
• Roman Catholic Diocese of Hamilton, Ontario •



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:

Friday mornings following our 8:30am Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Tuesday 6:30pm

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.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Time	Mass Intention	Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, February 17 th , 2019 6 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	11:00am	For Our Parishioners	
Monday, February 18 th	No Mass		Rev. Scott Whitfield
Tuesday, February 19 th	7:00pm	✠ Giang Nghiep & Thai Xao Ngoc	Rev. Mariusz Durbajlo
Wednesday, February 20 th	No Mass here	8:30am Mass celebrated at St. John the Baptist Church	Sister Adorers of the Precious Blood
Thursday, February 21 st	No Mass here	8:30am Mass celebrated at St. John the Baptist Church	Rev. Francesco Cucchi
Friday, February 22 nd Chair of St. Peter, Apostle	8:30am	✠ William & Eileen Troy	Rev. David Reilander
Saturday, February 23 rd St. Polycarp, Bishop & Martyr	5:00pm	✠✠ Tony & Mary Vinken Mario Tofano Giang Nghiep & Thai Xao Ngoc Dora Federico Lucia Assunta Cincquemani Int. of Allan Willson	Rev. Leszek Szczygiel

From The Pastor's Desk:

Dear Friends,

Peace and joy to you! I have few things to share with you this weekend.

LET US SING TOGETHER: Our responses during Mass is getting much better; that is a good sign and a good attitude to worship, thanks to you! I want to encourage all parishioners who would like to sing to participate in singing during Mass. This would create an uplifted spirit of worship and make the Mass livelier. I have therefore asked the choir to choose common songs for our Liturgies this year to encourage all of us to participate in singing. I hope we shall give off our best efforts to make St. Eugene Parish a wonderful faith community.

WELCOME TO MSGR. FRANCIS TWUM-BARIMAH: This weekend we welcome my Vicar General, Msgr. Twum-Barimah, from Ghana who is visiting with me for his Sabbatical Year. He will be with us and help with Masses until next year January 2020. Please show him the wonderful Canadian hospitality we have.

PARISH FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS: I shall provide you with our financial report very soon to let you know where we stand. Thanks for your continued generosity. God bless you all.

Sincerely in Christ Jesus,

Fr. Andrew

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Collections for February 10, 2019

Regular Collection: \$3440.40
 Repairs & Maintenance Collection: \$1127.00
 Seminary Education Collection: \$5.00
 Religious Articles(candles): \$32.15
 Presentation of the Lord Candles: \$9.00

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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 life-commitment God calls them to, be it married, single, religious consecrated, or priesthood. If God is calling you to be a priest, contact Father Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton, at 905-528-7988 Ext: 2246 or email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

DIOCESAN NEWSLETTER: For information about Activities and Events of interest in the Diocese of Hamilton, subscribe to the online Diocesan Newsletter at www.hamiltondiocese.com

HELP KEEP HAMILTON WARM ...

The cold weather season is upon us.

Px Dermody Funeral Home would like to provide the “**Out of the Cold**” Program in Hamilton with items to keep heads, and hands warm (necks and toes too!).

If you have made mittens, hats, scarves or if you wish to donate new items to the program, there is a drop off box at the Courtyard door of our church for you to place the items in. Thank you for your contributions. The items will be delivered to Dermody's once the box is filled again!

LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY 2019

Be inspired, encouraged and healed at the largest single day Catholic event in Canada – the 27th annual Lift Jesus Higher Rally! The theme this year is “Hope in the Midst of Suffering”. Saturday, March 2nd 9am -5:30pm Metro Toronto Convention Centre, 255 Front St. W. Inspired talks with Ralph Martin, St. Ann Shields, and keynote guest speaker Fr. Mark Goring. The adult High Mass (with Sunday readings) will be celebrated by Cardinal Thomas Collins, and the youth High Mass by Father Mark Goring. A separate youth event (13-18yrs) with great music, dynamic talks and inspirational skits. Tickets: \$25/adults, \$15/youth call 1-647-243-9441, or 905-270-2510 for more information

STRESS IN YOUR MARRIAGE ?

Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, frustrated or angry in their marriage. This program has helped countless couples experiencing marital difficulty. For confidential information about or to register for the program which begins with a weekend on March 15, call 905-664-5212 or email hamiltonretroiuville1@cogeco.ca or visit the website at www.retroiuville.org

YOUTH RALLY 2019

The theme of this year's rally is “According to Your Word”. This year's rally is being held at Bingeman's Conference Centre, in Kitchener, on Saturday, May 25th Tickets are \$30.00 Students from grade 7 to Grade 12 are invited to share in this day. Keynote speaker: Chika Anyanwu, Musical Guests: A Guy and A Girl. Registration opened on January 25th and closes May 3rd. Rally information sessions in Waterloo on April 2nd and an online webinar is available on April 11th Early bird registration prize pack deadline is : March 25, 2019 For more information and to answer some of your questions please visit the website: hamiltondiocese.com/youthrally

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

The annual Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass is being held on **June 9th 2019** – Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+ Wedding Anniversary this year? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a **Wedding Anniversary Mass at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30pm** (Space allows for Anniversary couples only – those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest for assistance). Please refer to the poster on the bulletin board at the Courtyard door of the church on how to register for this celebration, or visit www.hamiltondiocese.com

News from our Parish

The ladies of the CWL would like to thank the parishioners who baked, donated and purchased at their bake sale last weekend. The support was outstanding !! The ladies made approximately \$997.00. **Thank you very much!!**

St. Eugene and St. John the Baptist Parishes, together, will be holding a **Mardi Gras Games Night**. Join in for a night of fun and excitement! All those over the age of 18 are invited. This event is being held on Thursday, Feb 28th from 7-11pm at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Tickets are \$25 each in advance, and \$30 at the door. Ticket includes food, 30 poker chips, 3 penny sale tickets, and a door prize ticket. Tickets will be available at the doors of the church, or you can contact Linda @ 289-880-0820 or Vicky @ 905-544-5582 or at mvratt@cogeco.ca, for tickets.

The Mother's Day Raffle tickets will be sold this weekend, and every other weekend, before and after each of the Masses. If you can help sell tickets at the door of the church, call Linda 289-880-0820 Please take home books of tickets to sell. Tickets are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00
1st prize is a 55” Smart TV, 2nd prize is an iphone 64GB,
3rd prize is \$1000.00 cash, 4th prize is an Apple ipad 128GB,
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