## **Holy Rosary Parish Community**

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Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

Welcome to Holy Rosary Catholic Community. We hope you are spiritually enriched by the Lord's Day worship.



#### **Mass Intentions**

(8:00 a.m. unless otherwise noted)

Join us to pray the Rosary before Mass.

Rosary starts at 7:30 a.m.

| Tues., Jan. 3  | Jorge De Sousa  |
|----------------|-----------------|
| Wed., Jan. 4   | John Rosart     |
| Thurs., Jan. 5 | Matilda Estrela |
| Fri., Jan. 6   | Jean Pilla      |
| Sat. Jan. 7    | Louis Gaspari   |
|                | Zeno Karcz      |



#### Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord

Saturday, January 7: 5:00 P.M. Sunday, January 8: 9:00 A.M. Sunday, January 8: 11:00 A.M.

#### NOTE: CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED:

.....through until Wednesday, January 4<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am. (Messages will still be received, and Monsignor Martin will be available as needed: 905-517-5511)

#### **CHURCH DONATIONS FOR 2022**

Don't forget: in order to receive a charitable tax receipt for 2022, donations must have been received before Dec. 31<sup>st</sup>. Receipts will be available late January or early February.

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

#### **PICKING UP 2023 CHURCH ENVELOPES**

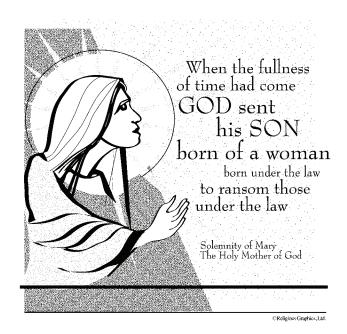
Church envelopes for 2023 <u>are still available for pickup</u> in the Parish Centre, and for a little while longer. They are arranged in alphabetical order, in the Parish Centre. Free 2023 Church Calendars, sponsored again this year by Smith's Funeral Homes, are available nearby.

If you do not have regular Sunday envelopes, please consider registering for these, especially with the new year 2023 nearly upon us. Be aware that the parish issues Official Receipts for Income Tax purposes. To arrange to register for obtaining Sunday envelopes, please contact Divine Dimaranan at the rectory office (see across).

### Solemnity of Mary Holy Mother of God

January 1, 2023

Rejoice in Christ, the Prince of Peace!



#### REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The Gospel for The Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord is:

**Matthew 2.1-12** 

#### PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT (PAD)

This way of giving for your regular weekly Sunday contributions is available for your convenience; just call Divine at the church office at 905-634-7441 to sign up. If you already use pre-authorized giving and still wish to use envelopes for any Special Collections, please don't hesitate to give us a call or email: <a href="mailto:hrosary@cogeco.net">hrosary@cogeco.net</a>

#### **DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR**

| Mon. Jan. 2   | Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, O.M.I. (25 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of his Episcopal Ordination) |
|---------------|---|
| Tues. Jan. 3  | Rev. Piotr Machnacki, S.A.C.  |
| Wed. Jan. 4   | Diocesan Priests  |
| Thurs. Jan. 5 | Rev. Ranjan D'Sa, O.C.D.  |
| Fri. Jan. 6   | Rev. Joseph Ahilan, C.R.S.P.  |
| Sat. Jan. 7   | Rev. Louis Lenssen, C.R.S.P.  |



### THE DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS IS BACK!

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+Wedding Anniversary in the year 2023? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, April 16th, 2023 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton 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.) Registration will be available in early January at www.hamiltondiocese.com.

#### YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

Did you know that our Youth and Family Minister, Cristian Lecanda, is developing a ministry for Young Adults (ages 19 and up, to about 30)? You are welcome to explore this group, and to bring your friends! For more information, check out the appropriate tab on the parish website, and contact Cristian: <a href="mailto:clecanda@hamiltondiocese.com">clecanda@hamiltondiocese.com</a>, Next gathering is in the Parish Centre on Friday, January 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023, beginning at <a href="mailto:6:30 P.M.">6:30 P.M.</a> (note new time).

#### CHRISTMAS SEASON YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT

<u>Holy Hour, Fellowship, and Praise</u>: This Saturday, January  $7^{\text{th}}$ , 2023, 6:30 – 9:30 p.m. At Annunciation of Our Lord Church, 280 Limeridge Road West, Hamilton. Sponsored by the Diocese of Hamilton Vocations Office (Father Mark Morley).

Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com Website: hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/



#### REGISTER YOUR CHILD FOR KINDERGARTEN AT HCDSB

Kindergarten registration at the Halton Catholic District School Board (HCDSB) for the 2023-2024 school year is now open!

Parents and guardians who are interested in registering their child for Kindergarten are invited to visit the HCDSB website: https://hcdsb.info/KindergartenRegistration.

#### **RESTART: REFRESH, RENEW, REVIVE**

A gathering for separated and divorced individuals, offering learning, support and fun! These get-togethers offer continual support and insights for people on their journey through the divorce/separation process and beyond. **Held the 2nd & 3rd Fridays of each month**, you can join inperson (700 King St. West, Hamilton), or by ZOOM. No registration required. For ZOOM link contact Sarah at familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com, or 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.



#### NEW YEAR'S PRAYER

God, thank you for a new year.

May everyone in our family be willing to begin anew with a clean slate.

We know that you are always ready to forgive us. Help us to be willing to forgive ourselves and to forgive one another.

As we begin a new year, remind us of our truest values and our deepest desires.

Help us to live in the goodness that comes from doing what you want us to do.

Help us to put aside anxiety about the future and the past, so that we might live in peace with you now, one day at a time.

Amen.

#### THE BIG BAND CONCERT IS BACK

FOR THE 10TH YEAR LIVE AND IN PERSON

Sunday, January 29, 2:00 to 4:30 P.M., at the Burlington Performing Arts Centre.



After a long wait, the Knights of Columbus of Burlington are hosting an afternoon of "Big Band Music" at the Burlington Performing Arts Centre, featuring the Toronto All-Star Big Band. If you missed the concert last year, now is the time for you to reserve your seats. This is an ideal Christmas Gift for that person who has everything.

The price per ticket is only \$48.00. You can go on-line to reserve your seat by calling the box office at 905-681-6000 or by going to their website at www.burlingtonpac.ca.



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