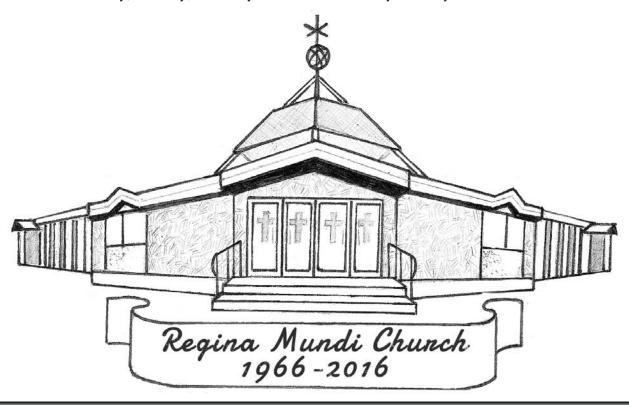
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MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9 a.m., 11 a.m.
Children's Liturgy: 9 a.m. Mass
Weekday schedule in the Bulletin

CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in the family please contact the parish office and we will assist you in making the liturgical arrangements. For info on Catholic burial, please contact 1-800 661-5985, or visit the website at www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

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Please call Fr. Adam (Ext. 102) at the Parish to arrange this.

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Tuesday: 6:15 - 6:45 p.m. Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30 p.m. Other times by appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

2nd Sunday of the month Baptism Preparation last Sunday of month for parents & godparents

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

At least six months notice required Call to make an appointment

GOOD SHEPHERD OUTREACH

Parish Contact: Nina 905-388-2718

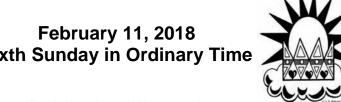
LEGION OF MARY

Contact: Paula Bernar 905-575-9635

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February 11, 2018 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time





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.

LITURGIES AND DEVOTIONS

Monday	Feb 12	No Mass	
Tuesday	Feb 13	7:00 p.m.	+Silvana Pellizzari, +Joseph Szuch, +Maria & Antonio Villani,
			+Luigi & Amalia Infanti
Wednesday	Feb 14	9:00 a.m.	Mass with Ashes distributed - +Frances Cochrane
		7:00 p.m.	Mass with Ashes distributed - +Greg Sloan
Thursday	Feb 15	8:30 a.m.	+Holly Hamilton
Friday	Feb 16	8:30 a.m.	+June Birrell
		1:30 p.m.	Mass at Idlewyld – Intentions of Katrina Menten
Saturday	Feb 17	5:00 p.m.	+Mr. Luka K. & Mrs. Marian Joseph, +Kathryn Buryta, +Luigi Sferrazza
			Intentions of Patricia Amos, +Angelo Agro

MEETINGS THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

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

Monday	Feb 12	5:00 p.m.	Legion of Mary	Thursday	Jan 18	10:30 a.m.	Bible Study Group
Tuesday	Feb 14	11:30 a.m.	Senior's Exercises	_		1:30 p.m.	Overeaters Anonymous
-		12:30 p.m.	Rainbow Seniors			2:00 p.m.	Italian Prayers
Wednesday	Feb 14	7:00 p.m.	Rainbow Seniors K of C General Mtg			3:00 p.m.	Prayer for Priests
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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 Somasundarum, Thekla Soar, Carol Angle, Taylor Lively, Tracy Giannou, Carmela DiAdamo Elena Corrado, Shannon Marshall, Dianna Ortyl, Elaine Silvano, 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, Evan Inrig, Lenora DiSaverio, Jo-Anne Brown

For Weekend of February 3/4, 2018:



Offertory: \$6,075 Building Fund: \$1,213 St. Vincent de Paul: \$252 Seminary Collection: \$1,278 We thank you for your generosity PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN: Forms are available at the back of the church or on the website for those wishing to begin using Electronic Fund Transfer as a means of supporting the parish. Please contact the office if you require assistance.

