

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH

(FOUNDED IN 1849)

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon, 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Tuesday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon, 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Friday 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon

WEEKEND LITURGY

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

WEEKDAY LITURGY

Tuesday 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday 6:15 - 6:45 p.m.
Saturday 11:30 a.m. - 12 noon, and by appointment

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS

Tuesday evening Mass

SACRED HEART DEVOTION

First Friday of every month at 8:30 a.m.

**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, FRIDAYS FOR 15 MINUTES AFTER 9 AM MASS
FOLLOWED BY BENEDICTION**

VISIT OUR WEBSITE <http://www.stjohnthebaptist.ca> for articles & photos of all parish activities.

BAPTISMS

Please contact the parish office. Baptisms are on the third Sunday of each month at 12:30 p.m.

MARRIAGES

Please contact the Pastor at least nine months in advance.

PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE

For more information or assistance contact our parish priest(s) or see www.vocationinfo.ca

VOLUNTEERING FOR A MINISTRY

Email sjtbvolunteer@gmail.com with your name, phone number and ministry you are interested in. The ministry leader will contact you.

CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in your family please advise the priest immediately and they will assist you in making the liturgical arrangements. For information on Catholic burial, contact the cemetery office at 905-522-7727 or 1-800-661-5985.

NEW PARISHIONERS

We invite you to take the time to complete a census form, located at all doors of the church. Please drop it into the collection basket.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

All bulletin announcements MUST be received by the parish office no later than Monday at 3:30 p.m. to ensure publication in the upcoming Sunday Bulletin.



Mass Intentions

"...this earthly tent burdens the thoughtful mind."

- Wisdom 9:15

Monday September 5

I Corinthians 5:1-8; Luke 6:6-11 – No Mass

Tuesday September 6

I Corinthians 6:1-11; Luke 6:12-19

7 PM – Allan Hawryluc

Wednesday September 7

I Corinthians 7:1, 17, 25-31+; Luke 6:20-26

9 AM – Les McLean

Thursday September 8 – *Nativity of the Blessed Virgin*

Romans 8:28-30; Matthew 1:18-23

9 AM – Guy & Pierrette McCarthy

Friday September 9

I Corinthians 9:16-19, 22b-27; Luke 6:39-42

9 AM – Ted Startek

Saturday September 10

I Corinthians 10:14-22a; Luke 6:43-49

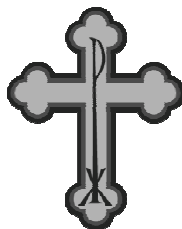
5 PM – Tony Delaney

Sunday September 11 – *24th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14; I Timothy 1:12-17; Luke 15:1-32

9 AM – Pro Populo (for the parishioners)

11 AM – Ron Marlow



C.W.L. LUNCHEON – The C.W.L. invites its members and interested women of the parish to a complimentary “meet and greet” pizza luncheon with beverages and dessert on Monday, September 12 at 12 noon in the parish hall. Our special guest will be Father Philippe. Please phone Lori at 905-637-8165 or Dolene at 905-634-8611 if you plan to attend.

Save the Date!! The *St. John Christmas Bazaar* is back and will take place on Saturday, November 12 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Vendors: if you or someone you know is an artist/crafter, please email about having a table at the Bazaar. Tables are \$35 each. Contact Peggy Black at blackpeg133@hotmail.com.

Volunteers: join the fun and volunteer to help at the Bazaar.

Donations: we would appreciate donations of new items for the Silent Auction.

Contact: sjtbvolunteer@gmail.com or Dina Knight at dinaknight779@gmail.com.

Extra voices are welcome in the Funeral Choir. Anyone who is interested is welcome to come up to the choir loft after Mass to see Leslie Polci, our Music Director.

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in September 2022 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Phone Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.



Our Parish

Monday September 5

Emotions Anonymous Meeting – 7 PM – WR

Tuesday September 6

CWL Craft Group – 10 AM – WR

Wednesday September 7

Women's AA Group – 6:15 PM – Hall

Friday September 9

AA Meeting – 9 PM – Hall



**Together
at Baptism**



**Camila Cruz and
Dawson Sparre**

*received the Sacrament of Baptism during the
month of August 2022.*

*Congratulations to their parents, Godparents and
family members.*

2022 Offertory Envelopes are available in the parish office. You are welcome to contact the parish office if you would like to visit and pick up your 2022 envelope sets or if you are a new parishioner and would like to have a boxed set of envelopes for weekly giving. Please feel free to call us for assistance if you can't visit during weekdays. The phone number is 905-634-2485.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023

Bishop Crosby is sending a delegation of 40 young adults to World Youth Day in the summer of 2023. World Youth Day (WYD) is the gathering of young people from all over the world with the Pope. It is also a pilgrimage, a celebration of youth, an expression of the universal Church and an intense moment of evangelization for the world. All young people aged 18-35 are welcome to join this pilgrimage experience.

For more information about WYD in the Diocese of Hamilton please visit: wyd.hamiltondiocese.com.

Whether you are afraid of public speaking or would like to build confidence in a leadership role within the parish, the **Christopher Leadership Course in Effective Speaking** can help. The next course begins Tuesday evening, September 13, 2022 in either Hamilton or Burlington. To register for the course near you or for more information, please visit www.clchamilton.com or phone Frank at 1-905-662-4076.

The Pope's Prayer Intentions for September

✠ *For the abolition of the death penalty; We pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country.*

Vocation View - If you are interested in the priesthood or religious life for yourself, speak to the pastor or visit the Diocesan website and click on Vocations. The phone number is 905-528-7988 or email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

IN THE DIOCESE

Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Are you looking for relief from the feelings associated with the loss of this loved one? You are not alone. **Grief Relief** programs are offered by the Diocese of Hamilton. Find out more on the Diocesan website at www.hamiltondiocese.com or by phoning Teresa at 905-528-7988, ext. 2250.

All are welcome to attend the final **Marian Day** of the year with Bishop Crosby on October 1 at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph. Devotional activities take place from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Cost of lunch is \$20. For information and to reserve your spot, phone 1-519-824-3951.

Catechetical Correspondence Courses are available to prepare children not in Catholic schools for the sacraments of First Communion and Confirmation. Families are encouraged to register early by visiting www.hamiltondiocese.com or phoning Sybil Moss at the Diocese of Hamilton, 905-528-7988, ext. 2339.

Marriage Tip –When it comes to the spousal relationship, we often experience reoccurring conflict which is not easily resolved because it is the result of fundamental differences in how we live in and/or view our world. Since it is hard to change a person's natural inclinations, couples have to find ways to resolve the ongoing conflict in ways that do not harm they love they feel for each other. One way to resolve conflict is to sit together when you are calm and find a middle ground that will work for both of you. We like to be right, so both partners will have to suspend their own desire and look for a workable solution for both. The benefit? Calmer moments, more shared love and a happy household. Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988, ext. 2250.

Retrouvaille is a program for married couples designed to improve communication, build stronger marriages and reconnect. The next Retrouvaille weekend is on October 21-23. Phone 905-664-5212.

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