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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 1st 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 EASTER

Fourth Sunday of Easter	Time	Mass Intention	Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, May 8 th , 2022 Fourth Sunday of Easter	11:00am	For Our Parishioners	
Monday, May 9 th	No Mass Today		Rev. Philip Reilly, C.R.
Tuesday, May 10 th	7:00pm	In Memory of: Aldo Ventresca Janet Curran Maria Silva Amelia Isidoro	Rev. Pawel Jamroz
Wednesday, May 11 th	8:30am	In Memory of: Josie Ciapanna	Congregation of the Resurrection (C.R)
Thursday, May 12 th	8:30am	In Memory of: Bernie Coyle	Rev. George Stortz
Friday, May 13 th	8:30am	In Memory of: Lorraine Vagnoni	Rev. Msgr. Earl Talbot
Saturday, May 14 th St. Matthias, Apostle	5:00pm	In Memory of: Filippo & Cesina Ciapanna Giovanni Arcari Umberto & Rosina Spuria Lorraine Vagnoni Paul & Carmela Camilleri Geraldine Chisholm Boris Brott Amelio Galdenzi Russell Steeves And for the Intention of: Andrew Kaluzny	Rev. Robert Hetu

From The Pastor's Desk:

Dear Parishioners,
Happy Mothers' Day to all the women in our parish and in the world!

We have another opportunity to honour all women for their special role in creation. We entrust all mothers to the intercession of Mary our Mother. May Mary's faith, courage, service, sacrifice and humility be a model for all women. We remember women who are suffering in our world and pray for God's providence and peace for them.

Happy Mothers' Day!

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Collections for Sunday, May 1st, 2022

Regular Collection: \$2581.15

Easter Collection: \$280.00

Missals: \$5.00

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News From our Parish



Mother's Day Blessing

Just as God gives to each rose, a gentle touch of dew,
and gives unto each evening sky, the lovely sunset's hue
So may he give to you, from his enduring love, great
happiness and hearts' content, and blessings from above.

Our **Children's Liturgy Program** started on Sunday, May 1st, during the 11am Mass. This program is for children from JK to Grade 2. Sign-up sheets are in the pews. Please return the forms in the collection or at the parish office as soon as possible. If you would like to be a volunteer, please contact the parish office.

The **Indigenous Reconciliation Fund** collection will take place next weekend in the Diocese of Hamilton. The Diocese has committed to the Canada-wide pledge towards healing and reconciliation initiatives. This includes an annual collection in May. Envelopes have been provided in the pews for your convenience. Thank you in advance for your support.

PASTORAL MINISTRIES

Mary Leblanc, Pearl MacLean, Frances Clarke, Arlene Leombruni, Bernard Soltyka and Maria Luisa Botelho passed away and were buried from our parish in April 2022. We pray for the repose of their souls and for their families. Fr. Andrew had one wedding celebrated in April. We have begun to celebrate School Masses again in the church and the children are excited to be back! Fr. Andrew celebrated First Reconciliation for our Grade 2 students who are preparing for First Communion this month. With Holy Week Masses and Services and Reconciliation Services for the Parish, Fr. Andrew has been busy this month! On top of his parish life, Fr. Andrew was again on call at the hospital for one week in April, 24/7. And this is just our parish ... he has St. John's parish too! With help, of course, from Fr. Ambrose.

News From around the Diocese

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

On this Good Shepherd Sunday we celebrate the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life, especially for our diocese, that God will raise up good shepherds in our midst. 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

Annual Cemetery Masses

The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton is pleased to announce that Annual Memorial Masses will be held on the following dates:

Saturday, May 14th @ Holy Sepulchre, Burlington

Saturday, June 4th @ Our Lady of the Angels, Stoney Creek. All Masses will begin at 11am. The Masses will take place outdoors. All are welcome to attend

Grief Relief – 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 a four week online grief program on Tuesday evenings from 7-8:30pm, May 17th, 24th, 31st and June 7th, 14th, and 21st. Find out more on the Diocesan website and register to receive the zoom link at <https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/grief-support>, or call Teresa at the Family Ministry office @ 905-528-7988 ext 2250

ReStart ~ Starting over after separation or divorce with support, care and tools for your journey. We invite you to our upcoming zoom sessions : Wednesday, May 11th and another on Thursday, June 9th, both starting at 7 pm. Check out the Diocesan website at: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/divorce-separation.php> to register and find our more details. If you have questions, call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext 2250

Aging with Wisdom and Grace is the fifth talk for the Hamilton Diocesan Speaker Series. Using her own experiences and the wisdom of her contemporaries, Dr. Elizabeth Bookser Barkley will explore some of the physical, emotional and psychological issues we face as we age. The presentation will be interactive, challenging participants to reflect on their own aging journey. Pope Francis has repeatedly spoken of the importance of the elderly in our society, so join us to embrace this important stage of every person's life. Dr. Bookser Barkley, Ph.D., is a professor of English at Mount St. Joseph University in Cincinnati, Ohio. She is the author of four books, including *Life After Death: Practical Help for the Widowed*, and numerous other feature articles. She is married, the mother of three daughters and the grandmother of seven. Join in on Wednesday, May 18th from 7-8:30pm. Check the Diocesan website at <https://amorislaetitia.hamiltondiocese.com/> for more information on the series and to register. For more info please contact Teresa Hartnett at 905-528-7988 ext 2250 or : thartnett@hamiltondiocese.com

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