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PARISH TEAM

Reverend Peter Ciallella
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PARISH SCHOOLS

Regina Mundi (905) 383-7244
St. Teresa of Avila (905) 385-7555
St. Vincent de Paul (905) 385-3734

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

If hospitalized or confined to home
Please call the Parish office

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL STORE

For pick up call (905) 549-3902

CATHECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE

For those in public schools
Call the Chancery Office: (905) 528-7988

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Contact Linda (905) 575-1459
regina_mundi_cwl@rogers.com

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Contact Richard Walshaw (905) 906-5923

MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9 a.m., 11 a.m.
Children's Liturgy: 9 a.m. Mass
Weekday schedule in the Bulletin

CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in the family please contact the parish office and we will assist you in making the liturgical arrangements. For info on Catholic burial, please contact 1-800 661-5985, or visit the website at www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Sunday - Friday 4 p.m. - midnight
Thursday 9 a.m. - midnight
Call: Sharon (905) 388-4071
Delia (289) 755-4883

HOME & FAMILY BLESSING

Please call Fr. Charlie at the Parish to arrange this.

BLESSING OF EXPECTANT

PARENTS Following each Mass on the second Sunday each month

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday: 6:15 - 6:45 p.m.
Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.
Other times by appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the Parish to arrange.
Baptism Preparation last Monday of month for parents & godparents

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

At least six months notice required
Call to make an appointment

GOOD SHEPHERD OUTREACH

Parish Contact: Nina (905) 388-2718

LEGION OF MARY

Contact: (905) 575-9635

PRAYER OUTREACH

A Network of prayers
Call Rosemary (905) 574-1803 or use the box at Our Lady's Shrine

PARISH COUNCIL

rmparishcouncil@rogers.com

September 4, 2016 Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time



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	Sept 5	No Mass	
Tuesday	Sept 6	7:00 p.m.	Manuel Cordeiro, Teresa Portolisi, Tony Harti, Carolina Caputo Souls in Purgatory, Intentions of Maria
Wednesday	Sept 7	8:30 a.m.	Angela Golini
Thursday	Sept 8	8:30 a.m.	Ippolito Perrelli
		10:00 a.m.	Mass at Extindicare – Souls in Purgatory
Friday	Sept 9	8:30 a.m.	Joseph Brugnano
Saturday	Sept 10	5:00 p.m.	Benito D'Ambrosio, Maxine Zettel, Mario Italia Ventresca & Emilio Silvestri Basil Bourgeois, Dinis Macedo

MEETINGS THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

An open invitation is warmly extended for you to join any of the activities in our parish

Monday	Sept 5	Office Closed Labour Day	Thursday	Sept 8	2:00 p.m. Italian Prayers 3:00 p.m. Prayer for Priests 8:00 p.m. AA
Tuesday	Sept 6	11:30 a.m. Senior's Exercises 12:30 p.m. Rainbow Seniors 7:30 p.m. CWL General Mtg	Friday	Sept 9	7:00 p.m. Holy Land Trip Presentation
Wednesday	Sept 7	6:30 p.m. Children's Liturgy Leaders'	Saturday	Sept 10	Library Weekend

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

Leo D'Atri, Maria Boneventure, Susan Parkes, Cathy Bain, Anne McKay, Betty Devlin, Patricia Dobosz, Marie Masys, Amy Younger, Loretta VanReizen, Christine Bolduc, Honorato Ortiz, Marion McNeil, Evan Inrig, Meaghan O'Connor, Don MacDonald, Mike Losak, Richard Johnson, David Somasundaram, Mario Esmas, Taylor Lively, Tracy Giannou, Bill Ortyl, Elena Corrado, Shannon Marshall, Dianna Ortyl, Margaret Morris, Colleen Dadswell, Janet Dionne, Carol Angle, Thekla Soar, Jo-Anne Brown, Gerry Ward, Teresa Sheill, Nathan Sly, Carmela DiAdamo, Kathy Romaniw, Mary Dermody, Mary O'Shea, Domenico Filice, Evelyn Ali, Josefa Choxin Puac, Brendan Russell

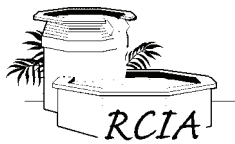
A reminder that next Sunday is St. Vincent de Paul Sunday.

