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OFFICE HOURS

Monday 12:00 Noon - 4:00 p.m.
Tuesday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Friday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

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SUNDAY MASSES
(Saturday) 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.
& 12:00 noon**
(*12:00 noon September to June)

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)
Tuesdays 6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Saturdays 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES
Tuesday 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday - Friday 9:00 a.m.
(Bulletin has weekly schedule of Masses)

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Welcome! New parishioners are encouraged to register with the parish by completing a *parish registration form*, available in the Narthex or the Parish Office. You may wish to consider offering financial support to the parish by using *Sunday Offering Envelopes* or *pre-authorized withdrawals*. For more information contact the Parish Office.

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Baptism - Infants and young children of parishioners are baptized on Sunday afternoons, except during the Season of Lent. Adults requesting baptism, or the other sacraments of initiation should inquire about the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults). Contact the Parish Office for more information.

Marriage - Weddings for parishioners are generally celebrated on Saturday afternoons. Kindly contact the Pastor a minimum of one year before the desired date of marriage. Preparation is provided in the Parish.

Sacrament of the Sick - Visits to the sick, either at home or in hospital, can be made by contacting the Parish Office. Arrangements can be made for the *Sacrament of the Sick* and for *Holy Communion*. If you are admitted to the Georgetown Hospital please be sure to identify yourself as a "Catholic" at the time of admission.

Priesthood & Religious Life - Visit the Diocesan Vocations website www.HamiltonVocations.com

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NINETEENTH & TWENTIETH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Date	Time	Holy Mass	Parish Meetings
SUNDAY, August 7 Ordinary 19	9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist - (I) Holy Cross Parish <i>(ONLINE at 6:00 a.m.)</i>	<i>12:00 noon Mass until September 11, 2022.</i>
MONDAY, August 8		No Mass	
TUESDAY, August 9	6:00 p.m.	Holy Hour	
	6:00-6:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	7:00 p.m.	Daily Mass ✠ Gord Morton	
WEDNESDAY, August 10	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass ✠ Sebastian & Valerie Aguiar	
THURSDAY, August 11	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass ✠ Dolores Mazuran	
FRIDAY, August 12	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass ✠ Jean Falzon ✠ Robert Brown (I) Personal Intentions (I) the Widz Family	
SATURDAY, August 13	4:00-4:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	5:00 p.m.	Vigil Mass - Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>Offered for the Intentions of the Deceased Faithful:</i> Rosalina dos Anjos, Joao Caetano & Joao Pacheco; Joao Cabral, Jose Tavares & Francisco; Jacinto Gomez & George & Evmorfia Koutsoulianos; Manuel Sanchez. Int. of Sharon Abbot; Int. of Mary Hughes.	This week's Sanctuary Lamp is for the intentions of Holy Cross Parishioners.

From the Pastor's Desk

Our Sunday gospel for the 19th Week in Ordinary Time has Jesus reminding us to be ready, "...for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour." He didn't say 'be worried', he said 'be ready'. We ready ourselves for the coming of the Lord through daily prayer, the sacraments, and striving to live out God's commandments in our lives. If we're faithful to those things, keeping our faith front of mind each day, we're following God's will. We are then in a state of readiness to meet our Lord. Let's pray every day for the strength to persevere in God's grace!

Quote of the Week:

"We must love our neighbor, either because he is good or in order that he might become good." —*St. Augustine of Hippo*

Sunday Smile

A young man and a priest are playing golf together. At a short par-3 the priest asks, "What are you going to use on this hole, my son?" The young man says, "An 8-iron, father. How about you?" The priest says, "I'm going to hit a soft seven and pray." The young man hits his 8-iron and puts the ball on the green. The priest tops his 7-iron and dribbles the ball out a few yards. The young man says, "I don't know about you, father, but in my church, when we pray, we keep our head down."

We Welcome back Fr. Kevin Upendran!

You will remember Fr. Kevin Upendran who was with us last summer as a seminarian. Since then he has been ordained a priest for our Diocese! We are happy to welcome Fr. Kevin back for the weekend of Aug 13/14, where he will preach at all the Masses.

Fr. Dave on Vacation: Aug 15 – Aug 22

Fr. Dave will be away on vacation the week of August 15 – 22 to visit family in Calgary. In his absence, we welcome Fr. Adam Zettel, LC, who will be filling in to celebrate the Masses that week. A big thank you to Fr. Adam!

