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LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 P.M.
Sunday: 9:00 A.M.; 11:00 A.M.; 8:00 P.M.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Friday 9:30 - 10:00 A.M.
Saturday 9:30 - 10:00 A.M. and 4:00-4:30 P.M.
or by appointment

BAPTISMS

If you are seeking baptism for your child, please complete the Request for Baptism form found on our website and email to aouellette@hamiltondiocese.com or drop off in person at the parish office.

MARRIAGES

Couples planning to be married must contact the priest one year in advance. You must be a registered parishioner, attending this parish.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Saturday: 9:00 A.M. (Except Tuesdays)
Tuesday ONLY: 7:00 P.M.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 9:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.
Tuesday - Friday: 9:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M., 1:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M.

NEW PARISHIONERS

If you wish to become a member of the parish, we invite you to take time to register by completing a Parish Registration Form available on our parish website. The forms are also available at the parish office if you require a hard copy. If you are currently registered and now wish to use Offertory Envelopes please complete the registration form and return to the parish office or drop in the Offertory basket. If you wish to sign up for Pre-Authorized Debit please complete the form available on our website. These forms are also available at the parish office.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

All bulletin announcements must be received by the parish secretary no later than Monday at noon to ensure publication in the upcoming Sunday bulletin. All announcements and inserts are subject to the pastor's approval.

PARISH SCHOOLS

Canadian Martyrs	3201 Lansdown Drive	905-336-5792	Michelle Kotulak, Principal
Sacred Heart of Jesus	2222 Country Club Road	905-331-4656	Pat Vigna, Principal
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Saint Christopher	2400 Sutton Drive	905-335-7553	Tara Wilson, Principal
Saint Elizabeth Seton	5070 Dryden Avenue	905-331-7246	Lisa MacLennan, Principal
Saint Timothy	2141 Deer Run Avenue	905-332-5253	Anna Marie Tolti, Principal
Notre Dame Secondary	2333 Headon Forest Drive	905-335-1544	Mark Freeman, Principal
Corpus Christi Secondary	5150 Upper Middle Road	905-331-5591	Christopher Chlisczyk, Principal

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SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FEB 16, 2025

Feb 17 – Feb 23, 2025 WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

DATE	MASS INTENTIONS
MONDAY 9:00am Mass	<u>Feb 17, 2025</u> Int. of Catholic Bishops, Priest & Seminarians imprisoned in China
TUESDAY 7:00pm Mass	<u>Feb 18, 2025</u> Intentions of the Unborn
WEDNESDAY 9:00am Mass	<u>Feb 19, 2025</u> Jean & James MacPherson
THURSDAY 9:00am Mass	<u>Feb 20, 2025</u> Michael Bennardo
FRIDAY 9:00am Mass 9:30am – 10:00am Confessions 9:30am – 12:00pm Adoration	<u>Feb 21, 2025</u> Jack Cannon
SATURDAY 9:00am Mass Intentions: Abel & Marie Dsouza 9:30am – 10:00am Confessions 4:00pm – 4:30pm Confessions 5:00pm Mass Intentions: Roberto & Clarita Castro Filippina Gibilaro Mario Michetti & Peter Lingat Families Roy Stanley Waddington	<u>Feb 22, 2025</u> – CHAIR OF ST. PETER, APOSTLE Steve Pozzobon Stephen Jang Attilio Rinaldo Mary-Jo Hamelin Ambrosina Travassos
SUNDAY 9:00am 11:00am 8:00pm	<u>Feb 23, 2025</u> – SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Mass (Livestream) Mass Mass

Vocation View

Happy are those who know they need God. Happy too those who live faithfully the vocation of the life-commitment God calls them to, be it married, single, religious or priesthood. If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

E-mail vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

Visit: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/>

Office Hours

The Parish Office will be closed Monday, February 17th for Family Day.

SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday:	Genesis 4.1-15, 25, Mark 8.11-13
Tuesday:	Genesis 6.5-8; 7.1-5, 10, Mark 8.14-21
Wednesday:	Genesis 8.6-13, 20-22, Mark 8.22-26
Thursday:	Genesis 9.1-13, Mark 8.27-33
Friday:	Genesis 11.1-9, Mark 8.34-38 – 9.1
Saturday:	1 Peter 5.1-4 Matthew 16.13-19
Sunday:	1 Samuel 26.2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-25++, 1 Corinthians 15.45-49, Luke 6.27-38

HAMILTON DIOCESE WEEKLY PRAYER CALENDAR

We pray for the following people or groups:

Monday:	Rev. Paul Edmondstone
Tuesday:	Rev. Fernand Pierre
Wednesday:	Disclated Carmelite Sisters, O.C.D.
Thursday:	Rev. Grzegorz Ogorzalek
Friday:	Rev. Msgr. Edward Sheridan
Saturday:	Very Rev. David Wynen



February 2nd

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Youth Choir

The St. Paul Youth Choir will be singing at the Easter Sunday Mass on April 20th, 2025, at 12:00pm. We welcome all youth ages 8-17 to come and join the choir. Practices will take place Thursdays from 7:00pm – 7:30pm in the Church starting **March 6th, 2025**, under the direction of the Music Director. We request that parents remain on site during rehearsals. For more information, and to register, please visit the parish website.

Children's Liturgy

Please note, there will be no Children's Liturgy on **February 16th** for Family Day Weekend.

