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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 <u>Request for Baptism</u> form found on our website and email to <u>aouellette@hamiltondiocese.com</u> or drop off in person at the parish office.

#### **MARRIAGES**

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

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**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
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## THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST June 22, 2025

June 23 – June 29, 2025 **WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE** 

DATE MASS INTENTIONS
MONDAY June 23, 2025

9:00am Mass Thanksgiving for Jeremy & Jacob Gaddi

<u>TUESDAY</u> <u>June 24, 2025</u> – THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN

THE BAPTIST

7:00pm Mass Int. of Margaret Mesaros

WEDNESDAYJune 25, 20259:00am MassInt. of Bobbie Smith

THURSDAY June 26, 2025 9:00am Mass Int. of All Fathers

FRIDAY June 27, 2025 – THE MOST SACRED HEART OF

**JESUS** 

9:00am Mass Helen Adams 9:30am – 10:00am Confessions 9:30am – 12:00pm Adoration

<u>SATURDAY</u> <u>June 28, 2025</u> – ST. IRENAEUS, BISHOP,

MARTYR

9:00am Mass Intentions:

Ester Lindo Petra, Juliana & Emma
John & Mary McHugh Richard, Garey & Cynthia Issacs

Nestor Rincon

9:30am - 10:00am Confessions 4:00pm - 4:30pm Confessions 5:00pm Mass Intentions:

Patricia & Gerald French
Stephen Jang
Thelma Buenviaje
Mary Tuite

Bernie Doran
Ada Ciprietti
John William Luciow
Int. of Willi Isenring

Marjory Rozario

<u>SUNDAY</u> <u>June 29, 2025</u> – SAINTS PETER AND PAUL,

**APOSTLES** 

9:00am Mass (Livestream)

11:00am Mass 8:00pm Mass

#### **Vocation View**

Jesus has given us His Body to eat and His Blood to drink so as to nourish us on our journey towards the Kingdom. May we be faithful to him on our journey as a married, single, ordained or consecrated person. 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. Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

#### SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday: Genesis 12.1-9, Matthew 7.1-5

Tuesday: Isaiah 49.1-6, Acts 13.22-26, Luke 1.57-66, 80 Wednesday: Genesis 15.1-12, 17-18, Matthew 7,15-20 Thursday: Genesis 16.1-12, 15-16, Matthew 7.21-29 Ezekiel 34.11-16, Romans 5.5b-11, Luke 15.3-7

Saturday: Genesis 18.1-15, Matthew 8.5-17 Sunday: Acts 12.1-11, 2 Timothy 4.6-8, 17-18,

Matthew 16.13-19

#### HAMILTON DIOCESE WEEKLY PRAYER CALENDAR

We pray for the following people or groups: Monday: Rev. Hyunjik (John) Yang

Tuesday: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Wednesday: Comboni Missionaries, M.C.C.J.

Thursday: Disabled Persons

Friday: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
Saturday: Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, O.M.I.



June 8 , 2025

#### Goodbye from Fr. John

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Dear friends, it is with mixed emotions that I say goodbye to you this weekend. St. Paul's has been my home for the last 6 years. I was appointed here after I was ordained in 2019, and, as you may remember, there was a last-minute change in plans in 2021 that led me to being named Pastor and remaining at St. Paul's. Our parish community has been through a lot in the last 6 years - the covid lockdowns and recovery, the awareness of the residential school history in our church, completing the One Heart One Soul capital campaign, completion of the refugee sponsorship, and many building improvements and updates. In the last 6 years, there have been many iovous occasions that I have been honoured to be a part of in your faith journey: 390 Baptisms, 19 Weddings, many confirmations, first communions, Masses and other celebrations. I leave St. Paul's with many wonderful memories with all of you and your presence at St. Paul's. I thank you all for your patience, prayers, and encouragement to me in my time as Pastor of St. Paul's. They say that it is hard for a priest to leave his first parish, and to leave his first parish as a Pastor -St. Paul's has been both to me, and will always remain in my heart, my first parish as a priest.

