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♦ Mon-Fri 9:00am 12:00noon ♦ or by appointment

SUNDAY MASS:

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Sat. 5:00pm Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am Thurs. 7:00pm Wed. & Fri., 8:30am

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RECONCILIATION:

Sat. 4:00-4:30pm (or by appointment)

BAPTISMS: Please contact the office at least 2 months prior to desired date.

Becoming Catholic-RCIA:

For those not Baptized, or who have not yet completed their initiation, please call the office or speak to one of the priests.

MARRIAGE: Couples intending to marry, kindly contact the office about a year in advance.

Wedding Anniversary Blessing on the last Sunday of the month.

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

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Tues	Most Rev. Anthony Tonnos
Wed	Society of Christ (S.Chr.)
Thurs	Very Rev. David Wynen
Fri	Very Rev. Msgr. Murray Kroetsch
Sat	Very Rev. Adrian Lee

Mass Intentions for the Week



Corpus Christi site:

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Tues July 11	6:30pm	Special Intention of the Stone Family		
Wed July 12		No Mass		
Thurs July 13	9:00am	Angelica DeLuca		
Fri July 14		No Mass		
Sat July 15	5:00pm	Sandra Kendall Beatriz & Jose Andrade Jean Simpson Lina Febbraro Pam Kelly Mary Blanchard Carmen Giulio Palmieri		

Our Lady of Lourdes:

Tues July 11		No Mass
Wed July 12	8:30am	Lisa & Nicola Trombetta
		Quinto D'Angelo
Thurs July 13	7:00pm	Carmen Paragua
		Parague Sisters & Two Nuns
		Wilfred Naranjit
		Sam Misale
		Maria Decembrini
		Angelica DeLuca
Fri July 14	8:30am	Frank & Annie Stachow
		Joyce Stachow
Sat July 15	5:00pm	Almario Sy
		Maria Del Sordo
		Pedro Rodrigues
		Mary & Hugh McGarry
		Deceased members of the
		Ong, Alaras, Sancho &
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Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 9, 2023

"You are in the spirit, since the Spirit of God dwells in you." Is the Spirit leading you or someone you know to ministerial service? If God is calling you, to the priesthood, diaconate, religious or consecrated life, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

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We have several events planned for 2023, a lottery, a dance/silent auction and a golf tournament, we would "really" appreciate your support. Details can be found here

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MONSIGNOR RAYMOND MODESKI

DONATIONS: Monsignor Modeski was a dedicated long time priest in our Diocese. After his retirement he was briefly living in our parish and attended at Corpus Christi Site. He really enjoyed coming there. Unfortunately a debilitating health issue forced him to move to Dundas Villa for special care to the end. Recently we received two generous donations from his estate, each of \$10,000. This will be used for a new set of Mass Vestments (Priest and Deacon) and for one of the Stained Glass Windows in the Corpus Christi Adoration Chapel. His good friend, Patty, who is also a member of our parish has arranged for these donations. They will be acknowledged on our Donor Thank You Board in the new church, "In Memory of Monsignor Ray Modeski." I knew Monsignor Ray very well throughout my time as a seminarian and priest, so I am pleased that he will be remembered in our church. Wills and Donations to the Parish: This generous donation in Memory of Monsignor Modeski is a good reminder to all parishioners to consider remembering our parish, St. Catherine of Siena, in your will.

NEW NATIVITY SET! Through the initiative of our St. Catherine of Siena Knights of Columbus and a very generous anonymous parish donor we have ordered a new Nativity Set for the new church. It is a 13 piece set, 39" high. A beautiful set that will be placed in the Narthex entrance of the church. It will be a great presence in our parish, especially for our children, for many decades to come. We would be glad to accept donations toward this special new Nativity scene to support the Knights and our anonymous donor. If you would like to contribute simply make donation in envelope marked Nativity Scene or directly on the parish website and indicate, Nativity Scene. If you want more information speak to Fr. Mark.

DEACON WILLIAM MEEHAN. William has been with our parish the past two summers in between his seminary studies in Rome. He was recently ordained a Deacon in Rome and now returns to our parish. He arrives back in our parish on July 11. As a Deacon he will be preaching in our parish and also able to celebrate baptisms and funerals without Mass. We look forward to William being with us again and now as a Deacon. His first weekend preaching will be July 15/16 at Corpus Christi.

PARISH AND NEW CHURCH UPDATE:

Our new Associate Pastor, Fr. Peter Robinson has arrived and settled in to our parish. He is excited with all of us about entering the soon to be opened new church.

This past week the newly created crucifix was placed on the Reredos. This will be the major view for all of you as you are sitting in prayer in our church. Also, the stone base of the altar, the ambo and the tabernacle stand have all been completed and delivered to the site. Traditional Cut Stone from Mississauga is the company that has done this work. They also are doing the stone steps leading into the sanctuary and the baptism font. Also, the stone signage leading into the Corpus Christi Adoration Chapel and the Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto. The pews are scheduled to be delivered on July 27.

As we enter the new church, some of you have asked me if you need to register in the new church. No, if you are presently a member of the parish you will automatically be welcomed as a parishioner in the new church, if you wish to continue. Also, Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers will be able to continue. We will contact everyone closer to the time to confirm.

I also know that there are some people who walk to church now but will not be able to walk in the new site. If you have a neighbour or fellow parishioner, you may consider offering to drive them now and then, if that is possible.

We have decided not to build a rectory on the property due to rising cost projections and other city fees. A house has been obtained for the rectory on Gershwin Court, about a two minute walk from the new church. I moved into the house on the day of the priest moves and getting it set up. Fr. Peter has his own home with his wife Simona, but during the summer when our seminarian William returns, he will be living in this house.

Everything is coming together in a good way, thank you to all parishioners for your patience, support and generosity during this time of transition.

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