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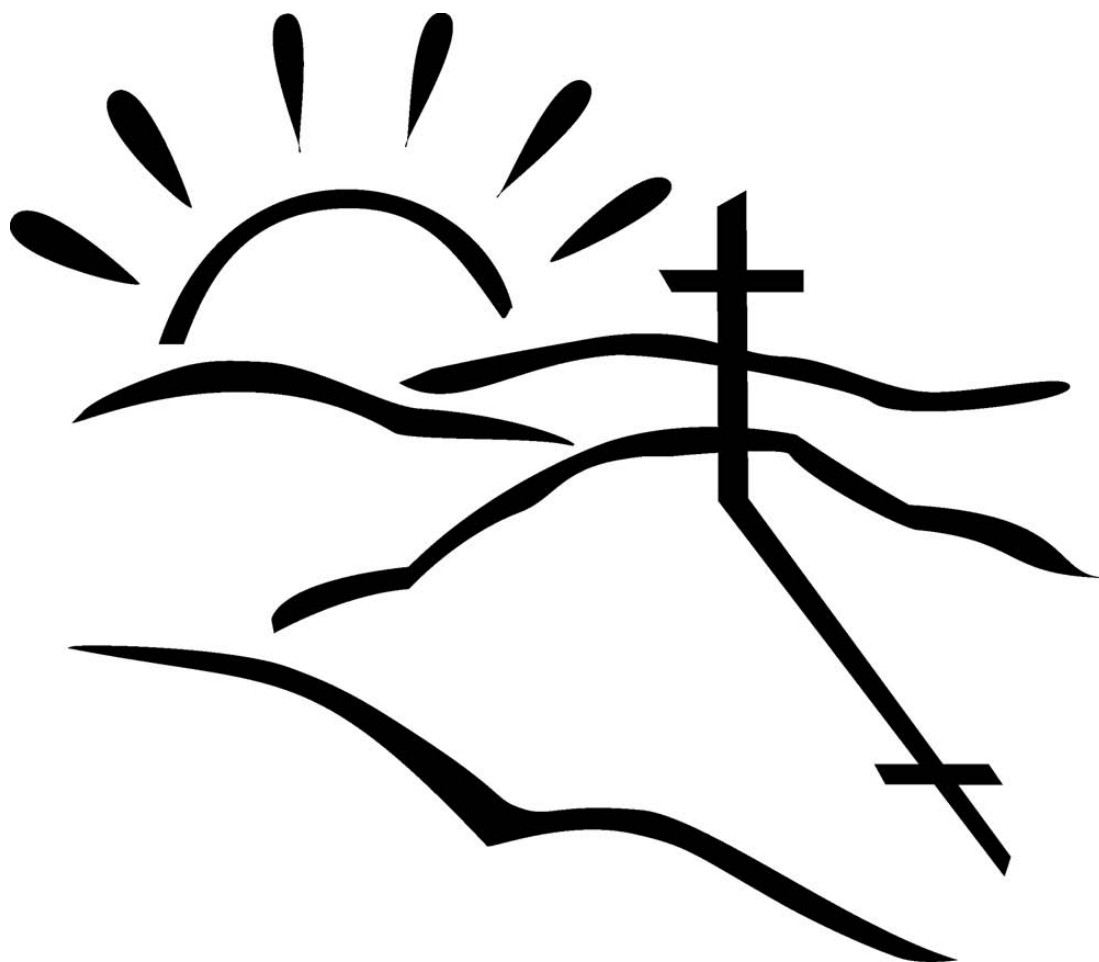
Tuesday – Friday: 9 a.m. – 12 noon & 1:30 – 4 p.m.

PARISH TEAM

Reverend Adam Voisin

Lynda Flood - Office Administrator

Michael Pollard - Caretaker



Rejoice!

For the Lord is truly risen!

April 1, 2018
Easter



WELCOME to all who visited our Parish today. We pray that you were nourished by our Liturgy. If you are new to our community, please fill in a registration form and return it to the office or place it in the collection basket. Registration forms are in the main entrance of the church.

Dear Friends,

With great joy in my heart I announce to you: "Christ is risen! He is risen indeed!" This ancient greeting sums up what we celebrate this Easter Sunday, the joy of Christ risen and alive in our midst.

"This is the day the Lord has made: let us rejoice and be glad" (Psalm 118). Christ by his death and resurrection has conquered sin so we may live. Death did not get the last word. Jesus got the last word. The Resurrection is the foundation and cornerstone of our faith. As St. Paul says if Christ has not been raised, then our preaching is useless and our faith too is in vain (Cf. 1 Cor 15:14).

We celebrate Easter in a spirit of thanksgiving to God who gives His own Son to die in order to rescue us from the slavery of sin. May we live as people deeply touched by the resurrection and proclaim: Christ is risen, Alleluia! May our encounter with the risen Lord transform us into what St. Augustine referred to as an "Easter People", a people transformed into disciples who eagerly proclaim to all the world that Christ is risen, Alleluia, Alleluia!

I wish to extend my sincere gratitude to all of you who contributed to making our Lenten and Easter celebrations prayerful and beautiful, and on behalf of the parish team of Regina Mundi, I wish you and your loved ones the blessings and joy of the Risen Christ this Easter season.