It is with a mix of anticipation and excitement as I begin to undertake the pastoral care of St. Mary's and the Missions in Owen Sound. Each parish has its own areas of grace and areas of challenges, and I go knowing that the Lord has chosen me to be there, and use what I have learned and the experience I have gained at St. Paul's to build up His Kingdom in Owen Sound. While distance may separate us, we will be forever united in the One Sacrifice that we celebrate wherever we are. I hope that you welcome your new Pastor, Fr. Francisco and extend to him the same welcome and encouragement that you gave to me. May God continue to bless you through this transition. St. Paul, pray for us! Our Lady of the Assumption, pray for us!

Fr. John Schnurr

#### Welcoming Our New Pastor, Fr. Francisco Sordo

We are pleased to announce that our new pastor, Father Francisco Sordo, will begin his ministry with us on June 25th. Fr. Sordo has graciously shared a personal biography to help us get to know him better, which is now available on our parish website. We look forward to warmly welcoming him into our parish family and to his leadership as our pastor. Let us keep Fr. Sordo in our prayers as he begins this new chapter of service with us.

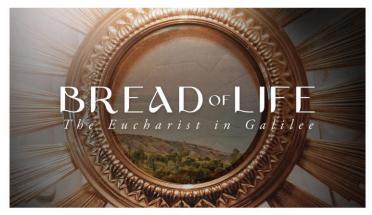
#### Children's Liturgy on Summer Break

Children's Liturgy is now on summer break and will resume in the fall. We extend our heartfelt thanks to all our dedicated leaders who make this ministry a meaningful and joyful experience for the children of our parish. We are currently seeking additional volunteers to join this wonderful ministry. If you are interested in helping, please contact Melanie at <a href="majaddi@hamiltondiocese.com">majaddi@hamiltondiocese.com</a>. Your time and talent can make a lasting impact on the faith journey of our youngest parishioners.

#### Catholic Women's League (CWL)

On behalf of St Paul's Council of the Catholic Women's League, we would like to extend a very warm welcome & greetings to our new Pastor, Father Francisco Sordo! The ladies of St Paul's CWL look forward to greeting you more officially in the Fall when we will resume our League's mission & service. Please note, our next General Meeting will be on Monday September 8th. Until then, have a safe & happy summer, everyone! God Bless!





# Bread of Life: The Eucharist in Galilee | Trailer

Christ's teaching about the Eucharist is the crescendo of Jesus' entire ministry: all his work in Galilee prepared for and pointed to the Eucharist. Join Dr. Tim Gray for an exciting five-part series about Jesus' teaching on the Eucharist.

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#### **Our Parish Feast Day**

On June 29th, we celebrate the Solemnity of St. Peter and Paul. This is our parish Feast Day and a special day for us when we honour St. Paul and ask his intercession for our parish community.

#### **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 **June 28/29** 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.



#### Frassati Leadership Program

Calling all those entering Grade 10 in September 2025! Are you looking to grow in your faith? Do you want to explore what it means to be a Catholic leader? **The Frassati Leadership Program** may be for you. Join us as we reflect on the foundations of Catholic leadership and foster opportunities for you to grow in your own faith and leadership skills. For more information and to register please visit: <a href="https://hamiltondiocese.com/office/pastoral-offices/youth-ministry/frassati/">https://hamiltondiocese.com/office/pastoral-offices/youth-ministry/frassati/</a>

#### Marriage Tip of the Month

Though we may love our spouse, there will be moments when we may disagree or struggle to be loving. These are moments when we must remind ourselves of our commitment to each other and the importance of working things out, instead of ignoring them and moving on. When troubles arise, it is important for each person to commit to taking time to discuss the issue when both people are calm, so your brain is at its maximum capacity to be rational. Research says that starting the conversation gently (no accusing, judging, or sarcasm) and taking responsibility for some part of the problem is the best way to work the situation out and move forward with love that is even stronger. (Family Ministry Office)

#### 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 begin again this fall and are held at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West in person. Cost is \$35 for materials, but no one is turned away. Registration will be on line soon, so look to register at hamiltondiocese.com under Upcoming Events, or contact Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, e-mail familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com.

#### Did You Know...

Children in our parishes benefit from the Catechetical Correspondence Program each year for ongoing religious education and preparation for the Sacraments. We need volunteers to support the program! If you are willing to accompany these children in their learning journey, please reach out to the Office for Evangelization and Catechesis at <a href="mailto:catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com">catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com</a>. To learn more about the Catechetical Correspondence Program, please visit: <a href="https://bit.lv/DOHCCC">https://bit.lv/DOHCCC</a>

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