## • Roman Catholic Diocese of Hamilton, Ontario •



232 Queenston Road, Hamilton ON L8K 1G6 905-549-2694 • steugeneschurch@cogeco.net • www.steugenesparish.ca 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:**

Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays: 9:00am – 1:00pm Thursdays from 9:00am – 12:30pm 1:00pm – 4:00pm

#### 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.

#### **BAPTISM OF THE LORD**

The Baptism of the Lord	Time	Mass Intention	Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, January 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2019 The Baptism of The Lord	11:00am	For Our Parishioners	
Monday, January 14 <sup>th</sup>	No Mass		Rev. Todd Arsenault, L.C.
Tuesday, January 15 <sup>th</sup>	7:00pm	节节 Mickey Dwyer Salvatore Chiarelli	Rev. Pierre Caouette, L.C.
Wednesday, January 16 <sup>th</sup>	No Mass here	8:30am Mass celebrated at St. John the Baptist Church	Consecrated Men and Women
Thursday, January 17 <sup>th</sup> St. Anthony, Abbot	No Mass here	8:30am Mass celebrated at St. John the Baptist Church	Rev. Thomas Flynn, L.C.
Friday, January 18 <sup>th</sup>	8:30am	&Louis Krahulik	Very Rev. John Van Hees
Saturday, January 19 <sup>th</sup>	5:00pm	骨骨 Horacio Raimundo Aquilino Raimundo Ken Ceroni Joe Gallacher Tommy Gallacher Anne Ferrie For the Orban Family Pasquale & Vincenza Burgio Isolina Fidanza	Very Rev. Con O'Mahony

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#### Collections for December 30th , 2018

Regular Collection: \$3667.40 Repairs & Maintenance Collection: \$285.00 Loonie Toonie Collection: \$409.10 Religious Articles(candles): \$233.80 Initial Envelopes for 2019: \$65.00

#### Christmas Collection: \$1400.00

#### Collections for January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019:

January 1<sup>st</sup> Collection: \$2596.60 Regular Collection: \$92.00 Initial Envelopes for 2019: \$430.00 Missals : \$9.00

#### Collections for January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019:

# St. Eugene Parish Mass and Confession Schedule will continue as is into 2019.

## News From around the Diocese

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

As John the Baptist introduced the people of his time to Jesus a voice from heaven said, "You are my Son, the Beloved, with you I am well pleased." Perhaps God is calling you to do the same in our time as a priest, deacon or religious consecrated man or woman. If you think 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. Knitters Needed!!

<u>Px Dermody Funeral Home</u> is hosting a knitting afternoon at their <u>1919 King St. East</u> location. Bring your talent, your knitting needles and wool/yarn. They would like to provided the "**Out of the Cold" Program in Hamilton** with items to keep heads, and hands warm (necks and toes too!).

They will provided the treats! <u>Friday, January 25th 2019</u> from 1-3pm RSVP @ 905-549-9955

If you have made mittens, hats, scarves or if you wish to donate new items to the program, but can't make this afternoon, there is a drop off box at the Courtyard door of the church for you to place the items in. Thank you for your contributions.

#### Theology on Tap

The Wellington Catholic District School Board will be hosting a Theology on Tap session on Tuesday, January 15, 2019, from 7-9pm at the Albion Hotel in Guelph. Teresa Hartnett, Director of Family Ministry for the Diocese of Hamilton will be speaking on the topic "Living Life in a Throw Away Culture". Free finger food will be provided. A special invite goes out to young adults between the ages of 19 and 40, but all are welcome to attend. For more info please visit them on facebook "Theology on Tap Guelph" or contact them at theologyontapguelph@gmail.com

#### Annual Bible Sunday

The Second Annual Bible Sunday will be observed in Hamilton Diocese on Sunday, February 3, 2019. The focus of this year's observance is "Listening to God's Word at Mass". Two special presentations on the Gospel of Luke will be offered by Fr. Michael Patella, O.S.B. St. Michael Parish, Waterloo (2pm-3:30pm), and at The Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton (7pm-8:30pm). Plan to attend one of these presentations which will outline what to listen for during this Year of Luke.

#### It's not too late to sign up! Pilgrimage to the Holy Land with Fr. Jerry (from St. Luke Parish)

February 22 – March 2, 2019 – contact Stan at International Heritage Tours for details @ 1-877-999-8868 or <u>stan@ihtours.com</u> or contact St. Luke Parish (905-560-1551) There is an information meeting for those interested in this trip being held on Thursday, January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 7:30pm in the Hinsperger Centre – St. Luke Parish.

"Grief Relief" Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Are you wondering if these feelings are normal? You are not alone! "Grief Relief" is a six week educational and support series dealing with grief. Held on Wednesdays from 7-8:30pm beginning on January 23 2019, at the Good Shepherd Square Community Room, 15 Ray St. North, Hamilton.

Facilitated by Linda Nash (MDiv) and Sister Margarida DaSilva(SSND). There is no cost to participate, and all are welcome to attend. To register please call Sister Margarida @ 905-515-0789or <u>MDaSilva@gsch.ca</u> or Linda Nash @ 905-308-840 or <u>LNash@gsch.ca</u>

**Friday Night Support Group for Persons Separated or Divorced -** 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 new ways of coping with the stresses in your life? The Hamilton Diocesan Support Group meets the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month and they can help! No need to register, just come and join in at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. W. from 7-9pm. For more info call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext 2249. There is NO COST, but great learning, caring and support!

### News from our Parish

**Contribution Envelopes for 2019:** The 2019 Envelopes are available, in the foyer, at the Parkdale door of the church. They are in alphabetical order. Please be sure to take the correct box

**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 28<sup>th</sup> from 7-11pm at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Tickets are \$25 each (\$30 after January 30<sup>th</sup>). 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 <u>mvrat@cogeco.ca</u>

The Mother's Day Raffle tickets will be sold again next 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

1<sup>st</sup> prize is a 55" Smart TV, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize is an iphone 64GB, 3<sup>rd</sup> prize is \$1000.00 cash, 4<sup>th</sup> prize is an Apple ipad 128GB, 5<sup>th</sup> prize is \$500.00 cash

**The Catholic Women's League** will be hosting a bake sale on the weekend of February 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>. Any and all donations of your favourite goodies will be welcome and appreciated. Please support the CWL in their fundraising efforts.

