Roman Catholic Diocese of Hamilton, Ontario



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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 1st Friday of the month during the 7:00pm 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.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Time	Mass Intention	Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, February 13 th , 2022 The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time	11:00am	For Our Parishioners	
Monday, February 14 th St. Cyril, Monk St. Methodius, Bishop	No Mass Today		Rev. Mgsr. Ivan Vuksic
Tuesday, February 15 th	7:00 pm	In Memory of: Michele Sanzo Pasqualino & Caterina Lostracco	Rev. Pierre Caouette, L.C.
Wednesday, February 16 th	8:30 am	For the Intention of : Eugene Jagello	Discalced Carmelite Sisters (O.C.D.)
Thursday, February 17 th	8:30am	In Memory of: Eugene Kwas	Rev. Louis DeVaugelas, L.C.
Friday, February 18 th	8:30am	In Memory of: Vincenzo Marino	Rev. Jerek Scherber, L.C.
Saturday, February 19 th	5:00pm	In Memory of: Jean Hamm Jack & Alice Baker Isabella Burns Manuel Fernandes Bill Fitzpatrick Joe Raposo Manuel & Maria Raposo	Rev. Adam Zettel, L.C.

From The Pastor's Desk:

Dear family of God,

- Thanks to everyone for your generous Christmas donations. God richly bless you all.
- Lenten Season Starts on March 2nd with Ash Wednesday. Let us use the season to develop a strong communal and personal prayer life.
- Thank you to all our volunteers who worked at the doors taking names and ushering. God bless you abundantly.
- Remember: let us all contribute to making our parish a Vibrant, Prayerful and Mission-Oriented Parish. Say "Hi" to follow parishioners, be nice and welcoming, sing during Mass, respond audibly to the Mass prayers, pray the Mass, donate generously

- God blesses a cheerful giver, invite friends and family to Mass, encourage young people to be involved in our parish life and take pride in your faith and church.

Fr. Andrew

Collections for Sunday, February 6th, 2022

Regular Collection: \$2416.05 Seminary Education Collection: \$562.00 Initial Envelopes : \$80.00 New Year Collection: \$140.00

We need to continue to wear masks and maintain the physical distancing from other people.

We are moving forward and we will no longer be taking names for contact tracing here at our church, as in most churches in the Diocese. We are requesting that you be attentive and kind in choosing a seat when entering the church, move into the pews so others can join without difficulty of crawling over someone to get into a pew. But please leave enough space so others feel safe and distanced from one another.

We have made it this far, let's keep the kindness going!

News From our Parish

PASTORAL MINISTRIES

Please note that our regular scheduled confession times are going to begin again on Tuesday, February 15th at 6:30pm, before the evening Mass at 7:00pm.

Saturdays will be open again at 4:00pm until 4:45pm for Confession in the back confessional.

You are welcome to call the parish office to book an appointment for confession.

DEVOTION BEFORE MASS: As part of our mission to grow into a community of prayer united in Christ, we shall have a 5-minute devotion before Mass each weekend. Prayer cards are available in the pews.

Bible Study: Join our new Bible Study program here at St. Eugene to deepen your knowledge and experience about the Word of God in a friendly, inspiring and prayerful environment. **This program will start Tuesday February 15th** and will run for 6 weeks, on Tuesday evenings right after the 7:00pm Mass. This program is open to all. Preregistration is preferred so that we can be sure to have enough study guides for everyone who is interested in participating. For more information and to register please email Elaine at: <u>elitwin5@live.com</u>

St. Vincent de Paul - Thank-you for helping those less fortunate in our community. Your donations which began in January of this year are going directly to the St. Vincent de Paul organization. We are only the facilitators in our ongoing support of their work for the poor in our community. St. Vincent de Paul will be issuing the tax receipts for your donations next year, when processing the 2022 donations.

From our CWL

The members of the Catholic Women's League will be holding their annual general meeting on **Sunday, March 6th following the 11am Mass.** At this meeting there will be 2 counted votes and <u>elections for new executive officers</u>. For all members wishing to participate in the votes, your 2022 dues must be paid prior to this date. Envelopes for your annual dues are in the box of envelopes from the parish.

Also, the ladies of the CWL are planning to hold the annual May Crowning to our Blessed Mother, on Thursday, May 19th following the 8:30am Mass. Everyone is welcome to attend.

News From around the Diocese

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

Happy are those who know they need God. Happy too those who live faithfully the vocation of the lifecommitment God calls them to, be it married, single, religious or priesthood. 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 <u>vocations@hamiltondiocese.com</u> or call him at 905-528-7988 ext. 2222

FOSTER / ADOPTION Information Webinar Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton

The next Foster/Adoption Information Webinar will be on Wednesday, February 16th from 7:00pm – 8:30pm.

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.

To register, please contact Jennifer Veenstra at 905-525-2273, or Jennifer.vennstra@hamiltonccas.on.ca

