

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. May God bless you and your family abundantly.

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 10, 2019

Bow low before the Lord who made us!



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. Feb. 12	Anna Marie Cupido
Wed. Feb. 13	Intentions of Stan Semeniuk
Thurs. Feb. 14	Monsignor Edward House
Fri. Feb. 15	Dolores Johnson
Sat. Feb. 16 @ 5:00 p.m.	Intentions of Paul & Barbara Blake Albert Altobelli Jorge DeSouza

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS / EVENTS

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

WORLD DAY OF THE SICK – FEBRUARY 11TH

World Day of the Sick highlights the healing ministry of the Church. We are reminded to make time to pray for the sick and for those who work hard to alleviate the sufferings of those affected with illness and disease.

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

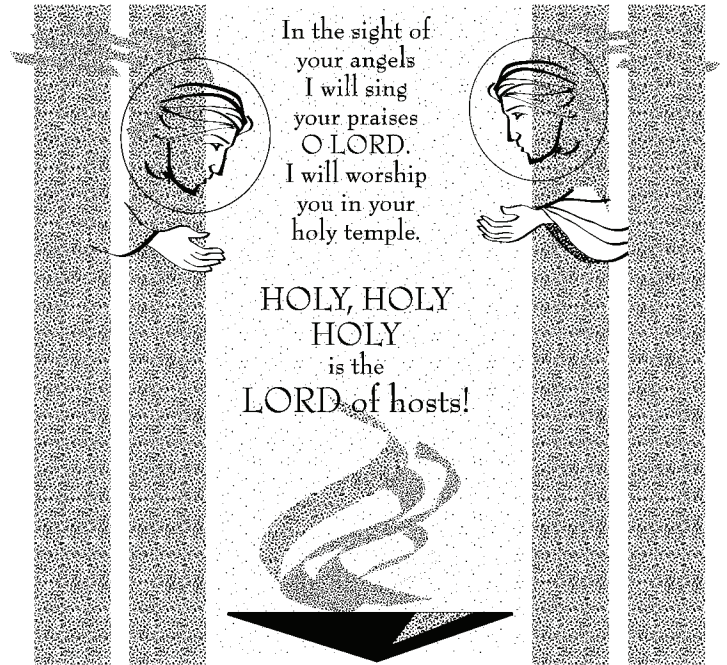
We thank you for your continued spiritual and financial support of Holy Rosary Parish.

February 3rd Collection

Sunday Envelopes	Loose Collection	Pre-Authorized Debit	Seminary Education
\$5,561.	\$405.	\$1,629.	\$3,707.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. Feb. 11	Rev. Mark Morley
Tues. Feb. 12	Rev. Jason Kuntz
Wed. Feb. 13	Salesians of Don Bosco (S.D.B.)
Thurs. Feb. 14	Rev. Martin Mikulski, S.A.C.
Fri. Feb. 15	Rev. Bill Trusz
Sat. Feb. 16	Rev. David Reitzel



REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The gospel for the Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Luke 6.17, 20–26

THE FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE – For anyone 50+

Join us in Holy Rosary Parish Centre the first Thursday of each month. Next meeting: **Thursday, Feb. 7th** 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 289-933-9982.



SHARE LENT WORKSHOP

Mon. Feb. 11th from 7–9 pm, St. Raphael's Parish, Burl.

This Lenten season **Development and Peace** and **Pope Francis** invite us to reach out and encounter migrants and refugees, to make a commitment to really go toward others, to stop, listen and really see them. Join us to learn how to foster a culture of encounter in your parish or school.

CHRISTOPHER LEADERSHIP COURSE IN EFFECTIVE SPEAKING – Tuesday evenings

Whether you are afraid of public speaking or would you like to take on a leadership role within the parish, the Christopher Leadership Course in Effective Speaking can help. Next course **begins Tuesday evening, Feb. 12th** at McMaster University in Hamilton. To register or for more information, please visit www.clchamilton.com or call Frank at 905-662-4076.

