

# St. Eugene's PARISH

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## **Thanksgiving**

*For wealth and plenty in the land,  
For faith in God's sustaining hand,  
For every blessing great and small  
We thank the giver of it all.*



**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

<b>Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Mass Intention</b>	<b>Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention</b>
Sunday, October 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2019 28 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time	<b>11:00am</b>	For Our Parishioners	
Monday, October 14 <sup>th</sup> Thanksgiving Day	<b>9:00am</b>	<b>In Thanksgiving</b>	Rev. Meskel Abib Aibu, O.F.M.
Tuesday, October 15 <sup>th</sup> St Teresa of Jesus, Virgin, Doctor	<b>7:00pm</b>	✠✠ Lucia Pala Mary Nielson Cliff Hicks	Rev. Miro Grubisic, O.F.M.
Wednesday, October 16 <sup>th</sup> St. Marguerite D'Youville, Religious	<b>No Mass here</b>	7:00 pm Mass celebrated at St. John the Baptist Church	Society of the Sacred Heart of Jesus
Thursday, October 17 <sup>th</sup> St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop & Martyr	<b>No Mass here</b>	8:30am Mass celebrated at St. John The Baptist	Rev. Octavio Cidadao
Friday, October 18 <sup>th</sup> St. Luke, Evangelist	<b>8:30am</b>	✠ Michael Toth	Rev. Francisco Cruz
Saturday, October 19 <sup>th</sup>	<b>5:00pm</b>	✠✠ Ken Ceroni Elvezia Paolini Ron Airth Francesco Perna Leonard Wareing Rosina Spuria Francesco Colella Dino DiDomenico Helen Orban Lillian Orban Frank Sartor	Rev. Stanley Zaryczyny, C.R.

**From The Pastor's Desk:**

Dear friends,

**Happy Thanksgiving!** As we celebrate thanksgiving weekend, let us give thanks to God for our lives, families, friends and our parish. I would like to thank all who have our parish at heart and are contributing time, talent and resources to keep God's work going on. May God bless you all abundantly.

**Parish Bazaar:** starts from Friday 18<sup>th</sup> to Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> October, just next week. I invite you to participate and ask that you invite your friends and families to it. God bless.

Fr. Andrew

**The Month of October is dedicated to Mary and the praying of the Rosary. Let's remember to honour the Mother of our Lord Jesus, and to seek her intercession in all areas of our lives through the praying of the Rosary.**

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**Collections for October 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

Regular Collection: \$3541.35  
 Religious Articles: \$72.45  
 Donations towards Harvest Bazaar: \$470.00  
 Needs of the Canadian Church: \$55.00

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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)

“Increase our faith.” Listen for the voice of God. Are you being called to be a priest or religious consecrated man or woman? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton, at 905-528-798 Ext: 2246 or email: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)

### **“WALK WITH CHRIST: JUSTICE FOR THE POOR”**

**16<sup>th</sup> Annual Pilgrimage** - More than 3,000 students and staff from the Hamilton-Wentworth Catholic District School Board will set out on the pilgrimage on **Sunday, October 20<sup>th</sup>** in support of development projects in Haiti, Uganda and the Dominican Republic. This annual event, since 2004, has raised more than \$600,000 for projects in the Global South. This year the walk will support ADESJO (Assoc. for the Development of San Jose de Ocoa) for the construction of schools, homes, hospitals, roads and irrigation systems in the Dominican Republic.

The Pilgrimage will begin with a **Eucharist celebration at Cathedral High School, 30 Wentworth St. N. at 11:00am**, followed by **an 8km walk at approximately 12 noon** up the Wentworth escarpment trail to St. Anthony Daniel Catholic Elementary School on Anson Ave.

