

Holy Rosary Catholic Community

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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.

Summer - Sunday Mass 10:00 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 or

holyrosaryburlington@hamiltondiocese.com

Website: www.holyrosaryburlington.com

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 July 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 Trzupsek, Msgr. Murray Kroetsch, Msgr. Edward House and the present pastor, Father Martin Valley. Today there are over 600 registered families.

Welcome to Holy Rosary Catholic Community. We hope you enjoyed your 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. Nov. 28	John Buckley
Wed. Nov. 29	Peggy Keating
Wed. Nov. 29 @ 7:00 pm	For our deceased parishioners
Thurs. Nov. 30	Feast of St. Andrew Jack Wells
Fri. Dec. 1	Josie Sebastian
Sat. Dec. 2 @ 5:00 p.m.	Mario Cupido Florina Castura Roy DelBianco

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS/EVENTS

Monday 6:00 pm – CWL Christmas Dinner & Membership Drive in the Parish Centre
Tuesday 1:00 pm – Seniors' Bridge – Parish Centre 6:30 pm – Habitat for Humanity Meeting – Parish Centre
Wednesday 7:00 pm – Quest Small Group Bible Study – Library
Thursday 7:00 pm – RCIA – Library 7:30 pm – Choir Practice – Parish Centre
Friday 7:00 pm – Turkey Roll & Silent Auction – Holy Rosary School Gymnasium



YOU'RE INVITED TO JOIN US

Mon. Nov. 27th @ Holy Rosary Parish Centre
CWL CHRISTMAS DINNER & MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The Catholic Women's League of Holy Rosary invites all ladies to join us for this special event. Learn how you can share your gifts and skills to make a difference in our community and country. Dinner 6:00 pm; guest speaker 7:30 pm. Please use the signup sheets at the back of the church. Freewill donations for the poor, gratefully accepted. Questions? Call Suzette, CWL President, at 905-335-1335.



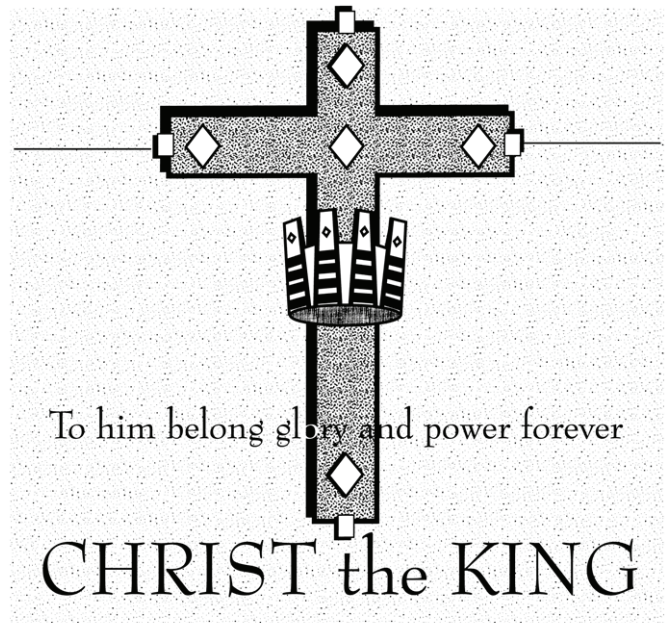
MEMORIAL MASS
Wed. Nov. 29th @ 7:00 p.m.

All are welcome to join us as we celebrate our annual Memorial Mass to pray for all our loved ones who have been called to eternal life during this past year. In a special way, we will remember those whose Funeral Masses were celebrated at Holy Rosary. All are invited to attend. A reception will follow the Mass.

The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ the King

November 26, 2017

To the Lord belongs glory and power for ever and ever.



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REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The Gospel for the First Sunday of Advent is:
Mark 13.33–37

SUNDAY MISSALS ON SALE

Sunday Missals are available in the pews for your use during Mass. New missals for 2017-18 are now available for purchase (\$5.) for those who wish to have a personal copy at home. They take effect at the start of Advent on Dec. 2nd/3rd.

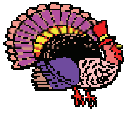


WE NEED YOUR MILK BAGS!



Parishioner Bev Taylor wants your milk bags, **just the clean, colourful outer bag** that holds the litre bags of milk. North Burlington Baptist Church is collecting and have made over 1,000 mats so far and are sending them to Haiti and prisons in Indonesia. Please use the designated drop box in the Narthex. Your contributions will be much appreciated. Questions? Call Bev Taylor at 905-577-0470.

