

Holy Rosary Parish

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Church, Parish Hall

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m.
Interpreted Mass: 10:00 a.m. 

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday 7:40 pm
Saturday 5:40 pm or by Appointment

PRIESTHOOD OR RELIGIOUS LIFE: For more information or assistance, you may contact your parish priest or Rev. Michael King, the Diocesan Vocation Director at 905-528-7988, ext. 2240 or www.vocationsinfo.ca

ADORATION CHAPEL

The Blessed Sacrament is available for adoration 24 hours per day. For adoration outside regular office hours, please register at the office for the door code. Adoration is offered for Vocations on the First Friday of every month.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please contact the Administration Office as soon as possible after the birth of your baby.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please contact the Administration Office, generally, one year in advance. At least one party to the marriage must be Catholic and living within the territory of the parish or a parishioner of Holy Rosary Parish.

MISSION STATEMENT

Holy Rosary Parish is a Catholic Community rooted in Faith, Hope and Love. Empowered by the Holy Spirit, we strive to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ and spread it to our growing and diverse community. We welcome and reach out to individuals and families through Worship, Evangelization, Christian Formation and Service to all God's people.

PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. John Van Hees, Pastor
Fr. Hayden Starczala, Associate Pastor
Rev. Mr. James Whittaker, Deacon

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Stephanie Butler, Parish Secretary/Finance
Corina Thomas, Parish Secretary
Dennis Herrero, Property Manager

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE 905-878-6535

Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
(Summer Hours: Office closes at 3:30 p.m.)
Saturday 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

OUR SCHOOLS

Bishop Reding Secondary	905-875-0124
Our Catholic Elementary Schools	
Our Lady of Victory	905-876-4379
Holy Rosary	905-876-1121
St. Peter	905-878-4626
St. Anthony of Padua	905-864-8272
Queen of Heaven	289-851-9329

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome! Please take time to tell us about yourself. Parish registration forms are available in the foyer of the church. These may be completed and placed in the collection basket or dropped off at the parish office.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Please email your announcement to the Parish Office at reception@holyrosaryparish.ca by Monday at 9:00 a.m.

CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in your family please contact the parish office and we will assist you in making liturgical arrangements. The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton website is www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



Tuesday, Aug 10, 2021 – St. Lawrence

7:00 p.m. †Christopher Salvatore Galioto; †Kleber Leon;
†Louis Fernandes; S/I Anne Marie Hili

Wednesday, Aug 11, 2021 – St. Clare

9:00 a.m. †Diane Loeppky

Thursday, Aug 12, 2021

9:00 a.m. †Margaret Gleeson

Friday, Aug 13, 2021

9:00 a.m. †Joseph Brosnan

Saturday, Aug 14, 2021 – The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

5:00 p.m. †Finn O'Donoghue; †Nish Clarke; †Paddy Gleeson; †Cecilia Fernandes; S/I Maureen Simpson

Sanctuary Lamp – Week of August 8th, 2021
Special Intentions of the Thuss Family

Readings for Sunday, August 15th, 2021:

Revelation 11.19a; 12.1-6a, 10ab
1 Corinthians 15.20-26
Luke 1.39-56

“At your right hand stands the queen in gold of Ophir.”

† † † † †

ADORATION CHAPEL



The 24 hour Adoration Chapel is now open for private prayer. The chapel door is unlocked from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm, Monday to Friday. This entrance is being used for the chapel only. You cannot use this entrance for the Church. If you are attending Mass, you must enter through the main doors by Martin Street through the Narthex. The chapel is able to accommodate a **maximum of 7** people at safe social distances. Please wear a **mask**. Please use the **hand sanitizer** before entering the chapel. **Washrooms** will **not** be accessible for the time being.

Refer to our website: www.holyrosaryparish.ca for additional events & information!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL VBS HOME KITS AVAILABLE

Vacation Bible School cannot be held in person this year; however VBS home kits “VBS-in-a-box” are available from the parish office. The kits include daily prayers, saint highlights, craft supplies and outdoor activities. The fee is \$40 per kit. For further information, contact the parish office at 905-878-6535.



