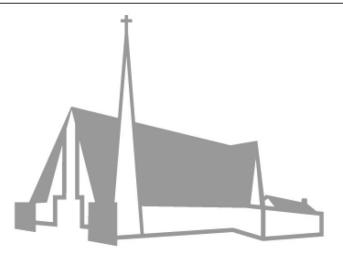
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# St. Eugene's Parish

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# **Sunday Mass Schedule:**

Saturday – 5:00pm Sunday – 11:00am Children's Liturgy of the Word during 11am Mass

## Weekday Masses:

Tuesday – 7:00pm Wednesday - Friday – 8:30am

# Praying the Rosary:

Friday – 8:00am

#### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:**

The  $1^{\text{st}}$  Friday of the month during the  $7{:}00\text{pm}$  Mass/Holy Hour

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Tuesday 6:30pm Saturday 4:00pm – 4:45pm

## Sacrament of Baptism:

Call the parish office to arrange. At least one month prepration time required.

#### **Pastoral Staff:**

Rev. Andrew Quarshie, *Pastor*Rev. Ambroise T. Ntumba, *Chaplain & Pastoral Assistant* 

Deacon Joseph Di Loreto Ms. Kim MacLellan, *Parish Secretary* Mrs. Annette Corey, *Business Administrator* Mr. Arturo Maldonado, *Music Co-ordinator* Mark & Rob, *Custodians* 

#### **Office Hours:**

Tuesday to Friday:

9:00am -4:30pm Closed for lunch from 12:30-1:00pm daily

## **Sacrament of Marriage:**

Contact the Parish Office one year in advance.

#### **Funerals/Burials:**

Please contact the parish office to plan date  $\&\ time$ 

## Communion to the Homebound:

Please notify the parish office of any elderly or infirm in our parish who are unable to attend Mass.

#### FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

| The Fifth Sunday<br>of Lent   | Time             | Mass Intention  | Diocesan Vocation<br>Prayer Intention  |
|---|------------------|---|--|
| Sunday, April 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 2022<br>The Fifth Sunday<br>of Lent | 11:00am          | For Our Parishioners  |  |
| Monday, April 4th   | No Mass<br>Today |   | Rev. Franjo Sprajc                     |
| Tuesday, April 5 <sup>th</sup>                                      | 7:00 pm          | In Memory of:<br>Nicolina Nevoso Colleen Goodwin  | Rev. Leszek Szczygiel                  |
| Wednesday, April 6 <sup>th</sup>                                    | 8:30 am          | In Memory of:<br>Solly Morelli  | Oblates of Mary<br>Immaculate (O.M.I.) |
| Thursday, April 7 <sup>th</sup>                                     | 8:30am           | <b>In Memory of:</b><br>Naldina Toscani   | Rev. Tom Moisan                        |
| Friday, April 8 <sup>th</sup>                                       | 8:30am           | In Memory of:<br>Pauline Ciavarella   | Rev. David Weise                       |
| Saturday, April 9 <sup>th</sup>                                     | 5:00pm           | In Memory of:  Manuel Costa Eileen Jacobs Anna Graziano Telmo Pratas Jose Carapelho Leonard Wareing Josie Ciapanna Cecilia & Antonio Mamone Amanda Viger Congetta Arcari Rosina Spuria Deceased members of the Ciaccia Family Frank Rubino Giuseppe & Loreta Rubino | Rev. Pablito Labado                    |

# From The Pastor's Desk:

Dear Parishioners,

#### HIGHLIGHTS OF LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

**PALM SUNDAY: (April 10<sup>th</sup>)** We celebrate a turning point in the life and ministry of Jesus. He enters Jerusalem to embrace the cross for our salvation. It would be good if we can all learn to make sacrifices for the good of others – our families, church and all who need our help.

**Happy Palm Sunday!** 

**CHRISM MASS: (April 11<sup>th</sup>)** The Oils of the Sick and Catechumen are blessed, and the Oil of Chrism will be Consecrated by Bishop Crosby at the Cathedral Basilica. Priests with the bishop will renew their priestly ordination commitment. (2:00pm) Parishioners are welcome to attend.

