Holy Rosary Catholic Community

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Parish Office Hours

Tuesday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Friday: 9:00 a.m. -12:00 Noon

Our Lord's Day Liturgies Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Weekday Mass Tuesday-Friday 8:00 a.m.

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

Catholic Funeral Rites Contact Holy Sepulchre Cemetery 905 522-7727 or visit their website at: www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

New Parishioners

We welcome you. Please complete a Registration Form in the book rack.

Contact us Parish Office 905-634-7441 Fax 905-634-6264

Email: hrosary@cogeco.net

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



Holy Rosary was formed out of portions of the Cathedral parish in Hamilton, St. John's, Burlington and St. Thomas, Waterdown. Father Bernard Harrigan was the first Pastor and the first Mass was celebrated on June 6, 1947 in the chapel of Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Rosary School was built in 1951. Under the leadership of Father Blake Ryan (1953-1964) a new Church and rectory were built. The 400 seat church was dedicated on May 1, 1955. In 1987, during the pastorate of Father Anthony Ciavarro, the church was redesigned with a 180 degree rotation. Beautiful stained glass, statuary, and sculpture adorn the renewed space. Other pastors who served the parish were: Msgr. Bernard Harrigan, Father Blake Ryan, Father Harold Smith, Father Carlo Bianchi, Father Anthony Ciavarro, Father Ron Cote, Father Frank Trzupek, Msgr. Murray Kroetsch and the present pastor, Msgr. Edward House. Today there are over 600 registered families.

Welcome to Holy Rosary Catholic Community. We hope you enjoyed your Lord's Day Worship. May God bless you abundantly!



MASSES THIS WEEK

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

Tuesday, Jan. 21	Frank Starodub
Wednesday, Jan. 22	Elsie Picone
Thursday, Jan. 23	Don Simon
Friday, Jan. 24	Carolina Puzzuoli
Saturday, Jan. 25	Intentions of the
	Petrowski Family

A POST CHRISTMAS PRAYER

When the song of the angels is stilled,

When the star in the sky is gone,

When the kings are back home,

When the shepherds are once more with their flocks,

When Simeon and Anna have gone to their Master in peace,

Then the work of Christmas begins:

To find the lost, to heal the broken,

To release the prisoners, to rebuild nations,

To bring peace to all people,

To make music in the heart. Amen.

THANK YOU TO THE MEN'S CLUB!

We acknowledge with thanks and appreciation the Men's Club **donation of \$3,300**. from the proceeds of last November's Turkey Roll & Silent Auction. Thank you for your hard work and efforts and thank you to all the parishioners who supported this event.





Ladies, mark your calendars for the **CWL Membership Brunch** on **Sunday, Jan. 26** at 12 noon. Please use the signup sheets on the table at the church entrance. All ladies are welcome. For more info. call Bev 905-577-0470.

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK?

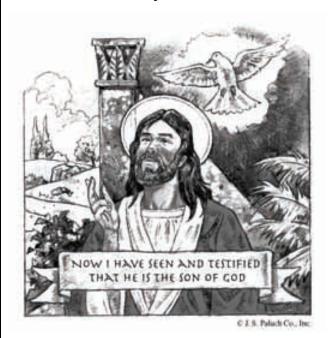
Tuesday, Jan. 21

1:00 pm – Seniors Bridge Group – Parish Ctr.

Wednesday, Jan. 22

7:30 pm - Choir Practice - Parish Centre

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME January 19, 2014



THE CATHOLIC CHURCH—HERE COMES EVERYBODY

This popular way of describing the universality of our Church is a theme of today's readings. The prophet Isaiah tells of God's servant who will be the "light of the nations." It will not be enough for this servant only to bring back the survivors of Israel's dispersion and captivity. God's salvation must reach to the ends of the earth.

Saint Paul writes to a local church of mainly Gentiles and presumably former sinners of all kinds in Corinth. He greets them and tells them that they are to take their place with "saints everywhere" in the name of Jesus Christ.

The Gospel reading from John tells of Jesus' commissioning by the Father in the Holy Spirit to bring salvation to all, to take away the sins of the world. This Chosen One has come to baptize the world in God's Spirit. Everybody.

