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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.

**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.

**CATHOLIC CEMETERIES:** [www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca](http://www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca) 905-522-7727

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

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

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:** 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](http://www.hamiltonvocations.com)

**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IN OUR PARISH:**

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**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA**

**Our Financial Stewardship:**

*The foundation of all stewardship is a generous heart.*

**June 20/21, 2026 \$ 11,620.85**

**Month of June –**

**Visa/Mastercard Regular \$ 10,814.84 Building \$807.46**

**Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar**

<b>Mon</b>	Rev. William Foote
<b>Tues</b>	Rev. Murray McDermott, C.R.
<b>Wed</b>	Institute of Kkotongnae Sisters of Jesus
<b>Thurs</b>	Most Rev. Matthew Ustrzycki
<b>Fri</b>	Rev. James Curtin
<b>Sat</b>	Rev. Fernand Pierre

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**



<b>Tues June 30</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	Salvatore Gentile Martha Gold John & Mary Carty Reagon Masih Jeanette Marie Morelli
<b>Wed July 1</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	Nancy Dinolfo Special Intentions of the Llandino family Special Intentions of Mary Hales Special Intentions of Lilly Pimetal
<b>Thurs July 2</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	Johnny Diamantino Fresco Alfreda Necosia Luis Necosia Joan Beattie
<b>Fri July 3</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	Sanyu Galliani
<b>Sat July 4</b>	<b>5:00pm</b>	Giovanni Mari Harold Martin John Ashworth Sr. Anton Zahtila Laureta Martinez Maria Lamenta
<b>Sun July 5</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	Nancy Furfaro John Prunean
<b>Sun July 5</b>	<b>11:00am</b>	Giulio Palmieri Josephine & Sam Bartolotta Angelo Cosentino Riccardo Pacini Maria Grazia Prunean

**Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - June 28, 2026**

“Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me.” Accept the invitation that is being extended, an invitation by the one who sent him. If you feel you are being called to the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

[vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)  
[hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/](http://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/)

**\* SUMMER BLESSINGS & CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR STUDENTS AND GRADUATES** 🎓

As the school year ends, we give thanks to God for the accomplishments of our students and graduates. Your dedication, perseverance, and faith have been a shining example to our church family. To our graduates, may the Lord guide your steps as you enter this new season of life. To all our students, may your summer be a time of rest, joy, and growth in Christ.

“The Lord will watch over your coming and going both now and forevermore.” – Psalm 121:8  
Have a safe, joyful, and blessed summer!

**PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH** Loving guidance and care for children by parents is a foundational principle of our Catholic teachings. In June we celebrate the Sacred Heart of Jesus, whose love and care taught us how to live and love in our lives. As summer approaches take some time to relax into the season with purpose. Show how to love by your interactions and activities: pray together daily, attend Mass even when you are away, read together, take time for hiking, have a family games nights, spend time preparing and cooking as a family, etc. Teaching how to love with the heart of Jesus happens through interaction and will help create loving, confident, healthy children.

**The Office will be CLOSED**

**Tues., June 30, 2026 from 11:15-1pm for an event & Wed., July 1, 2026 for Canada Day**



### **SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

Do you know someone who is experiencing difficulties? Perhaps a temporary employment layoff or facing medical challenges. Food vouchers are available. Please contact our society by calling 905 512-5475. <https://www.ssvphamiltonpc.org/scos/>

### **ANYONE FOR GOLF!**

The 2026 Society of Saint Vincent de Paul golf tournament is being held Aug 14th at Flamborough Hills. All are welcome. Play some golf and help some families in need. THANKYOU.

<https://ssvphamiltonpc.org/golf-2026/>

### **2026 FUNDRAISER: 50/50 RAFFLE**

Winners of today draw *June 28<sup>th</sup>, 2026 will* be announced in next week's bulletin.

*Current Jackpot* as of Monday, June 22, \$5825.07  
Parish \$2912.53

Winner #1 \$1456.76

Winner #2 \$ 1456.76

Winnings divided: 50% parish, 50% divided equally between 2 ticket winners. Tickets can be obtained at the parish office and at weekend Masses.

### **ST. THOMAS MORE LAWYERS' GUILD OF THE DIOCESE OF HAMILTON**

Under the Patronage of The Most Reverend Joseph Dabrowski, C.S.M.A., Bishop of Hamilton cordially invites you to attend the 69th Annual Red Mass.

*All Are Welcome*

**Wednesday, September 16, 2026 at 9:30 a.m.** at St. Catherine of Siena Church, 620 Rymal Road East, Hamilton with breakfast to follow in the Church Hall.

Red Mass Celebrant: His Excellency the Most

Reverend Auxiliary Bishop W. Lobsinger

Breakfast Guest Speaker: Dr. Peter Meehan, President & Vice Chancellor St. Jerome's University, Waterloo introduced by Stephanie Turner, Assistant Crown Attorney, Guelph.

**Breakfast Tickets:** \$40.00 per person - for tickets please contact

Sam Garcea, Treasurer, 905-570-3779,

[sgarcea@confentegarcea.com](mailto:sgarcea@confentegarcea.com) or Gloria Nardi-Bell,

Past-President, 905-516-8816, [gloria@gnblaw.com](mailto:gloria@gnblaw.com)

No breakfast tickets at the door. Don't be

disappointed. *Order your tickets before September 9, 2026.*

### **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.

### **CWL NEWS: MAGNIFICA HUMANITAS ENCYCLICAL**

*SCOS CWL and its Social Justice Committee ask you to consider purchasing the encyclical from your local bookstore.*

On Monday, May 25, Pope Leo XIV released his first encyclical, *Magnifica Humanitas*, or "Magnificent Humanity." While the encyclical is earning headlines for its discussion of AI (Artificial Intelligence), a central theme of the document, the Pope also provides a wide-ranging look at the history of Catholic Social Teaching, <https://devp.org/en/catholic-social-teaching/the-importance-of-peace-and-the-need-for-international-development-in-a-moment-of-global-instability>.

*At its core, Pope Leo is inviting all people to remember, celebrate, defend and develop the gifts of human life, even as our world is mediated more and more by screens.*

### **MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH**

"Once our hearts welcome the love of Christ in complete trust, and enable its fire to spread in our lives, we become capable of loving others as Christ did, in humility and closeness to all." (Dilexit Nos #203) In June we celebrate the Sacred Heart of Jesus, who taught us that we are loved, loved enough for him to accept the Cross for us. This understanding can help to transform us to love in the same meek and intimate ways he did. Our marriage bond will continue to grow as we learn to love more like the Sacred Heart of Jesus. (From: Teresa Hartnett, Family)

### **MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT:**

Healthy marriages matter in so many ways! Proven benefits include: having a support system, learning to grow with another, having increased happiness levels and many physical benefits proven in research. Keeping your marriage healthy and strong requires love, but also time spent fine tuning your marriage and reconnecting. Join us November 21<sup>st</sup> for a day to reconnect and spend time with the one you love! Registration can be found online at [hamiltondiocese.com](http://hamiltondiocese.com), under Upcoming Events, or contact Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or e-mail [familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com).

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