Please use your St. Vincent de Paul envelope or put your name and address on an envelope and mark it "St. Vincent de Paul". Thank you for your generosity

Refugee Communique:

Each year, Canada welcomes one quarter of a million people as new Canadians. Canada has a tradition of humanitarian action, but we also know that permanent immigration helps contribute to a successful economy and labour market. Of the quarter million new Canadians yearly, 22,000 are persecuted or refugee people. Mass migration of persecuted people is not a new phenomenon. Since 1858 with the migration of Polish people escaping Prussian domination to the post war 1947 -1952 migration of displaced persons and the arrival of the Boat People in the 1970s, Canada has been a haven for those fleeing violence.

Our own parishioners are part of that patchwork quilt of nationalities and diversities in our country. Our government provides funds for 700 services to help newcomers adjust to life in Canada. As a parish, we can assist a family to settle in Canada, to use these services to find work and to flourish in the peace and freedom we all enjoy. Please contribute to the refugee envelope collection on the 3rd Sunday of each month.



Are you or anyone you know interested in exploring the Catholic Faith. Consider joining the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)** we meet

Sundays from noon (potluck lunch) until 1:30p.m. Topics such as Who is Jesus? Our Sacraments and The Liturgical Year will be discussed. Also, if you have a child grade 3 or older who has not been baptized, the RCIC group meets weekly to prepare them for baptism at the Easter Vigil. Please call Sue Hamilton ext. 103 at the parish office to register or for more information. Both these programs will start up on Sunday October 16th.

Children's Liturgy: A reminder of the orientation and training meeting Wednesday September 7th in the meeting room for all leaders and assistants. Please bring your policy and procedure manual.



We welcome the children back from summer vacation. Our first

Children's Liturgy session will be Sunday September 11th at the 9 a.m. mass.

Pilgrimage to Holy Land & Rome (February 5-16, 2017 with the Spiritual Leadership of Fr. Peter Ciallella) **Information Session** Friday, September 9th at 7:00 pm in the Parish Hall.

The annual **Red Mass** will be celebrated at the St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral, 146 Park St. N on **Wednesday, September 7 at 9:30 a.m.** The St. Thomas More Lawyer's Guild sponsors this annual Mass whose long history dates back to the 13th century. The faithful come together to invoke the wisdom of the Holy Spirit upon all those who work in the court system and law enforcement: we pray for Divine guidance and strength upon them and all that they do to guard and promote justice in society. The celebrant of the Mass is the Most Reverend Douglas Crosby. Fr. Michael King, Diocesan Director of Vocations and Formation, is the homilist. All are cordially welcomed to participate in this Eucharistic celebration. *"Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven."*

The Book of Joshua begins with God choosing and blessing Joshua, to succeed the prophet and leader Moses. Discover Joshua, a faithful leader carrying out God's commands. Starts Monday September 12th at 7pm in St. Patrick's School gym. No cost/No registration. For information call (905)522-9828 or parishoffice@stpatrickshamilton.ca

Come join us to find the **"Keys to Loving Relationships: "Keys"** is a ten week video-based program meant for anyone (married or single) who is looking for a more meaningful relationship with a spouse, family member or friend. Learn how to become a better "me" in all your relationships! Thursday evenings from 7 – 9 p.m. starting September 22nd at the Chancery Office. Cost: \$45. For more information, please call the Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988 ext. 2249.

Persons Separated and Divorced: Learning to Cope (Level 1) is a ten week support program starting Tuesday, September 20th (7p.m. - 9:30 pm), at the Chancery Office. The program is for persons experiencing difficulties as a result of a separation or divorce. For more information, please contact the Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988, ext. 2249. Cost: \$35. Past participants are welcome to inquire about further Levels programs starting the same week.

Parables of Mercy is a Senior Adult study series Wednesday's, September 28, October 5,12,19, November 9,16 from 1:30—3:30 p.m. at the Chancery Office. Cost: \$25 (includes text). Please register by September 21st, contact Monica mverin@hamiltondiocese.com or 905-528-7988 ext. 2238

VON Caregiver Information Series – Are you caring for a family member or friend with a long term health condition? Join us for one of the following free 4 part series where you will learn how to manage stressful situations, how to stay on top of your care situation, how to tackle the common caregiver emotions and how to link to community resources. You are not alone! Come out to one of the upcoming series at The MS Society of Canada, Hamilton Chapter (875 Main St. West, Lower Level 7, Hamilton; corner of Main and Longwood) on September 28, October 5, 19 & 26 from 6:30 – 8:30 pm; at the Turner Park Branch Library (352 Rymal Road E next to YMCA) on October 27, November 3, 10 & 17 from 6:00 – 8:00 pm, or at the Hamilton Family Health Team – Dundas Patient Services, November 9, 16, 23 & 30 from 1:30 – 3:30 pm. To register call Miriam at 905-523-1055 ext. 408 or e-mail Miriam.cahn@von.ca. Respite Care is available.

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