40th Anniversary Photo Directory

St Paul the Apostle Parish is approaching the milestone of our **40th Anniversary!** Your presence in our church congregation is a **significant** part of this celebration. We formally invite all parishioners and their families to participate in our parish photo directory to capture the vibrant, generous and blessed community we have here at St. Paul's. Take advantage of this **free of charge** opportunity to receive:

- **Free copy of the photo directory**
- A place to connect **names with faces** of both new and seasoned parishioners
- **Feel connected** to the greater community of our large parish
- A chance to purchase a **professional copy** of your portrait(s) for very reasonable rates
- **Be a part** of our parish HISTORY as we celebrate 40 years!

We have new dates now available in **February**. For more information and to sign up for your photo session, please see the parish **40th Anniversary** webpage. You may also book your photo session directly, by using this QR code:



Coffee Sunday

Please join us February 23rd, for Coffee Sunday in the parish hall after the 9am and 11am Masses for refreshments and fellowship. Thank you, Catholic Women's League for hosting!

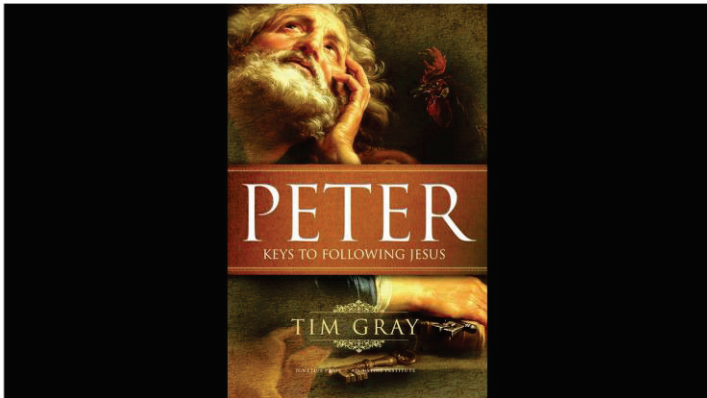
Jubilee Pilgrimage of Hope – Information Night

Information meeting for St Paul's Pilgrimage will be held on **Thursday, February 20th at 7:00 p.m.** All are welcome to attend. Fr John Schnurr will lead a spiritual journey following the travels of Saint Paul the Apostle, our parish patron saint. This will be a major parish event this Jubilee Year of Hope. For more information, please contact Jennifer Downs at rcpilgrimages@gmail.com or visit the parish website.

Lenten Formation for Adults: Bread of Life

Join us Thursday mornings March 6th - April 3rd to explore Christ's teachings of Eucharist as outlined in scripture. Using the *FORMED Bread of Life* series with Dr. Tim Gray we will examine Christ's teachings of Eucharist through scripture references of his time in Galilee. Group discussions and individual reflections on the sacrament will shape our Lenten journey and help prepare us to celebrate the Passion, Death & Resurrection of our Lord this Easter.

Sessions start at 9:45 am to 11:00 am. No registration is required to participate. Refreshments and all materials will be provided at no cost. Participate in one or all sessions. For further information see our website or contact Arden Ouellette, Pastoral Minister, at the parish office.



Peter: Keys to Following Jesus by Tim Gray

Renowned scholar Dr. Tim Gray masterfully guides you through the tumultuous and inspiring life of Peter—from his call to discipleship to his eventual martyrdom in Rome. Using Sacred Scripture and tradition, Dr. Gray highlights important lessons from Peter's life.

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Tax Receipts

Tax receipts, for those who contributed \$50 or more in **2024**, are ready for pick up in the narthex. Tax receipts may be issued by request for amounts less than \$50. We sincerely thank all donors for their ongoing financial support of our parish.

SSVP Monthly Collection

Thank you to our parishioners for sharing the work of SSVP through your generous donations. Our monthly in-person collection takes place **Feb 22/23** after all masses. Your financial contributions allow us to provide much needed assistance to families and individuals in need. To obtain an income tax receipt for your contribution, please use a blue envelope, available at the entrance to the church if you do not already.

First Charity Bottle Drive of '25

The Knights of Columbus return with their First Charity Bottle Drive of 2025 on Saturday, March 1st and Sunday, March 2nd from 10AM to 1PM both days at St. Paul The Apostle's church parking lot. All liquor, beer and wine containers, cans and bottles are welcomed. Please continue to hold onto your empties and we hope to see you there! Further information can be found on our website www.kofc17397.org.

St Paul's Council - Catholic Women's League (CWL)

As our membership drive continues to the end of February, we would like to thank the many women (new & returning) who have already come forward with interest in joining St Paul's CWL Council. To all who are not yet members, we need you! Your ongoing support, ideas, and fellowship is what makes the Council come alive & allows us to meet the League's mission built on *Faith, Service, & Social Justice*. **Please join us** – if you are a woman of our parish 16+ years of age (being Catholic is not a requirement). **Please join us** - if you are looking for ways to give support, build community, and be a voice to the vulnerable. **Please join us** - if you would like to be more involved in our parish & form new friendships. **Please join us** – to actively support our Mission. For more information, please contact us at stpaulCWL@gmail.com. We look forward to meeting you!



DIOCESE OF HAMILTON

ReSTART: Moving Forward

Our 10 week program offers education and support to anyone seeking to heal and move forward after divorce or separation. The sessions will be offered from March 24 - June 9 (no sessions April 21 & May 19) and are held at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West in person, or you are welcome to join our zoom classroom if you are from outside the Hamilton area. Cost is \$35 for materials, but no one is turned away. To register go to hamiltondiocese.com and look for the date under Upcoming Events, or contact Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or e-mail familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com.

Diocesan Choir

The Diocesan Choir leads and supports the assembly's song at major Diocesan liturgies, such as the Chrism Mass and Ordinations, and is looking for new members. For more information, please contact Mrs. Sharon Fazari, Choir Director, at sfazari@hamiltondiocese.com.

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