Donations can be made payable to the Hamilton-Wentworth Catholic District School Board at the Father Kyran Kennedy Catholic Education Centre, Attn: Mr. Corrado Ciapanna, Superintendent of Education, 90 Mulberry St., P.O. Box 2012, Hamilton, ON L8N 3R9 905-525-2930

### **FEAST OF OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY**

St. Catherine of Siena parish, Our Lady of Lourdes site, 416 Mohawk Rd. is hosting The Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, Mother of Mercy, celebrating all the Apparitions and Devotions of the Blessed Virgin Mary on **Sunday, October 20<sup>th</sup>**, beginning at 2pm - with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Confession and Divine Mercy Chaplet 4pm – Holy Eucharist 5pm – Procession of Mother Mary & Holy Rosary

### **FEELING THE NEED FOR SUPPORT, HEALING & HOPE AFTER A SEPARATION OR DIVORCE ?**

The Diocesan Levels Program let you start this new journey with support and tools to remain healthy. **Learning To Cope** (Level 1), starts Tuesday, Sept. 24<sup>th</sup> from 7-9pm at the Chancery Office, 700 King St. W., and runs for 10 weeks. For more info or to register, contact the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext 2249, or register on line at [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com). Cost is \$35. But no one is turned away. Past participants are welcome to inquire about further Levels programs (Level 2,3,4)

### **FOSTERING AND ADOPTION OPPORTUNITIES**

The Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton invites you to learn more about Fostering and Adoption by registering to attend a Fostering and Adoption Online Information Session (Webinar). Thursday, October 24<sup>th</sup> from 6:30- 8:00pm. Please contact Niamh O'Flaherty, the Foster and Adoption Recruitment Coordinator, at 905-525-2273 or by email: [niamh.oflaherty@hamiltonccas.on.ca](mailto:niamh.oflaherty@hamiltonccas.on.ca)

**“GRIEF RELIEF”** Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Are you wondering if these feelings are normal? You are not alone! **“Grief Relief”** is a 6 week educational and support series dealing with grief. Being held on **Thursdays – October 24, 31 and thru November 2019, from 7:00 – 8:30pm at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish – 715 Centre Rd. Waterdown.** Facilitated by Mrs. Debbie Mazzaferro R.N. and Dr. Wending Hofman. There is no cost to participate. All are welcome to attend all or any sessions you can. To register please call 905-528-7988 ext 2249 or on line at: [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com)

**RETROUVAILLE ~ Stress in Your Marriage ?** Are you feeling bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in your marriage? Are you wondering how to change the situation, or how to communicate with your spouse about it? Retrouvaille is a program designed to help with any problem in a marriage – large or small. Retrouvaille can help – the next weekend program is being held October 25<sup>th</sup> 2019. For confidential information about the program, or to register, please call 905-664-5212 or email: [Teamrecine@gmail.com](mailto:Teamrecine@gmail.com) or visit the website: [www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org)

### **CATECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE COURSES**

Programs are available for children from Kindergarten through to High School not currently receiving religious instruction. Preparation for First Communion and Confirmation for children not in Catholic Schools also available. Families work through the programs at home. Contact Monica in the Catechesis Office at 905-528-7988, ext 2238, or check out the website: [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com) and click on the Catechesis Office for more information, printable registration forms or to register online.

### **SUPPORT FOR PEOPLE WHO ARE MOURNING THE LOSS OF A LOVED ONE – Sponsored by Good Shepherd**

- This 6 week support program is facilitated by Linda Nash (MDiv) and Sister Margarida DaSilva (SSND), part of the spiritual/pastoral team for The Good Shepherd Centres, Hamilton. Many people find it difficult to deal with the loss of someone they loved. “Who can I talk to who will understand what I am going through?” is a frequently asked question. The support group helps people to understand grief as well as providing opportunities to share with others facing similar challenges. It is being held on Wednesdays, October 23 to November 27, from 4-5:30pm at The Good Shepherd Provincial House, 84 Grant Ave, Hamilton. Further information may be obtained by calling or emailing Sister Margarida @ 905-515-0789 or [MDaSilva@gsch.ca](mailto:MDaSilva@gsch.ca) or Linda Nash @ 905-308-8401 or [LNash@gsch.ca](mailto:LNash@gsch.ca). The group is open to all and there is no cost to participants.

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