

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

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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. 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. Sept. 19	Florina Castura
Wed. Sept. 20	Michael Donich
Thurs. Sept. 21	Feast of St. Matthew Dom Ofilan
Fri. Sept. 22	Peggy Keating
Sat. Sept. 23 @ 5:00 p.m.	Beverley Honsberger William & Glen Guy

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

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

Sept. 10th, 2017 Collection

Sunday Envelopes	Loose Collection	Pre-Authorized Debit	St. Vincent de Paul
\$3,635.	\$310.	\$1,605.	\$8,372.

Next Weekend our special collection is for the **Needs of the Church in Canada**. Contributing to this collection is an act of collaboration with the Bishops in their ministry of teaching, sanctifying and pastoral governance.

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS/EVENTS

TODAY After all Masses – Sharing Fair – Parish Centre
Tuesday 1:00 pm – Seniors' Bridge – Parish Centre 7:00 pm – St. Vincent de Paul Meeting – Heritage Room
Wednesday 7:00 pm – Quest Small Group Bible Study – Library
Thursday 1:00 pm – Craft Club – Parish Centre 7:00 pm – Finance Council – Heritage Room 7:30 pm – Choir Practice – in the Parish Centre

QUEST BIBLE STUDY GROUP – Wednesdays

Quest is a study and reflection program based on the Sunday readings. Each session begins with an opening prayer, followed by reading and discussing the upcoming Sunday's Scriptures. This helps participants to reflect on the message of the readings. Quest meets on Wednesdays from 7 – 8:30 p.m. in the library. All are welcome.

REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

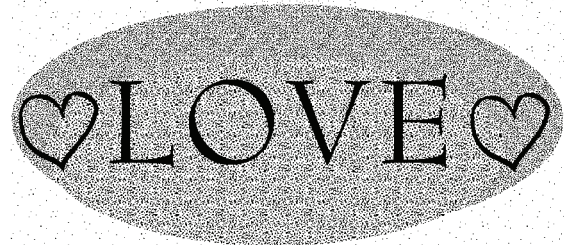
Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The Gospel for the Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time is:
Matthew 20.1-16

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 17, 2017

How precious is your mercy,
O God!

As far as the east is from the west



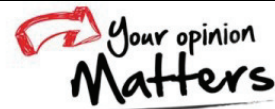
so far has the Lord
put our transgressions from us

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CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE DINNER & FASHION SHOW



Monday, Sept. 25th @ 6:00pm.
Fashions by Chico's Mapleview Mall.
Dinner at 6:30 pm. Tickets are \$20 with proceeds to charity. Use signup sheets on the table at the church entrance.



PARISH GROWTH AND NEEDS SURVEY

In an effort to get a clearer picture of the needs and potential future directions of our parish community, your Parish Pastoral Advisory Council has prepared a short Survey. An opportunity will be provided during the homily time, **on the weekend of September 30th/October 1st**, for you to fill out this Survey to help prioritize our needs, and to offer your thoughts about Holy Rosary's future path. Please take time over the next while to think about what you believe your parish's chief pastoral priorities should be right now. Your responses will be very helpful in assisting the Council to better focus the areas of need for the future.

WELCOMING NEW LECTORS & MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

Both Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers serve on a rotating schedule according to Mass preference and availability.

Lectors: All members of the parish who have been Confirmed are invited to proclaim the Word of God at Mass. A **Formation Session** for new Lectors will take place on **Wednesday, October 11 at 7:00 p.m.**

Ministers of Communion: Parishioners who are over the age of 16 and Confirmed are invited to serve the community by assisting in the distribution of the Body of our Lord at Mass. A **Formation Session** for new Ministers of Communion will be held **Wednesday, Oct. 11 at 8:00 p.m.**

Please register for the Lector or Minister of Communion formation sessions by signing the appropriate sheet located on the table in the narthex. For more information, please speak to Mary Edmondstone or call / email at 905-634-7441 or: mary.edmondstone@cogeco.net

CONFIRMATION

Advance Notice Students in Public/Private Schools



Bishop Crosby will celebrate the sacrament of Confirmation with our grade 7 students on **Wed. November 8th, 2017. Students in the public school system or attending a private school will need to complete** the preparation

program, **Confirmed in the Spirit** which involves a home study component and 3 parish sessions. The first Parish session begins Saturday, October 14th and will require that the participants have completed 3 assignments before the class. For more info and registration forms, contact Mary at: mary.edmondstone@cogeco.net **SOON.**

HAVE YOU THOUGHT ABOUT BECOMING A CATHOLIC?

