Roman Catholic Diocese of Hamilton, Ontario

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Parish Theme 2020: "Getting involved in parish life and participating actively and joyfully in the Mass."

Sunday Mass Schedule:

Saturday – 5:00pm Sunday – 11:00am Children's Liturgy of the Word during 11am Mass

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday – 7:00pm 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 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

Legacies and Bequests

Please 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.

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Twenty-Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time	Time	Mass Intention	Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, September 27 th , 2020 26 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	11:00am	For Our Parishioners	
Monday, September 28 th	No Mass		Rev. Mark Morley
Tuesday, September 29 th St. Michael, St. Gabriel, St. Raphael, Archangels	7:00pm	🕆 Domenico Ciardelli 🛛 Giuliano Lucidi	Rev. George Nowak, C.R.
Wednesday, September 30 th St. Jerome, Priest & Doctor	8:30am	🕆 Ernie & Adeline DiFrederico	Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate
Thursday, October 1 st St. Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin, Doctor	8:30am	令 Eileen Dobrucki	Rev. Ireneusz Koziak, S.A.C.
Friday, October 2 nd The Holy Guardian Angels	8:30am	✤ Catharine Hayes	Rev. William Trusz
Saturday, October 3 rd	5:00pm	令令 Bernard Hass Cheryl Hass Gary Engel Adam & Elsie Engel Adam Lowe Eva Cabral Phyllis MacLellan Dolores O'Malley	Rev. Mariusz Durbajlo

Collections for September 20th, 2020

Regular Collection: \$2214.10 Repairs & Maintenance: \$50.00 Collection for retired priests: \$20.00

News from our Parish

Volunteering for our parish

We are still and always in need of more volunteers to help with taking names and temperatures, and ushering people into the church at both Masses. The more volunteers for each Mass makes it easier to share the time and work involved in making celebrating Mass here possible. Many thanks to our current volunteers, we really can't do it without you all! Please contact the parish office to put your name in to help us.

Celebration of the Sacraments with School Children During the Time of Pandemic

The children, from **St. David School** who missed receiving First Communion in the spring, due to the church and schools shutting down due to the Covid 19 pandemic, received the Sacrament this weekend. For **St. Eugene School**, they will receive the Sacrament on **Saturday, October 3rd and Saturday, October 24th.** Please keep all these children in your prayers.

Also, our Confirmation Ceremonies for the school children who missed receiving this sacrament last spring, are scheduled for Thursday, October 1st and Thursday, October 8th, for St. Eugene School. Wednesday, October 28th and Thursday, October 29th are the dates for the Confirmation ceremonies for St. David School.

We have planned for and are very careful with the Social distancing protocol in place through the Diocese of Hamilton. Wearing a mask is mandatory while in the church. We are allowing immediate family (parents & siblings), the child's household only, to attend the ceremonies, to help keep the number of people in the church to a minimum.

Thank you for your understanding.

Saturday, October 10th 2020 @ 11am

A Mass will be celebrated in every parish in the Diocese of Hamilton, and same for here at St. Eugene Parish, for all who died throughout the Diocese during the shutdown of our churches. These souls will be prayed for whether they died of the COVID-19 virus, or any other cause. Please contact the parish office if you have family members or friends you would like remembered at this Mass. All are welcome to attend.

News From around the Diocese

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

The invitation to serve often comes more than once; are you prepared with your answer? Consider ministry as a priest. Are you being invited? Contact **Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton,** at 905-528-798 Ext: 2246 or email: <u>vocations@hamiltondiocese.com</u>

C.Y.O. Camp Brebeuf and C.Y.O. Camp Marydale

Camps are open for business! They are more than just summer camps. Besides running summer camps and outdoor education programs, which serve thousands of students and campers every year, their facilities are also used by a wide range of professional and private groups year round. This year, with the uncertainty of schools re-opening, they have calendar availability that would normally be booked up. If you are looking to book a safe, responsible group gathering in a beautiful outdoor setting, they can help!

For information on the facilities available and how these camps can accommodate you, call : 519-856-4671 ext 103, or email: Brendan.Linwood@cyo.on.ca

Experiencing Stress in Your Marriage? Thinking about Separation or Divorce? - is your marriage not what you hoped it would be? Are you, or a relative or friend, heading for a possible divorce? Retrouvaille is designed to help marriages regain their health. The Retrouvaille program is highly successful in saving marriages and in helping them to thrive. For confidential information about, or to register for the program, beginning with a weekend on October 23, 2020, please call 905-664-5212, email: Teamrecine@gmail.com, or visit www.retrouvaille.org

LIFE CHAIN – Sunday, October 4th - 2:30-3:30pm Hamilton Right to Life joins with hundreds of thousands internationally spreading the message of hope. Please join them to simply hold a pro-life sign, praying silently, for an end to abortions. Please attend 15 mins before 2:30pm for instructions. Please call if you are planning to attend, to HRTL office : 905-528-3065 giving your name and number, or you can email at Hamiltonrighttolife@outlook.com street corner locations: Hwy 8 & Centennial Parkway, Hwy 8 & Grays Road, S.C.

National Catholic Health Care week 2020

From October 4th to 10th, we celebrate National Catholic Health Care Week across Canada. The Week recognizes the inspiring work of Catholic health care organizations in our province and across Canada. At the heart of Catholic health care is a deep respect for the intrinsic value and dignity of every human being and an unwavering commitment to serving all people, from all backgrounds and faiths – especially society's most vulnerable.

This year the COVID-19 pandemic transformed our health care landscape and society. In Canada, the pandemic has shone a public light on many important social and ethical issues calling us all to reflect on the importance of human connection, quality of life, and the meaning of wellbeing – body, mind and spirit. The pandemic has also highlighted the timeless relevance of Catholic social teaching and our collective role in building a Canadian society that reaches out to every person who is suffering from illness, stigma, poverty, or loneliness.

During National Catholic Health Care Week, we give thanks for the courageous gift of Catholic health care during these challenging times – in hospitals, community health centers, or seniors care homes.

The pandemic calls us all to live the healing ministry of Jesus Christ. Holding all those impacted by COVID-19 in our hearts, we ask God to bless the work of Catholic health and we offer our prayers, support, and encouragement for the people of our Catholic health organizations who care for all in need with compassion and courage.

For more information about Catholic health care in Canada or the week, please visit the Catholic Health Alliance of Canada website at <u>www.chac.ca</u>

