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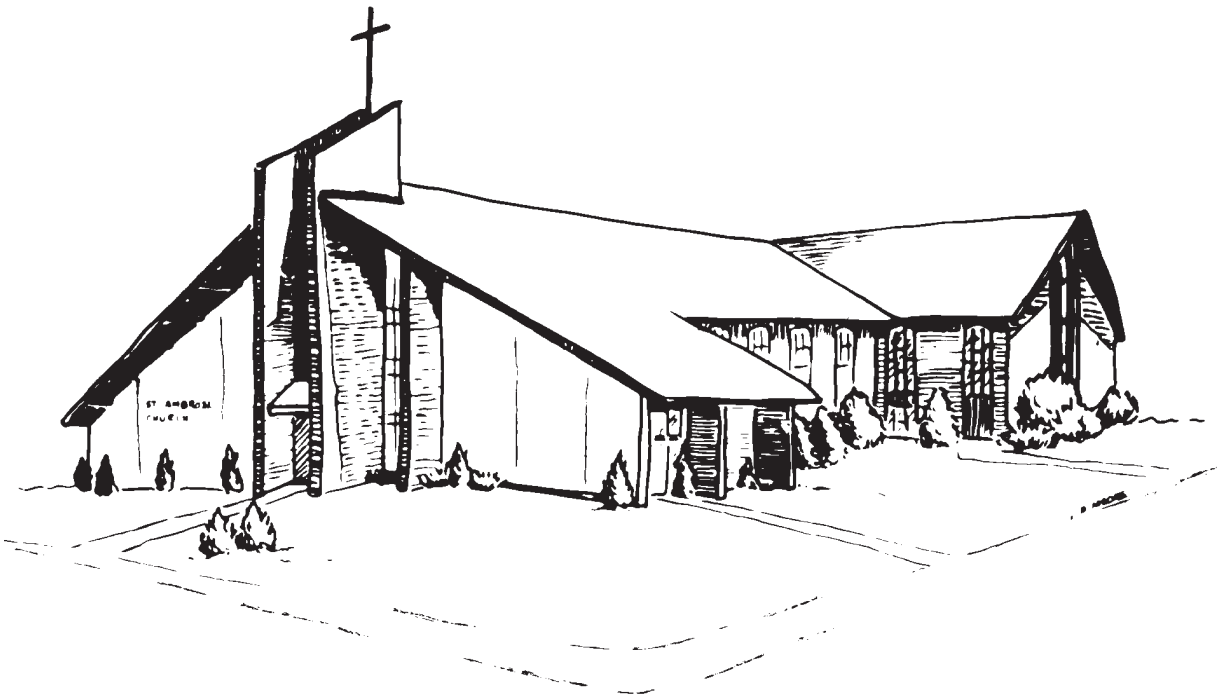

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Fr. Michael King, retired - in residence
Rev. Mr. Nick Cherri - Deacon
Barbara Roy - Administrative Assistant
Myra Klaassen - Parish Ministry
Carol Renner - Housekeeper
Sandy Figueiredo - Sacristan/Custodian

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

- Tuesday to Friday from 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.
- Saturday from 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.
- Sunday from 8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday 9am to 4pm
Friday 9am to 2pm

BAPTISM

Please contact the parish office for information on booking a Baptism date and the dates of upcoming Baptism preparation meetings.

MARRIAGE

Adequate preparation including Marriage Preparation Course is required.
Contact the parish office at least 12 months in advance.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK

Please inform us of hospitalization or confinement to home due to illness.

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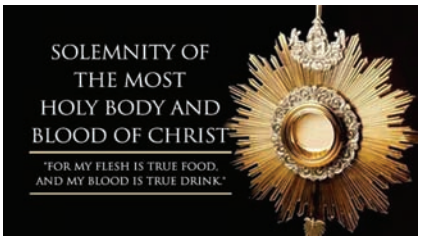

While they were eating, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to them, and said, "Take it; this is my body." Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, and they all drank from it. He said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for many."

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ is also known as the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, which translates from Latin to "Body of Christ." This feast originated in France in the mid-thirteenth century and was extended to the whole Church by Pope Urban IV in 1264.

This feast calls us to focus on two manifestations of the Body of Christ, the Holy Eucharist and the Church. The primary purpose of this feast is to focus our attention on the Eucharist. The opening prayer at Mass calls our attention to Jesus' suffering and death and our worship of Him, especially in the Eucharist.

At every Mass our attention is called to the Eucharist and the Real Presence of Christ in it. The secondary focus of this feast is upon the Body of Christ as it is present in the universal Church. The Church is called the *Body of Christ* because of the intimate communion which Jesus shares with His disciples. He expresses this in the gospels by using the metaphor of a body in which He is the head. This image helps keep in focus both the unity and the diversity of the Church.

The Feast of Corpus Christi is commonly used as an opportunity for public Eucharistic processions, which serves as a sign of common faith and adoration. Our worship of Jesus in His Body and Blood calls us to offer to God our Father a pledge of undivided love and an offering of ourselves to the service of others.

Prayer:
O God, who in this wonderful Sacrament have left us a memorial of your Passion, grant us, we pray, so to revere the sacred mysteries of your Body and Blood that we may always experience in ourselves the fruits of your redemption. Who live and reign with God the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, on God, for ever and ever.

