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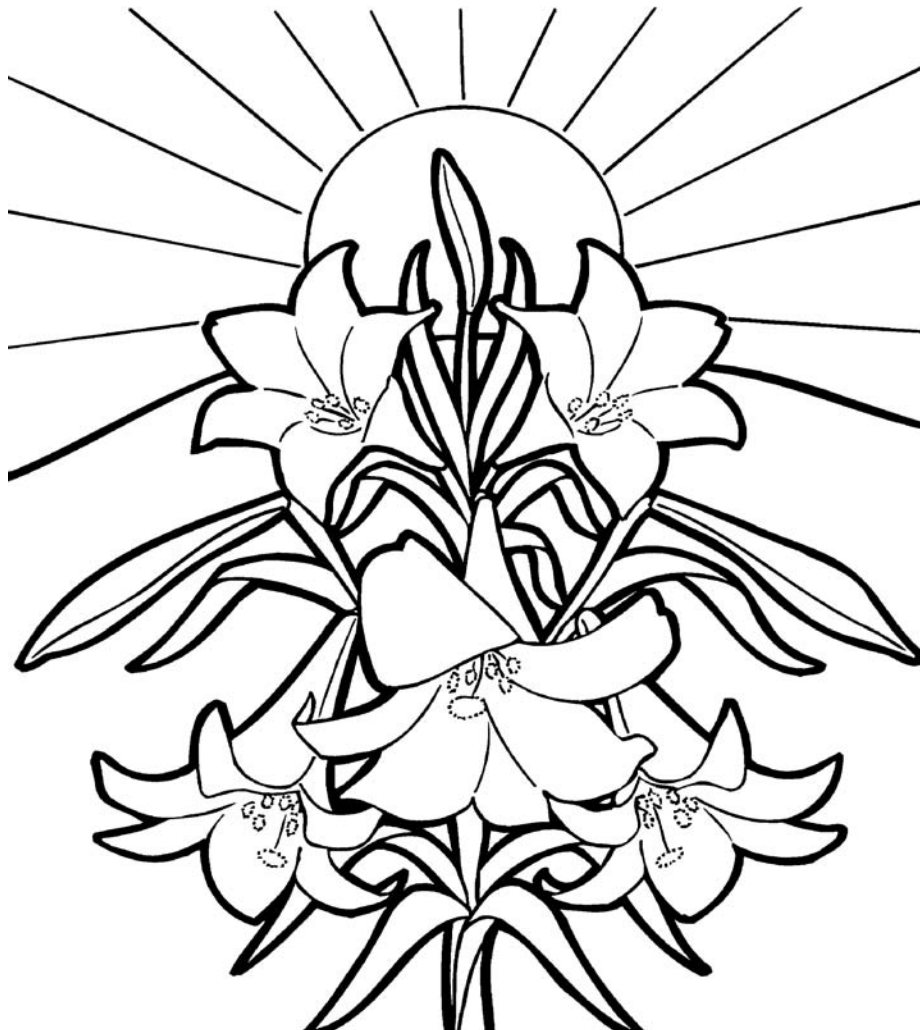
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**The Lord has Risen,
Allelaia, Allelaia, Allelaia!**

Welcome to Holy Rosary Catholic Community. We hope you enjoyed your Lord's Day worship.



Mass Intentions This Week
(8:00 a.m. unless otherwise noted)

Join us to pray the Rosary before Mass. **Rosary starts at 7:30 a.m.**

Tues. April 3	Deacon John Vallely
Wed. April 4	Mimi Coyle
Wed. April 4 @ 10:30 am	Easter School Mass
Thurs. April 5	Brian Torsney
Fri. April 6	Jan Wesoly
Sat. April 7 @ 5 pm	Mario Cupido John Ivanco Paul Walsh

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS/EVENTS

Tuesday 12:45 pm – Seniors' Bridge – Parish Centre
Wednesday 7:00 pm – Quest Small Group Bible Study – Library
Thursday 1:00 pm – Craft Club – Parish Centre 7:00 pm – RCIA – Library 7:30 pm – Choir Practice – Parish Centre

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

We thank you for your continued spiritual and financial support of Holy Rosary Parish.

March 25th Collection

Sunday Envelopes	Loose Collection	Pre-Authorized Debit	Share Lent Collection
\$4,334.	\$622.	\$1,605.	\$13,222.

HOLY ROSARY YOUNG VINCENTIAN'S BATTERY DRIVE April 21st/22nd



Start saving your old and used batteries! Bring them to the Parish Centre on April 21st/22nd. We will also be celebrating St. Vincent de Paul and Frédéric Ozanam's

(founder of the St. Vincent de Paul charity) birthdays that weekend. Cake and refreshments will be provided.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. April 2	Rev. David Weise
Tues. April 3	Rev. Ross Campbell
Wed. April 4	Students
Thurs. April 5	Very Rev. Wayne Lobsinger
Fri. April 6	Rev. Pablito Labado
Sat. April 7	Rev. Philip Reilly, C.R.

**Easter Sunday
The Resurrection
of the Lord**

April 1, 2018

The Lord is truly risen,
Alleluia!

ALLELUIA
ALLELUIA
ALLELUIA

Why seek the dead
among the living?

He is not here.
He is risen
and lives!



