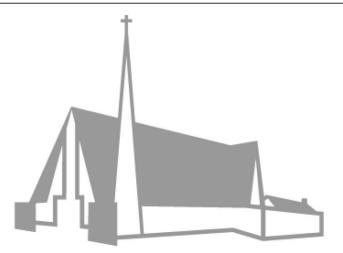
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St. Eugene's Parish

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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^{st} Friday of the month during the $7{:}00\text{pm}$ 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.

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

The Second Sunday of Lent	Time	Mass Intention	Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, March 13 th , 2022 The Second Sunday of Lent	11:00am	For Our Parishioners	
Monday, March 14 th	No Mass Today		Rev. Francis Hubilla
Tuesday, March 15 th	7:00 pm	In Memory of: Domenico Sanzo	Rev. Gregory Merkley
Wednesday, March 16 th	8:30 am	In Memory of: Eileen Dobrucki	Lay Parish Ministers
Thursday, March 17 th	8:30am	In Memory of: Joseph Giang Nghiep & Maria Thai Xao Ngoc	Rev. Joseph Okoko, i.v.Dei
Friday, March 18 th	8:30am	For the Intention of: Bishop Douglas Crosby	Rev. Robert Bulbrook
Saturday, March 19 th Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary	5:00pm	In Memory of: Jack & Alice Baker Joe Raposo Joe & Maria Filipe Carlos Martinho Leonard Wareing Amanda Viger Manuel Fernandes Bill Fitzpatrick Solly Morelli	Rev. Christopher Tracey

From The Pastor's Desk:

Dear parishioners,

May the grace of Lent be with you!

As covid-19 restrictions are eased with caution, I welcome all our parishioners back to Church again. Let's come back with renewed energy to rebuild our parish and make St. Eugene our amazing spiritual home.

RE-ENGAGE. RE-IGNITE. RE-GROW – This is our 2022 Parish theme by our Parish Council.

We look forward to re-engaging, re-igniting and re-growing our faith and parish community. Let everyone get on board. We are putting together a youth choir, 1st Sunday of every month is dedicated to the youth, we shall have our children's Liturgy we shall have youth social and religious nights, movie nights and games, we shall have a spring social for over 50s, we shall have our summer picnic, we shall celebrate May Crowning, Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary in a more spiritually engaging way...just look out for our UPCOMING PROGRAM section in the bulletin and website to save the date and participate in the wonderful programs coming up.

YOUTH CHOIR, LECTORS, COMMENTATORS & ALTAR SEVERS: To promote more involvement of young people and families in our parish, we are dedicating the 11 O'clock Mass of every First Sunday as "Youth Mass". I plead with all families to encourage your children to sign up to join our Youth Choir, Lectors, Commentators and Altar Servers. (See Sign up sheets in the pews and entrances).

Peace, joy and blessings, Fr. Andrew

Collections for Sunday, March 6th, 2022

Regular Collection: \$ 3141.00

Seminary Education Collection: \$100.00

Missals: \$ 10.00

News From our Parish

SYNOD OF BISHOPS - A PARISH DISCUSSION

"Let your voice be heard." We shall gather in the church on Thursday, March 17th at 7:00pm to share our voice on the Synod Questionnaire. You can submit your paper response on this date if you have not already done so online, through the Diocesan website.

Stations of the Cross – join us for this weekly Lenten Devotion: Fridays of Lent at 7:00pm.

Please note that our regular scheduled confession times are back to Tuesdays, at 6:30pm, before the evening Mass at 7:00pm, and Saturdays, from 4:00pm until 4:45pm.

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

ADULT FAITH FORMATION: Join us for Mysteries of the Rosary Bible Study, every Tuesday at 7:35pm

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING ~ Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in May 2022 and supports the bulletin service for the year. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637. Thank you in advance for your support.

OUR SCHOOL FUNDRAISER! Support St. Eugene School

St. Eugene school is hosting a 50/50 Fundraiser to improve their outdoor spaces and purchase additional technology. 10% of the funds raised will also be going to McMaster Children's Hospital. Flyers are posted on the Bulletin boards at the church doors and you are welcome to contact the school if interested in purchasing tickets.

News From around the Diocese

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

Peter, John and James had a mountaintop experience with Jesus by witnessing His transfiguration. We too can have a mountaintop experience when we open our minds and hearts to following God's Will for our lives. 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 vocations@hamiltondiocese.com or call him at 905-528-7988 ext. 2222

<u>GRIEF RELIEF</u> – Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life?

Are you looking for relief from the feelings associated with the loss of this loved one? Are you wondering if your feelings are normal? You are not alone! The Diocese of Hamilton will be offering an online grief program beginning in April. Find out more on the Diocesan website at https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/grief-support or call Teresa at 905-528-7988 ext 2250

ReStart – Starting over after separation or divorce with support, care and tools for your journey. We invite you to check out the Diocesan website at: https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/divorce-separation.php to see the programs we offer and to find out dates of the new program for 2022. If you have questions, call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext 2249

FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH ~ Sat. March 19th will be celebrated with holy Mass at 11am at Our Lady of All Souls Church, 21 Barton St. W. Hamilton. Celebrant will be Fr. Mark Gatto. Pasta and zeppole are available from 12noon to 4pm as well from Fratelanza Racalmutese Club that day. To place orders, please call Joe Curto at 289-700-4641 or All Souls Parish office at 905-528-1513

FOSTER / ADOPTION INFORMATION WEBINAR... Wednesday, April 20th 2022

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. Wed., April 20th from 7:00pm – 8:30pm. For more information or to register please contact Jennifer Veenstra at 905-525-2273 or Jennifer.veenstra@hamiltonccas.on.ca

SACRED HEART PARISH is celebration its 100th Anniversary this June 15th! They are asking former and present parishioners to please send photos of memories at Sacred Heart either by email: sacred.heart@cogeco.ca or to bring them to the parish rectory. Bishop Douglas Crosby will celebrate Mass at Sacred Heart Church on Sunday, June 5th 2022 at 10:00am. A Brunch will follow at Michaelangelo's. For more information call or email Sacred Heart parish @ 905-383-3280



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