

Annunciation of Our Lord Parish

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Father Don Wilhelm, Pastor

PARISH STAFF

Susan Healy, Parish Secretary
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Cindy Green, Parish Assistant

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday - 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Closed from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. for lunch

PRAYER NETWORK

"Never underestimate the power of prayer." - John Paul II, Miami 1987. Our parish has a dedicated group who pray for the intentions of those who seek or need help. Please contact our parish office with your prayer request.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

To make arrangements for infant or child baptism, please complete a Baptism form located at the main church entrances AND contact the office at least six weeks in advance. Attendance at a Baptism Preparation meeting is also required.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples wishing to be married at our Parish should contact the parish priest for an appointment. At least one years notice is required.

R.C.I.A.

Considering Becoming Catholic? Please contact the Parish Office for information regarding the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults and the process for becoming a member of the Roman Catholic Church.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK HOLY COMMUNION TO SHUT-INS

Holy Communion is brought regularly to the sick, elderly and shut-ins by our Ministers of Communion. A Priest will be happy to bring the Sacrament of the Sick to your home or hospital room upon request.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY PROGRAM

Sunday 9:30 a.m. (except July and August)

PARISH SCHOOLS

Annunciation of Our Lord	905 388-4495
St. Therese of Lisieux	905-523-2335
St. Thomas More Secondary	905 388-3030

PARISH BEQUESTS

Keep your Love for your Parish alive! We invite you, in your kindness, to consider remembering Annunciation of Our Lord Parish in your will and when recommending expressions of sympathy. If anyone wishes to make such a bequest in their will, please contact the parish office @ 905.388.2078. THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

Please contact the parish and arrange the day and time before your appointment with the Funeral Home.

PARISH CENTRE RENTALS

Please contact George or Josie at 905-512-9050



CONFESSIONS

Tuesday	6:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.
Saturday	10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

MASSES

Tuesday	7:00 p.m.
Wednesday & Thursday	9:00 a.m.
Friday	9:30 a.m. (Mass with School Children)
Saturday	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.

PERPETUAL ADORATION IN OUR ADORATION CHAPEL

Please call the office at 905-388-2078 for access.

THE ROSARY

Join us for the Rosary, a half hour prior to each Mass

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS

Saturdays at 4:15 p.m. before the Rosary

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

Next to receiving our Lord and Saviour in the Holy Eucharist, Jesus is calling us to regularly visit and adore Him, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. The Blessed Sacrament is exposed perpetually (24 hours a day) in our Adoration Chapel. Please contact the office for access instructions or to become a regularly scheduled Guardian.

VOCATIONS

Do you feel called by God to His Priesthood or Religious Life? Our Diocesan Vocations Office is available to answer your questions and provide guidance. Contact the Vocation Director for Hamilton Diocese at 905-528-7988 or see the website www.vocationinfo.ca for further information.

WELCOME AND REGISTRATION

To all who worship with us today, may the Lord bless you!
We invite you to join our faith community. Please fill in a blue registration form found at the entrances.

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

Monday noon, written submissions only.

Mass  for the
Intentions Week

Monday November 25– No Mass

Tuesday November 26-7 pm- *Dennis & Jose Roque,
V.U. Abraham, Gerald & Catherine Marcoux, Mario
Pirretta, Epifania Lisondra, Giuseppe Sansotta, Maria C.
Capis & Mesina*

Wednesday November 27–9:00 am- *Giovanni & Maria
Cinelli*

Thursday November 28–9:00 am- *Vincenzo Di Donato*

Friday November 29-9:30 am- *Hilda Parekh*

Saturday November 30-5 pm- *Michael & Nick Greco,
Salvatore Curto, Stan Berlingieri, Maria & Bruno Gagliardi,
Deceased members of the Spetrino & Cino Families,
Special intentions of Deacon Rene Marechal, Giuseppe
Addressi*

Sunday December 1

9:30 a.m. – Pro Populo

11:30 a.m. –Pro Populo

PRAY TO OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP



The two blue candles by Our Mother of Perpetual Help can be lit for your intention (\$5 each). The shrine is located by our Blessed Tabernacle. We encourage all of our parishioners to take a moment and offer a prayer for these intentions:

In thanksgiving for the blessings of the Joseph Family & for all sick family members.

Diocesan Prayer Calendar

Monday: Rev. Marko Puljic, O.F.M.
Tuesday: Rev. Stipe Renic, O.F.M..
Wednesday Diocese of Hamilton Cemetery Staff
Thursday: Rev. Peter Watters
Friday: Rev. Ilija Petkovic
Saturday: Rev. Msgr. Ivan Vuksic

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY



Isaiah 2.1-5
Romans 13.11-14
Matthew 24.37-44

“Before the flood they were eating and drinking”

SUNDAY OFFERINGS



IN OUR PARISH

Sunday September 15 \$7,014.55

Mission Co Op \$1,720.00

Thank you for your support!