TURKEY ROLL & SILENT AUCTION
Friday, Dec. 1 – Holy Rosary School – 7pm
Last weekend to get your tickets!



\$5. per ticket gets you in the door, a chance at door prizes and Beef-on-a-Bun Buffet at the end of the evening. Join us for games of chance to win turkeys, hams, fruit baskets & more or try your luck at the Silent Auction tables. **The Knights of Columbus also need your support and donations of items for the silent auction.** If you can donate new items, gift certificates, event tickets, etc. it would be greatly appreciated. Leave donations at the church office or call Joe Baumgartner at 905-522-1465 or Ken Fleming at 905-336-6521.

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

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

Oct. Nov. 19th, 2017 Collection

Sunday Envelopes	Loose Collection	Pre-Authorized Debit
\$4,104.50	\$345..	\$1,605.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. Nov. 27	Rev. Aurimas Rudinskas, O.P.
Tues. Nov. 28	Rev. Bradley Markus
Wed. Nov. 29	Lay Parish Ministers
Thurs. Nov. 30	Rev. Jeff Bergsma
Fri. Dec. 1	Rev. Paul Boucher
Sat. Dec. 2	Rev. Donald Wilhelm

HAMILTON CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULTS

A way for young Catholics (19 – 39) to connect

‘Serve! Ping Pong Bar & Lounge’ Sat. Dec. 2nd Join us @ 5:00 pm at Serve! Ping Pong Bar, 105—115 King St. E. Hamilton, 2nd floor. Come out, meet & connect with other young Catholics over some food and ping pong Check out Hamilton Catholic Young Adults Facebook page or e-mail: jpeter@hamiltondiocese.com

HEALING MASS FOR THOSE MOURNING THE LOSS OF A CHILD – Sun. Dec. 3 @ 4:00 p.m.

Losing a child is a painful and life-altering experience for parents, grandparents and other family members. Come to a Diocesan Healing Mass at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton. Anyone who has lost a child of any age from any cause, including those that have lost a child prior to birth, or who have had a still birth are invited to this Mass celebrated by Bishop Douglas Crosby. **God is close to those who mourn, come and experience His healing presence.** Registration is preferred, but not necessary, as it will assist us in knowing how many spaces to reserve and ensure we have enough of the mementos each family will receive. Call Lena 905-528-7988, ext. 2249 or register online at: www.hamiltondiocese.com

COPING WITH THE HOLIDAYS
Sun. Dec. 3rd from 1:30 to 3:00 pm

Coping with the Holidays...when you have lost a loved one. Join us for an afternoon of reflection and strategies for coping, facilitated by Dr. Wendy Hofman, at the Chancery Office, 700 King St. W. Hamilton. This event is free, but please call to reserve a seat at 905-528-7988, ext. 2249.

COOKIE WALK – Saturday, Dec. 9th
West Plains United Church

Join us for our annual Christmas cookie & square sale from 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon or until we're sold out!

NOVENA TO INFANT JESUS – DEC. 16 – 25

The Sisters of the Carmel of St. Joseph will pray for you during this time. Are you troubled? Do you need spiritual support? You can participate in this Novena to Infant Jesus by sending your prayer intention slip with your name and address to Carmel of St. Joseph, 1127 Carmel-Koch Rd., R.R. #1, St. Agatha, ON N0B 2L0.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT
Sunday, Dec. 17th @ 7:00 pm

Join us at St. James United Church Waterdown for our Christmas concert featuring the choirs of St. James and West Plains United churches.

BAPTISMS – WELCOME!

We welcome: Brooklyn Gross-Arsenault, Luke Lothringen, Thomas Lothringen and Mila Marusic.



In the Sacrament of Baptism, they received new life in Christ. We pray that, with the support of family and friends, they will grow to full stature in Christ.

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON JOB POSTING
INTERNAL AUDITORS (Part-time Casual)

We are looking for Auditors to perform financial and administrative reviews of our Parishes and Cemeteries. Hours of work vary depending on number of reviews and complexity, but on average, expect to work between 7 to 15 days per year. Remuneration will be based on the number of audits performed.

Duties include: Review & critique of current audit program; Responsible for planning & execution of 5 to 10 audits/yr.; Prepare & present audit reports for review; Work with Parishes and Cemeteries to correct audit findings; Some travel will be required.

Qualifications: Professional designation in accounting is required. Strong communication and presentation skills with ability to comfortably communicate at all levels. Submit resumes to: careers@hamiltondiocese.com

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