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Parish Office Hours

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

SUNDAY MASS:

Sat. 5:00pm

Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am

WEEKDAY MASS:

Thurs. 7:00pm

Wed. & Fri., 8:30am

RECONCILIATION:

Sat. 3:30-4:30pm (or by appointment)

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SUNDAY MASS:

Sat. 5:00pm,

Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am

WEEKDAY MASS:

Tues. 6:30pm

Thurs. 9:00am

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.

VOCATIONS: Diocese of Hamilton www.hamiltonvocations.com

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES: www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca 905-522-7727

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IN OUR PARISH:

Corpus Christi: 905-389-3940

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June 17/18 \$7,550.80

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Mon	Very Rev. Jeff Bergsma
Tues	Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, O.M.I.
Wed	Holy Ghost Congregation (Spiritans)(C.S.Sp.)
Thurs	Saints Peter & Paul
Fri	Rev. Guillermo Diaz
Sat	Rev. Paul Edmondstone

Mass Intentions for the Week***Corpus Christi site:***

Tues June 27	6:30pm	Genoveffa & Emidio Salvi Luis & Maria Benevidas Venturino Salvi
Wed June 28		No Mass
Thurs June 29	9:00am	
Fri June 30		No Mass
Sat July 1	5:00pm	Deceased members of the Caluori & Fantillo Families Nicola Biello Eva Stack Shirley Sullivan Josephine Petrie

Our Lady of Lourdes:

Tues June 27		No Mass
Wed June 28	8:30am	Deceased members of the D'Angelo Family
Thurs June 29	7:00pm	Mercedes G. Gonzales Larry Clement Judy Stonehouse Special Intentions of Julie & Julieta Agusiobo
Fri June 30	8:30am	Primo Salvucci
Sat July 1	5:00pm	Mary Gatto Raffaele Caruso Carmelo Unelli Jun Mercado Marcel Clemente

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time - June 25, 2023

"Have no Fear." Considering a ministerial vocation is not popular, but it may be what God is calling you to. 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.

email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
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The winter 2023 edition of our newsletter is now available. 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

<https://ssvphamiltonpc.org/newsletter-5/>.

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PRIEST MOVES:

Fr. Patras, who has been our Associate Pastor for the past two years is now being appointed as Pastor at St. Mary Parish in Hamilton. We wish him the best in this new ministry and thank him for his service here in our parish. His final weekend at Our Lady of Lourdes will be June 17/18 and final weekend at Corpus Christ will be June 24/25.

Our new Associate Pastor is Fr. Peter Robinson who will officially join us on June 28. We look forward to welcoming Fr. Peter and his wife Simone at that time.



SUMMER MUSICIANS at the CORPUS CHRISTI SITE

Many of our parish musicians at the Corpus Christi site will be on vacation during the months of June, July, and August. Singers, Pianists, and/or

Guitarists are needed to lead the singing at Mass during this time. You may sign up on your own or as a small group; commitment can be once or twice during the summer or as often as your schedule permits. Your time and talents are appreciated.

For further information, contact Sharon Fazari: 905-648-5674 or sfazari@hamiltondiocese.com

MUSIC MINISTRY

Our Music Director, Sharon Fazari, is beginning preparation for the special choir at our Mass of Dedication which is tentatively booked for Sunday September 17 at 3pm. This will be the first Mass in our new church when the Bishop will bless the altar and church. Anyone interested in being part of this choir is asked to attend an information meeting on Tuesday June 20 at 7pm at Corpus Christi or on Thursday June 22 at 7:30pm at Our Lady of Lourdes. In addition to singers, those who play a musical instrument are also welcome to attend.

At this information meeting, Sharon will take contact information of anyone wanting to be part of the Dedication Mass Choir and/or part of parish music ministry in the new church. If you are unable to attend one of these information meetings but want to be included then email the parish and let us know.

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BANNS FOR ORDINATION

We are pleased to inform you that William Meehan, a student of the Venerable English College and a member of our parish, is due to be ordained to the Sacred Order of the Diaconate on Wednesday, July 5, 2023 in the Church of Our Lady of the Snows, Palazzola, in the Diocese of Albano, Italy, by Bishop Douglas Crosby (Bishop of Hamilton, Canada). If anyone knows of any reason why he should not be ordained could you please inform me at the earliest opportunity. Please keep William Meehan in your prayers. Fr. Mark Gatto, Pastor
mgatto@hamiltondiocese.com

Please continue to pray for William as he prepares to be ordained a Deacon on the way to Priesthood. We are glad to welcome him back in our parish as a Deacon in July after his Ordination. As a Deacon he will be able to preach, baptize and preside at funerals without Mass.

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.



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