BAPTISM PREPARATION TEAM

Annunciation of Our Lord Parish is looking for couples interested in joining our Baptismal Ministry. This team assists Fr. Don in the preparation and the service of Baptism. Your participation is only required approximately twice a year. Training will be provided. If you are looking to get involved with the parish, this is a rewarding Ministry! For more information please contact Ida Caruso at 905-387-5162.

KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS



The Knights of Columbus will again be selling religious Christmas cards as well as the Christmas fruit Cakes. The cards and cakes will be available in the Narthex after all Masses during the month of November. The small amount of proceeds from the Christmas cards will be donated to Knight's Charities. All proceeds from the Christmas cakes will be forwarded to Campaign Life Coalition. The Knights thank you for all your support all through the year.

DIOCESAN NEWSLETTER

To be informed about upcoming workshops and events in the Diocese, be sure to sign up for our Diocesan Newsletter available on-line at www.hamiltondiocese.com. You will receive up-to-date information regularly.

ST. JOSEPH SUNDAY MISSALS

Once again we are asking for your help to fill our pews with the St. Joseph Sunday Missal. The time has come to replace the old missals with the new 2020 edition. You can donate a missal for the pews at a cost of \$5.00 per book. Each book will have a label identifying the donor. Order forms are located at both entrances of the church.

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“By your endurance you will gain your souls.” Be patient with yourself and with God as you await the sign of your call.” You may be called to the priesthood or religious life.

If you think God is calling you to be a priest, please contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton

905-528-7988 email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Our next general meeting will be on Thursday December 5 at 6 pm in the parish centre. This will be followed by our Christmas dinner. This year, the meal will be a catered turkey dinner including wine for \$20. Tickets will go on sale after all weekend masses starting on Nov 16. Tickets will not be available at the door so get yours early!



CWL ELECTIONS

Our current president, Claudia Brown, will not be returning for a third term. Therefore, there will be an **election on January 9, 2020**. Election information packages are being mailed to all current CWL members this week. In keeping with CWL policies and procedures, a list of all eligible nominees is included in the package. The list includes the names of all current members who have not held executive positions in the past 6 years. The package also includes information about the election process. Please consider nominating yourself or somebody else from the list for a position on the new executive. **Nominations are due by December 15** and can be deposited in the collection at mass.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER

Knights of Columbus Council 11960 - will be hosting our ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER on Thurs December 19, 2019 at 7:00 in the Parish Centre. A traditional turkey dinner will be served. This event is open to all Knights and their spouses. Cost is \$25.00 per person. Please RSVP to David Bellingham (phone 905-388-4348) by December 2, 2019

OUT OF THE COLD SOCK DRIVE

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Council is sponsoring a "**Socks Drive**" during the months November & December for "**Hamilton Out of the Cold.**"

Although their main goal is to provide hot, nutritious meals for those in need, but they also need clothing items, such as sock to help those less fortunate. Please help us out and donate at least one pair of socks. Our goal is to donate at least (100) pairs of socks. Drop off in boxes located in the narthex and office entrance. Thanks for your continuous support"

FOOD DRIVE FOR ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Our Conquest and Challenge parish youths are collecting canned and packaged goods to assist our St. Vincent de Paul Society in preparing Christmas hampers for the less fortunate in our community. Our goal is to help reach as many people as possible. Please be generous with non-perishable food items! Thank you for your continued support!

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CHRISTMAS HAMPER PROJECT PREPARATIONS

Dear Parishioners,

1. We ask your help collecting gifts for the children of those families receiving a food hamper, and for clients of the Good Shepherd. Please, take a gift card from the Jesse Tree at the back of the Church and return the gift to the Church as soon as possible, but no later than Sunday, December 1st.
2. Please, bring canned goods and other non-perishable food items to the boxes in the Narthex. We need lots of non-perishable food items to fill the food hampers.
3. Please, mark Saturday, December 14th on your calendar. On this day the Society will be packing and delivering the Christmas Hampers. Packing begins at Annunciation of Our Lord School at 8:30 am and delivery will begin around 11:00 am. We could use your assistance.
4. In your "Sunday envelope box", you will find your SSVP donation envelope dated November 24th. Once more, on behalf of those families who turn to us for help, we beg for your financial support. If you are in a position to contribute then please consider using your 'Nov. 24th' envelope any Sunday before Christmas.

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**CONQUEST and CHALLENGE Youth Ministry
Registration for the 2019-2020 Year
IS NOW OPEN!**

**We are very happy to announce that registration for the 2019-2020 year is now open. We will be offering the program, twice a month on Tuesdays from 5:45pm – 7:30 pm.
Beginning December 17, 2019 –
OPEN HOUSE/COME & SEE**

KICK OFF DATE: January 21, 2020

We hope to see you all back! Please pick up a registration form at the Narthex or by calling Mrs. Tess Perez at 905-388-2078 to register and/or for more information.

Participants: Open to any Boy (Conquest) and Girls (Challenge) from Grades 4-8
Cost: \$40.00 per child



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