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## PARISH TEAM

Reverend Charlie Jordan  
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## PARISH SCHOOLS

Regina Mundi (905) 383-7244  
St. Teresa of Avila (905) 385-7555  
St. Vincent de Paul (905) 385-3734

## PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

If hospitalized or confined to home  
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For pick up call (905) 549-3902

## CATHECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE

For those in public schools  
Call the Chancery Office: (905) 528-7988

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Contact Dolores (905) 648-5599  
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## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Contact Larry Helm (905) 575-1105

## 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](http://www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca)

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Sunday - Friday 4 p.m. - midnight  
Thursday 9 a.m. - midnight  
Call: Sharon (905) 388-4071  
Delia (289) 755-4883

## HOME & FAMILY BLESSING

Please call Fr. Charlie at the  
Parish to arrange this.

## BLESSING OF EXPECTANT

PARENTS Following each Mass  
on the second Sunday each month

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the Parish to arrange.  
Baptism Preparation last Monday 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: (905) 575-9635

## PRAYER OUTREACH

A Network of prayers  
Call Rosemary (905) 574-1803 or  
use the box at Our Lady's Shrine

## PARISH COUNCIL

[rmparishcouncil@rogers.com](mailto:rmparishcouncil@rogers.com)

## Sunday March 1, 2015 Second Sunday of Lent



**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	Mar 2	No Mass	
Tuesday	Mar 3	7:00 p.m.	Isabelle DiAdamo, Amalia Mancini, Joyce Mattick Intentions of Fr. Metcalf, Intentions of Boniface, Silvia & Joseph Surrao
Wednesday	Mar 4	8:30 a.m.	Jim McGrath
Thursday	Mar 5	8:30 a.m.	Geoff Barlow
Friday	Mar 6	7:45 a.m.	Lectio Divina
		8:30 a.m.	Intentions of Sue Hamilton
		7:00 p.m.	Stations of the Cross led by Parish Council
Saturday	Mar 7	5:00 p.m.	Francesco Spina, Marjorie Gaudet, Rosario & Teresa Romeo Maureen & Harold LaRose, Rachele Rogano, Sam & Connie Romano Rosario & Francesca Lombardo, Nicola & Rosa Roberto

### MEETINGS THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

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

Sunday	Mar 1	12 noon	RCIA				
Monday	Mar 2	Office Closed		Thursday	Mar 5	2:00 p.m.	Italian Prayers
Tuesday	Mar 3	11:30 a.m.	Senior's Exercises			3:00 p.m.	Prayer for Priests
		12:30 p.m.	Rainbow Seniors			6:30 p.m.	Family Fun Fair Mtg
		7:30 p.m.	CWL General Mtg			8:00 p.m.	AA
		7:30 p.m.	Yoga	Saturday	Mar 7	8:30 a.m.	Marriage Preparation
Wednesday	Mar 4	9:00 a.m.	Prayer Shawl Ministry				

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

Leo D'Atri, Maria Boneventure, Susan Parkes, Joseph McMahon, Cathy Bain, Anne McKay, Betty Devlin, Patricia Dobosz, Marie Masys, Amy Younger, Jim Klein, Loretta VanReizen, Mason Messina, Christine Bolduc, Honorato Ortiz, Marion McNeil, Evan Inrig, Meaghan O'Connor, Don MacDonald, Mike Losak, Richard Johnson, David Somasundaram, Mario Esmas, Taylor Lively, Tracy Giannou, Fred Corradetti, Bill Ortyl, Elena Corrado, Shannon Marshall, Hawa Kuwabong, Dianna Ortyl, Anthony Terbogt, Margaret Morris, Colleen Dadswell, Janet Dionne, Carol Angle, Loretta Ward, Thekla Soar, Jo-Anne Brown, Gerry Ward, Teresa Sheill, Nathan Sly, Shelagh Hagan, Marcell Nainee, Manuel Cordeiro



### For Weekend of Feb 21/22, 2015:

Offertory: \$5,445    St. Vincent de Paul: \$94    Building Fund: \$718

### DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE – Sowing seeds of justice for women and girls in Nigeria

*Doubly poor are those women who endure situations of exclusion, mistreatment, and violence, since they are frequently less able to defend their rights. Even so, we constantly witness among them impressive examples of daily heroism in defending and protecting their vulnerable families.* – Pope Francis, The Joy of the Gospel, 212.

