

# 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.

Summer - Sunday Mass 10:00 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](http://www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca)

## New Parishioners

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

## Contact us

Parish Office 905-634-7441

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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 July 6, 1947 in the chapel of Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Holy 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 Trzuppek, Msgr. Murray Kroetsch, Msgr. Edward House and the present pastor, Father Martin Valley. 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 and your family abundantly.

# Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 23, 2017

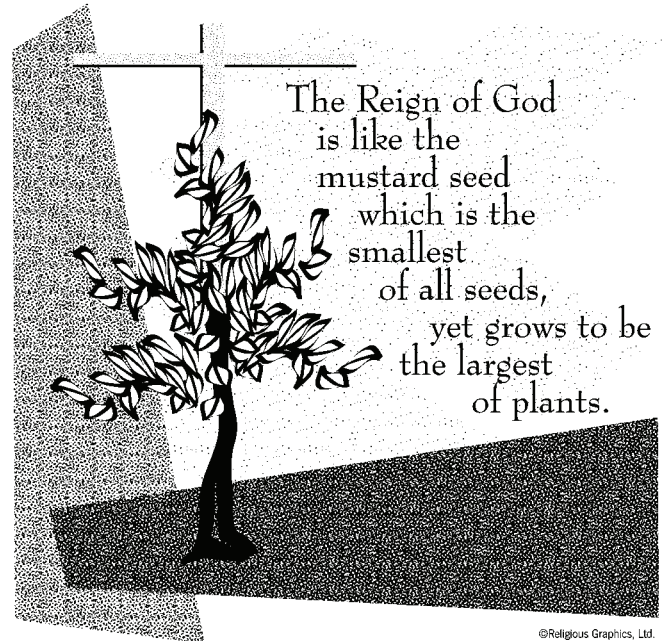


## Mass Intentions – July 25 – Aug. 19 (8:00 a.m. unless otherwise noted)

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

Tues. July 25	<b>Feast of St. James, Apostle</b> Brian Wardrop
Wed. July 26	<b>Feast of St. Anne and St. Joachim</b> John Laing
Thurs. July 27	Maureen White
Fri. July 28	Tony D'Onofrio
Sat. July 29 @ 5:00 p.m.	Bev & Bob Honsberger Patricia Phoenix
Tues. Aug. 1	Geraldine Campbell
Wed. Aug. 2	Andrew Lynott
Thurs. Aug. 3	Splendora DiMarco
Fri. Aug. 4	Albertina & Manuel Araujo
Sat. Aug. 5 @ 5:00 p.m.	Anne Schneckeburger Mass in Thanksgiving Intentions of Paul & Barbara Blake
Tues. Aug. 8	John Ivanco
Wed. Aug. 9	Patricia Phoenix
Thurs. Aug. 10	<b>Feast of St. Lawrence</b> Jim Weber
Fri. Aug. 11	Claire Lefebvre
Sat. Aug. 12 @ 5:00 p.m.	Emily Campeau Blossom D'souza Deceased members of the Rodricks Family Special Intention
Tues. Aug. 15	<b>Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b> Frank Gaydos
Wed. Aug. 16	Gemma Trevisan
Thurs. Aug. 17	Roger Lerou
Fri. Aug. 18	Sean Buckley
Sat. Aug. 19 @ 5:00 p.m.	Marie Semeniuk Dorothy Golds

The Lord is gracious and merciful!



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### REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

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

**Matthew 13.44-52**

### DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. July 24	<b>Rev. Michael Downey</b>
Tues. July 25	<b>Rev. Martin Valley</b>
Wed. July 26	Barnabite Fathers (C.R.S.P.)
Thurs. July 27	Rev. Joseph Gregory Michel
Fri. July 28	Rev. Michael Isabelle
Sat. July 29	Rev. James Link, C.R.

### OUR GIFTS TO GOD

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

Date	Sunday Envelopes Loose Collections & Preauthorized Debit	Special Collections
June 25	\$5,017.	
July 2	\$5,004.	Church Maint.--\$3,950
July 9	\$5,522.	
July 16	\$5,596.	

### NEXT SUMMER BULLETIN

Will be published **Aug. 20<sup>th</sup>**, then resume weekly bulletins again on Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup>. **Please send announcements two weeks in advance.** Daily mass intentions will be posted on the bulletin board throughout the summer.

