
• Roman Catholic Diocese of Hamilton, Ontario •



St. Eugene's PARISH

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Sunday Mass Schedule:

Saturday – 5:00pm
Sunday – 9:00am & 11:00am

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday – 7:00pm
Wednesday to Friday – 8:30am
(please refer to the schedule inside the bulletin for any changes)

Praying the Rosary:

Wednesday to Friday – 8:00am

Perpetual Help Novena:

Wednesday following the 8:30am Mass

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Friday mornings following our 8:30am Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Tuesdays: 6:30pm – 6:50pm
Fridays: during the Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament
Saturdays: 3:45 – 4:45pm or upon request

Sacrament of Baptism:

One month notice is required

Pastoral Staff:

Father Peter Jurzyk, *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.

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Thirtieth Sunday In Ordinary Time	Time	Mass Intention	Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, October 29 th Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:00am	For the People	
	11:00am	✠ John	
Monday, October 30 th	No Mass		Rev. Archange Kebe
Tuesday, October 31 st	7:00pm	✠ Ernie & Adeline DiFrederico	Rev. Ambroise Tshiaba Ntumba
Wednesday, November 1 st All Saints	8:30am	✠ Mario Tofano Giuseppe & Caterina Tofano Luigi Santi	Deceased Members of Our Parish Community
Thursday, November 2 nd All Souls' Day	8:30am	deceased of the Ciapanna Family	Rev. Tony O'Dell, O.M.I.
	7:00pm	deceased Bishops, Priests, Deacons of our Diocese	
Friday, November 3 rd	8:30am	Deceased of the Pala Family	Rev. Joseph Okoko
Saturday, November 4 th St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop	5:00pm	✠✠ Victoria Lenski Jack Baker Joe Leo Deceased of D'Aurelio Family Leonard Wareing Deceased of Gentile Family Ofelia Giavedoni George & Beatrice Robinson Mary Jane Sproule Giang Nghiep & Thai Sao Ngoc	Rev. Saju Oreethaparambil, C.Ss. R.

From the Pastor's Desk:

Dear Friends,

Last weekend we welcomed Missionary Sisters of St. Peter Claver who came to our parish and told us about the apostolate of their congregation. The Sisters would like to thank all our parishioners for their spiritual and financial support.

Pope Francis encourages us to pray during the month of November for the following intention: *That Christians in Asia, bearing witness to the Gospel in word and deed, may promote dialogue, peace, and mutual understanding, especially with those of other religions.*

This week we observe: the Solemnity of All Saints; Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed; and memorial of Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop.

Let us all rejoice in the Lord – this liturgical exhortation invites us to taste the heavenly joy of the saints. Annually, on the first two days of November our Church throughout the world celebrates All Saints' and All Souls' Days. The first feast is officially named the Solemnity of All Saints and it was established first for the local Church in Rome in the 8th century and in the next century it was

extended to the entire Church. On this day we honour all the saints, those formally recognized, those whose names remain unknown, and the baptized of every epoch and nation who enjoy the heavenly glory. Today's liturgy urges us to raise our eyes towards heaven and inflame our hearts with a desire for holiness. Our Lord wants us to be holy as the Father in heaven is holy, so we should generously respond, as the saints did, to the divine call for holiness.

On November 2nd celebrating the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed we pray for all our sisters and brothers who completed their earthly pilgrimage and are waiting for admittance to God's glory. It is our duty to remember them and help them with our prayers and self-denials to get in the kingdom of heaven. One day we will be in the same situation asking others for that same spiritual support.

This Friday is the first Friday of the month, so we honour in a special way the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus offering reparations for sins by participating in Mass, receiving Holy Communion and attending the Eucharistic Adoration.

God bless,
Fr. Peter

Collections: for October 22nd, 2017

Regular Collection: \$3,793.75

Renovation Debt: \$10.00

World Mission Sunday Collection: \$870.00

Harvest Fair Donation: \$30.00

News From around the Diocese

Retrouvaille: A Lifeline for Marriages ~ So many couples struggle alone and confused with their difficulties. Retrouvaille has helped countless marriages and the chance to rediscover themselves, their spouse and restore a loving relationship in their marriage. For confidential information, or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on November 3rd, call 905-664-5212, or email: hamiltonretrouvaille1@cogeco.ca

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

“You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul and with all your mind.” Live in that love in the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life. Contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton, at 905-528-7988 email: mking@hamiltondiocese.com

PARENT CONFERENCE 2017 – November 4, 2017 “Weaving the Catholic Partnership” All parents are invited to attend! The day begins at 7:45am and runs until 2:15pm. Mass celebrated by Bishop Crosby, workshops and lunch provided. This event is held at Bishop Ryan Catholic Secondary School. For more info and to register visit the website: www.hwcdsb.ca All schools have information and registration forms also.

“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 six week educational and support series dealing with grief, on **Tuesdays, Oct. 24th to Nov. 28th from 1:30pm until 3:00pm.** This series takes place at the Diocese of Hamilton, Chancery Office, 700 King St. W., and is facilitated by Karen Hulley, a trained Grief Facilitator. There is no cost to participate. You are free to attend all sessions, or any one or more that you can. To register call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext 2249, or email them : familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com

St. Ann’s Hamilton Parish Bazaar : Saturday, Nov 4th from 2-7pm.... Sunday, Nov 5th from 10am – 1pm, being held at St. Ann’s School gym (corner of Barton and Sherman Ave. N.) Penny Sale, Capital Prize draw, Bake Table, Café. All are welcome, wheelchair available.

Grief Matters...

Are you sad, confused, angry, numb, lonely, guilty, overwhelmed...? You are not alone!

Please join in on Friday afternoons, from 1-3pm beginning November 3rd until December 9th at Dermody’s Funeral Home, 1919 King St. E.

Call Maureen Dermody, After care Co-ordinator at 905-549-9955, or email: Maureen.dermody@dermodys.com

500th Anniversary of the Reformation

You are invited to join Bishop Crosby in common prayer with Lutheran Bishop Pryse and local Lutheran congregations. This common prayer is observed on the occasion of the 500th anniversary of the Reformation. Together we seek the unity, peace and healing that God desires for the Christian Church. Although that time in history of the Church is remembered for division, discord, and bitterness, the Spirit of God is calling us in our time to a renewed sense of common mission, prayer and service. All are welcome to join Bishop Crosby and Bishop Pryse on Friday, November 10th at 7:00pm in the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton.

St. Eugene’s Parish Catholic Women’s League is having a meeting on Monday, November 6th at 6pm, with elections for a new Executive Council. All ladies of the league are encouraged to attend and consider a position on the Executive Council.

OUR HARVEST FAIR :

Thank you to all the volunteers who gave of their time and talent, this event would not have been possible without them. Thanks to Kim, Parish Secretary for all her help. Many thanks to the Knights of Columbus who supplied all the food and staff for the BBQ. Thanks to St. Eugene’s staff, parents and students, for supporting this event in so many ways. Thanks to Rob who was a huge help over the course of this event. Thanks to the many parishioners who donated gifts and monetary donations and to the businesses that support our event year after year. –Vicky Ratelle, Fair Co-ordinator

Full financial report to follow:

Income from fair: \$9,076.50

Expenses: \$ 824.36

Total Profit: \$8,252.14

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