As you hear these words, consider your own task to bring the good news of salvation to everyone you will meet in the coming days, weeks, years.

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REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week! The Gospel for the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time is: **Matthew 4.12-23.**

THANK YOU

Msgr. House wishes to thank parishioners for their cards and gifts that were brought to the Staff at Christmas. Many thanks for your kindness.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The symbols and actions of baptism evolved around the experience of adults dying to old patterns of life and rising from the waters of baptism as new creations. As for newborn babies, at first it was desired to wait until the following Easter, when they could be baptized, anointed with chrism, and given a taste of the Eucharist in association with adults. The Church was always willing to baptize adults in emergency situations outside the Easter timetable, and in time, since infancy itself was a life-threatening situation, the baptism of As babies became commonplace. with "emergency" adult baptisms, it was required that parents bring the child, as soon as health was recovered, to the bishop for the full menu of sacraments.

The very real fear of death for infants thus created a situation in which the three sacraments drifted apart from each other, and away from their original, adult celebration at Easter. Today, at last, we know a great deal about how our practices evolved. This knowledge is reshaping how we celebrate Easter, how we receive adult faith, and how we structure the faith journey of children. Rev. James Field, Copyright, J.S. Paluch Co.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. Jan. 20	Rev. Marijan Mihokovic	
Tues. Jan. 21	Rev. Charles Galea	
Wed. Jan. 22	Franciscan Fathers (O.F.M.)	
Thurs. Jan. 23	Rev. Saju Oreethaparambil	
Fri. Jan. 24	Rev. Ambroise Tshiaba Ntumba	
Sat. Jan. 25	Rev. Joseph Michel	



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

January 12th Collections:

Regular	Loose	Pre-Authorized
Sunday Envelopes	Collection	Debit (Reg. Sunday)
\$3,906.	\$465.	\$1,550.

MARY OF NAZARETH—THE FILM

Branches Catholic Ministries will host the film, Mary of Nazareth at Landmark Cinemas at Jackson Square, Hamilton on **Saturday, Jan. 25th at 10:00 a.m.** Tickets can be purchased for \$12 at Branches Catholic Books, St. Catharines or online at: www.go2branches.com For info. call 905-685-7000.

HEALING OF THE FAMILY TREE

The Hamilton Chapter of the Association of Christian Therapists (ACT) invite all to a Healing Mass on **Mon. Jan. 27**th @ 7:15pm at St. Gabriel Church Burlington. Fr. Martin Bradbury as celebrant. Freewill offerings are gratefully accepted. Refreshments following mass. For info call 905-335-6902.

ANNUAL WOMEN'S DAY OF REFLECTION

St. Raphael's Church invites all ladies to their 3rd annual Women's Day of Reflection on **Sat. Feb. 1** from 8:45 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in their Parish Centre. Keynote speaker Anne Jameson, Director of Catechesis Office at the Hamilton Diocese will present the theme, *God Is Love!* In addition, we have storyteller Brenda Byers. For tickets contact Charlotte at 905-681-6221.

BIG BAND CONCERT



Sun. Feb. 9 at the Burlington Performing Arts Centre (Evening performance). The Knights of Columbus are again sponsoring this "BIG BAND CONCERT". Reserve now for preferred

seating--price is \$38.50+HST in person or at the box office. You can go on-line to reserve seating at: www.burlingtonpac.ca or call box office 905-681-6000. An ideal Christmas or birthday gift for the person who has everything—a wonderful night out to listen to some great music from the "swing era".

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated on Saturdays from 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. or by appointment.

HELP KEEP OUR RECORDS UP TO DATE

We would appreciate hearing from you if you are planning to move or leave our parish area. If you are changing your address or phone number, please notify the office with the changes. Thank you.

DAILY MASS

Have you thought about coming to Mass one day a week? A great way to start your day!!! Mass is celebrated at 8:00 a.m. Tuesday through Friday. Come out and join your parishioners for daily Mass.

INVITATION TO PRAYER

No season is without growth for even in the frozen ground the silent seed is waiting and the love of God shines down to ready the soil for spring's awakening. Let us pray for the constant growth that signals a vibrant life in each one of us, and within the Church and in our world.



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