

# Holy Rosary Catholic Community

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

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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.  
\*June 1 to Aug. 31-Sunday mass 10 a.m.

## Weekday Mass

Tuesday-Friday 7:45 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:  
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## New Parishioners

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

## Contact us

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

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



### MASSES THIS WEEK

(7:45 a.m. unless otherwise noted)

Tuesday, Nov. 11	For those who have died in the wars
Wednesday, Nov. 12	Michael Reitzel
Thursday, Nov. 13	Marilyn York
Friday, Nov. 14	Darlene Fulcher
Saturday, Nov. 15 at 5:00 p.m.	Intentions of Corral Family Anna Marie Cupido Gerry McDonnell

### UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS / EVENTS

#### Monday

7:00 pm – Bible Study Group – Heritage Room  
1:30 – 8:30 pm – Photo Sessions – Parish Centre

#### Tuesday

No Seniors Bridge Group today  
1:30 – 8:30 pm – Photo Sessions – Parish Centre  
7:00 pm – CWL Executive Meeting – Heritage Room  
7:00 pm – St. Vincent de Paul Meeting – Narthex

#### Wednesday

7:30 pm – Choir Practice – Parish Centre

#### Saturday/Sunday (Nov. 15/16)

After all masses – Young Vincentians Fundraiser – Join us in the Parish Centre

### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

For several weeks, we have considered penance as a sacrament of forgiveness, and yet there are two other sacraments in this category. The first, of course, is the Eucharist itself. The other is the sacrament of the sick, long associated with penance. The Letter of James sets out the deep tradition for caring for the sick: sending for the priests, who will pray and lay their hands on the sick ones, anointing them with oil, and giving them forgiveness. Long before other rites of penance developed, the sacrament of the sick was therefore a profound experience of forgiveness. Jesus often healed the sick, nearly always as a visible sign of forgiveness of sin. The tradition didn't unfold smoothly, however, and within a few centuries the oil of the sick was taken home to be applied by caregivers as a salve, or even to be drunk as a medicine. As early as the second century, bishops were therefore urging that priests should be the ones to visit those separated by illness from the Sunday assembly. Thus the practice of consigning the Eucharist and the oil of the sick to the non-ordained faithful to bring home was relatively short-lived. -Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

### The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica November 9, 2014



### THE TEMPLE AND WORSHIP

In all of today's readings, the temple is prominently mentioned. Ezekiel speaks of streams of living water flowing out from the temple, watering the desert, bringing life to all living things, offering fresh healing to God's people. Paul reminds the Corinthians that their faith rests upon the firmest of foundations, Christ himself. More than that, Paul reveals that those who follow Christ are themselves temples, temples of the Holy Spirit; that is, God dwells not only with them, but in them. For the Jews of Jesus' time, the temple had come to be identified with the presence of God and the only place where authentic worship of God took place. Jesus had a different perception. Jesus identified himself not with the temple, but as the temple. In so doing, Jesus indicated a dramatic shift in what it means to worship God, to be in God's presence. No longer was a place to be the focus of prayer. Instead, a person, the person of Jesus Christ, becomes the center of our worship. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co..

### OUR GIFTS TO GOD

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

#### November 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection:

Regular Sunday Envelopes	Loose Collection	Pre-Authorized Debit (Reg. Sunday)	Church Maintenance
\$5,679.	\$467.	\$1,668.	\$3,993.

### REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The gospel for the 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary time is: **Matthew 25.14 – 30.**



**TODAY – CRAFT & BAKE SALE**  
**Sunday Nov. 9<sup>th</sup>** after 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.  
 masses in the Parish Centre.



**ELIZE MISSION – TODAY – Nov. 8 & 9**

Today our special collection is for the Mission in Belize. Previously, we committed \$9,500 per year to the Mission and are still **short \$5,000.** in fulfilling our commitment this year. If you can help support Belize, please bring your donation in the next few weeks. **Please make cheques payable to HOLY ROSARY CHURCH.** Thank you for your generosity.

**DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR**

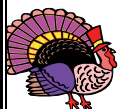
Mon. Nov. 10	Rev. John Govan, S.J.
Tues. Nov. 11	Rev. Eric Jensen, S.J.
Wed. Nov. 12	Deceased Members of our Parish Community
Thurs Nov. 13	Rev. James Profit, S.J. (deceased)
Fri. Nov. 14	Rev. William Clarke, S.J.
Sat. Nov. 15	Rev. Dennis Noon



**YOUNG VINCENTIANS FUNDRAISER**  
**Next Weekend – Nov. 15/16**

The Holy Rosary Young Vincentians are a group of our youth who put Christian values into action in order to make a difference in our community and our world. On the weekend of Nov. 15/16, they will be in the Parish Centre collecting donations in collaboration with World Vision. They are fundraising to buy pigs for families in Third World countries. Why pigs? Besides providing food, they can be a source of income—a sow can produce a litter of piglets every year for sale. For only 25 cents or a dollar, you can help buy a pig and break the cycle of poverty. Also, any youth in grades 1 to 12 may sign up with the Young Vincentians, or just stop by the Parish Centre and we will be happy to answer any questions. Please be as generous as you are able.

**TURKEY ROLL & SILENT AUCTION**  
**Friday, Nov. 28 @ Holy Rosary School**



The Knights of Columbus need your support and donations of items for the silent auction. **If anyone can donate new items, gift certificates or hockey tickets** it would be greatly appreciated. Leave donations at the church office or call Don Prescott 905-523-7518. **Tickets on sale now—only \$5.00 Get yours today!**

**ADVENT RETREATS AT HOLY ROSARY**



Nourish your heart and your soul in preparation for Christmas. We are holding two Advent Retreats in December; one for all women of the parish and one for all men of the parish.

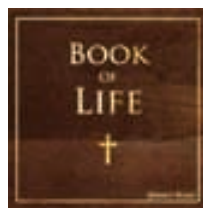
**Women’s Retreat – Thurs. Dec. 4 from 7 to 8:30 pm**

The ladies retreat will be facilitated by Sr. Margaret Kane CSJ, the past Superior of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Hamilton.

**Men’s Retreat – Thurs. Dec. 11 from 7 to 8:30 pm**

Monsignor Raymond Modeski, Pastor of St. Patrick’s Parish in Burlington will lead the Men’s Retreat.

Sign-up sheets to register for the above retreats will be available in the Narthex starting November 22 / 23.



We invite our parishioners to sign the names of all relatives and friends, who have died, into the **BOOK OF LIFE.** The book will be placed at the front of the Church next weekend and will **remain there during the month of November,** reminding us to pray for our departed loved ones.

**CATHOLIC MEN’S DAY**

“Prophets, Priests, and Kings” at St. Raphael’s Parish on **Saturday, Nov. 8.** Through three presentations on the call to be Prophet, Priest, King, we will better understand the gifts we have received at Baptism and how to realize our own priestly, prophetic and kingly mission within our family. Call Henry Valcheff 905-510-9182 or email: nov8@cogeco.ca

**COMING LATE – LEAVING EARLY**

We encourage parishioners to arrive at Church 10 to 15 minutes before Mass so that you have time for prayer and reflection. You can use the Sunday Missal to read the readings of the day. Also, out of respect for the Lord and for the Liturgy, please join in singing the recessional hymn and remain in your pew until the procession has reached the back of the Church.

**PLEASE...SIT IN THE CHURCH**

We have noticed many people standing in the Narthex when there is available seating in the Church. It is very difficult to pray and enter into the spirit of the Liturgy when standing in the Narthex. Ushers have been asked to encourage people to sit, so out of respect for our Lord, please take a seat in the Church. Thank you.





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