



# 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

Saturday 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. 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](http://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. Peter Meyer, Pastor

Fr. Francis Hubilla, Associate Pastor

## ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Stephanie Uhraney, Parish Secretary/Finance

Corina Thomas, Parish Secretary

Dennis Herrero, Property Manager

## ADMINISTRATION OFFICE 905-878-6535

Monday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Tues, Wed, Thurs 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

## OUR SCHOOLS

Bishop Reding Secondary 905-875-0124

Our Catholic Elementary Schools

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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 have written copy into the office by Monday at 9:00 a.m.

## CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in your family please contact the parish office before contacting the Funeral Home, and we will assist you in making liturgical arrangements. The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton website is [www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca](http://www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca)

# Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



**Tuesday, November 22, 2016 – St. Cecilia**

8:00 a.m. †Jesus Pagcanlungan Sr.

**Wednesday, November 23, 2016**

8:00 a.m. †Jean Keilty; †Anthony Westelaken;  
†Floriberto Brilhaute; †Severino & Giovani  
Scremin; †Connie Cooper; †Antonio Liberta;  
†Joseph Lilko; †Dec. Family Memb. & All  
Souls in Purgatory; †Bruna Petruzza; S/I  
Hilary Kustermans

**Thursday, November 24, 2016 – St. Andrew Dung-Lac**

8:00 a.m. †Brendan Yapp

**Friday, November 25, 2016**

8:00 a.m. Int. of Marites Lalangan

**Saturday, November 26 – 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent**

5:00 p.m. †Paul Lobo; †Rebecca McGonigle; †Dec.  
Memb. Franceschini Family; †Dec. Memb. of  
Mozzobel Family; †Frank Pedulla; †John &  
Lucille Bradley; †Mary Funk; †Giuseppe  
Pedulla; †Silverio Feola; S/I Iris Gallagher

**Sanctuary Lamp – Week of November 20, 2016**

In Loving Memory of Mary Morandin

**Readings for Next Sunday:**

Isaiah 2.1-5

Romans 13.11-14

Matthew 24.37-44

*“Keep awake, you must be ready.”*

† † † † †

## FROM THE PASTOR’S DESK.....

**PARKING:** Please respect the NO PARKING and FIRE ROUTE signs. Lately there have been cars that have blocked routes.

Also, be aware of the NO PARKING areas on our NEIGHBOUR’S PRIVATE PROPERTY. In an effort to be good Christian Neighbours, please be respectful of these requests.

In Christ, Fr. Peter Meyer

## PRAYER INTENTION FOR VOCATIONS

Loving Father, bless Your Church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, brothers, and sisters. Give those whom You are calling to the married state and those You are choosing to live as single persons in the world the special graces that their lives require. Form us all in the likeness of Your Son so that through Him, and in Him, we may love You more deeply and serve You more faithfully.

We ask this through Christ Our Lord Amen.

Please remember to especially pray for our priests:

**Nov. 22 – Rev. David Wilhelm**

**Nov. 23 – Rev. Robert Stainsby**

**Nov. 24 – Discalced Carmelite Fathers (O.C.D.)**

**Nov. 25 – Rev. Hanh Van Tran, O.M.I.**

**Nov. 26 – Rev. Charles Jordan**

**Nov. 27 – Rev. Saju Oreethaparambil, C.Ss.R.**

## NOVEMBER IS THE MONTH OF ALL SOULS

Every November, we place the “Book of Life” at the front of the Church and ask that you enter the names of your deceased family and friends.

We encourage all our parishioners to enter the names of those who have died in the “*Book of Life*” so that we can remember them in our Masses and prayers throughout November.



We welcome **Father Paul Boucher** to Holy Rosary Parish the weekend of November 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup>, 2016.

## HEALING MASS FOR THOSE IN MOURNING

Losing a child is a painful and life-altering experience for parents, grandparents and other family members. The feeling of loss, regardless of the amount of time that has passed, is often more profound during the Christmas season. A Diocesan Healing Mass, meant to bring hope to all those trying to cope with such grief, is planned at the **Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King for Sunday, November 27, 2016 at 4 pm.** Any one who has lost a child of any age from any cause, including those that have lost a child prior to birth, or who have had a still birth are invited to this Mass celebrated by Bishop Douglas Crosby. **God is close to those who mourn, come and experience His healing presence.** Registration is preferred, but not necessary, as it will assist us in knowing how many spaces to reserve and to ensure we have enough of the small memento each family will receive. Please call Lena at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or register online at [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com).



