

Annunciation of Our Lord Parish

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

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 just outside of the Sacristy. Please 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 or speak to Fr. Paul after mass 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 11:30 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

When a death occurs, in coordination with the funeral home, the parish will provide assistance in making arrangements for your loved one.

PARISH CENTRE RENTALS



ACCORDING TO YOUR WORD

CONFESSIONS

Tuesday	6:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.
Saturday	4:00 - 4:45 p.m. or by appointment

MASSES

Tuesday	7:00 p.m.
Wednesday - Friday	9:00 a.m.
Saturday	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.

ADORATION CHAPEL HOURS

Monday - Saturday 7:30 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.
Sunday 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every First Friday of the month following the morning Mass, with Benediction at 10:30 a.m.

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

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 Monday-Saturday 7:30 a.m. - 9:30 p.m., (except during Mass, and on Sundays 1p.m. - 5 p.m.) 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 registration form found just outside of the Sacristy.

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

Monday noon, written submissions only.

Mass for the Intentions Week



SUNDAY OFFERINGS

Sunday September 8th, 2024, \$ 5,026.10
Building Fund \$ 759.00
Parish Appeal \$ 2,000.00

Thank you for your support!

Monday September 30th-No Mass

Tuesday October 1st -7:00pm-*Fatima Coutto, Agustina Sri Sulasmi, Corona Eni Bondan, Luigi Giordano, Antonia Orellana, Joseph Toth, Maria Soledad Mendoza & Catalino Herrera Mendoza, Special intentions of Chad*

Wed. October 2nd -9:00am-*Ferndinandus Bondan-Surati*

Thursday October 3rd-9:00am-*Special Intentions of Damian Rocco*

First Friday October 4th -9:00am *-Anna Rocco*

First Saturday October 5-9:00am-*Pro Populo 5:00pm- Deceased members of the Monti family, Rose Taylor, Sharon Jurchuk, Anna Satrczala, Eduardo Consoli, Special Intentions of Passaretti Family, Special Intentions of Emanuel Fazio, Special Intentions of Atul, Liz, Sheena & Ramon Arora, In thanksgiving of the Giordano family,*

Sunday October 6th 9:30am & 11:30am-*Pro Populo*

PRAY TO OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP

In Loving memory of Ralph (Papa)



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 our parishioners to take a moment and offer a prayer for these intentions:

Diocesan Prayer Calendar

- Monday:** Rev. William Clarke
- Tuesday:** Rev. Eric Jensen
- Wednesday:** The Holy Guardian Angels
- Thursday:** Very Rev. Paul Panaretos
- Friday:** Rev. Wieslaw Berdowicz
- Saturday:** Rev. Valentine Onwunjiogu

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

God, the source of creation and love, you invite each of us to serve you through the life which is your gift. May your grace encourage men and women to heights of holiness through service to the Church as married couples, priests, consecrated virgins, sisters, brothers, and lay ministers. Make me an instrument to encourage others to give of themselves and challenge me to do the same. Amen

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY



Genesis 2.7ab,15,18-24
Hebrews 2.9-11
Mark 10.2-16 or 10.2-12

“A man shall leave his father and mother... and the two shall become one flesh.”

AED

Thanks to the generosity of the Knights of Columbus the parish now has an AED machine (defibrillator). It is located in the hallway between the church and the parish centre on the right hand side. If anyone involved in a ministry in the parish would like to be trained, please contact the office.

PARISH BREAKFAST



Parish Breakfast tickets are on sale. Breakfast is Sunday, October 6th, after both Masses. \$15 dollars for adults and \$10 dollars for children.

The Knights are also selling tickets for their Christmas dinner on Thursday, December 12 for \$40 dollars.

DIOCESAN VOCATIONS MONTH -OCTOBER

Bishop Crosby has designated October as Diocesan Vocations Month. Each Sunday we will have an intercession for vocations and before the end of Mass we will pray together a prayer for vocations. You are also encouraged to pray for vocations throughout the month. Moreover, if you know someone who you think should consider a particular vocation, such as marriage, priesthood or consecrated virginity lived in the world, be sure to tell that person. Mary, Mother of Vocations, pray for us! For more information about vocations, visit:

<https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/>

ALTAR SERVERS

We are looking for a few more Altar Servers. Anyone in grade 3 and up can serve. There will be some training provided on Saturday, October 5 at 2:00pm. If you're interested, grab a registration form on the back tables in the Narthex and bring it to the training.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

On October 4 and 5 we welcome the Saint Vincent de Paul Ontario Regional Conference for the Annual General Meeting. Bishop Crosby will celebrate Mass here on Saturday and install the new executive. Congratulations to Guido Kelly who will be installed as the President of the Ontario Regional Conference! We offer our prayers and the Lord's blessings on his term as president!

THANK YOU!

We've recently had the chairs in the Sanctuary reupholstered. Thanks to Trish Woolcott for overseeing the project. The chairs look and feel much better; however, Father will have to find a new way to do penance with the upgrade!

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING

This is a friendly reminder that we have automatic withdrawal for your convenience, to help make your donations to Annunciation Parish. Please take a Pamphlet, located in the Narthex of the Church. Or please call the office for more information.

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Today's readings speak of the gifts of prophesy and of casting out demons. If you feel that God is calling you with the gift to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr Mark Morley, Director of Vocations Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 or email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

PARENT MEETINGS

Parents of children in grades 2 and 7 are reminded of the information meetings coming up regarding the celebration of the Sacraments this year. Parents of children in grade 2 who are preparing for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion are invited to meet on **Wednesday, October 2 at 6:30pm in the Church**. Parents of children in grade 7 preparing for Confirmation are invited to meet on **Thursday, October 3 at 7:00pm in the Church**. The dates of the sacraments as well as information about registration will be shared at those meetings.

PARISH OFFICE

We have put in a new phone system in the office. Our doorbell for the parish office is now working. As well please note that we do not have a phone in the Adoration Chapel anymore, please make sure to bring in your cell phone for your convenience.

FEAST OF ST. FAUSTINA KOWALSKA

The Apostles of Divine Mercy cordially invite you to celebrate the FEAST OF ST. FAUSTINA KOWALSKA



Sunday, October 6, 2024,
3pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy
3:30 p.m. Holy Rosary

4:00 p.m. Holy Mass

Celebrant – Fr. Paul Edmondstone

Veneration of the Blessed Sacrament

Veneration of a First Class Relic of St. Faustina

Blessings of religious articles

Reception will follow at the Parish Centre

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



Baby Layette collection of goods for young moms and their children is still running and runs for a few weeks. Please take a tag with a suggested item and return

it to the designated boxes by the end of September. This fall drive is for "The Manor" on Mohawk Rd. W. Thank you for your support and encouragement!

Also, The St. Vincent de Paul Store at 200 Parkdale Ave N is looking for volunteers to help sort, stage, sell and deliver goods to our neighbours in need. Perhaps you have a few extra hours a week and are looking to use them in a meaningful way? This is also a great way for students to earn their volunteer hours! Please call the volunteer coordinator at the store for more information: 905-549-3902

ANNUNCIATION CHRISTMAS BAZAAR



SATURDAY NOVEMBER 9TH, 2024

10 am – 7pm

Please come and volunteer with us!

Now accepting donations for the Penny sale, (New items only- or monetary donations graciously accepted!)

Cleaning out the house? Please donate your used items for the Trash & Treasure & Craft items too! Questions? Adele Landry (905-921-8219) Or Laurie Hughes (905-516-5501)

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