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A Thanksgiving Prayer

Heavenly Creator,

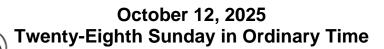
In this season of gratitude and abundance,
we give You thanks for our many blessings
as we pray for all who struggle with hunger and want.

Be with them in the dark of night, when all hope seems lost.

Keep their faith strong as they await relief.

And let Your goodness flow through our
hearts and hands as we reach out to one
another in the full, true joy of Thanksgiving in Christ.

Amen





WELCOME to all who visited our Parish today. We pray that you were nourished by our Liturgy. If you are new to our community, please fill in a registration form and return it to the office or place it in the collection basket. Registration forms are in the main entrance of the church.

LITURGIES AND DEVOTIONS

Monday	Oct 13	9:00 a.m.	Mass of Thanksgiving (We will be collecting food items for Neighbour to
			Neighbour and monetary donations for St. Vincent de Paul)
Tuesday	Oct 14	7:00 p.m.	+Giuseppe Gennaccaro , +Ron Chapman, +Elizabeth Ciardullo
			+Francesco Ciardullo, +Pietro & Vincenzina Palermo
Wednesday	Oct 15	8:30 a.m.	+Pasquale Vespa
Thursday	Oct 16	10:00 a.m.	Mass with SVDP School
			+Mike Mastroianni & Perri Ortenzia
Friday	Oct 17	8:30 a.m.	+Angelina Vincenzo & Ralph Iorio
Saturday	Oct 18	5:00 p.m.	+Gina Alletto, +Vincenzo & Aloisa Bellavia & family,
•		•	+Anthony D'Sa, +Oswald Pinto Sr., +Marietta Pupa

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND SUFFERING IN OUR FAMILIES AND COMMUNITY, ESPECIALLY:

Evan Inrig, Amy Younger, Loretta VanReizen, Christine Bolduc, Honorato Ortiz, Don MacDonald, Blake Burke, Richard Johnson, Carol Angle, Nathan Sly, Taylor Lively, Tracy Giannou, Shannon Marshall, Teresa Christine Dianna Ortyl, Margaret Morris, Colleen Dadswell, Janet Dionne, Sharon Snaith, Mary O'Shea, Daniel Arruda, Jo-Anne Brown, Mary Cordeiro, Lou Baff, Assunta Morcone, John Panter, John & Jenny Menezes, Mary Anne Ewer, Eugene Pereira, Maria Jose Pereira, Martha Ronalds

To add or remove a name, please contact the Parish office



For Weekend of October 4/5, 2025: (includes EFT for October)

Offertory: \$16,917 St. Vincent De Paul: \$1,265 Building Fund: \$3,193 We thank you for your generosity



Prayer Before the Thanksgiving Meal

Blessed are you, Lord our God, creator of heaven and earth and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: we praise you for your glory, and thank you for your goodness to us. We praise you for your generous gifts and for bringing fruitful results to our labors. As we rejoice in your kindness, we pray also for those who are in need. Open our hearts to them, and teach us to be as generous to others as you are to us. Bless this food we are about to eat and those who have prepared it. Heavenly Father, help us all to follow Jesus our Lord, and so bear eternal fruit for you.

Blessed are you, Lord our God, for ever and ever.



<u>Pilgrim Sunday, October 19th</u> <u>at Cathedral Basilica of Christ</u> the King:

2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. Cathedral opens & pilgrims enter, passport

stamp available

2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Scriptural Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary

 $2:30\ p.m.-3:30\ p.m.$ Confessors available for Sacrament of Reconciliation

 $3:30\ p.m.-4:00\ p.m.$ Silent Prayer and concluding blessing

Join the Office of Youth Ministry and young people around the Diocese in praying the **Novena to Saint Carlo Acutis**, towards his first feast day as a canonized saint. The Novena is available to download by visiting: https://bit.ly/3WaUTQx

October is Diocesan Vocations Month. Please pray for the men and women of our diocese who are discerning their vocations to marriage, priesthood, the permanent diaconate, the dedicated single life, and consecrated life, that is, as a consecrated virgin living in the world, or as a religious priest, sister or sister. Since it is also the month of Our Lady of the Rosary, you are encouraged to offer the Rosary, in particular, the Luminous Mysteries, for vocations. For more information about praying for vocations visit https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/pray-for-vocations/.

Hamilton Right to Life - Respect Life Fundraising Dinner – Wednesday, November. 5th Marqui Gardens, 1050 Rymal Rd E, Hamilton | 5:30 pm: Please join us for an enjoyable evening of fellowship, music, inspiring speakers, delicious food, and raffle prizes. Guest Speakers: Jessica Fabrizio, Lorenzo Campanelli and Carrie Geenen. Tickets: \$65 / person; Tables of 10. Register at https://bit.ly/HRTL-2025Dinner.

Rekindling the Light: A Retreat Day for Busy

<u>Ministers</u> - The Office for Evangelization and Catechesis is very pleased to offer a full-day retreat for all adult ministry leaders on Saturday, November 15th at St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Cambridge. Join us for a day of prayer and sharing of the graces of pastoral ministry. Registration and further details can be found here:

https://hamiltondiocese.com/events/

Parenting Tip of the Month: As the leaves change and the weather turns colder (and often wetter!), we tend to spend more time indoors. This is a perfect season for quality family time. Instead of everyone being on social media and playing online games, try an old-fashioned board game, working together to put a puzzle together, having a family book club, or watching a movie on TV together and pausing now and then to discuss what is going on and/or what might happen next. Interaction is the key and when we do so we build bonds and relationships. Children talk to us and tell us things when they are ready, so the more time we spend together, the greater the chance we will hear about their concerns, joys, struggles and questions about the world. And don't forget, praying together each day and attending Mass as a family is another perfect way to bond.

Marriage Tip of the Month: October is the month in which we celebrate Thanksgiving and a perfect time to stop and think with gratitude about our relationship with our spouse. An attitude of gratitude has the proven benefit of having our brain find the good in any situation, so what better way to see the positives your spouse brings into your life than having an attitude of gratitude for them. It is easy to focus on the challenging moments but stop and contemplate what is good. Tell your spouse in person, or in a handwritten note. Think of all the moments you share, your children, your shared home, your faith – when you pause to focus on the good, there will be so much to be thankful for, and you will feel greater love for the one you love!

ELECTRONIC FUND TRANSFER

The 2026 envelopes are in the process of being issued. **Before they are ready for distribution, please consider using our PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN** (Electronic Fund Transfer) for supporting the church instead of using the box of envelopes If you currently donate weekly, please consider switching to a monthly donation. This small change can help us reduce service charges and make your contribution go even further.

If you wish to proceed and use EFT (or change from using boxed envelopes) to support the parish, please fill in a form available in the Narthex at the Welcome Table (ask a Greeter) or on the website: www.reginamundi.ca and drop in the collection basket or at the office. Please contact the office if you require assistance.



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