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SSVP COLLECTION WEEK



The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul boxes will be out from **August 14th to 21st, 2021** for your donations. Your generosity is most appreciated and on behalf of the needy of our Parish community, we thank you.

PRAYER INTENTION FOR VOCATIONS

"I am the living bread that came down from heaven." Each of us must be a living sign and symbol of God's presence within us. If you are willing to witness Christ with your life as a priest, religious or deacon, call the Diocese of Hamilton Vocations office at vocations@hamiltondiocese.com or 905-528-7988, ext. 2246.

Please remember to especially pray for our priests:

Aug 9 – Rev. Frank Voorwerk
Aug 10 – Rev. Scott Whitfield
Aug 11 – Legionaries of Christ (L.C.)
Aug 12 – Rev. Ron Cote
Aug 13 – Rev. Michael Bennett
Aug 14 – Rev. Ralph Diodati

By doing what God demands of us with total surrender of our innermost being, we cause the divine life to become our own inner life. Entering into ourselves, we find God in our own selves. – St. Teresa Benedicta



BECOMING CATHOLIC! (RCIA -- Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Is God calling you or someone you know to join the Catholic faith or complete the sacraments of initiation? If so, the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is for you! Beginning in late September or early October, adults (16 years of age and older) who wish to be baptized or received as full members of the Roman Catholic Church are invited to meet weekly with a team of parishioners and members of the pastoral staff. Together, we explore the Catholic Christian faith and prepare for the Sacraments of Initiation, which are celebrated at Easter. For more information on this program please contact the Parish Office.



HALTON ALIVE SIDEWALK CHALKING INITIATIVE

Join Halton Alive in touching the hearts of over 6500 residents of long term care and retirement homes through our 2021 Inspire Hope Campaign! Volunteers needed to chalk at 45 locations during **June & August!** Sign up to draw colourful designs and messages on walkways to bring joy and encouragement to the staff and residents as they go in and out. Includes discussion starters for families, teachers and groups. Sign up at www.haltonalive.ca/inspirehope or contact Tawnya Stanus 905-632-3232.

2021 CHURCH OFFERING ENVELOPES



If you haven't already picked up your Sunday Offering Envelopes, all remaining boxes are now in the parish office. Please stop by to pick them up Monday to Friday, 8:30 am to 3:30 pm or Saturday, 1 pm to 6 pm. We are very grateful to all our parishioners who generously do their part to support the work of the Church and our Parish.

MARIAN RESIDENCE

Marian Residence Retirement Home is a vibrant Catholic home located in a quiet residential area of Cambridge and is owned and operated by the Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate. There are large and affordable rooms, each with a four-piece bath, provide spacious comfort while trained staff does the cooking, personal care and housework for the residents. Tours are being booked now and new admissions are being accepted. For further information please email marianresidence1977@gmail.com.

REGNUM CHRISTI VIBRANT FAMILY MINISTRIES

If you are interested in building stronger faith-based family-oriented relationships in your community where you can grow together in mercy and love for God, this might be the program for you and your family.

Vibrant Family Ministries is a Catholic ministry where married couples share insights and family experiences with the prompting of Catholic resources. The goal is to grow deeper in communion with Christ within the Domestic Church.

Contact us by email amunrod@icloud.com or call Adriana (416)809-7533.

<https://www.regnumchristiantario.org/post/live-the-mystery-through-the-family>



CHAPEL

When visiting the chapel, please respect the silence of others who are praying around you.



CATECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE COURSES



Programs are available for children from Kindergarten through to High School who are not currently receiving religious instruction. Preparation for **First Communion** and **Confirmation** for children not in Catholic Schools also available. Families work through the programs at home. Contact the parish office for more information and for registration forms.

DID YOU KNOW?

You can support Holy Rosary Parish in a variety of ways. For details, visit: <https://www.holyrosaryparish.ca/donations.html>



Thank you to all of our parishioners who continue to support our parish community through donation drop-offs, call in credit card payments, Canada Helps and pre-authorized payments. Your continued generosity is very much appreciated!

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