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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

St. John Paul II: 905-525-1300

St. Marguerite d'Youville: 905-387-4600

St. Teresa of Calcutta: 905-318-7933

St. Jean De Brebeuf Secondary: 905-388-7020

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Our Financial Stewardship:

The foundation of all stewardship is a generous heart.

September 2/3 \$ 10,276.20

Mon	Rev. Ronald Voisin
Tues	Rev. Sam Restivo, C.R.
Wed	Missionary Sisters of Christ the King
Thurs	Rev. Roque Concepcion <i>Exaltation of the Holy Cross</i>
Fri	<i>Our Lady of Sorrows</i>
Sat	Rev. George Nowak, C.R..

Mass Intentions for the Week



Corpus Christi site:

Tues Sep 12	6:30pm	Special Intention of S. & M. J. Robert Ronnenburge
Wed Sep 13		No Mass
Thurs Sep 14	9:00am	Special Intention of Rowena Daly
Fri Sep 15		No Mass
Sat Sep 16	5:00pm	Sandra Kendall Pam Kelly Lina Febbraro Adele Granata Ian McFarlane

Our Lady of Lourdes:

Tues Sep 12		No Mass
Wed Sep 13	8:30am	Andonina & Leonardo Capoferri
Thurs Sep 14	7:00pm	Kathryn Vineski-Lenko Judith Zukauskas
Fri Sep 15	8:30am	Deceased members of the Morganti family Sam Misale
Sat Sep 16	5:00pm	Bimbo Alicando Romeo Llacuna III Maria Del Sordo Pedro Rodrigues Deceased members of the Castellino & Troisi families

Parish Registration

If you are new to the parish, please pick up a registration form at the back of the church, complete the form that pertain to you/your family and return it to the offertory basket. To maintain current parish records, we ask that you inform our church office if you are moving or moving out of the parish. *Thank you!*

Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time - September 10, 2023

"For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them." The community that gathers needs leadership; consider 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
hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/



Society of Saint Vincent de Paul
Hamilton/Hamilton West Councils

Our North of 60 Program is Growing!

Please watch a short video here ssvphamiltonpc.org which highlights our second successful year of supporting our Inuit neighbours in Coral Harbour.

Dozens of Vincentians with family and friends braved the rain to ensure that the 20 foot "sea can" would be filled with non perishable food items like flour, baking powder, cereal, salt, canned fruit and vegetables and many more essentials goods. The products the residents of Coral Harbour requested are unavailable or unaffordable so it is a community event to see the arrival of our freshly painted sea container. Last year we shipped 9,150 lbs of food. This year, we sent 13,790 lbs.

Thank you to our members and the many donors who generously gave of their time and resources to make it a success.

Do you know someone in need? Please contact the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul at 905-383-4850 Visit our website at <http://www.ssvphamiltonpc.org/scos/>

NEW CHURCH

Good News:

We have a *definite* date for the opening of our new church and the Dedication Mass. **Sunday, October 22 at 3pm.** Bishop Crosby will join us with many of the priests of the Diocese as the new altar and church are blessed and dedicated. This is an exciting time for our parish. Please continue to pray that as we enter this new church building that our parish community will also grow and flourish as the body of Christ.

Please watch the video describing the Dedication Mass:

https://www.catherineofsienachurch.ca/#fvp_176,1m16s

REFLECTION PRAYER

1st Friday Morning of the Month starting

Friday, October 6th (8:30am – 12pm) - *Our Lady of Lourdes site*

Registration \$20.00. Email or text/call Sister Elaine Sisterelainess@gmail.com. 289-237-2245

SACRAMENTS

Parents/Guardians whose child will be receiving the sacraments of 1st Reconciliation/1st Communion or Confirmation, please be aware that Parent letters and Registration forms for the sacraments, prepared at our church office, will be sent home in the next couple of weeks from our five parish schools. Please mark your calendar with the upcoming parent/guardian meeting to register your child. Please visit our website <https://www.catherineofsienachurch.ca/sacraments> for more information.

First Communion Parent Meetings

Will be held at St. Catherine of Siena (620 Rymal Rd. E.)

- Wednesday, October 25 at 7pm for St. Teresa School, St. Marguerite D'Youville School, Corpus Christi School & St. John Paul II School

Confirmation Parent Meetings:

Will be held at St. Catherine of Siena (620 Rymal Rd. E.)

- Thursday, October 26, 7pm for St. Teresa School, St. Marguerite D'Youville School, Corpus Christi School & St. John Paul II School

HEART2HANDS MINISTRY

September 23, 2023 workshop **LOCATION CHANGE**. Workshop is being held at Our Lady of Lourdes Church hall between 1pm and 3pm. Come and Join us.

DIOCESAN LITURGY WORKSHOPS

The Liturgy Office offers regular liturgical formation for ministers who serve as Ministers of the Word, Extraordinary Ministers of Communion and Children's Liturgy of the Word. The workshops are designed for new ministers and are a helpful refresher for lay ministers participating in Sunday Mass and other liturgical celebrations. Participants who complete a formation workshop receive a three-year mandate from the Bishop of Hamilton. The September 2023 liturgical formation dates are as follows for the following ministries:

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Friday, September 15, 2023, Sacred Heart Parish, Walkerton, Ontario, 6:00 to 9:00 pm.

Ministers of the Word

Saturday, September 16, 2023, Sacred Heart Parish, Walkerton, Ontario, 9:30 am to 3:00 pm.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Saturday, September 23, 2023, St. Joseph Parish, Port Elgin, Ontario, 9:30 am to 3:00 pm.

Participants may register using the Diocese of Hamilton website under Upcoming events/Workshops.

MARRIAGE SUPPORT

Your marriage doesn't have to feel like it is more trouble than joy, that it feels stagnant or disconnected and/or that it is causing you constant stress. The solution is Retrouvaille - a program for married couples facing difficult challenges in their relationship. Retrouvaille has one purpose: to help couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship. This is a practical program, where sharing is not required except between the couple themselves, designed to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect. It also works well for couples who may be considering separation or divorce. The next Retrouvaille weekend is Oct. 20-22. For more information call 905-664-5212 or email teamrecine@gmail.com.

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