DAY OF PRAYER – Friday, Feb. 15th

The Sisters of Social Service invite you to join them for a Day of Prayer at St. Catherine of Siena Parish (Corpus Christi Site), 1694 Upper James, Ham. from 9:00 to 3:30. Coffee, tea, muffins provided. Suggested offering \$25. Bring a bag lunch and coffee mug. To register call 905-388-3966 or email: ssspertshire@sympatico.ca

A REEL JUSTICE EVENT – “AFTER THE STORM” Building the Pope Francis Village Friday, Feb. 22nd @ 5pm

In 2013, the survivors of super typhoon Haiyan, in Tacloban, the Philippines, saw their community destroyed. Many of you gave generously to our special emergency collection. Now it's time to share the good news! Learn how your money has created a village that has become a model for disaster relief. Join us at **St Raphael's Parish Hall**, 4072 New St., Burlington. Doors open at 5 pm, potluck meal at 5:30, film at 7 pm. Guest, Jess Augustin, our Philippines Program Officer, will be on hand to answer your questions. <https://hamiltondiocese.com/chancellor/library/reeljustice>
A special invitation is extended to all Filipino members of our community.

CALLED TO LIFE WORKSHOP Sat. Feb. 23rd from 8:45 – 11:00 am

Equip yourselves with the education and tools to shift the culture and become catalysts to build a strong culture of life in your parish. Our first step toward a compassionate support and mentorship program for mothers and unplanned pregnancy. All women welcomed to join us at **St. Raphael's Parish**, Burlington. Cost \$5. Refreshments provided. Sponsored by CWL and Halton Alive. **RSVP by Fri. Feb. 15** to Tawnya at: cec@haltonalive.com

16TH ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF PRIESTHOOD & CONSECRATED LIFE DINNER – Tues. April 30th Liuna Station – Hamilton

This dinner honouring priests and consecrated brothers and sisters who have served the Diocese of Hamilton for 50 years is sponsored by the Serra Club of Hamilton. For info go to: www.celebrationpri.wixsite.com/dinner or you can call Margaret Carreiro at 905-628-5682.

STRESS IN YOUR MARRIAGE?

TRY A RETROUVAILLE WEEKEND – March 15-17

There is help! Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, frustrated or angry in their marriage. This program has helped countless couples experiencing marital difficulty. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on March 15th, email hamiltonretrouvaille1@cogeco.ca or call 905-664-5212 or visit the website at www.retrouvaille.org. Healthy relationships share common skills; come and learn more!

ARE YOU SEPARATED AND/OR DIVORCED?

Try **LEARNING TO COPE** (Level 1), a 10 week support program starting **Tues. March 19** from 7:00 to 9:30 pm at the **Chancery Office**, 700 King St. W, Hamilton. The program is for persons experiencing difficulties as a result of a separation or divorce. For info contact the Family Ministry Office 905-528-7988, ext. 2249. Cost: \$35. Have you already completed level 1, 2 or 3? Join the next level and continue the journey toward healing, as well as connect with others experiencing the same change in their lives. Invite others to join you, or pass this on to others who may need this support. For more info: www.hamiltondiocese.com under the start date below *Upcoming Events*.

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH

(from the Family Ministry Office 905-528-7988, ext. 2250)

Tip #109 – February is the month we celebrate love on Valentine's Day, but the commercialism of the day can confuse children and make them believe that love is only about giving and/or receiving something. While that may be part of love, true love unfolds every day in the way we treat each other, help each other and care for each other. True love takes work, requires action and seeks to meet the needs of the one we love. Talk to your children, no matter the age, about what real love actually looks like, so they can grow up to give and expect that kind of love in their lives.

MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH

(from the Family Ministry Office 905-528-7988, ext. 2250)

Tip #89 – Love is a choice, or more importantly, how we love is a choice. We can choose soft, complimentary and caring words, or we can choose harsh, cutting and angry words. Emotions in any relationship can run high at times, but we can control our emotions if we choose. We can take a moment to breathe deeply, ask ourselves if we want to hurt or offend the one we love and decide what the better words and tone to discuss an issue might be. When we choose wisely, we love more fully and our spouse responds in kind. Love is a choice – make wise decisions and your marriage will flourish.

VOCATIONS

Do not be afraid. If the Lord is calling you to the ordained or consecrated life, do not be afraid. Jesus calls and will give you the grace to respond wholeheartedly. If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton by calling 905-528-7988 or email at: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

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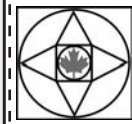
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