The Vocation Office's new issue of the *Reflection* series is out! This issue features a message from our Vocation Director, Father Michael King, and a message from 24 of our 25 seminarians. Please visit the Vocation Website, www.HamiltonVocations.com, to view it or pick up a copy in the entrances at the church.

Lenten Observances

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of **fasting** in the Latin rite of the Catholic Church (i.e., the rite that we belong to). Vatican II also recommends fasting on Holy Saturday until the Easter Vigil (Sacrosanctum Concilium, 110). Fridays throughout the year (including during Lent) are days of **abstinence**.

The law of abstinence prohibits the eating of meat, but eggs, milk products, and sauces made from animal fats may be eaten, as well as fish and all cold-blooded animals (e.g., frogs, clams, turtles). The law of fasting means that only one full meal may be taken during the day; two light meals are permitted (the quantity of food taken at the two lighter meals should not exceed the quantity taken at the full meal). The consumption of solid food between meals is prohibited, but liquids may be taken at any time.

Only those between the ages of 18 and 59, and whose health permits them to fast, are bound by the law of fasting on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Those 14 years of age and older are bound by the law of abstinence on all Fridays throughout the year (unless a solemnity falls on the Friday).

CWL will be running their annual <u>Canadian Food for Children Collection</u>, weekend of February 17/18th. Items needed are rice, oil, salt, soap, candles. Please **no donation of clothing**. Monetary donations are welcome. Regina Mundi CWL would like to thank you for your support.

A <u>Prayer and Life Workshop (PLW)</u> is a series of sessions where you learn to enter into a personal relationship with the Lord through different prayer methods, from the first steps of simple prayer to the heights of contemplation. At the same time, you will learn to transform your life with the help of the Word. An <u>information meeting</u> will be held on Tuesday, February 13th at 6:30 PM in the Parish Meeting Room (Upstairs). For more information, please call Carlana Midence at 905-388-7922.

SAVE THE DATE: Defending the Faith (adult) Conference July 27-29, 2018 at Franciscan University Steubenville, Ohio. Registration is open now. An information session will be held at Regina Mundi parish hall, Tuesday February 27th after 7 p.m. Mass. If you plan to attend, or for information, please contact Harvey 905-388-1847 <a href="mailto:https://doi.org/no.com/

<u>Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass:</u> Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2017? If you are, you are cordially invited to a Wedding Anniversary Mass on **Sunday, June 10**th at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 pm. (<u>Space allows room for Anniversary couples only</u> - those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if you require assistance). Please refer to the poster in the Narthex of the church for information on how to register for the celebration, or go to www.hamiltondiocese.com.

Rite of Election 2018: On Sunday, February 18, the Rite of Election for those parishes in the Brant, Halton, and Hamilton deaneries takes place at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 p.m. This is an occasion where the Church is invited to celebrate with the catechumens who will be celebrating the Sacraments of Initiation at the upcoming Easter Vigil. The celebration will be presided by His Excellency, Bishop Crosby who, in the presence of the community, declares the Church's approval of the catechumens for the celebration of the three initiation sacraments. All are welcome to join us for this beautiful celebration.

Band of Christian Brothers Men's Conference:

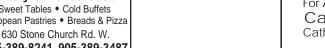
On February 24th join Hector Molina and Bishop of St. Catharines Gerard Bergie along with hundreds of men for Serviam Ministries' 3rd annual Band of Christian Brothers Men's Conference at Canada Christian College in Toronto. The theme is "Manly Virtue". It is a one day intensive men's retreat consisting of spiritual talks, Mass, Adoration, Confession, fraternity and prayer. Special Father/Son rates available. All info and tickets: https://www.serviamministries.com/events/virtue/, or email info@ServiamMinistries.com or phone 1-888-522-2070.

Marriage Tip: In February we celebrate love on Valentine's Day, but love is an action word, needed every day of every month. This year try something different for Valentine's Day – make a commitment to tell each other on the 14th of every month what it is you love

about each other. An attitude of gratitude, recognizing the good in the other and making a point of telling each other why you are in love is a great way to put love into action and it helps you to never take your love for granted.



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