

# Holy Rosary Parish Community

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## Parish Staff

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*We saw his star in the East  
and have come to worship Him*

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

# Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord

January 6, 2019

All nations walk by His light!



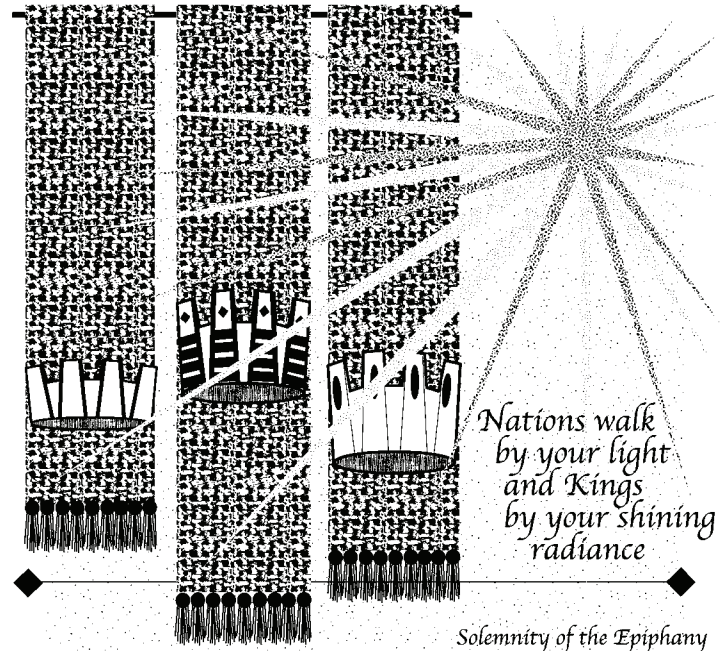
## Mass Intentions This Week (8:00 a.m. unless otherwise noted)

Join us to pray the Rosary before Mass. **Rosary starts at 7:30 a.m.**

Tues. Jan. 8	Intentions of the Family Foundations Institute
Wed. Jan. 9	Joan Reardon
Wed. Jan. 9 @ 10:30 a.m.	School Mass
Thurs. Jan. 10	Dolores Johnson
Fri. Jan. 11	Italo Cantarelli
Sat. Jan. 12 @ 5:00 p.m.	Sean Rock Alberta Torrijos Joseph Garrah Intentions of Eva Cheshire

## UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS / EVENTS

<b>Monday</b> 7:00 pm – CWL Bridge – Parish Centre
<b>Tuesday</b> 12:45 pm – Seniors' Bridge – Parish Centre
<b>Wednesday</b> 7:00 pm – CWL Executive Meeting – Parish Centre 7:00 pm – Quest Small Group Bible study – Library
<b>Thursday</b> 1:00 pm – Craft Club – Parish Centre 7:00 pm – RCIA – Library 7:30 pm – Choir Practice – Parish Centre
<b>Sunday (Jan. 13)</b> 11:00 am – Installation of new CWL Executive at Mass and hospitality after all Masses this weekend



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## REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The gospel for the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord: Luke 3.15–16, 21–22

## OUR GIFTS TO GOD

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

Dec. 15 <sup>th</sup> /16 <sup>th</sup> .....	\$7,255.
Pre-authorized Debit.....	\$1,629.
Dec. 22 <sup>nd</sup> /23 <sup>rd</sup> .....	\$5,896.
Pre-authorized Debit.....	\$1,629.
Christmas Day.....	\$23,239.
Dec. 29 <sup>th</sup> /30 <sup>th</sup> .....	\$3,722.
Pre-authorized Debit.....	\$1,629.



## OUR PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

We offer our prayers for parishioner, **Frank Lelonek**. May he enjoy the blessedness of eternal life.

## THIS CHRISTMAS GIVE THE GIFT OF MUSIC

Sunday, Jan. 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019 @ 2:00 p.m.  
Burlington Performing Arts Centre



The ideal Christmas gift for the person who has everything! Join us as we relive "The Best of Broadway" featuring the **Toronto All-Star Big Band**. If you missed the concert last year, put it in your calendar NOW! Better still, if you want that preferred seat, now is the time to reserve. Cost \$45 per person. Call box office at 905-681-6000 or go online at [www.burlingtonpac.ca](http://www.burlingtonpac.ca). Sponsored by the Burlington Knights of Columbus.