**EASTER TRIDUUM:** The summit of the Liturgical Year is the Easter Triduum—from the evening of Holy Thursday to the evening of Easter Sunday. Though chronologically three days, they are liturgically one day unfolding for us the unity of Christ's Paschal Mystery.

The single celebration of the Triduum marks the end of the Lenten season, and leads to the Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord at the Easter Vigil.

The liturgical services that take place during the Triduum are:

- Mass of the Lord's Supper
- Good Friday of the Lord's Passion
- Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord"

Please do well to attend all these liturgies.

Happy Easter! Fr. Andrew 

#### Collections for Sunday, March 27th, 2022

Regular Collection: \$4111.95

Reparis & Maintenance Collection: \$15.00

Loonie Toonie Collection: \$236.10

Votive Candles: \$186.55

# News From our Parish

**Stations of the Cross** – join us for this weekly Lenten Devotion: Fridays of Lent at 7:00pm.

**ADULT FAITH FORMATION:** Join us for Mysteries of the Rosary Bible Study, every Tuesday at 7:35pm. This Tuesday, April 5<sup>th</sup> is the last evening for this program.

Last Sunday we received a One Thousand dollar (\$1000.00) donation anonymously. God bless the donner. Such donations go a long way to support our parish life.

Our **Children's Liturgy Program** will be starting up soon. Details will follow.

**Youth involvement** ~ We are encouraging all young, and young at heart, to get involved in our parish, by being part of the Youth choir, to read at the Masses on the First Sunday of the month, and to volunteer for the Children's Liturgy.

The flyers are still in the pews or you are welcome to call the parish office.

Thank you to Ariana and Alesia who read for us today at the 11am Mass, and to the choir led by our Youth Minister, Joe.

# News From around the Diocese

# From the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton: www.hamiltonvocations.com

What am I racing after in my life? Fame? Fortune? A life in Jesus? What is the prize I seek at the finish-line? If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact **Bishop Wayne Lobsinger**, **Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation**, **Diocese of Hamilton**, at <a href="mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com">vocations@hamiltondiocese.com</a> or call him at 905-528-7988 ext. 2222

**ReStart** – Starting over after separation or divorce with support, care and tools for your journey. We invite you to check out the Diocesan website at: <a href="https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/divorce-separation.php">https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/divorce-separation.php</a> to see the programs we offer and to find out dates of the new program for 2022. If you have questions, call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext 2249

# <u>GRIEF RELIEF</u> – Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life?

Are you looking for relief from the feelings associated with the loss of this loved one? Are you wondering if your feelings are normal? You are not alone! The Diocese of Hamilton will be offering an online grief program beginning in April. Find out more on the Diocesan website at <a href="https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/grief-support">https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/grief-support</a> or call Teresa at 905-528-7988 ext 2250

# FOSTER / ADOPTION INFORMATION WEBINAR... Wednesday, April 20th 2022

Anyone interested in fostering or adopting can join this online information session to learn more about the opportunities to foster and adopt through the Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton. This will be an interactive webinar where you can join the conversation and ask questions. The first step towards fostering and adoption is attending this information session. Wed., April 20<sup>th</sup> from 7:00pm – 8:30pm. For more information or to register please contact Jennifer Veenstra at 905-525-2273 or Jennifer.veenstra@hamiltonccas.on.ca

Evenings with His Excellency, Bishop Lobsinger – Join Auxiliary Bishop, Wayne Lobsinger, for an opportunity to learn more and ask questions about our Catholic Faith. You may attend online or in person at Canadian Martyrs Church, on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month from 7-8:30pm. For more information visit: <a href="https://canadianmartyrshamilton.com/upcoming/2021/9/10/evenings-with-his-excellency">https://canadianmartyrshamilton.com/upcoming/2021/9/10/evenings-with-his-excellency</a>.

Sacred Heart Parish is celebrating it's 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, on June 15<sup>th</sup>. They are asking former and present parishioners to send photos of memories at Sacred Heart, either by email: <a href="mailto:sacred.heart@cogeco.ca">sacred.heart@cogeco.ca</a>, or bring them to the parish office. Bishop Crosby will celebrate Mass on Sunday June 5<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am, and this will be followed by brunch at Michaelangelo's. Further details will follow.



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