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# St. Eugene's PARISH

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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.

## THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time	Time	Mass Intention	Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, November 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2018 31 <sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time	11:00am	For Our Parishioners	
Monday, November 5 <sup>th</sup>	No Mass		Rev. Donald Wilhelm
Tuesday, November 6 <sup>th</sup>	7:00pm	✠✠ Aldo Ventresca Antonietta Manna Deceased of the Ventresca Family	Rev. Arthur Scidmore
Wednesday, November 7 <sup>th</sup>	No Mass Here	<b>8:30am Mass celebrated at St. John the Baptist Church</b>	Deceased Consecrated Brothers & Sisters
Thursday, November 8 <sup>th</sup>	No Mass here	<b>8:30am Mass celebrated at St. John the Baptist Church</b>	Rev. Gary Schlack
Friday, November 9 <sup>th</sup> The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica	8:30am	✠ Guerino & Teresa Pala	Rev. Thomas Manninezath, C.M.I.
Saturday, November 10 <sup>th</sup>	5:00pm	✠✠ Michael Toth Manuel Costa Josie Ciapanna Jose Medeiros Anne Ferrie Mario Tofano Giang Nghiep & Thai Sao Ngoc Isolina Fidanza Franco & Asunta Marsuola Felice & Agata Tofano	Rev. Robert Bulbrook

### From the Pastor's Desk:

Dearest Friends,

Do you really love God? What shows? Do you really love others (family, friends, neighbours, workmates, other races, tribes, casts, etc..) like yourself? What shows?

We who are Christians are reminded once again in the Gospel (Mark 12:28-34) that the way we live must always be inspired and infused with love. Jesus teaches us that the summary of the Law or Commandments is LOVE. The purpose of the Commandments is to help us Love God and Neighbour. If there is one thing our World needs today, I would say, it is Love. We Christians must be the first to spread it. I have found these words in the First Letter of John inspiring:

*<sup>7</sup>Beloved, let us love one another, because love is from God; everyone who loves is born of God and knows God. <sup>8</sup>Whoever does not love does not know God, for God is love. <sup>9</sup>God's love was revealed among us in this way: God sent his only Son into the world so that we might live through him. <sup>10</sup>In this is love, not that we loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. <sup>11</sup>Beloved, since God loved us so much, we also ought*

*to love one another. <sup>12</sup>No one has ever seen God; if we love one another, God lives in us, and his love is perfected in us. (1 John 4:7-21).*

Let's pray and work hard to grow in Love of God and Neighbour. God is waiting for your love, prove it; the world is waiting for your love, show it. Happy New Month!

Your servant in Christ, Andrew.

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### Collections for October 28<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Regular Collection: \$3346.95  
Loonie Toonie Collection: \$536.10  
World Mission Collection: \$60.00  
Missals: \$4.00

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## News From around the Diocese

**From the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton:** [www.hamiltonvocations.com](http://www.hamiltonvocations.com) “To love Him with all the heart and with all the understanding, and with all the strength” and “to love one’s neighbour as oneself” are the greatest commandments. If you feel that God is calling you to serve Him as a priest, religious or deacon, call Father Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton, at 905-528-7988 Ext: 2246 or email: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)

**DIOCESAN NEWSLETTER:** The Pastoral Offices of the Diocese of Hamilton offer a wide range of workshops and educational opportunities during the course of the year. These activities and events are open to all interested parishioners throughout the Diocese. If you would like to keep informed regarding these opportunities for growing in your faith, you are invited to subscribe to a weekly online newsletter by going to the Diocesan Website ([www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com)) and click the “Subscribe to our Newsletter” button on the right side of the homepage. Your email address will be used solely to provide you with the Diocesan Newsletter and will never be shared with any third party.

**MARRIAGE IS GOOD FOR YOUR HEALTH – Part Two!** Back by popular demand, we are offering another Saturday to share time with your spouse! Take some time for your marriage relationship and spend a day learning about The Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work. This is part two of the program, created by Dr. John Gotman, but if you missed the first session you will still learn lots as we look at the principles in more detail. The enrichment day will be facilitated by Mrs. Teresa Hartnett and Dr. Wendy Hofman on Saturday, Nov 10<sup>th</sup> from 10am – 4pm, at the Chancery Office. The cost is \$50.00 per couple and includes lunch. Register by calling 905-528-7988 ext 2249, or visit: [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com)

### **Knitters Needed!! Help keep Hamilton Warm...**

Px Dermody Funeral Home is hosting a Knitting Group to assist with the “**Out of the Cold**” Program in Hamilton. On Friday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> from 1-3pm, bring your talent, Knitting or Crochet needles, and your favourite wool or yarn, to Dermody’s, 1919 King St. E. (between Rosedale & Cochrane) Treats provided! RSVP: 905-549-9955  
Previously completed donations are greatly appreciated by anyone who cannot attend. It’s all for a great cause.

**DAY OF PRAYER:** on November 9, 2018 at St. Catherine of Siena Parish (Corpus Christi Site), 1694 Upper James Street.

This day is devoted to: silence, prayer, meditation, and the Word of God. Mass begins at 9:00am followed with fellowship (tea, coffee & muffins). To register call 905-388-3966. Please bring a bag lunch and your favorite mug. Suggested offering is \$25.00. The presenters of this day are Sister Elaine Arsenault SSS and Rita Carriere

### **CATHOLIC MEET-UP! SPRING SUSHI**

A way for Catholic Young Adults 19-39 to meet and connect. Saturday, November 17<sup>th</sup> @6pm at Spring Sushi(1508 Upper James St.). Come and hang-out among good friends and have a great meal on a Saturday evening at one of Hamilton’s best Sushi spots – Spring Sushi! It should be a great night! For more info, contact: [jpeter@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:jpeter@hamiltondiocese.com)

### **IMPACT OF YOUNG MINDS ~ Video Games & Social Media, Healthy or Harmful ?**

All parents, caregivers, and grandparents, even youth themselves, are welcome to attend a presentation by Brian Janes(registered psychotherapist) on Thursday, Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> from 7-9pm, at the Chancery Office. Come and find out about the potential dangers and negative consequences of social media and video games on young people. This workshop will look at the impact of video games and social media on the developing brain, provide an overview of some of the social dangers present on the web and suggest guidelines and boundaries to help children’s access to screen time remain healthy. To register call 905-528-7988 ext 2249 or go to [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com)

### **St John The Baptist Parish Bazaar – November 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>**

Come join in the fun!! Friday Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> from 4pm-9pm and on Saturday Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> from 9am until 1pm  
Great Penny Sale, Attic Treasures, Capital Prize Draw, Bake Sale, BBQ Sausage, 50/50, Knits, Hamper Draw, Kid’s Corner and much more.

## News from our Parish:

**PARENTS** of this years’ **First Holy Communion** Class, and **Confirmation** Class – There will be a meeting on **Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup>**, here in the church at 7pm for the **parents** of the **Confirmandi**, and on **Wednesday, November 21<sup>st</sup>** for the **parents** of the **First Communicants**.

If you have any questions, please call the parish office.

Please join in with the **Knights of Columbus** as Fr. Peter Jurzyk comes back to celebrate their annual **Memorial Mass** on Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, beginning at **11am**. All are welcome.

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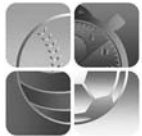
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