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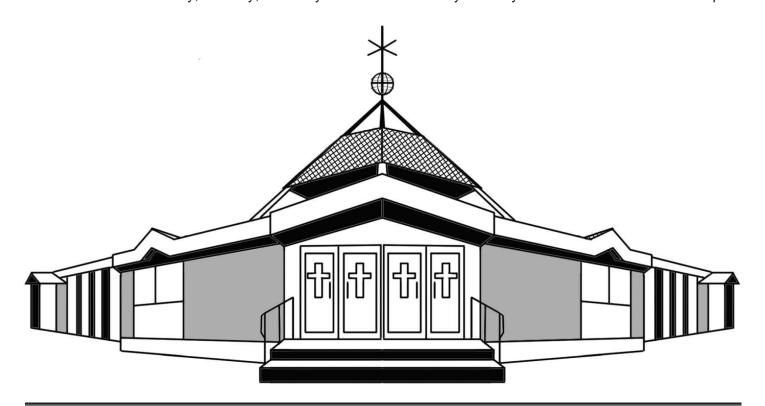
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Contact Dolores 905-648-5599 regina_mundi_cwl@rogers.com

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905-635-5410

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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Sunday - Friday 4 p.m. - midnight Thursday 9 a.m. - midnight Call: Sharon 905-388-4071

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

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

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January 9, 2022 Baptism of the Lord





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	Jan 11	No Mass	
Tuesday	Jan 11	7:00 p.m.	+Peter Mauro,
			+Luigi Tumoli,
			+Madeline Ricci
Wednesday	Jan 12	8:30 a.m.	+Bob Boucher
Thursday	Jan 13	8:30 a.m.	+Ralph Iorio
Friday	Jan 14	8:30 a.m.	+Kristina Merolli-Peerdeman
Saturday	Jan 15	5:00 p.m.	+Salvatore & Carmelo Cirillo,
			+Dave Fabbri,
			+Jerry Gatto

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, Evan Inrig, Patricia Dobosz, Marie Masys, Amy Younger, Loretta VanReizen, Christine Bolduc, Honorato Ortiz, William Kirk, Don MacDonald, Mike Losak, Blake Burke, Richard Johnson, David Somasundarum, Carol Angle, Nathan Sly, Taylor Lively, Tracy Giannou, Shannon Marshall, Dianna Ortyl, Elaine Silvano, Margaret Morris, Mary O'Shea, Colleen Dadswell, Janet Dionne, Gerry Ward, Michael O'Shea, Daniel Arruda, Eileen O'Shea, Lenora DiSaverio, Jo-Anne Brown, Tom Corradetti, Mary Cordeiro, John & Jenny Menezes, Dorothy Pelletier



Weekend of December 18/19, 2021: Offertory: \$2,517 Building Fund: \$155

Christmas: \$11,030

Weekend of December 26, 2021: Offertory: \$5,117 Building Fund: \$561

New Year's: \$1,857

Weekend of January 2, 2022: Offertory: \$10,474 Building Fund: \$874

(Includes EFT for January)

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As John the Baptist introduced the people of his time to Jesus a voice from heaven said, "You are my Son, the Beloved, with you I am well pleased." Perhaps God is calling you to do the same in our time as a priest, deacon or religious. If He is, contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton (905-528-7988).

Email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

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Then God said,

"Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness...
So God made humankind in His image, in the image of God He created them;
male and female He created them. And it was so.
God saw everything that He had made, and indeed, it was very good.
And there was evening, and there was morning, the sixth day.

Having made everything in the universe, God created human beings. The writer sees this as the pinnacle of God's creation. In this respect, Genesis and Darwin agree - humans are the top of the tree in terms of creation and evolution.

What the writer of Genesis understood better than we do in our day is that we remain part of Creation - and are not separate from it.

This sense of "connectedness" was beautifully expressed by Chief Seattle in his Testimony:

"The earth does not belong to Man; Man belongs to the earth.

Whatever befalls the earth befalls the sons of the earth.

Man did not weave the web of life; he is merely a strand in it..."

We may have dominion over the earth - and have spread to all parts of the globe - but we remain only part of the glory and pain of life on earth.

God entrusted His jewel of a planet to creatures made in His own image and likeness. That image and likeness is found in every human face on earth - every colour, every race reflects something of the glory of God.

On each day of Creation as told in Genesis 1, there is a refrain. God gazes on what He created that day and sees that it is good.

On the last day of Creation, God looks on everything He has made - and sees that it is very good.

Part of our make-up as creatures made in the image and likeness of God is to do the same - to look on all that has been made and to see that it is good.

We know infinitely more than the writer of Genesis about how life has developed. We see photographs of our planet taken from the "light in the sky" - the Moon - and know that men have walked on its surface. We see pictures of galaxies - and images of electrons. We know about creatures who live in places the writer of Genesis did not know existed - the Americas and the Polar ice-caps.

From time to time, look again at the heavens
- or watch birds - or marvel at a science programme Then remember
- as a creature made in the image and likeness of God - to look at what you see and see that it is indeed very good.

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