## CHALLENGE GIRLS

Over the last couple of weeks the girls have been diligently working on filling shoe boxes with different personal items for a child. Each girl was given an empty shoe box to take home and asked to fill it with school supplies, toiletries, hair care products, a toy, etc. These boxes will be transported to a needy child somewhere in the world. Canadian Food For Children is a registered charity with the Canadian government. If you would like to donate to this cause, please contact Liz Santos at [liz6262@hotmail.com](mailto:liz6262@hotmail.com) or 289-971-5589 call or text.

## ON THE WAY TO BETHLEHEM

The 15<sup>th</sup> Annual "On the Way to Bethlehem", an interactive outdoor pageant. Volunteers are needed in all capacities: set up, take down, refreshments, greeting and roles of every description - kings, little angels, big angels, shepherds, Mary(s) Joseph(s), pages, singers, a Hebrew family - you name it! Start a family tradition of participating as a family. Volunteers are still needed as cast and/or set-up crew.

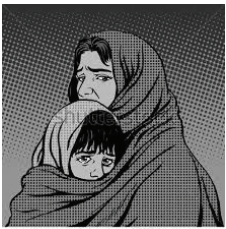
This year's dates are Friday, Saturday and Sunday evenings **November 25, 26, 27. Admission - \$5.00 for adults; Children are \$2.** For more information call Andrea (905) 875-0839 or Willi (905) 878-2200.



## RCIA

Please pray for the **Catechumens** who were welcomed last week.

## SYRIAN REFUGEE COMMITTEE



The Syrian Refugee committee will be raffling a number of items just in time for Christmas. There will be a doll house donated by Fr. Peter's mother, quilts, needle point pictures and wall hangings. Tickets will be sold before and after

masses in the Narthex on the weekends of Nov. 19, 20 and 26, 27 and Dec. 3, 4. All items will be on display at this time. The draw will take place after 11:30 mass on Dec. 4th. Tickets are \$5 each or 3 for \$10. All proceeds will go to support our Syrian Refugee Family.



Please pray for our **Confirmandi** who will be confirmed on Saturday, November 26, 2016.

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

### Reminder!!

Members of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be at the church doors after all Masses on **Nov. 26 & 27** to take up their monthly collection. This is our **Christmas Collection** and will enable us to provide Christmas hampers for many of the needy in our community. We thank you for your generosity.



### The Angels Are Coming!!!

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will have angels available again this year on Nov. 19/20 to provide gifts for those who are not as fortunate at Christmas. Each angel, which can be found in the crib in the church foyer, is marked with a gift for a child or adult. These gifts are to be returned **UNWRAPPED** on **December 3, 4, 10, & 11** with the **DEADLINE BEING DECEMBER 11TH. Please return your angel with your gift.** Gifts are to be put into the sleigh that can be found in the church foyer. Please note, if you are giving a gift card, please make sure that it is from a local establishment as many do not have the facility to go out of town.

**If you did not get an angel,** a tin of fancy biscuits and/or a small Christmas fruitcake would be greatly appreciated as they can be added for the families' Christmas dinner. They too can be placed in the sleigh. Thank you and may God bless you in your generosity.

## 2016 LIVING WITH CHRIST SUNDAY MISSALS

The new 2016-2017 "Living with Christ" Sunday Missals have arrived! The missals become effective on the first Sunday of Advent, November 27, 2016. They can be purchased after Mass or at the Parish Office. Cost is \$5.00 each.

## FLOURISHING FAITH

Holy Rosary Parish invites all new Catholics to join our 'Flourishing Faith' group. This group is designed to nurture the faith of adult Catholics who have been confirmed within the last 5 years (e.g. through RCIA). Together, we will grow in our understanding of Catholic truths, deepen our spiritual life, and seek the joy and peace Christ offers us. 'Flourishing Faith' consists of a monthly meeting and an online discussion forum lead by a catechist. Our next gathering will be on **November 23<sup>rd</sup>** in the parish hall. If you plan to begin attending, or if you would like more information, please email [faithflourishmilton@gmail.com](mailto:faithflourishmilton@gmail.com).



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