

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 28 to Sept. 6-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:
www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

New Parishioners

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

Contact us

Parish Office 905-634-7441
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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)

Tues. Oct. 27	Rita Young
Wed. Oct. 28	Feast of St. Simon and St. Jude Ron Franceschini
Thurs. Oct. 29	No Mass
Friday, Oct. 30	No Mass
Sat. Oct. 31 @ 5:00 p.m.	Carmel Boylan Elena Morgante Jean & Jack Bernell

CLERGY SEMINAR 2015

The Clergy of the Diocese of Hamilton will be attending their annual Clergy Seminar so there will be no morning Mass on Thursday and Friday.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

In the tangled but fascinating history of penance in the Church, the Irish "tariff" system helped us survive the collapse of the old system of public canonical penance and prepared the way for a new system that emerged in the twelfth century. The old form was unrepeatable, public, dealt with serious community matters, and regulated by the bishops as chief reconcilers. The new form had a more intimate setting of penitent and confessor, was extremely repeatable, and applied to everyone. The old canonical form was closed to children, who were hardly capable of the very grown-up sins listed, or their demanding remedies. The old form was likewise closed to clerics, who were protected in a sense by the very nature of the discipline. In the new Irish form the penitent directly named sins, or answered direct questions by the priest. Sometimes, the penitent would recite a long formula accusing him- or herself in a general way of all sorts of sins, even from the distant past. Next, priest and penitent together would lie prostrate before the altar and recite several of the psalms with penitential themes. Finally, the priest would pronounce a judgment, deciding what form and duration the penance should take, normally insisting that the person return for reconciliation once the penances were completed. Rev. James Field Copyright © J.S. Paluch Co.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. Oct. 26	Rev. Ernest Varosi, C.R.
Tues. Oct. 27	Rev. Jim Wahl, C.R.
Wed. Oct. 28	Deceased Priests of the Hamilton Diocese
Thurs. Oct. 29	Rev. Joseph Sach R.I.P.
Fri. Oct. 30	Rev. Angelico Valeriotte
Sat. Oct. 31	Rev. Angus Smith

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME October 25th, 2015

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TRUE BLINDNESS

Bartimaeus caused a stir. Normally he sat by the side of the road being a "good blind beggar." But one day Jesus passed nearby. Bartimaeus jumped up and called out to Jesus. We can imagine him turning toward the direction of the commotion and noise. Bartimaeus probably had his arms outstretched as he shouted out to the son of David. The people who knew him were embarrassed by his outburst. They tried to hush him up and get him to sit back down by the roadside. Their actions spoke volumes: "Bartimaeus, you're not fit for Jesus." But it was okay for them and other "sighted" people to follow Jesus. In today's readings, we learn that true blindness is not a condition of our eyes but of our hearts. Copyright © J S Paluch Co.

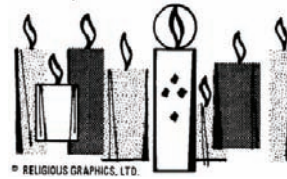
CREATE A CLIMATE OF CHANGE

The most poor and vulnerable in the Global South suffer the most from the impacts of climate change, yet they are the ones who contribute the least to the carbon emissions that are warming the planet. In December, world leaders will be meeting in Paris at the United Nation Climate Change Conference (COP21) to negotiate a binding and universal agreement on the world's climate. For this agreement to be effective at avoiding future climate-related disasters, the global temperature can't rise more than 2°C over the coming years. In order to achieve this however, countries like Canada will need to transition to renewable energies, and move away from fossil fuels. You can take action by **signing the Development and Peace's Action Card**, which will be distributed in November, asking the Prime Minister to sign on to an agreement at COP21 that sets the target to keep the rise in temperature below 2°C and to be a leader in achieving that target. On the card, you can also share with the Prime Minister your own personal action to help reduce climate change. The survival of our planet is at stake!

REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week! The Gospel for All Saints Day is:

Matthew 5.1-12a



OUR GIFTS TO GOD

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

October 18th, Collection

Sunday Envelopes	Loose Collection	Pre-Authorized Debit	Evangelization Of Nations
\$4,015.	\$447.	\$1,638.	\$4,031.

Syrian Refugee Relief collections todate.....\$13,793.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

TODAY (Sunday)

11 a.m. – At this mass, our Grade 7 students will celebrate the Rite of Enrolment for Confirmation.

Tuesday

1:00 p.m. – Seniors Bridge – Parish Centre

Wednesday

9:00 – 1:30 pm – Pie Baking – PC Kitchen

2:00 – 3:00 pm – Gr. 7 Confirmation Class – Parish Ctr

7:00 pm – Quest Small Group Bible Study – Heritage Rm

Thursday

9:00 – 4:00 pm – Pie Baking – PC Kitchen

1:00 pm – Crafts – Parish Centre

7:30 pm – Choir Practice – Parish Centre

7:30 pm – Eucharistic Minister to the Sick Training – Heritage Room

Friday

9:00 – 4:00 pm – Pie Baking – PC Kitchen

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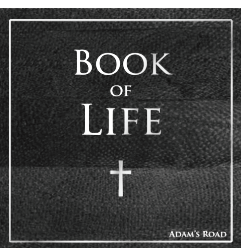


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THE BELL BAZAAR – Sat. Nov. 7th

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! Call Bev 905-577-0470 or see today's special insert in the bulletin to help.



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.

HOLY ROSARY MEMORIAL MASS

Sunday, Nov. 1 @ 11:00 a.m. Mass

At the 11 a.m. Mass, we will remember all those whose funerals have been celebrated in our parish during the past year in the Prayers of the Faithful. The Book of the Dead, with the names of our deceased loved ones inscribed in it, will be carried in procession at the beginning of Mass. Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, may perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.

GROUP BEREAVEMENT WORKSHOPS

'HEAL YOUR HEART'

Broken hearts are painful—don't get stuck in the pain of conflicting emotions. Are you dealing with a loss in your life? (Death of spouse, child or miscarriage; divorce; job loss; loss of your home; health; a pet; culture; infertility; romantic relationship; ailing parents) There is help—you are invited to join us for a series of Group Bereavement Workshops intended to assist you in coping with the feelings associated with loss. The goal of the workshops is to provide definitive actions that will mend conflicting emotions that hold you back from enjoying life. Join us for this 6 week course being held **Wednesdays Oct. 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18, 25 and Dec. 2 at St. Michael Parish, 181 Sewell Drive, Oakville. The evening session will run from 7-9 pm.** For more info. call ilse at 905-338-1778. To register go to www.hamiltondiocese.com or call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249. Cost is \$35 and includes material.

HOLY SEPULCHRE CEMETERY ALL SOULS DAY MASS – SUN. NOV. 1ST

Most Reverend Anthony Tonnos, Bishop Emeritus of Hamilton, will offer the annual All Souls Day Memorial Mass at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery on **Sunday, November 1, 2015, at 2:00 pm.** All are welcome. For more information, please call 905-522-7727, or visit www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

OTHER CHRISTMAS BAZAARS

Nov. 6 & 7 from 10:30 - 4:00 (Sat. till 3pm) @ St. Joseph's Convent, 574 Northcliffe Ave. Dundas. Call 905-528-0138 for directions to our Craft & Art Sale in Martha's Tea Room. Knit & crocheted items, jams, etc.

Sat. Nov. 7 from 9 – 2 @ St. John's Parish Burlington featuring crafts, Christmas décor, baked goods & café.

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