Fr. Adam

LITURGIES AND DEVOTIONS

Monday	Apr 2	No Mass	
Tuesday	Apr 3	7:00 p.m.	+Sam Sferrazza, +Christopher Thompson, +Rosa Marchesano, +Bob Bock Intentions of Vincenza Galo, Intentions of Rafal & Patrycia Pilaszek Living & Deceased members of the CWL
Wednesday	Apr 4	8:30 a.m.	+Maureen Cadorette
Thursday	Apr 5	8:30 a.m.	+Errol & Anthony Nainee
Friday	Apr 6	8:30 a.m.	+John Doyle
Saturday	Apr 7	5:00 p.m.	+Paul Tan, +Maria Pinherio, +Giovanna Cepparo. +Greg Sloan +Amalia Maida, +Christine Veltri, +Aldo Veltri

MEETINGS THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

An open invitation is warmly extended for you to join any of the activities in our parish

Monday	Apr 2	Office Closed		Thursday	Apr 5	10:30 a.m.	Bible Study
Tuesday	Apr 3	11:30 a.m.	Senior's Exercises			1:30 p.m.	OA
		12:30 p.m.	Rainbow Seniors			2:00 p.m.	Italian Prayers
		1:00 p.m.	Laudato Si			3:00 p.m.	Prayer for Priests
		5:00 p.m.	Legion of Mary			8:00 p.m.	AA
		6:30 p.m.	Prayer & Life W/S	Friday	Apr 6	6:30 p.m.	Youth Group
		7:30 p.m.	CWL General Meeting	Saturday	Apr 7	Library Weekend	
Wednesday	Apr 4	9:00 a.m.	Knitting Circle				
		1:30 p.m.	Refugee Committee Mtg				
		7:00 p.m.	RCIA Follow-up				

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND SUFFERING IN OUR FAMILIES AND COMMUNITY, ESPECIALLY:

Leo D'Atri, Maria Boneventure, Susan Parkes, Cathy Bain, Anne McKay, Betty Devlin, Mario Esmas, Patricia Dobosz, Marie Masys, Amy Younger, Bill Ortyl, Loretta VanReizen, Christine Bolduc, Honorato Ortiz, Marion McNeil, Don MacDonald, Mike Losak, Richard Johnson, David Somasundaram, Thekla Soar, Carol Angle, Taylor Lively, Tracy Giannou, Carmela DiAdamo Elena Corrado, Shannon Marshall, Dianna Ortyl, Evan Inrig, Margaret Morris, Colleen Dadswell, Janet Dionne, Mary O'Shea, Gerry Ward, Teresa Sheill, Nathan Sly, Mary Dermody, Domenico Filice, Michael O'Shea Josefa Choxin Puac, Eileen O'Shea, Bryan Gallant, Lenora DiSaverio, Jo-Anne Brown, Elaine Silvano, Hyacinth Lewis



Pharmacist, Antonietta Forrester will be making a presentation at the next **CWL General Meeting April 3rd** after the 7 p.m. Mass. This presentation will be on '*Staying Healthy as you Age*'. All ladies are welcome.

SAVE THE DATE: Defending the Faith (adult) Conference July 27-29, 2018 at Franciscan University Steubenville, Ohio. Registration is open now. Recharge your faith, listen to world class speakers, and enjoy fellowship with parishioners. Come and learn more about this event, bus travel, and costs at the FINAL information session on April 10, at Regina Mundi parish hall, Tues Apr 10, 2018, after 7:00 p.m. Mass. If you plan to attend, or for information, please contact Harvey hfbaily845@gmail.com or Tom 905-387-5447, tom_sauder@quickclic.net or Marcell 905-388-4745, marcellnaine@outlook.com

We, the Serra Club of Hamilton, will be gathering for the 15th Annual **Celebration of Priesthood & Consecrated Life Dinner** and we would be delighted if you could join us. At the dinner, all present will honour and express gratitude to our Priests, Diocesan and Religious, who are celebrating their 50th Anniversary of ordination, and to our Consecrated men and women who are celebrating their 50th Anniversary of professing vows. Candidates who will be ordained to the priesthood and profess final vows in the year 2018 will also be in attendance. The Dinner takes place on Wednesday May 2nd at Liuna Station 360 James St. N. Hamilton - Grand Central Ballroom. Reception: 6 pm., Dinner: 7 pm. From past experience, those honoured truly appreciate the recognition they receive and the opportunity to be with so many friends. The cost is \$65 per person. You may wish to organize a table or two. Tables of 10 are available. Seating will be assigned on a first paid basis; you are therefore encouraged to register early. Check our website for further details: www.celebrationprl.wixsite.com/dinner

Are you a catechist? Do you help pass on the faith to others? In your parish? In Sacramental Prep? At home? Join us as we consider the connection between evangelization and catechesis with the help of a new book by Daniella Zsupan-Jerome, "Evangelization & Catechesis: Echoing the Good News Through the Documents of the Church". Short chapters, great stories, helpful reflection! Wednesdays starting April 18th either 1 – 3pm in Oakville, St. Andrew's parish or 7 – 9pm in Cambridge, St. Mary of the Visitation Parish in Cambridge. Cost is \$35, and includes the text and five Wednesdays April 18th, 25th, and May 16th, 23rd, and 30th. Online registration will be available, for more information please visit www.hamiltondiocese.com or call Monica at 905 528 7988 ext. 2238.

Grief Relief: Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Are you wondering if these feelings are normal? You are not alone! "Grief Relief" - a six week educational and support series dealing with grief When: Tuesdays, April 10 – May 15, Time: 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Where: Diocese of Hamilton Chancery Office – 700 King St. West, Hamilton. Facilitated by Karen Hulley, RP. There is no cost to participate. You are free to attend all sessions, or any one or more you can. To register call the Family Ministry Office: 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or on-line at www.hamiltondiocese.com.

Support for Persons Separated or Divorced: Would it help you to have people around you to understand what you're going through? Would you like to hear some ideas that will encourage you and help you to develop new ways of coping with the stresses in your life? The Hamilton Diocesan Support Group meets the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month and they can help! No need to register just come and join us at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West, Hamilton from 7 – 9 p.m. For more information call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249. There is NO COST



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