Our Air Conditioner

As I'm sure you've noticed this summer, it's hit-or-miss as to whether the air conditioner is working or not on any given day. Because many have been asking about it, here is the current situation. Our church requires 100 tonnes of air conditioning capacity to cool it properly. We currently have 50 tonnes of capacity that works. Therefore, when it's a relatively cool day outside, we feel the air conditioner working. When it's a really hot day, the system simply can't keep up. And as well as not being able to keep up, the system itself overheats and shuts down completely which is why, especially at the Saturday 5pm Mass, it can get unbearably hot in the church. As announced back in the spring, we do have a new AC unit

AUGUST 7 & 14, 2022

Date	Time	Holy Mass	Parish Meetings
SUNDAY, August 14 Ordinary 20	9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist - (I) Holy Cross Parish <i>(ONLINE at 6:00 a.m.)</i>	<i>12:00 noon Mass resumes on September 11, 2022.</i>
MONDAY, August 15		No Mass	
TUESDAY, August 16	6:00 p.m.	Holy Hour	
	6:00-6:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	7:00 p.m.	Daily Mass ✠ Marie Simpson	
WEDNESDAY, August 17	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass ✠ Gloria Lumang	
THURSDAY, August 18	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass ✠ Deceased Members of the Lynas & Ennett Families	
FRIDAY, August 19	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass ✠ Cleofe & Consuelo Funtanilla ✠ Deceased Memebers of the Posavec Family ✠ Ray Abbott & Wendy & Richard Valere (I) Barb Lavoie	
SATURDAY, August 20	4:00-4:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	5:00 p.m.	Vigil Mass - Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>Offered for the Intentions of the Deceased Faithful:</i> Angelina & Manuel Medeiros; Lauro & Lucena Bumanlag; Antonio Rodrigues; Anita Forster. Int. of Paul & Mary Lou McDougall; Int. of Phil & Jean Gravell & Katherine & Family; Int. of Sue Forster.	This week's Sanctuary Lamp is for the intentions of our living and deceased family and friends.

ordered, but as with everything these days the delivery date is months away. So, we are making due with our current system this summer. If you are really affected by the heat, your best bet is to attend the 9am Sunday Mass during the coolest part of the day. Thank you for your patience, and a new air conditioner is on the way ...eventually!

Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament and Fundraiser

The Knights of Columbus Pieta Council 6026 (Holy Cross Parish) is once again organizing our annual golf tournament and fundraiser in partnership with our brothers from Holy Rosary Council in Milton. This year we will be supporting Special Olympics of North Halton and the Bob Rumball Canadian Centre of Excellence for the Deaf. We are seeking golfers (all are welcome) sponsorship, and donations for our auction/prize table. Details are as follows: Monday August 22, 2022 Registration at 11:30am. Shotgun Start 1:00pm. \$150 per golfer. Fee includes Golf, Cart, Lunch, Dinner and various on course promotions. If you would like inquire more about sponsorship or would like to make a donation, please contact Daniel Dragicevic at 905-302-7336 dandragicevic17@gmail.com We are grateful for your support and encourage all to join and support local charities that support members of our community.

Volunteer Opportunity

The Knights of Columbus will be providing volunteers to manage the entrances for the 175th Georgetown fall fair on **September 9th-11th**. Managing the fall fair entrances is our largest and most enjoyable volunteer event of the year. To manage the three entrances for three days will require approximately 70 volunteers. The agricultural Society share a percentage of the Gate receipt to the KofC, in turn the Knights donate all proceeds to our community funded Cancer Assistance Services of Halton Hills (CASHh). As in past years, we are asking you to utilize and forward the attached link to family, friends and other organizations to come out in teams to help; consider especially our students who require community service volunteer hours. The link below will take you to a Google form to allow you to pick a time that you are available. Or you can contact Joe Crane at jwcrane@hotmail.ca and I will take care of setting up your name and available time. **Friday Evening** – 4:00 PM to 7:30 PM **and / or** 7:30 PM to 11:00 PM; **Saturday** - 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM **and / or** 12:30 PM to 4:00 PM; **Saturday Evening** - 4:00 PM to 7:30 PM **and / or** 7:30 PM to 11:00 PM; **Sunday Schedule** - 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM **and / or** 12:30 PM to Close.

Link to the Online Fall Fair Entrance Volunteer form:
<https://forms.gle/FJf4yYVWFVAJSULT9>

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