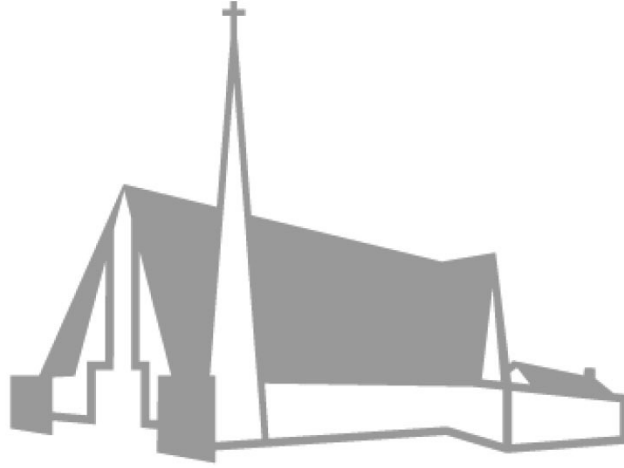

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Sunday Mass Schedule:

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 following 8:30am Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Tuesday 6:30pm

1st Friday 9:00am – 9:30am during Adoration

Saturday 4:00pm – 4:45pm

Sacrament of Baptism:

Last Sunday of the month, during the 11am Mass

One month notice is 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*

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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.

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Time	Mass Intention	Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, October 17 th , 2021 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time	11:00am	For Our Parishioners	
Monday, October 18 th St. Luke, Evangelist	No Mass Today		Very Rev. Adrian Lee
Tuesday, October 19 th	7:00 pm	In Memory of: Pasquale & Consiglia DelMonaco Angelo Martella	Very Rev. Michael King
Wednesday, October 20 th	8:30 am	In Memory of: Deceased members of the Hass Family	Congregation of the Holy Cross (C.S.C.)
Thursday, October 21 st	8:30am	In Memory of: Jean Claude Daigle	Rev. Marko Stefanec
Friday, October 22 nd	8:30am	In Memory of: Paul Smith	Rev. Hanh Van Tran, O.M.I.
Saturday, October 23 rd	5:00pm	Ken Ceroni In Memory of: Lee MacDougall Tom Hmiel	Rev. Yvon Paquin, O.M.I.

From The Pastor's Desk:

Pastor's Final Appeal

This weekend is the last for our One Heart, One Soul campaign restart. To everyone, every family that made a pledge to the campaign, I wish to express my deepest gratitude. You and your gift to the parish is a tremendous blessing to who we are and what we are trying to accomplish. **THANK YOU!**

For those who have not yet made a pledge, please pick up a pledge card and envelope and consider making a pledge. It's been a touch year-and-a-half, but we can make something great of our situation as we go forward. With everyone's help and God's help, we can do that.

Fr. Andrew

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Collections for Sunday, October 10th

Regular Collection: \$ 2895.10

Repairs & Maintenance: \$ 611.45

Missals: \$ 12.00

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News From our Parish

PASTORAL MINISTRIES

We are slowly and carefully bringing items back into the church for the public. Including the Bulletin, Registration forms for the parish, and Baptism Application forms. These are available at the doors of the church. Any questions, please call the parish office.

Please note that Confessions are still by appointment only. Please call the parish office.

We need to continue to wear masks and maintain the physical distancing from other people.

News From around the Diocese

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

Jesus' life was the best 'job description' : sympathy; mercy; service; compassion; and total giving. Life is rewarding when one lives for others. Do you want to serve or be served? If you are willing to serve as a priest, religious or deacon, call **The Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger, Auxiliary Bishop & Vocations Director, Diocese of Hamilton**, at 905-528-7988 ext. 2222 or email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

VOCATION MASSES :

Monthly Masses for Vocations are scheduled each month at a different church in our Diocese. The next Vocation Mass is Saturday, November 6th at Regina Mundi Parish at 5:00pm. These Masses are to pray for, foster, promote and support vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life. The list of the dates for the Vocation Masses are on the bulletin boards at the doors of the church.

Catechetical Correspondence Courses Do your children attend public or private school or do you home-school? If you are wondering how to support their ongoing formation in religious education, the Diocese of Hamilton offers Catechetical Correspondence Programs for every age and stage from Kindergarten through to High School including here for more information programs specially designed to assist children preparing for the Sacraments of First Communion and Confirmation. For more information contact Sybil at 905-528-7988 ext 2339 or email the office: catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com

Unpacking UNPLANNED : Bringing Hope and Healing – Hamilton Right to Life and the Diocesan Family Ministry Office are partnering to bring you an online information session regarding UNPLANNED, the story of Abby Johnson, the youngest Planned Parenthood clinic director in the U.S., and how she changed her mind on abortion. The Zoom event will combine video, questions and discussion. Join in on Oct 27th from 7-8:30pm as Mrs. Teresa Hartnett (MRE), Director of Family Ministry, will share how individuals and groups can spread the pro-life message. The session is free, but donations will be accepted during registration. Call Hamilton Right to Life at 905-528-3065, to register.

Online Learning for Adult Faith Formation

The Diocese of Hamilton is pleased to have The University of Dayton: Virtual Learning Community for Faith Formation (VLCFF) as a partner in adult faith formation. The VLCFF is a living adult faith community offering online learning opportunities to address the learning needs of adults in our Diocese. Whether taking courses for professional development in ministry or for personal nourishment, the VLCFF provides a breadth of opportunity for learning including full certificate programs, five-week online courses and three-week intensive online seminars. For more information check out the [Hamilton Diocese learns web page](#) or contact the Office for Evangelization and Catechesis at 905-528-7988 ext 2339 or email : catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com

ReStart: A Separation and Divorce Recovery Program

Feeling the need for support, healing and/or hope after a separation or divorce? The Diocesan ReStart Programs support you journey, providing you with tools to remain healthy. For more information contact Teresa at the Family Ministry Office – 905-528-7988 ext 2250

Marriage Support – Is your marriage experiencing more trouble than joy, feeling stagnant or disconnected and / or causing your worries? The solution is Retrouvaille – a program for married couples facing challenges in their relationship. Retrouvaille helps couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving partnership. It is a practical program, where sharing is only between the couple themselves, designed to improve communications, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect. It also works well for couples who may be considering separation or divorce. The next Retrouvaille weekend will take place via Zoom, November 4th – 7th. For more information call 905-664-5212 or email: teamrecine@gmail.com

Parenting tip of the month ~ October brings cooler air and the final harvests of the season. It is a time when we see the beauty of nature and the creative mind of God in providing this world for each of us. Children spend a lot of time wishing for things they don't have, instead of focusing on what they do have, including love from family members, their faith community, and friends and neighbours who care for them. During this month of thanksgiving, help your children focus on giving thanks for all they have by writing a daily gratitude journal. Each day they can write about the goodness's of their day and at the end of the month they will have documentation about how much they have to be grateful for – both to God and everyone else who contributes to their lives.

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