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### **OFFICE HOURS:**

Monday - Thursday 9:00am - 4:00pm Friday 9:00am -12:00noon

### **WEEKDAY MASS:**

Tuesday, 7:00pm Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 9:00am

#### **SUNDAY MASS:**

Saturday, 5:00pm Sunday, 9:00am, 11:00am

### **RECONCILIATION:**

Tuesday, 6:15pm -6:45pm Saturday, 4:00-4:30pm (or by appointment)

**BAPTISMS:** Please contact the office at least 3 months prior to desired date.

<u>Becoming Catholic-RCIA:</u> For those not Baptized, or who have not yet completed their initiation, please call the office or speak to one of the priests.

<u>CATHOLIC CEMETERIES:</u> www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca 905-522-7727

<u>CHURCH HALL AND CONFERENCE ROOMS:</u> If you wish to book the Hall or a Conference Room please email our Hall Manager at scos.facility@outlook.com

**FUNERALS:** When a family death occurs, please contact the office for assistance with arrangements.

<u>MARRIAGE:</u> Couples intending to marry, kindly contact the office about a year in advance. Wedding Anniversary Blessing on the last Sunday of the month.

<u>ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:</u> Do you know someone in need? Please contact 905-512-5475 or visit our website at https://www.ssvphamiltonpc.org/scos

VOCATIONS: Diocese of Hamilton www.hamiltonvocations.com

#### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IN OUR PARISH:

 Corpus Christi:
 905-389-3940
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 905-525-1300

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 905-387-4600
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## $\begin{array}{c} Mass \ Intentions \ for \ the \\ W_{EEK} \end{array}$



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Tues Aug 12	7:00pm	Laura & Gregory DiPietro
		Josephine Louro Galletti
		Alan Trinidad
		Anne Martin
		Dino Guidice
Wed Aug 13	9:00am	
Thurs Aug 14	9:00am	Darryl Browne
Fri Aug 15	9:00am	Special Intentions of Angel &
		Lolita DeLeon
Sat Aug 16	5:00pm	Marjorie Palencia
		John Kovach
		Deceased members of the
		Amaral family
		Peter Beattie
		Carmela Alessandrino
Sun Aug 17	9:00am	Lina Febbraro
		Pino Agostinelli
Sun Aug 17	11:00am	Veronidia Joaquin
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## SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

The needs of those in our parish boundary community, do not diminish during the summer months. Your ongoing support, allow us to help those needing to put food on the table. If you are aware of people in need, please ask them to call 905 512-5475.

## **COFFEE SUNDAY SPONSORSHIP:**

We host a Coffee Sunday once a month during the year. A few parishioners have asked us about sponsoring a Coffee Sunday. So, we have estimated the cost to the parish for a Coffee Sunday to be about \$400. Anyone who would like to sponsor a Coffee Sunday, please contact the parish office. For \$400 you and your family can sponsor a Coffee Sunday. A tax receipt will be provided.

## **Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar**

Mon	Rev. Ken Miskiewicz
Tues	Very Rev. Ian Duffy
Wed	Legionaries of Christ, L.C.
Thurs	Rev. John Iyekowa, O.S.A.
Fri	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Sat	Rev. Paul Panaretos, S.J.

## Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - August 10, 2025

"Faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen." What do you hope for in the future? 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

vocations@hamiltondiocese.com hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/



## WINTER WONDERLAND

Our annual Winter Wonderland Dinner/Dance is scheduled for

Saturday, January

31, 2026. With the closure of Michelangelos we were forced to find a new location. We have booked it with Carmen's. Everything else including price remains the same. Put it in your calendar and arrange for family and friends to join you. Tickets will be on sale later in the Fall.

ENHANCING SELF-ESTEEM - This program provides the opportunity to increase your self-awareness and to learn specific skills for building a positive self-esteem, which will assist you to feel stronger in all areas of you life. Issues covered during the course include taking responsibility for your own thoughts and feelings, positive ways to behave assertively and setting realistic goals for your future. The program will run Tuesdays from Sept. 23 – Nov. 25 from 7-9 pm and are held at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West Hamilton. Cost is \$35 for materials. Registration online can be found by going to hamiltondiocese.com and looking under Upcoming Events, or contact Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or e-mail familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com.

**PHOTO DIRECTORY** – If your photo is in the directory, don't leave your memories behind. Pick up at the office.

#### ST. ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY

St. Elizabeth of Hungary Chapel at Rymal and Garth (391 Rymal Rd. W.) is a part of our parish. Everyone is welcome to attend. Daily weekday Mass at 8:30am, Sun. Mass at 9:30am.

RESTART: REFRESH, RENEW, REVIVE

<u>SUPPORT GROUP</u> – Struggling after divorce or separation? Join us for learning, support and fun on a Friday evenings. Held the 2nd & 3rd Fridays of each month. These get-togethers offer continual support and insights for people as they journey through the divorce/separation process and beyond. For summer sessions or gatherings, register here:

https://sites.google.com/view/hamilton-restart/home, or contact Sarah at

familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com, or 905-528-7988 ext. 2249. We look forward to seeing you!

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 run Tuesdays from Sept. 23 – Nov. 25 from 7-9 pm 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 online can be found by going to hamiltondiocese.com an looking under Upcoming Events, or contact Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, e-mail familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com.

#### ADULT FAITH FORMATION THROUGH

<u>VLCFF</u> The Diocese of Hamilton is proud to partner with Dayton University's Virtual Learning Community for Adult Faith Formation (VLCFF) to offer certificate programs for ministry and enrichment for adult faith formation. We are currently taking enrollment for the Youth Ministry Certification Program and the Catechist Formation Program for the Diocese of Hamilton, which begins in September 2025. Three and five week e-seminars are also available at a discounted rate for all adults in the Diocese looking to further their learning. For more information about our programs, and how to register, visit us at <a href="https://www.hamiltondioceselearns.com">www.hamiltondioceselearns.com</a>



## Congratulations to the Winners of August 3, 2025 Draw!

A. Harrison
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Matthew Ramelli
K. Johnston

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