### **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.

### Clergy

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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 are spiritually enriched by the 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., Feb. 8	Diane Hainsworth	
Wed., Feb. 9	Carmela Damiano	
Thurs., Feb. 10	Gerry Lee	
Fri., Feb. 11	Marie (Moira) Brennan	
Sat., Feb. 12	10:00 A.M.: Mass to Pray for	
	Vocations	
	5:00 P.M.: Joe Johnson	
	Joseph Petrarca	

### SATURDAY MORNING MASS FOR VOCATIONS, FEBRUARY 12<sup>TH</sup>, 10:00 A.M.

Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Formation for the Diocese of Hamilton, has formed a Vocations Committee consisting of 7 Priests (one from each Deanery---our parish alumnus, Father Paul Edmondstone, is the representative from Bruce-Grey Deanery). One initiative of the Committee is the offering of a monthly Saturday Morning Mass for Vocations. The Serra Club promotes and supports vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Members of the Serra Club of Halton are assisting in scheduling and hosting the monthly Masses.

A special Mass for Vocations will be offered here at Holy Rosary this coming <u>Saturday</u>, <u>February 12th</u>, <u>2022 at 10:00 A.M.</u>, to pray for more workers in the Lord's vineyard. Father David Walter, Dean of Halton and member of the Vocations Committee, will concelebrate the Mass with your priests. Please plan to attend, and support this Vocations initiative. Serra Club members will be present to answer any questions you may have about Serra.

### **BIBLES, and BIBLE SUNDAY**



We continue to encourage you to visit our Diocesan webpage dedicated to Bible Sunday 2022. Here you will find resources for adults, youth and children to help foster a relationship with God's living Word:

www.hamiltondiocese.com/thebiblespeaks.

We have Bibles (New Revised Standard Version, same as used at Mass) available for sale, \$ 20.00 each. Speak to Monsignor Martin or to Mary Edmondstone.

### REGISTER YOUR CHILD FOR KINDERGARTEN AT HCDSB!



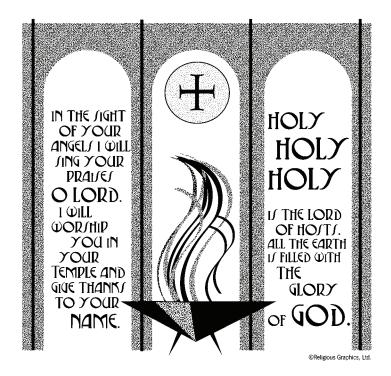
Kindergarten registration at the Halton Catholic District School Board (HCDSB) for the 2022-2023 school

year is now open! Parents and guardians who are interested in registering their child for Kindergarten are invited to visit the HCDSB website for more information: <a href="https://hcdsb.info/Kindergarten">https://hcdsb.info/Kindergarten</a>

# Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 6, 2022

The Lord fills the hungry with good things!



#### REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The Gospel for the Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time is:

Luke 6.17, 20-26

#### **OUR GIFTS TO GOD**

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

#### **DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR**

Mon. Feb. 7	Rev. Michael Anderson	
Tues. Feb. 8	Rev. Robert Love	
Wed. Feb. 9	Missionaries	
Thurs. Feb. 10	Rev. Marko Puljic, O.F.M.	
Fri. Feb. 11	Rev. Robert Kavelj, O.F.M.	
Sat. Feb. 12	Rev. Ilija Petkovic	

### CANDLEMAS DAY BLESSED CANDLES AVAILABLE

We blessed Candlemas Day candles this past Wednesday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>, the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord Jesus in the Temple; these are now available in the entranceway this weekend, for your use at home. There are 2 candles per box; suggested donation is \$5.00.

#### **INCOME TAX RECEPTS STILL AVAILABLE**

<u>Please note</u>: Your Income Tax receipts for 2021 donations are still available in the entranceway of the church this weekend for pickup. Those receipts which have not been picked up by this Tuesday will be sent by regular mail.



### SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL NEEDS YOUR HELP ONCE MORE!!

It looks like the pantry supplies are starting to become a bit sparse once again. You were very generous over Christmas, but we need to come begging once more. Saint Vincent de Paul would appreciate replenishment of paper products, dental care items, dishwashing liquid/tablets and laundry soap, shampoo, juice, coffee, tea, canned fruit, canned pasta, snacks, peanut butter & jam, rice and sugars. All items greatly appreciated. As always, please just place donations into the big bin in the narthex. Thank you, thank you, thank you!

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS! PARISH 75<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY LENTEN RETREAT AND MINI-MISSION



We are very pleased to announce that we are going to have a Lenten Retreat opportunity, a kind of mini-Parish Mission, to help kick off our 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary observances, as we

thank God for all that has been, and commit ourselves to be of service to the Lord in the years to come. Father Mark Wendling, native son of the parish, a member of the Society of Our Lady of the Most Blessed Trinity currently serving in Detroit, will be with us to preach at all Masses on the weekend of April  $2^{\rm nd}-3^{\rm rd},$  and then continue the themes with additional conferences on Monday/4<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday/5<sup>th</sup>. More details to come! Please mark your calendars, and plan to be part of this great chance for spiritual renewal!

#### WORLD DAY OF THE SICK HEALING MASS



This Friday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 P.M. At Saint Gabriel's Church, Parkway Drive, Burlington. Pastor Father Paul Patrick will celebrate Mass and administer the Sacrament of the Sick after the homily. All welcome to

attend and be refreshed and healed by the merciful Lord. Further information at 905-335-6902.

### ADVERTISING FOR OUR NEW YOUTH AND FAMILY MINISTER HAS BEGUN!!!

A major thrust of our Parish Needs Survey and our participation in the Diocesan Capital Campaign was to look into securing a Parish Youth and Family Minister. After unfortunate delays due to the pandemic conditions of the past two years, we are finally able to move forward on advertising for this full-time position, which opens up great hope for us in building our parish community for the future. The Diocese of Hamilton has now opened the job for applications. Check out the advertisement and job description, by going to:

https://hamiltondiocese.com/job-opportunities.php, and clicking on our entry. We hope to have our new person in place before Easter!

#### MARRIAGE SUPPORT---RETROUVAILLE



Is your marriage experience more trouble than joy, feeling stagnant or disconnected and/or causing you worries? The solution is

**Retrouvaille** - a program for married couples facing difficult challenges in their relationship. Retrouvaille has one purpose: to help couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship. This is a practical program, where sharing is not required except between the couple themselves, designed to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect. It also works well for couples who may be considering separation or divorce. The next Retrouvaille weekend takes place

March 11<sup>th</sup> - 13th, 2022. For more information call 905-664-5212 or email teamrecine@gmail.com.

## YEAR OF AMORIS LAETITIA FAMILY SPEAKER SERIES (On Zoom) CONTINUES!

The Witness of Faith in the Home is the second talk in our Hamilton Diocesan Speaker Series - Join us on Wednesday, Feb. 16<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. for this wonderful talk by Connie Clark. Connie is the author of numerous books, booklets and articles for parents, catechists, teens and kids. Sharing engaging personal stories, encouragement, and practical ideas, Connie helps families recognize their beautiful, vital role in the Christian community and in the family of God. She will focus on how parents/grandparents/teachers/aunts/uncles/catechists and everyone can guide families as they grow in faith. The entire series, running once per month until June, will be presented via Zoom, so you must register for each talk, but can join in by internet or phone. Check the Diocesan website at https://amorislaetitia.hamiltondiocese.com/ for more information on the series and to register. For more information. Teresa contact Hartnett thartnett@hamiltondiocese.com, or 905-528-7988, x 2250.



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