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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 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month following 8:30am Mass

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Tuesday 6:30pm

1<sup>st</sup> 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*

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.

**TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

<b>25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Mass Intention</b>	<b>Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention</b>
Sunday, September 19 <sup>th</sup> , 2021 <b>25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>11:00am</b>	For Our Parishioners	
Monday, September 20 <sup>th</sup> <b>St. Andrew Kim Tae-Gon, Priest Paul Chong Ha-Sang and Companions, Martyrs</b>	<b>No Mass Today</b>		Rev. Bernard Carroll, S.J.
Tuesday, September 21 <sup>st</sup> <b>St. Matthew, Apostle, Evangelist</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>In Memory of:</b> Domenico Ciardelli Angelo Lostracco Arnulfo Billarosa	Rev. Eric Jensen, S.J.
Wednesday, September 22 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>8:30 am</b>	<b>In Memory of:</b> Leu Hickey	Chancery Staff
Thursday, September 23 <sup>rd</sup> <b>St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio), Priest</b>	<b>8:30am</b>	<b>In Memory of:</b> Luigi & Custode D'Amico	Rev. Rafal Dygula, S.Chr.
Friday, September 24 <sup>th</sup>	<b>8:30am</b>	<b>In Memory of:</b> John & Apolonia Brestovansky	Rev. Stan Kuczaik, S. Chr.
Saturday, September 25 <sup>th</sup>	<b>5:00pm</b>	<b>In Memory of:</b> Michael & Anna Ferrie Ken Ceroni Pat diPerseo Mary Carlin	Rev. Laszlo Amaszka

**From The Pastor's Desk:**

**Re-engagement of the *ONE HEART, ONE SOUL* campaign**

This weekend kicks off the re-engagement of the *One Heart, One Soul* campaign here at St. Eugene Parish. We are excited for the opportunity to pick up the effort again to reach our goals, complete our projects, and have so many of our parishioners back home to hear about the campaign for the first time. The good news is we've raised 22% toward our goal of \$243,500. With everyone's participation we can change this last, dreadful year into a hope-filled future.

Peace and Blessings,  
Fr. Andrew

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**Collections for Sunday, September 12<sup>th</sup>**

Regular Collection: \$ 4,103.15

Repair & Maintenance Collection: \$ 596.00

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Last weekend, at the 5pm Mass, someone donated \$1500.00 to the parish. We wish to thank this person for their generosity. **Thank you!**

**Legacies and Bequests** Please remember St. Eugene Parish in your will and when suggesting expressions of sympathy and /or monetary donations

## 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.**

### **ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

Fr. Andrew has invited the Hamilton S.V.D.P. Councils to speak here at our parish next weekend, September 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>. They will invite you to an information evening for future Conference Members right here, in our parish!

Also, the Parkdale SVDP Store truck will be in the church parking lot; open for 1 hour before Masses (on that weekend) to receive special donations only. Here is a list of what is needed: Winter clothing and accessories – 1 bag limit per person please, household items/décor, all lines (no stains), boots and shoes, small furniture items only, electronics in working condition, small appliances: toasters, blenders, blow dryers, lamps. Thank you in advance for your assistance. You are welcome to visit their website: <https://ssvphamiltonpc.org>

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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)**

“Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all.” This life is the ministry of a priest, sister, brother or deacon. If you feel God is calling you to one such vocation, call **The Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger, Auxiliary Bishop & Vocations Director, Diocese of Hamilton**, at 905-528-7988 ext. 2222 or email: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)

### **PROTECT YOUR LOVED ONES – PRE-PLANNING YOUR FUNERAL**

Join representatives from Markey Dermody Funeral Home for an informal talk about Funeral Preplanning presented by Dignity Memorial. This will be held on Thursday, Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup> at 11:00am at the Knights of Columbus Hall. A complimentary Light Lunch following the presentation, Licensed Funeral Pre-planners and Funeral Directors will answer all your questions. Pamphlets are available at the doors of the church.

### **BACK TO SCHOOL 2021**

In an effort to encourage a spirit of prayerful support for children and educators heading back into the classroom, the link below will bring you to a Back to School resource on the Diocese of Hamilton web page designed to help families and schools welcome the return of a new academic year.

<https://hamiltondiocese.com/backtoschoo2021/>

### **EVENINGS WITH HIS EXCELLENCY**

Interested in learning more about our Catholic Faith? Join Bishop Lobsinger for “*Evenings with His Excellency*” on the **second Friday of each month at 7:00 – 8:30pm** in Canadian Martyrs Church, (1349 Main St. West, Ham.). Each month we will methodically go through the “Catechism of the Catholic Church”. There is no registration, no fee and no homework. Come ready to learn and ask all the questions you always wanted to ask about our Catholic Faith. **The first “Evening with His Excellency” is Friday, September 10, 2021.** If you are unable to attend in person, you are welcome to go to: <https://www.canadianmartyrshamilton.com/> to watch live. (all Covid 19 protocols will be required, including masks while in the church and proper social distancing.)

### **CATHOLIC CHILDREN’S AID SOCIETY upcoming Foster/Adoption information nights**

On Wednesday, September 22, 2021 there will be a Foster Care Webinar from 7:00pm – 8:30pm. They are looking for skilled individuals and families who are interested in fostering adolescence, children with complex needs, and racialized children. Please join them for a virtual information night. Please contact Jennifer Veenstra to pre-register for this webinar at 905-525-2273 or at [Jennifer.veenstra@hamiltonccas.on.ca](mailto:Jennifer.veenstra@hamiltonccas.on.ca)

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