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday, June 21
9:00 am – for the intentions of Willie and Peter Bader
(No evening Mass today. Morning Mass only)

Wednesday, June 22
7:00 pm + MARIA MEDEIROS – Matile Alvernaz
+ ELISABETH TJIOE – Nancy Oldfield
+ ANNE DAVIS – Jean Mosher
+ CARMEN COLOMER – Colomber family
- For the intentions of Shirley and Tony Borges
- for the intentions of Marlowe Kohlmaier
CONFESSIONS at 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm
*** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6pm to 7pm**

Thursday, June 23
7:00 pm + RICARDO OLIVEIRA – his parents
CONFESSIONS at 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm
*** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6pm to 7pm**

Friday, June 24
7:00 pm + SOULS IN PURGATORY
CONFESSIONS at 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm
*** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6pm to 7pm**
Prayers for the Souls in Purgatory at 6:30 pm

Saturday, June 25
CONFESSIONS at 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm
5:00 pm + MANUEL deVARGAS – his wife
+ DECEASED CHAVES FAMILY of Maria and Silvinio
+ EVELINO TOSTE – Julieta
+ ZELAZKO FAMILY – Drabik family
+ ARNALDO DiGIANTOMASSO – Lirusso family
+ JOSEPH & MARY DUFFY, ALBERT and CATHERINE – Les & Gert Gueth

Sunday, June 26
9:00 am + CESARE CETRA – Cetra family
11:00 am - for the intentions of all parishioners
CONFESSIONS: 8:00 to 8:45 am and 10:15 am to 10:45 am

Prayers for the Sick – Every Wednesday at 1:30 pm in the Church. Please use the church side door on South Street.

With my deepest appreciation, thank you to all the parishioners and staff of St. Ambrose for your ongoing encouragement, support and prayers over the past five years of my Diaconate formation. Thank you for the wonderful receptions this past weekend and I am truly grateful and blessed to be able to serve our parish family.

God Bless,
Deacon Paul & Myra Klaassen

Are you a computer person? We are recruiting a few technologically-able volunteers to help with the new AV equipment that has been installed. This will be our parish "production volunteers". High school students welcome in order to earn volunteer hours.

The Windows PC is located in the choir loft, the video camera has been installed. We will live stream Masses, as well as some funerals, weddings, First Communions, Confirmations, etc. on our YouTube channel, so that those who are unable to attend in person can view these parish events. We hope to have a team of volunteers who can assist on weekends and for special church celebrations.

A learning session by the installer technician will be held for those who are interested. Date to be arranged. Please contact the parish office by phone or email. Thank you to those who have all ready offered their help!

Formed.org

Our parish has purchased a subscription to the website formed.org This website provides excellent Catholic content with podcasts, movies, documentaries, etc. **Free** for you to access:

1. Go to the website "**formed.org**"
2. Click "sign up"
3. Click "sign up as a parishioner"
4. Enter "2P4"
5. Click "St. Ambrose Parish"
6. Click "Next"
7. Enter your name and email
8. Click "Sign up"
9. You'll receive a verification email
10. Click on the link in your email which takes you back to formed.org and start enjoying!

THE NATIONAL ROSARY FOR THE FAMILY, sponsored by the CCCB Standing Committee for Family and Life, will be prayed on **Sunday, June 19th, beginning at 3:00 p.m**. EDT. The nation-wide **ZOOM prayer time** is part of the preparation for the 19th World Meeting of Families (WMF) which will be held in Rome from June 22-26, 2022. You are invited to share in this prayer experience with your family and friends. The registration link can be accessed here hamiltondiocese.com/events/national-rosary-for-the-family

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The **World Meeting of Families** (WMF) in Rome, Italy, will take place in June 22-26, 2022. This international event is designed to be significant to people of all ages at all stages of life. Every keynote address and workshop will be based on Pope Francis' Amoris Laetitia, or The Joy of Love.

The purpose of the WMF is to place families at the center of pastoral attention, which is reflected in this year's theme, "Family Love: Vocation and Path to Holiness." In the hope of engaging as many families as possible the events will be live streamed and recorded to allow for local celebrations, be it in homes, or parishes.

Pope Francis is inviting every Catholic family to take part in this important ecclesial moment and, for those who can, he looks forward to joining them virtually via **live streaming** of the WMF event from Rome.

www.romefamily2022.com/en/

The "***Dr. and Mrs. Cunningham Medical Scholarship***" is available for eligible Catholic students in the Hamilton Diocese who will be pursing a medical degree. Deadline is June 30th.

The objective of the Scholarship is to support practicing Catholics, faithful to the teachings of the Magisterium, to practice medicine. Value of the Scholarship: $15,000;

Number of Scholarship: one per year

Eligible Students: Applicants will be practicing Catholics who:

1) attend a parish in the Roman Catholic Diocese of Hamilton; 2) are enrolled in a Canadian medical school; 3) intend to practice medicine in Canada.

Terms: The Scholarship shall be awarded to an academically qualified student who has been recommended by his or her parish priest. For information or an application, please contact fdoyle@hamiltondiocese.com

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Canadian Food for Children (CFFC) requests your help of donations particularly of clothes, housewares, school supplies, bedding and hygiene goods.

To donate items, please box or bag your goods and put a label with "CFFC". It can left at the church under the basement stairs, off the parking lot.

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