Do you know someone who might be interested in learning more about the Catholic faith?



The Rite of Christian Initiation is a process that helps adults deepen their relationship with God, participate at Sunday Mass and learn about our Catholic faith. It is a time to ask questions, understand the actions of the Mass and learn about Church teachings. With this knowledge, people can make an informed decision about being initiated into the Church at Easter. Call Fr. Martin 905-634-7441 for info.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. Sept. 18	Rev. Stanislaw Kuczaik, S.Chr.
Tues. Sept. 19	Very Rev. Jerzy Tomon
Wed. Sept. 20	Congregation of the Missionaries of St. Charles (Scalabrinians)(C.S.)
Thurs. Sept. 21	Rev. Joseph LeClair
Fri. Sept. 22	Rev. Leszek Szczygiel
Sat. Sept. 23	Rev. Dennis Noon

TOGETHER IN FAITH CAMPAIGN

For more than 150 years, Ontario's publicly funded Catholic schools have been a distinctive, highly successful and valued contributor to our public education system. The Together in Faith campaign amplifies that message by promoting our Catholic school students' achievements in academics, social justice, and Christian service. **Parishioners are invited to join the campaign** to strengthen publicly-funded Catholic education in Ontario. Add your name to the "Together in Faith" community list at www.togetherinfaith.ca Follow on Twitter [@Catholicedu] or www.facebook.com/CatholicEducationinOntario and help us share the Good News! This campaign is sponsored by the Ontario Catholic School Trustees' Association and is supported by the Assembly of Catholic Bishops of Ontario and Ontario English Catholic Teachers' Association.

LIKE TO BE PART OF A CHILD'S STORY?

Adoption is one way to be part of the next chapter of a child's life. Please join us for an **Adoption Information Night** with the Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton, **Wednesday, Sept. 20** from 7 to 9 p.m. at their office, 735 King St. E. Hamilton. To register contact Jocelyn 905-525-2012 ext. 3125 or Megan Meredith ext. 3330.

DAY OF PRAYER – Friday, Sept. 22nd

Join the Sisters of Social Service for a Day of Prayer from 9:30 am to 3:00 pm at 11 Perthshire Court, Hamilton. Bring a bag lunch—tea, coffee, muffins provided. To register call 905-388-3966 or email: ssspertshire@sympatico.ca

PATHS TO PRAYER

**A Senior Adult Workshop Series at the Chancery Office
700 King St. West, Hamilton
6 Tuesdays – 1:30 – 3:30 pm starting Sept. 19th**

This series explores the ten major Catholic spiritual traditions. Using the book *Paths to Prayer*, each chapter gives a brief history of the tradition's founder, highlights main characteristics and provides a customary prayer or spiritual exercise. Sessions include time for input, discussion, reflection and faith sharing. Facilitated by Sister Mary Heather MacKinnon SSND. Cost of \$35 includes the book. Register ASAP. For info call Monica 905-528-7988, ext. 2238 or email: mverin@hamiltondiocese.com

MASS FOR HEALING – Sat. Sept. 23rd @ 10:30 a.m.

Join us at St. Gabriel's Church, Burlington with Fr. Ted Slaman celebrating Mass. There will also be offered the Anointing of the Sick. A collection will be taken up. Join us for light refreshments after Mass. All are welcome.

BAPTISM – WELCOME!



We welcome: B'Elanna Osafo-Wiafe
In the Sacrament of Baptism, she received new life in Christ. We pray that, with the support of family and friends, she will grow to full stature in Christ.

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