

Holy Rosary Parish Community

287 Plains Road East - Burlington, Ontario L7T 2C7

**Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary,
Pray for us.**



Mission Statement

Holy Rosary Burlington Catholic Parish Community, disciples sent forth by the Holy Spirit to live and proclaim Christ Jesus, strives to constantly grow in faith, vibrant worship, warm welcome to all, and compassionate outreach, to be a vital witness of care and hope wherever the Lord needs us.

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Parish Office Hours

Tuesday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 12 noon & 1 - 4 p.m.
Friday 9 a.m. - 12 noon
Office closed - Sat. / Sun. / Mon.

Masses on the Lord's Day

Saturday 5 p.m. | Sunday 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.
Summer - Saturday 5 p.m. | Sunday Mass 10 a.m.

Weekday Mass

Tuesday - Friday 8 a.m. (Rosary at 7:30 a.m.)

Confessions

Saturday 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

New Parishioners

We welcome you. Please introduce yourself and complete a registration form in the book rack at the church entrance.

Pastoral Care of the Sick and Homebound

Please contact the office whenever a family member is hospitalized or confined to home. Privacy law prohibits the parish from obtaining information from the hospital. Parish staff and volunteers visit the sick and homebound regularly and bring Communion to those unable to come to the church. Call the office if you or a member of your family wishes to receive the Anointing of the Sick.

Remember Your Parish

Keep your love for your parish alive. Remember Holy Rosary Parish in your will and when recommending expressions of sympathy.

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 13	William Crowe
Wed. April 14	Florina Castura
Thurs. April 15	For the Intentions of Carolina Lesmes
Fri. April 16	Mary Judd
Sat. April 17 @ 5pm	Michael Vasko Sheridan Smith Yolanda Fleming Michael Wong Sing Helena Moniz

SINCERE THANKS!!

We are so grateful that we were able to celebrate Holy Week, the Easter Triduum, and Easter Sunday with gathering in-person for the sacred celebrations. Very sincere thanks to everyone whose work contributed to making them beautiful and meaningful. Our parish continues to reach up and out, to be the hands and feet of the Risen Christ. On the night of the Easter Vigil, three new members were added to the Catholic Church and to our parish community through the Sacraments of Initiation. **Jason Sinukoff** and **Michael Smith** were baptized, and **Helen Williams** was received into the full communion of the Catholic Church. All three were confirmed, all three received First Holy Communion. It has been a joy and an inspiration to journey with them through the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) process this year.

On a personal note, Monsignor Martin and Father Mike thank you for warm Easter greetings, cards, and tasty goodies. Your love and support are always deeply appreciated. May God bless you and yours during these holy Easter days!

SUNDAY MASS LIVE-STREAMED

Every Sunday morning, 9:00 A.M., on the parish website: <https://holyrosaryburlington.com>. Available on demand as the day goes on. Hopefully all glitches are now dealt with!!!



DIVINE MERCY CELEBRATION

Come join in the Annual Celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday, April 11th, at Saint Gabriel's Church, 2261 Parkway Drive, Burlington. Starts with Confessions at 2:00 P.M. Service at 3:00 P.M., with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Divine Mercy Chaplet. Celebrant: Monsignor Ted Slaman. Call 905-335-6902 for further information.

**Second Sunday
of Easter
Divine Mercy**

April 11, 2021

We have life
in the name of the Lord.



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REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The Gospel for the Third Sunday of Easter is **Luke 24.35-48**

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

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

April 2nd – 4th Collection

Sunday Envelopes	Sunday Loose	Pre-Authorized Debit	Easter
\$ 3,725	\$ 200	\$ 1,408	\$ 9,303

Your generous Easter contributions are deeply appreciated. The "first-quarter 2021" picture of our parish finances is looking very hopeful, despite the continued restrictions under which we labour.



SHARE LENT 2021

Thank you so much for your great generosity in this year's collection. As of last Sunday, we are now up to **\$10,278.00**

received so far, for this inspiring work. You are still welcome to contribute at any time in the next couple of weeks. This year's theme relies for its inspiration on Pope Francis' recent encyclical, *Fratelli Tutti*; it is "Share Love, Share Lent". For more information and resources, go to <https://www.devp.org>.



Join Halton Alive in touching the hearts of over 5500 residents of long term care and retirement homes through our 2021 Inspire Hope Campaign!

Spring Flowers Initiative:

Volunteers needed to make and deliver 5500 homemade Spring flowers! Select your flower and make as many as you can! Includes discussion starters for parents, teachers and youth ministers. Volunteers will drop off bright, cheerful bouquets for an assigned facility (following all Covid-19 protocols).

Sign up at www.haltonalive.ca/inspirehope or contact Tawnya Stanus 905-632-3232



Did you know that our parish has a Life Team dedicated to praying for the pro-life intentions of our families, community and Nation? If you

have a pro-life intention or you're interested in being part of the Life Team, please contact Mariana and Rafael by emailing to minakawa@live.com.

For more information about Life Teams visit our website: <https://www.haltonalive.ca/volunteer>.



INVITATION TO COMMUNAL SPIRITUAL GROWTH

Monday, April 19th, 2021 at 7 pm (via Zoom)

Delve Deeper into Praying the Psalms

All are welcome. If interested, please contact Vicky: siuming.chen@gmail.com.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. April 12	Rev. Francisco Sordo
Tues. April 13	Very Rev. Wojciech Kuzma
Wed. April 14	Permanent Deacons
Thurs. April 15	Rev. James McSharry
Fri. April 16	Rev. Francis Hubilla
Sat. April 17	Rev. Joseph Okoko, i.v.Dei



"FAMILY CORNER" ON PARISH WEBSITE

Did you know that there is a tab on the parish website called "Family Corner"? Includes weekly

Children's Liturgy of the Word (courtesy of Mary Mother of God Parish in Oakville); children's activities; and resources for families for spiritual and family growth, especially during these Sacred times. <https://www.holyrosaryburlington.com/>

Please be sure to check out the rich Holy Week/Easter Family resource, sent to us courtesy of several Diocesan Offices. This can likewise be found on the parish website. Or go to <https://hamiltodiocese.com/holyweek2021/>

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS 2021 REGISTRATION

The Anniversary Mass scheduled for June of 2021 has been cancelled due to restrictions and concerns around COVID-19. We invite you to register your 25, 40, 50, 60 and 60 plus years of marriage on the Diocesan website at <https://hamiltodiocese.com>. The Anniversary Mass is listed on the home page - click on the icon and you can register your Anniversary. You will be sent the certificate you would have received from Bishop Crosby at the Mass.

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