit: <https://www.hamiltondioceselearns.com/>.



## 75<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY GALA PARISH BBQ!

The parish BBQ, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, with the great support of the CWL, is definitely back! Check out the enclosed flyer!

On **Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup>**. BBQ after both the 9:00 A.M. and the 11:00 A.M. Masses. Make sure the whole family comes on out to celebrate! The BBQ will take place outside in the parking lot and on the grounds. A variety of foods prepared. Games for the kiddies! Even a tent!! A great kickoff to summer! Free-will offerings gratefully accepted. No advance sign-up required, just come---and encourage friends and neighbours to join in the fun!

## CRAFT GARAGE SALE



We are having our Craft Garage Sale on Saturday, June 18<sup>th</sup> (rain date June 25<sup>th</sup>). Accepting all donations (except clothing). Drop-off dates: Thursday, June 16<sup>th</sup> & Friday, June 17<sup>th</sup> at the Church Hall from 9am-3pm.

For inquiries you may call Carol at 905-525-1426, or Stephanie at 905-631-5745.

## THE ANGER ICEBERG



*Saturday, June 11, 2022*

Led by Anna Racine

At the Mount Carmel Spiritual Centre, Niagara Falls

Cost: \$65 (includes lunch)

9:30 am - 3:30 pm

Getting Angry is only the tip of the Iceberg. Anger is a secondary emotion. Understanding the cause of anger is the first step to managing it.

This Workshop will identify the causes of anger and explore our own beliefs and patterns of response. Learn how to respond to anger on a day-to-day basis in healthy, constructive, and creative ways. Register at 905-356-4113 x4200, **OR**, at [reservations@carmelniagara.com](mailto:reservations@carmelniagara.com).



## ROSARY FOR THE FAMILY, AN ONLINE FATHERS' DAY EVENT

Sponsored by the Canadian Bishops' Standing Committee for Life and Family, in preparation for the 10<sup>th</sup> World Meeting of Families taking place later in June. Featuring different families and voices from across the country, this Rosary is an opportunity to gather in prayer with other faith-filled families. On Sunday, June 19<sup>th</sup>, at 3:00 P.M. On Zoom. To register, scan the QR code on the poster on the church bulletin board. Or click on the poster on the parish website. Or contact Teresa Hartnett at the Diocesan Office for Family Ministry for further information: [thartnett@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:thartnett@hamiltondiocese.com), or 905-528-7988, x 2250.

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