## Annunciation of Our Lord Parish

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#### PASTORAL STAFF

Father Malcolm Katzenberger, Pastor Mrs. Tess Perez, Pastoral Associate/Youth Minister

#### PARISH STAFF

Susan Healy, Parish Secretary Sr. Lucina Thanathuparampil, Office Assistant Peter Gibbs, Custodian Cindy Green, Parish Assistant

#### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday - 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Closed from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. for lunch

#### PRAYER NETWORK

"Never underestimate the power of prayer." - John Paul II, Miami 1987. Our parish has a dedicated group who pray for the intentions of those who seek or need help. Please contact our parish office with your prayer request.

#### **SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

To make arrangements for infant or child baptism, please complete a Baptism form located at the main church entrances AND contact the office at least six weeks in advance. Attendance at a Baptism Preparation meeting is also required.

#### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples wishing to be married at our Parish should contact the parish priest for an appointment. At least one years notice is required.

#### R.C.I.A.

Considering Becoming Catholic? Please contact the Parish Office for information regarding the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults and the process for becoming a member of the Roman Catholic Church.

# SACRAMENT OF THE SICK HOLY COMMUNION TO SHUT-INS

Holy Communion is brought regularly to the sick, elderly and shut-ins by our Ministers of Communion. A Priest will be happy to bring the Sacrament of the Sick to your home or hospital room upon request.

#### CHILDREN'S LITURGY PROGRAM

At the Sunday 10:30 a.m. and 12 noon Masses (except July and August)

#### **PARISH SCHOOLS**

Annunciation of Our Lord 905 388-4495 St. Thomas More Secondary 905 388-3030

#### **PARISH BEQUESTS**

Keep your Love for your Parish alive! We invite you, in your kindness, to consider remembering Annunciation of Our Lord Parish in your will and when recommending expressions of sympathy. If anyone wishes to make such a bequest in their will, please contact the parish office @ 905.388.2078. THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

#### CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When death occurs in your family, please contact your Funeral Director who will coordinate with our office in making liturgical arrangements.

#### **PARISH CENTRE RENTALS**

Please contact George or Josie at 905-512-9050



#### CONFESSIONS

Tuesday 6:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. Saturday 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### **MASSES**

Tuesday 7:00 p.m. Our Mother of Perpetual

Help Mass

Wednesday & Thursday 9:00 a.m

Friday 9:30 a.m. (Mass with School Children)

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:00 p.m.

#### **DEVOTIONS**

1st Friday (Ex Jul & Aug) 9:45 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. - Adoration

1st Saturday (Ex Jul & Aug) 9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

- Pro-Life Rosary & Liturgy of the Word

#### THE ROSARY

Join us for the Rosary, a half hour prior to each Mass

#### **DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS**

Saturdays at 4:15 p.m. before the Rosary

#### PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

Next to receiving our Lord and Saviour in the Holy Eucharist, Jesus is calling us to regularly visit and adore Him, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. The Blessed Sacrament is exposed perpetually (24 hours a day) in our Adoration Chapel. Please contact the office for access instructions or to become a regularly scheduled Guardian.

#### **VOCATIONS**

Do you feel called by God to His Priesthood or Religious Life? Our Diocesan Vocations Office is available to answer your questions and provide guidance. Contact the Vocation Director for Hamilton Diocese at 905-528-7988 or see the website www.vocationinfo.ca for further information.

#### WELCOME AND REGISTRATION

To all who worship with us today, may the Lord bless you! We invite you to join our faith community. Please fill in a blue registration form found at the entrances.

#### **BULLETIN DEADLINE:**

Monday noon, written submissions only.

# Mass for the Intentions Week

#### Monday June 26-No Mass

<u>Tuesday June 27-</u> 7 p.m.-K.M.Mathew, N.M.Markos, Dennis Roque & deceased family members, Maria Rapetta, Special intentions of Anna Sagan, Mario & Generacion Cabrera, Dan Trevisan, John Horsham, Special intentions of Clement Perera, Melissa Adams

Wednesday June 28 -9:00 a.m.- Ida Bugiardini Thursday June 29-9:00 a.m.- Jerome D'Silva Friday June 30-9:30 a.m. - Darlene Twible

First Saturday July 1-5:00 p.m. –Benita & Ettore Tavani, John Da Silva, Nelia Landicho, Dennis Fisher, Deceased members of the Portolesi Family, Deceased members of the Trimboli Family, Alberto Maqueda, Benjamin Apuada Sr., Francesca Montecristo, John McKenna

#### Sunday July 2

9:00 a.m. – Pro Populo 10:30 a.m. – Arthur McLean 12:00 p.m. – Florina Castura

#### PRAY TO OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP



The two blue candles by Our Mother of Perpetual Help can be lit for your intention (\$5 <u>each</u>). The shrine is located by our Blessed Tabernacle. We encourage all of our parishioners to take a moment

and offer a prayer for these intentions:

Special intentions

#### **Diocesan Prayer Calendar**

Monday: Rev. Piotr Golinski

**Tuesday:** Most. Rev. Douglas Crosby, O.M.I, D.D. Wednesday: Sisters of St. John the Baptist

Thursday: Rev. Andrew Czarny
Friday: Very Rev. Tim Hingston
Saturday: Rev. Lukasz Kopaniak, S.A.C.

