



#### **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 p.m.

Saturday: 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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.

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#### **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



#### Tuesday, May 3, 2022 - St. Philip & St. James

8:00 a.m. **†**Oliver Turley

7:00 p.m. **†**Giuseppa Sedita; **†**Tim Hodges; **\$/I** Fr. Jim

Petrie; In Thanksgiving

#### Wednesday, May 4, 2022

8:00 a.m. **†**Joe Deoni

7:00 p.m. 

†Maria Domenica Ricco

#### Thursday, May 5, 2022

8:00 a.m. **†**Pagasa & Alma Fausta

7:00 p.m. **†**Wilfred & Beatrice Bennett

Friday, May 6, 2022 – St. François de Laval

8:00 a.m. **S/I** Patricia Bell

#### Saturday, May 7, 2022 – 4th Sunday of Easter

5:00 p.m. **†**Anna Maria Antonucci; **†**Clarence

Frederick & Laura Ramsey; †Dec. Memb. Cooney, Kane & Whelan Families; †Mary

#### Sanctuary Lamp – Week of May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022

In Loving Memory of Angelo & Mona Palladina

#### Readings for Sunday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2022:

Acts 13.14, 43-52 Revelation 7.9, 14b-17 John 10.27-30

"We are his people: the sheep of his pasture."

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#### FIRST COMMUNION

Congratulations to the children who are receiving the Eucharist for the first time this

weekend. An open invitation is extended to the parents and godparents to bring these children to Mass regularly so that they can receive the Eucharist often.

Refer to our website: <u>www.holyrosaryparish.ca</u> for additional events, information & updates!

#### **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

"Save the Date" for Vacation Bible School from **August 8**<sup>th</sup>-**12**<sup>th</sup> for any students



entering JK to Grade 6. High school students interested in volunteering are welcome. This is a great way for you to earn your volunteer hours. We are needing other volunteers to help run stations and lead groups from station to station. If interested, please contact **Kim Curley** at kcurley@primus.ca or 905-875-1270.



## WELCOME TO THOSE WHO WERE BAPTIZED INTO GOD'S FAMILY

April 2022:

Luca Antonio Abeygoonawardena, Victor Genschow Aguiar, Thomas Henry Avila, Laura Evelyn Da Costa, Ysabelle Ballesteros Miranda, Salvatore Lazaros Panagiotoglou, Jonah Korzun Saraiva, Nathan Michael Sharkey and Emilia Isabelle Velasco

May God bless and help your parents and godparents in their role as first educators in the ways of our Catholic Christian Faith.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 2022 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM



The Knights of Columbus are awarding **2** scholarships of **\$1000.00** to two successful candidates meeting specific criteria. The focus of the awards is on commitment to further education - the scholarships will acknowledge two members of Holy Rosary Parish for commitment to further their education in a college or university program or a trade. Deadline: **May 8**<sup>th</sup>, **2022.** For further details, visit the parish website:

https://www.holyrosaryparish.ca/knights-of-columbus.html

The Ontario Knights of Columbus are holding a 50-50 Raffle. While the lottery has adapted to our new social distancing reality, it remains committed to use the money raised to help its traditional charities, such as the Arthritis Society, Special Olympics Ontario, the Children's Wish Foundation, and many other worthwhile charities. Local Knights of Columbus subordinate councils participating in the sale of tickets will continue to receive a portion of the funds to help support local charities in their area.

For tickets, select Milton Holy Rosary 6777 at:

https://ontariokofcraffle.5050central.com/?olc=6777.



## CHALLENGE GIRLS MOTHER-DAUGHTER HIGH TEA

Challenge Girls, Milton invites you to a Mother – Daughter High Tea on **Friday, May 13**<sup>th</sup> from **6 – 7:30 pm** at Holy Rosary Parish Hall. Bring your mom, daughter, cousin, grandma, aunt, close friend for an elegant evening to remember! Cost is \$5/person, RSVP by **May 8**<sup>th</sup>. Check the club website <a href="www.challengemilton.com">www.challengemilton.com</a> for more details or contact Nazneen Duarte at **647-456-4195** or email <a href="mailton@gmail.com">challengeinmilton@gmail.com</a> for more info.

## THE BLESSED SACRAMENT EVERY FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH



If you can spare 1 hour to pray for vocations Addition to the priesthood and religious life, please sign up for Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the chapel the first Friday of every month, starting at 8:30 a.m. Friday, continuing until Saturday 8:30 a.m. For additional information contact **Carmie Liberta** at **905-854-4204**.



# PRIESTHOOD AND CONSECRATED/RELIGIOUS LIFE APPRECIATION MASS

Serra Club of Hamilton invites you to an Appreciation Mass on **Tuesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2022** at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King starting at **7:00 pm**. We will celebrate and honour our brothers and sisters who have chosen the Priesthood or Consecrated/Religious Life and have marked their 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary serving the Diocese of Hamilton in 2020, 2021 and 2022. Please see the website: Celebration of Priesthood and Religious Life Dinner (<a href="https://celebrationprl.wixsite.com/dinner">https://celebrationprl.wixsite.com/dinner</a>) or call Margaret Carreiro at 905-628-5682 for further details.

#### INTERNATIONAL WORKERS' DAY MAY 1, 2022

International Workers' Day is celebrated in many countries. This can be a day to recognize the value of human work, defend the dignity of working people, encourage all to be responsible in their work and celebrate the role that human work has in God's plan for creation.

#### PRISON MINISTRY



Holy Rosary Church has an active prison ministry. Volunteers from

the parish regularly visit **Vanier Centre for Women** located in Milton.

Pope Francis placed a special emphasis on ministering to those in prison when he took the extraordinary step of naming the threshold of each jail cell a Holy Door of Mercy.

If you are interested in learning more about this important ministry and perhaps joining our dedicated group of volunteers, call **Nuala Harold** at **647-405-9196**.

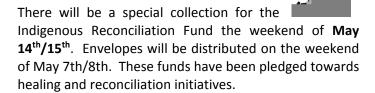
#### **HOLY SEPULCHRE CEMETERY MASS**



The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton is pleased to announce that the

Spring Memorial Mass at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Burlington, will be held on **Saturday, May 14**<sup>th</sup> at **11:00 am**. Please be advised that this Mass will take place outdoors. All are welcome!

## INDIGENOUS RECONCILIATION FUND



#### PRAYER INTENTION FOR VOCATIONS

If God is calling you to be a priest, deacon or religious, contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at <a href="mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com">vocations@hamiltondiocese.com</a> or 905-528-7988.

Please remember to especially pray for our priests:

May 2 – Rev. Florian Stasinski, C.R.

May 3 - Rev. Jim Valk, C.R.

May 4 – Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate (SSMI)

May 5 - Rev. Adam Wroblewicz, C.R.

May 6 - Very Rev. Aleksander Mazur, S.A.C.

May 7 - Rev. Sutherland MacDonald, C.R.

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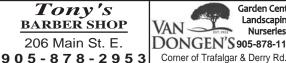
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