

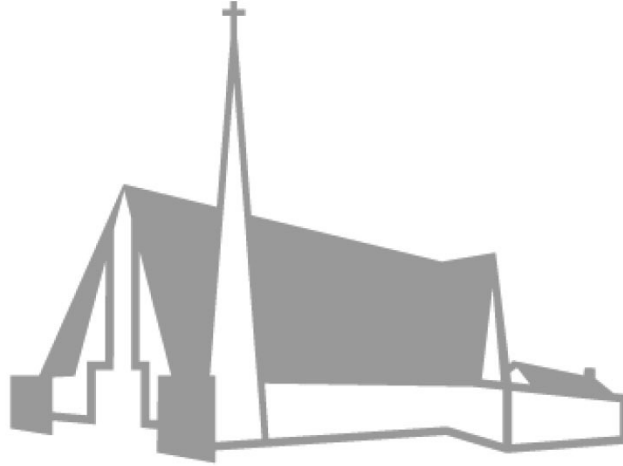
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# St. Eugene's Parish

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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<sup>st</sup> 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 preparation 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.

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

<b>The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Mass Intention</b>	<b>Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention</b>
Sunday, January 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2023 <b>4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>11:00am</b>	For Our Parishioners	
Monday, January 30 <sup>th</sup>	<b>No Mass Today</b>		Rev. William Trusz
Tuesday, January 31 <sup>st</sup> <b>St. John Bosco, Priest</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>In Memory of:</b> Eileen Dobrucki	Rev. David Reitzel
Wednesday, February 1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>8:30am</b>	<b>In Memory of:</b> Pauline Ciavarella	Hospitaller Order of St. John of God (O.H.)
Thursday, February 2 <sup>nd</sup> <b>The Presentation of the Lord</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>In Memory of:</b> Saverio Barbaro	<b>The Presentation of the Lord – World Day for Consecrated Life</b>
Friday, February 3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>In Memory of:</b> Bernard Hass	Rev. Ross Campbell
Saturday, February 4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>5:00pm</b>	<b>In Memory of:</b> George & Eileen Jacobs    Nicola Piscitello Calogero & Rosaria Piscitello    Paolo Piscitello Giuseppe Piscitello    Pasquale Piscitello Alfonso Piscitello <b>And for the Intention of:</b> Christine Knowles And for a Special Intention	Rev. Peter Robinson

**From The Pastor’s Desk:**

**Amazing Parish:** we would like to make St. Eugene an amazing parish so I invite every parishioner to help in whatever way you can to donating funds, share your time and talents to volunteer as an usher, sing in the choir, greet people at the door, join pastoral council or finance council, join our local Catholic Women’s’ League, St. Vincent de Paul charity group, be a reader at Mass, become a minister of Holy Communion or join our Parish Social team.

**Our Parish Mission Statement:** tells what we shall devote our time, prayers and energies towards. It tells what we shall be doing moving forward. This is what we shall focus on **“welcoming everyone to encounter Christ, grow in faith and share our gifts”** The key words are: Welcome – Encounter – Grow and Share.

**UPCOMING PROGRAMS:**

**Feast of the Presentation of the Lord (2<sup>nd</sup> February).** It is a special day to celebrate Jesus the light of the world who comes to meet His people in the temple. We shall distribute and light candles at the beginning of Mass. We shall have only One Mass at 7:00pm on Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2023. **No morning Mass.**

**World Day of Consecrated Life (2<sup>nd</sup> February):** we esteem those who have consecrated their lives to Christ by practicing the evangelical counsels of Poverty, chastity and Obedience. Those in vows also use this moment to rekindle their passion for their vocation and re-commit themselves fully to Christ and his work. We pray that many young men and women from our parish will join the priesthood and religious life.

**Mass of St. Blaise with Blessing of throats and the sick (3<sup>rd</sup> February):** Mass will be held in the evening only at 7:00pm Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> February, so that workers can participate. We shall bless throats and anyone who needs healing. **No morning Mass.**

**World Day of the Sick (11<sup>th</sup> February):** this celebration highlights the healing ministry of Jesus in the church. It's an occasion to honour the work of health care workers and pastoral care givers in caring for the sick and suffering. A date will be set in the Spring and Fall to celebrate Mass of anointing of the sick with all those who need healing.

**Countdown for Lent:** Ash Wednesday is approaching! Lent begins on **February 22**. We are reminded that Lent is a time of repentance, change of heart, and prayer.

Blessings,  
Fr. Andrew

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**Collections for Sunday January 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023**

Regular Collection: \$3217.30  
Repairs & Maintenance Collection: \$155.00  
Missals: \$10.00

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**News From the Parish**

**2023 DONATION ENVELOPES** Just a reminder that if you haven't picked up your donation envelopes for this year, they are still available at the Parkdale doors of the church. If you wish to have envelopes, please contact the parish office. Thank you!

**The Kids' Bulletin** - We have a new children's bulletin we will be printing each week. In it are fun puzzles, readings and information for children to participate and feel connected. For your own information, you are welcome to visit [www.thekidsbulletin.com](http://www.thekidsbulletin.com)

**Next Sunday, February 5<sup>th</sup>,** we will be having our monthly **Social Sunday** after the 11am Mass. Donations of baked goods are welcome after 10am, before Mass begins.



Our **CWL** ladies will be holding a **Valentines' Bake Sale** on the weekend of February 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>, after each of the Masses. The ladies welcome and appreciate donations of baked goods that can be dropped off beginning at 4pm on Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup> and before the Mass on Sunday morning. Have fun baking!! ☐

**News From around the Diocese**

**From the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton: [www.hamiltonvocations.com](http://www.hamiltonvocations.com)**

"Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven..." do not be discouraged by jeers when considering being a priest, deacon, brother or sister or consecrated virgin. If God is calling you, contact **Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton** at 905-528-7988 or [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)

**Incarnation of Our Blessed Lord Parish**, 400 Pottruff Rd. N. is celebrating The Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, World day of Prayer, for the sick, elderly, care providers and ourselves for Mass and the Sacrament of Anointing on Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup> at 11:00am

**DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS**

Bishop Douglas Crosby will celebrate the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, April 16<sup>th</sup> at 1:30pm at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King. The Mass is for couples celebrating their 25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup> year(or each year after 60) of marriage in the 2023. You are cordially invited to join us for this Mass of celebration. Couples can register on-line at [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com), or they can call Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext 2249 to register directly. Following the Mass light refreshments will be served in the Cathedral Basilica's McNally Hall.

**YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT – February 4<sup>th</sup> in Guelph**

– Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20 and early 30s) of our diocese to attend a night of Adoration, Fellowship and Praise Music. Arrival and Holy Hour (6:30-7:30pm), Social with Food (7:30-8:30pm), Praise Night and Vocation Testimony (8:00-9:00pm), and compline (9:00pm) on Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup> at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate (28 Norfolk Street, Guelph). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, please contact: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)

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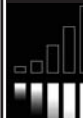
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