Supporting women and girls is a priority for DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE. When 276 girls were kidnapped by Boko Haram from Chibok in Nigeria, our local Nigerian partner began working for their freedom, and has managed to smuggle three girls to safety. "The three girls, who were 17, 18, and 19 years old, still seemed to be under the effect of the swirl of emotions generated by the trials they experienced since their abduction," states Raphael Yimga Tatchi, DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE program officer for Nigeria. "Their voices and lost eyes betray deep pain... glimmers of humanity shine through only when they courageously recount the details of their escape" The Share Lent collection for DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE is on the Fifth Sunday of Lent, March 22<sup>nd</sup>

**Stations of the Cross** will be held each Friday in Lent at 7 p.m. until March 27<sup>th</sup>.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation during Lent:**

Tuesdays: 6:15-6:45 p.m. (except Tuesday, March 31: 5:30–6:45 p.m.) and Saturdays: 4- 4:30 p.m. (except Holy Saturday - no Confessions)

Our **Reconciliation Service** will be held on Thursday, March 26<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m.

**"One Heart, One Voice, One Mission** God is seeking daily to touch our lives. Inviting all women of the parish to a retreat **Saturday March 28<sup>th</sup>**. The retreat will begin with a light lunch at 11:30 a.m. and will close at 4 p.m. Cost \$5 (lunch and materials). Please contact the parish office by Friday March 25<sup>th</sup> at (905) 385 3297 to register. Please register early as space is limited.

Our **Spring Garage Sale** is booked for May22/23<sup>rd</sup>. **Costume Jewellery and Tools** are big sellers, if you have any of these items that you can spare, please consider donating them to make our sale the best ever!



The CWL would like to thank everyone who helped with this year's Cider and Spice Bake Sale by baking or purchasing the incredible baked goods. This year's bake sale was a great success and all the donations were greatly appreciated. We thank you for your continued support.

Tuesday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> will be the **CWL General Membership Meeting** after the 7 p.m. Mass. All ladies are welcome. Please come out and hear about what the CWL has planned for the upcoming year. We look forward to seeing you.



On Sunday March 8<sup>th</sup> we set our clocks ahead one hour to make better use of natural daylight and the Green Team wishes to remind anyone changing batteries in smoke detectors and other devices to please drop them off at the bins in the narthex over the following 2 weekends so we can safely dispose of them. Last year we collected 71 pounds of batteries, bringing the total to 151 pounds of used batteries that will not contaminate our land, water and wildlife. This is a simple but important practice in environmental stewardship that unites us as a faith community in our commitment to care for Creation.

Mary Cordeiro for THE GREEN TEAM

**WORLD DAY of PRAYER 2015** **Informed Prayer, Prayerful Action;** The Service is written by the Women of **The Bahamas**. Please join us, and invite your family and friends to attend the World Day of Prayer service. Learn more about the Bahamas and its unique culture and heritage. Join Christians in more than **170 countries** around the world and **2,000 communities across Canada** who will gather to pray and act in solidarity with the people of the Bahamas. With our Neighbours we will be celebrating World Day of Prayer at **Buchanan Park Free Methodist Church** 204 Delmar Drive Hamilton 905 389 3544 **on FRIDAY MARCH 6<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m.** The theme is **Jesus said to them "Do you know what I have done to you?"**. Refreshments will be served.

***Remember Wednesday, March 4<sup>th</sup>, Pope Francis has asked us to pray and fast for the poor.***

**Come and See Weekend** offers a special opportunity for men considering a vocation to diocesan priesthood to reflect on the call of God in their lives, immerse themselves in Seminary life, and interact with seminarians who can share and witness from personal experience. Offered the weekend of March 6- 8 at St. Peter Seminary, London ON Registration Friday between 7- 7:30 p.m. and concluding with lunch on Sunday at about 2p.m. Open to men who are in Gr 12 and older. Contact Father Kuzma at the Vocation Office of the Diocese of Hamilton at [www.HamiltonVocations.com](http://www.HamiltonVocations.com) for further information or to register as a participant.

A request to parishioners to save **LARGE baskets and Canadian Tire Money** to be used for buying and displaying gifts for our 2015 Nibbles and Bids fundraiser.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY CORNER**

**SEASON of LENT**

All of the readings of Lent focus on God's fidelity.

Nothing can take us from the love of God. Because of God's great love for us he sent Jesus to tell us this. Since we are loved so much we are asked to put the wants and needs of others before our own.

**March**

**Sunday Mass: 9:00 a.m.**

**Focus:**

Sun.1<sup>st</sup>: God is on our side

Sun. 8<sup>th</sup>: The Ten Commandments

Sun. 15<sup>th</sup>: Jesus is God's gift to us

Sun. 22<sup>nd</sup>: Put needs of others before you

Sun. 29<sup>th</sup>: Jesus Christ is LORD

**Children's Bulletins:** On bulletin boards at 3 exits **Kindergarten to Gr4** Visit library for children's books



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