#### **READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY**



2 Kings 4.8-12a, 14-16 Romans 6.3-4, 8-11 Matthew 10.37-42

"Whoever does not take up their cross and follow me is not worthy of me"

#### **OFFERINGS**



IN OUR PARISH

### **Sunday Offerings**

Sunday June 11<sup>TH</sup> \$5,916.00 Parish Centre Appeal \$1925.00 Building Fund \$1,473.00

Thank you for your support!

#### **HAMILTON VOCATIONS**

#### 12<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Have no Fear." Considering a ministerial vocation is not popular, but it may be what God is calling you to do. If God is calling you to the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.Email: <a href="mailto:mking@hamiltondiocese.co">mking@hamiltondiocese.co</a>

#### PARISH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

The Parish Office will be closed on Fridays at noon starting June 30<sup>th</sup>. Normal hours will resume September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

#### **PARISH BULLETIN**

The Parish Bulletin will be published twice this summer. The July bulletin will be published the weekend of July 1/2, 2017 and the August bulletin will be published on the weekend of August 5/6, 2017 Weekly publication will resume on the weekend of September 9/10, 2017.

#### CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



The CWL would like to thank the 150 parishioners and guests who came out to join us for our 1st Strawberry Festival. A special thank you to those CWL members and community volunteers who prepared

for and ran this event. A great time was had by all. Our next regular meeting will be on Thursday, September 07. Have a safe and enjoyable summer!

#### CATHECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE COURSES

Programs are available for children from Kindergarten through to High School 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. Please contact Mrs. Tess Perez here at the parish office. 905-388-2078 ext. 201

#### THE GREAT RICE ROUND UP

Neighbour to Neighbour is asking people to help gather as much rice as possible for the Food Bank. Rice and dried whole grains are important healthy food staples. They are affordable, easy to prepare and store, versatile, delicious and nutritious. An abundance of rice and dried whole grains is key to providing healthy food service to families living with poverty. Your support will help many hungry families who need sustenance to stay healthy. Let's rally together and show our community that sharing food and caring for your neighbor is the best way!

#### HAMILTON MOUNTAIN FARMERS' MARKET

The Hamilton Mountain Farmers' Market sponsored by Sacred Heart Church begins its tenth year on Saturday May 20th, 2017 and will run Saturdays until November 4, 2017. The market is open from 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The market is a True Farmers' market where all the produce is grown or produced on local area farms and sold by the farmers themselves. The market is located at the corner of Viewpoint and Mountain Park. Come out and support the farmers and enjoy the fresh seasonal produce!

#### **FAMILY SYMPOSIUM**

What supports do families need from the Church? What are the pressures they face in their day to day lives? What are the challenges, joys, highs and lows in families today? Where do they seek support when it is needed? Where do they see the role of the Church in their lives and in helping them cope with everyday life issues and events?

The Diocese of Hamilton, through the Family Ministry Office, wants to hear from you on these topics. You can do this in two ways: 1. Attend our Symposium for Families being held on September 23rd, 2017 beginning with Bishop Crosby saying Mass at 9:30 and ending at 4 p.m. 2. Fill in the on line survey posted on the website at <a href="http://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/symposium-on-family">http://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/symposium-on-family</a> beginning June 28th. The more people who engage in both these events the greater the knowledge we will gather. Family matters - help us discover how the Diocese can help you in the most important role of family. For more information call 905-528-7988 and ask for Teresa (ext. 2250) or Wendy (ext. 2241)

#### **CATHOLIC FAMILY SERVICES**

Catholic Family Services provides confidential:

- Individual, Couple & Family Counseling
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- Mediation
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### **NOVENA OF ST. ANN**

Annual 9 day Novena in honour of St. Ann Begins Tues, July 18th through to Wed., July 26th Mass each evening with the blessing of the relic at 7pm Confessions to follow

Anointing of the Sick on Friday, July 21st at 7pm Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, OM Bishop of Hamilton will celebrate the feast day Mass on Wed, July 26th at 7pm. Light reception to follow in St. Ann's School gym. Wheelchair accessible – all welcome.

St. Ann's Church, 120 Sherman Ave. N. (at Barton St. E.) Hamilton. More info 905-544-0488

#### JOSHUA MINISTRY

Pilgrimage Coordinator – Bev Traina 905-575-0145 ~Summer Pilgrimage ~
OUR LADY OF THE CAPE SHRINE, QUEBEC

(National Shrine of Our Blessed Mother in Canada) Sunday, August 20<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday, August 23<sup>rd,</sup> 2017 Cost is \$390.00 Canadian – Price includes H.S.T., Transportation, All accommodations, most meals. Please call for further information

Annunciation of Our Lord Parish
Youth Ministry
Conquest and Challenge Club
"Amen, I say to you. Whatever you do to the least
brothers of mine, you did it for me"

**Conquest** is a club for boys designed to instill virtue, develop character and encourage spiritual growth, while offering its participants challenging physical, intellectual and spiritual activities.

**Challenge** is a club for girls to grow in virtue, friendship and their Catholic faith. Both clubs are currently operating in over 150 parishes and schools in US and Canada with over 3,500 members, 200 volunteers and 500 teen leaders. Please do prayerfully consider having your boy or girl attend these programs. They will not regret it!

**Place:** St. Therese of Lisieux 1760 Garth St., Hamilton, ON

Participants: Boys (Conquest) and Girls (Challenge) Grades 4-8 (Mom & Dad are welcome!)

For more info: Mrs. Tess Perez 905-388-2078 x 201



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