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REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The Gospel for Second Sunday of Easter (of Divine Mercy) is: **John 20.19-31**



**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE
HIGH TEA & FASHION SHOW**

On **Sunday May 6th** we invite you to join us for the **May Crowning at 11:00 a.m. Mass**, followed by our **High Tea and Fashions by ALIA N TANJAY** of Burlington Mall. Tickets \$20 per person, sign up sheets and details to follow. Save the date NOW!

THE FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE – For anyone 50+

Join us in the Holy Rosary Parish Centre the first Thursday of each month. Next meeting: **Thursday, Apr. 5** from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Meet new friends, enjoy conversation and help plan group activities. There's no cost. For more info email: blueheron123@sympatico.ca or call Gary at 289-337-1239.

SEEING THE WORD SESSION

Thursday, April 5 from 1:30 – 3:30 pm

You are welcome to ignite your spiritual imagination, praying with The Saint John's bible, using the method of *visio divina* ('divine seeing'), to prayerfully reflect upon Scripture. This session features the Illumination of the Resurrection as we glory in Christ's resurrection from the dead! Interested? Call Anthony 905-528-7988 ext. 2336.

SPRING MEMORIAL MASS – SAT. APRIL 7

The Spring Memorial Mass will take place at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Burlington at 11:00 am. The principal celebrant will be Fr. Wayne Lobsinger. All are welcome!

14TH ANNUAL TRIVIA NIGHT AT ASSUMPTION

Join us **Sat. April 7** from 7 to 10pm at Assumption Catholic Secondary School. All proceeds go to support Halton Catholic Children's Education Foundation and Hamilton Naturalists' Club. Register a team of 6 to 8 players—cost \$15/player. Raffles, 50/50 Draw & team prizes for highest scores. Contact us at: Assumptiontrivia@gmail.com

DIVINE MERCY CELEBRATION

Sunday, April 8

Join us at St. Gabriel Church, Burlington with Celebrant: Bishop Emeritus Matthew Ustrzycki. Begins at 2:00 pm with Confessions, followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Readings, Chaplet and video on Divine Mercy. For more information call 905-335-6902. Refreshments to follow.



GRIEF RELIEF – Tuesdays April 10 – May 15

Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Are you wondering if these feelings are normal? You are not alone! Come to this 6 week educational and support series dealing with grief at the Diocese of Hamilton Chancery Office (beside the Cathedral) Tuesdays from 1:30 to 3:00 pm. Facilitated by Karen Hulley, RP. No cost to participate, you can attend any number of sessions. To register call the Family Ministry Office 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or on-line at www.hamiltondiocese.com

FORMED IN FAITH

TUESDAYS – APRIL 17, 24, MAY 1

Are you a grandparent or senior looking to know more about your faith and wondering about how best to share it with others? Join David Dayler and Dr. Anne Jamieson for this 3 week course which explores strengthening the foundation for sharing our faith. Tuesdays from 1:30 – 3:30 pm at St. Ann Parish, Ancaster. Cost \$25 includes resources. For info or to register, call Monica at 905-528-7988, ext. 2238.

MASS WITH NEW CATHOLICS

SATURDAY, APRIL 21 @ 5 PM

New Catholics from across our diocese will join Bishop Douglas Crosby for Mass. All are welcome to participate in this Mass as we welcome our new Catholics and celebrate the joy of their initiation into the Catholic Church.

CONCERT AT THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA THE SAINT JOHN'S BIBLE RECEPTION

Sing for Joy! All are welcome to this concert of music inspired by the illuminations of The Saint John's bible on **Sunday, April 29 at 7 pm** at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton. Music by the Diocesan Choir, the combined choirs of the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate and the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, and the Grand Philharmonic Choir. A highlight of the evening will be excerpts from Bernstein's Chichester Psalms.

#RALLYUP 2018 "BE" REGISTRATION IS LIVE

Don't miss out on the annual diocesan Youth Rally taking place at Camp Brebeuf, Rockwood on **Sat. May 26th**. **Register before April 30th** to be included in an Early Bird Prize Pack draw! BE there! Registration is live at: hamiltondiocese.com/youthrally

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2018? If you are, you are invited to join couples from across the Diocese for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on **Sunday, June 10th** at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest, if you require assistance). **Please refer to the poster beside the bulletin board** for information on how to register for this celebration or visit the website: www.hamiltondiocese.com

NOTRE DAME ACADEMY FOR GIRLS, Waterdown Final Class Reunion–Sun. June 10 from 1:30–4pm

Sister Joan Helm of the School Sisters of Notre Dame is organizing a reunion for all former students and teachers as the Motherhouse is now for sale. You can contact Sister at 905-689-6646 or email her at: jhelmca@yahoo.ca if you plan to attend. Help spread the word to former students!

PARENT TIP OF THE MONTH

Our children are treasures and bring us much joy! They are however, from a very young age, in need of our leadership to help them grow into competent and capable adults. When a child is two their behaviours and temper tantrums may seem funny and even cute, but by four those behaviours are no longer funny, by ten they are causing family tensions and by the teenage years may make it very difficult to parent. Praise your children, spend time with your children and model good behaviours, but remember to teach them self-control, manners and good behaviours from a very early age, which will make all the other parenting years less stressful.

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