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St. Eugene's PARISH

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Parish Theme 2019: "Building community and growing together in Christ."

Sunday Mass Schedule:

Saturday – 5:00pm

Sunday – 11:00am

Children's Liturgy of the Word during 11am Mass

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday – 7:00pm

Friday – 8:30am

Praying the Rosary:

Friday – 8:00am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

The 1st Friday of the month following 8:30am Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Tuesday 6:30pm

1st Friday 9:00am – 9:30am during Adoration

Saturday 4:00pm – 4:45pm

Sacrament of Baptism:

Last Sunday of the month, during the 11am Mass

One month notice is required

Pastoral Staff:

Rev. Andrew Quarshie, *Pastor*

Ms. Kim MacLellan, *Parish Secretary*

Mr. Arturo Maldonado, *Music Co-ordinator*

John & 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

Legacies and Bequests

Please remember St. Eugene's Parish in your will and when suggesting expressions of sympathy and/or monetary donations.

Communion to the Homebound:

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

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Time	Mass Intention	Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, August 11 th , 2019 19 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	11:00am	For Our Parishioners	
Monday, August 12 th	No Mass here		Rev. Yvon Paquin, O.H.
Tuesday, August 13 th	7:00pm	✠✠ Umberto & Virginia Pala Ati Hofland Rita Mauro	Rev. Charles Galea
Wednesday, August 14 th St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest & Martyr	No Mass here	7:00 pm Mass celebrated at St. John the Baptist Church	Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul (S.C.)
Thursday, August 15 th The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	6:30pm 7:00pm	(No 8:30am Mass today) Outdoor Rosary @6:30 pm, with procession into the church for Mass, at St. Eugene Parish	Rev. Ambroise Tshiaba Ntumba
Friday, August 16 th	8:30am	✠ Luigina Lucidi	Rev. Archange Kebe
Saturday, August 17 th	5:00pm	✠✠ Francesco Piacente Horacio Raimundo Aquilino Raimundo Joe Raposo Rocco Malatesta Fernando & Maria Arruda Angelo Arcari Carmela Spasaro Agata & Felice Tofano	Rev. Tony O'Dell, O.M.I.

From The Pastor's Desk:

Dear friends,

Please join us Thursday August 15 at 6:30 pm for Rosary and Mass for the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. We will begin outdoors at the Marian statue.

Thank you to those who give their time and talents willingly and graciously to the Parish. Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Altar Servers and Ushers are some of the ministries we see, but there are many others we do not see on a regular basis. Committee members and those who decorate the Church and set-up for celebrations, those who take care of our social and community events are also supporting us. God bless you all..

We are looking for a Sacristan for Masses and to help with funerals. Please contact the office.

I will be leading a pilgrimage to the Holy Land in April 2020. Interested persons can contact the parish office for details.

Blessings,

Fr. Andrew

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Collections for August 4th, 2019

Regular Collection: \$3411.90
Votive Candles: \$209.25
Care of Retired Priests: \$40.00
Mission Appeal: \$180.00

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News From around the Diocese

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

“Faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.” What do you hope for in the future? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton, at 905-528-798 Ext: 2246 or email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

ARE YOU GETTING MARRIED? The Diocese of Hamilton offers three education options for those marrying: Marriage Preparation, Catholic Engaged Encounter, or Remarriage (where one or both people have been previously married). Find out more about these options on the Diocesan website at www.hamiltondiocese.com. The first step after engagement is to meet with your parish priest; then book one of the marriage preparation options. Book your course early to avoid issues finding a date that works for you.

THE HAMILTON MOUNTAIN FARMERS' MARKET

Sponsored by Sacred Heart Church, this event runs on Saturdays through till November. The market is open from 7:00am to 1:00pm. It is a True Farmers' Market where all the produce is grown or produced on local farms and sold by the farmers themselves. It is located on the corner of Viewpoint and Mountain Park Avenues, on Sacred Heart Church parking lot, on the Mountain Brow. Come out and support the farmers and enjoy the fresh seasonal produce!

ARE YOU CARING FOR A LOVED ONE? Are they in need of palliative care? Do you have questions? A committee of experts, in various related fields, came together to answer possible questions that are often raised at this difficult time in a person's life. Find the answers to important questions at <https://hamiltondiocese.com/palliative.care>, or for further assistance, call Teresa at 905-528-7988 ext 2250

ARE YOU SEPARATED OR DIVORCED? Friday nights don't have to be lonely. Would it help you to have people around you to understand what you're going through? Would you like to hear some ideas that will encourage you and help you to develop effective ways of coping with the stresses in your life? The Hamilton Diocesan Support Group meets the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month and they can help! No need to register just come and join in at the Chancery Office, 700 King St. W. from 7-9pm. For more info please call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext 2249. There is NO COST, but great learning, caring and support!

CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY OF HAMILTON invites you to learn more about Fostering and Adoption by registering to attend a Fostering and Adoption Online Information Session (Webinar), taking place on Tuesday, August 27th. Contact the Foster and Adoption Recruitment Coordinator, Niamh O'Flaherty by phone at 905-525-2273 or email: niamh.oflaherty@hamiltonccas.on.ca. *The Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton is committed to inclusion and equity, and welcome fostering applications from ALL families who want to provide a safe and happy home to a child in care.*

News from our Parish

SACRAMENTS & FUNERALS:

John Agnoletto was buried from our parish on Friday. We pray for his family and for the repose of his soul.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

The Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is Thursday, August 15th 2019. We will have an outdoor Rosary around the Marian Statue at 6:30pm, procession into the church, and Mass to follow.

There will be a **Harvest Bazaar** planning meeting on **Wednesday, September 11th @ 6:30pm**, held in the Bishop Tonnos Room of the church. Please come out and get involved this year... we need more volunteers!

Donation letters are available at the doors of the church for this year's Harvest Bazaar. If you have a business, or frequent a business, or know of someone who owns their own business, please pick up a donation letter and help support our Harvest Bazaar this year. The Bazaar runs October 18th & 19th.

A semi-retired practicing catholic female recently moved to Hamilton from Vancouver, is seeking a family that needs help providing daily companionship and light housekeeping for an aging female parent who lives alone. She is quiet, helpful, tidy, very friendly, and has a good sense of humour. Likes to play cards, read and watch TV. Has a vehicle and could help with occasional errands or doctor's appointment. In exchange, she is looking for a free, pet-friendly accommodation and a small agreed upon compensation. She has excellent personal and professional references. If you are interested, or know of someone who might be, please contact Fr. Andrew. On the other hand, if someone has a room or suite to rent please contact Fr. Andrew through the Parish office. Thank you.

There is a nun on leave of absence looking for a place to live from now up until November 2019. If you are a female senior, living alone, or a family that could accommodate her please contact Fr. Andrew through the Parish Office. Thank you.

DENNINGER'S Register Tapes

A great way to help our parish is bringing in your receipts from Denninger's. We have small boxes, on the tables at the doors of the church, labeled for Denninger's. With these receipts Denninger's gives us gift card values in the amount of 10% of the total, before tax, from all the receipts. It adds up, so every little bit helps, and we use this for our fundraising events. Thank you in advance for those folks who already donate in this way to the parish.

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