## Roman Catholic Diocese of Hamilton, Ontario



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#### **Sunday Mass Schedule:**

Saturday – 5:00pm Sunday – 11:00am

## 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:**

Friday 9:00am – 9:30am during Adoration Saturday 3:45pm – 4:45pm

## **Sacrament of Baptism:**

One month notice is required

#### **Pastoral Staff:**

Rev. Andrew Quarshie, *Pastor* Ms. Kim MacLellan, *Parish Secretary* Mr. Arturo Maldonado, *Music Co-ordinator* 

#### **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.

#### Children's Liturgy of the Word:

Sundays during the 11am Mass

## Legacies and Bequests

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.

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Time	Mass Intention	Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, July 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2018 13 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time	11:00am	For the People	
Monday, July 2 <sup>nd</sup>	No Mass		Rev. Luc Payette
Tuesday, July 3 <sup>rd</sup> St. Thomas, Apostle	7:00pm	† deceased of the O'Connor Family Franca Alfano Special Intention Int. of Rita John	Rev. Anthony Azzopardi
Wednesday, July 4 <sup>th</sup>	No Mass		Barnabite Fathers (C.R.S.P.)
Thursday, July 5 <sup>th</sup>	No Mass		Rev. Gordon Okpuruka
Friday, July 6 <sup>th</sup>	8:30am	♣ Domenico Ciardelli	Rev. Paul Matthew Vellimoozhayil, S.J.
Saturday, July 7 <sup>th</sup>	5:00pm	骨 Mario Tofano Leonard Wareing Raffaele Malatesta Giuseppe DiDomenico Manuel Felipe Giang Nghiep & Thai Sao Ngoc	Rev. Stephen Sardo

#### From the Pastor's Desk:

Dear friends, peace be with you! I thank God for the opportunity to serve you and to journey with you in faith. We are thankful to the wonderful ministry of Father Peter at St. Eugene's Parish, I know you will miss him. We pray for a fruitful ministry in his new assignment. Please note that in order to help me serve you better and also foster our spiritual growth, we shall have time for conversations regarding our way forward as we share one pastor with St. John the Baptist Church.

This weekend's Liturgy reminds us that God does not intend death for us. In Christ we have the fullness of life. When we all strive towards righteousness by grace, we shall live forever even though our mortal bodies die. Sin is one thing that leads us to eternal death, we should

all strive to do away with it and embrace the way of God which leads to life eternal. Jesus tells us in John 10:10 that "The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly." In Christ is our LIFE.

On Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July we shall celebrate the feast of St. Thomas the Apostle; through doubt he found strong faith in Jesus. May our struggles about our faith lead us not to despair and denial but to a much stronger faith as we encounter Christ in the Gospels and the Eucharist.

Happy Canada Day to you all, may we be witnesses of Christ in Canada. Enjoy the summer. I love you all.

God bless you,

Fr. Andrew

#### Collections for June 24, 2018

Regular Collection: \$3624.05 Repairs and Maintenance: \$124.00

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#### News From around the Diocese

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

Jesus healed Jairus's daughter by saying "Talitha cum" which means "little girl, get up!" Has the Lord called you to get up and walk? Perhaps Jesus wants you to help others get up and walk. If you feel God is calling you to the priesthood, religious life or the deaconate, call Father Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton, at 905-528-7988 Ext: 2246 or email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

#### From The Bishop's Office:

Planning Study Update ~ We want to hear from you!

The Diocese-wide planning study is off to a great start – thanks to all those who have participated! In the first few weeks, an incredible number of surveys have been completed. However, we also want to hear from YOU. If you have not filled out a survey and want to share your thoughts, visit hamiltondiocese.com/campaign to learn more about the proposed campaign goals, complete the survey and provide your comments. The online survey closes on Monday, July 9th – please don't delay in sharing your thoughts about our plans to help your Parish and our Diocese to grow and thrive. Thank you.

Italian Language Classes will be held at St James the Apostle Elementary School (29 John Murray St., Stoney Creek) for students J.K. to Grade 8 from Monday to Friday, 9:30am to 12:00 noon, for the month of July 2018. Registrations for the Summer Program will begin on Tuesday, July 3, 2018 from 9:30am to 12:00 noon. Come learn a new language and experience a new culture! For more info, please contact 905-527-3400 or visit: www.italianculture.ca

#### CATHOLIC MEET-UP: Beach Day @ Turkey Point!

A way for Young Adult Catholics (19-39) to meet & connect. In July, we are headed to the Beach! Saturday, July 14<sup>th</sup> - meet at St. Thomas the Apostle in Waterdown at 10am, carpool to Turkey point. Meet in Turkey Point in front of Turkey Point Hotel (93 Cedar Drive) for 11:30am. Come out and join in the fun, sun, water, and great company. Check out 'Hamilton Catholic Young Adults' page on Facebook or for more info email: <a href="mailto:steventebay22@hotmail.com">steventebay22@hotmail.com</a>

St. Ann's Parish in Hamilton will be having their annual 9 day Novena to St. Ann beginning with 7pm Mass on Wednesday, July 18th and concluding Thursday, July 26th. The Novena will include Mass starting at 7pm each evening, blessing with the relic of St. Ann and novena prayers as well as confessions following the Mass. Annointing of the Sick will take place on Friday, July 20th at 7pm. The Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, OMI, Bishop of Hamilton will celebrate the Feast of St. Ann Mass on Thursday, July 26th at 7pm. A reception will follow in St. Ann's School gym. Everyone is welcome. Wheelchair and walker accessible.

#### COME AND CELEBRATE

Bishop Ryan High School 60th Anniversary is being celebrated October 5th 2018, 7pm to midnight, at Michaelangelo's Banquet Centre. Meet and greet, enjoy light refreshments, cash bar, and 'virtual tour' of the beautiful new school.

Due to capacity allowance, advance ticket sales only. Visit the new alumni website – bishopryanalumni.ca

Please see the posters at the doors of the church

Are you Separated or Divorced?

LEARNING TO COPE (Level 1) is a ten week support program starting Tuesday, September 25th, from 7pm -9:30pm, at the Chancery Office, 700 King St. W. Hamilton. The program is for persons experiencing difficulties as a result of a separation or divorce. For more information or to register, please contact the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext 2249. or register on line www.hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/divorceseparation.php. Cost -\$35.00 past participants are welcome to inquire about further Levels programs (Level 2&3), which start the same week.

#### News from our Parish:

Please note the new schedule of Masses for our Parish, which began last Thursday. Since we are sharing our Pastor, Fr. Andrew, with St. John the Baptist Parish, all parishioners are welcome to share in the Masses at St. John's as well.

Weekday Masses, at St. John the Baptist Church are Wednesday and Thursday morning at 8:30am, and their Sunday Mass is at 9:30am.



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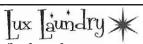
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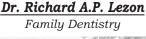
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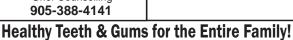
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