**SPECIAL THANKS TO THE  
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE  
AND KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

The **Knights of Columbus** donated **\$2,650** to the Parish from the proceeds of the annual Turkey Roll & Silent Auction. They also donated \$500 to our St. Vincent de Paul Society and \$500 to our local Compassion Society. Thank you!

The **Catholic Women's League** donated **\$7,000** to the Parish from the proceeds of our annual Bell Bazaar. Thank you for the donations and for everyone's hard work at these events and many thanks to our patrons.



**MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW  
VALENTINE'S DINNER & DANCE – Sat. Feb. 9<sup>th</sup>**

Details to follow later.

**DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR**

Mon. Jan. 7	Rev. Stipe Renic, O.F.M.
Tues. Jan. 8	Rev. Peter Watters
Wed. Jan. 9	Felician Franciscan Sisters(C.S.S.F.)
Thurs. Jan. 10	Rev. Ilija Petkovic
Fri. Jan. 11	Rev. Msgr. Ivan Vuksic
Sat. Jan. 12	Rev. Michael Vanderbeek, L.C.

**BAPTISMS – WELCOME!**

We welcome:

**Grayson & Adley Claybourne-Manser**

In the Sacrament of Baptism, they received new life in Christ. We pray that, with the support of family and friends, they will grow to full stature in Christ.



**OTHER COMING EVENTS**

**DAY OF PRAYER – Tues. Jan. 11 @ 9:00 am**

Sister Elaine Arsenault SSS and Rita Carriere invite you to a Day of Prayer at St. Catherine of Siena Parish, 1694 Upper James St. Hamilton. Mass at 9:00 am. Bring a bag lunch and coffee mug. Suggested offering \$25. Call 905-388-3966 or email: [ssspertshire@sympatico.ca](mailto:ssspertshire@sympatico.ca) to register. Day devoted to silence, prayer, meditation and the Word of God.

**SEEKING THE SACRED: The Soul's Slow Ripening  
7 Tuesday afternoons starting Jan. 29, 2019**

Join this Senior Adult Workshop series taking place Tuesdays from 1:30 – 3:30 pm at the Chancery Office in Hamilton. The workshop explores 12 unique Celtic-Christian spiritual practices which are intended to provide practical ways for deepening our relationship with God and all of creation. Facilitated by Sister Mary Heather MacKinnon, SSND. Cost is \$35. **Register by Jan. 25<sup>th</sup>**. For info call 905-528-7988, ext. 2238 or check the website at: [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com)

**ANNUAL BIBLE SUNDAY – Sunday, Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup>**

The focus of this second annual Bible Sunday will be "Listening to God's Word at Mass". Presentations on the Gospel of Luke will be offered by Fr. Michael Patella O.S.B. at the **Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King** in Hamilton from **7:00 to 8:30 pm** on Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup> (also St. Michael Parish Waterloo from 2 to 3:30pm). Plan to attend and see what to listen for during this Year of Luke.

**STRESS IN YOUR MARRIAGE?**

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 15<sup>th</sup>**, call 905-664-5212 or email: [hamiltonretrouvaille1@cogeco.ca](mailto:hamiltonretrouvaille1@cogeco.ca) or visit the website at [www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org).

**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 more information, please contact the Family Ministry Office at (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 someone who may need this support. Find out more on line at: [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com) under the start date below *Upcoming Events*.

**VOCATIONS**

"On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh." God asks us to give our lives. What treasures have been given to you to share with others in Christ's name? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton by email at: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com) or call 905-528-7988.

**THERE IS HOPE AFTER AN ABORTION**

Are you struggling with an abortion decision – either your own, or someone else's? Do you feel alone, emotional, or angry? Project Rachel is a ministry of healing for any person suffering pain or problems from an abortion experience. This confidential service allows people to work through their feelings and find hope and healing. Please contact us at 905-526-1999 or toll free at 1-888-385-3850.



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