We are happy to announce the forthcoming wedding:



**Emmanuel Pupilampu  
& Zayra Marroquin**

Friday, August 12<sup>th</sup> @ 12 noon

## TODAY – MISSION CO-OP APPEAL

This weekend in our parish, we **welcome Sister Mary Fisher** of the Franciscan Missionary Sisters for Africa. This mission group began in 1903 in Uganda. The Sisters have established schools, hospitals, clinics and training institutes in Uganda, Kenya, South Sudan, Ethiopia, Zambia, Zimbabwe and South Africa.

Please make **cheques payable to “Holy Rosary Church”** and use the **Special Collection envelope** included in today’s bulletin. We will gladly accept donations for the Mission appeal over the next few weekends. Thank you.

## SPECIAL OLYMPICS BOTTLE DRIVE



The Knights of Columbus Council 15920 remind you to **BRING ALL YOUR RETURNABLE BOTTLES** for the Bottle Drive for Special Olympics. **Next collection date is Tuesday Aug. 8<sup>th</sup>** from 4 to 6:00 p.m. in the Holy Rosary Church parking lot or call 905-336-6521 for pickup.

## BACK TO SCHOOL! Backpack Programme



The St. Vincent de Paul Society is sponsoring a backpack programme for children of low-income families, and requests your help in providing approximately 50 backpacks for various ages. Parishioners who are able to buy and donate a backpack are asked to put them in the Food Box in the narthex of the church **by Sunday, August 27<sup>th</sup>**. The Society will purchase the necessary school supplies to fill them, as suggested by the teachers. Thank you for your care and generosity.

## CONFIRMATION

**Is your child in Grade 6?  
Did you know we celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation in Grade 7 in the Diocese of Hamilton?**

Confirmations at our parish are normally celebrated in the Fall of each year. Because it will come quickly upon us, we want you to be ready in advance. **If your child does not attend Catholic School**, please contact us as soon as possible so we can assist you. We use the Confirmed in the Spirit Correspondence Courses from the Diocese of Hamilton. For further information about how to register, please speak with Mary Edmondstone 905-634-7441 or email Mary at: [mary.edmondstone@cogeco.net](mailto:mary.edmondstone@cogeco.net)



## CONGRATULATIONS!

**Paul & Barbara Blake  
(Aug. 5<sup>th</sup>)**

**Peter & Frances Weber  
(July 15)**

On celebrating their **60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversaries**.

Thank you for being a sign of Christ’s faithful love for his Church these many years.

## HAVE YOU THOUGHT ABOUT BECOMING A CATHOLIC?



***Do you know someone who might be interested in learning more about the Catholic faith?***

The Rite of Christian Initiation is a process that helps adults deepen their relationship with God, participate at Sunday Mass and learn about our Catholic faith. It is a time to ask questions, understand the actions of the Mass and learn about Church teachings. With this knowledge, people can make an informed decision about being initiated into the Church at Easter. Call Fr. Martin 905-634-7441 for info.

## Centenary of Fatima – Marian Pilgrimage Days Five Saturdays from June through October

Join us as we will fulfill the request of our Lady of Fatima to join with her in prayer, by gathering at **St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Waterdown on Sat. August 5<sup>th</sup>**. We begin with Mass, a Marian Procession as the rosary is prayed, Stations of the Cross, and quiet time in the Marian garden, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Pack a lunch. For more info visit: [www.stthomaswaterdown.com/pilgrimage/](http://www.stthomaswaterdown.com/pilgrimage/)

## SYMPOSIUM FOR FAMILIES – SEPT. 23 – 9:30 – 4:00

What supports do families need from the Church? What are the pressures they face in their day to day lives? What are the challenges, joys, highs and lows in families today? Where do they see the role of the Church in their lives and in helping them cope with everyday life issues and events? The Diocese of Hamilton Family Ministry Office wants to hear from you. **YOU CAN: 1. Attend our Symposium for Families, beginning with Bishop Crosby celebrating Mass at 9:30 a.m. at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton. 2. You can fill in the on-line survey at: [hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/symposium-on-family](http://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/symposium-on-family)** Family matters–help us discover how the Diocese can help you in the most important role of family. For more info call 905-528-7988 and ask for Teresa (ext. 2250) or Wendy (ext. 2241).

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## CATECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE

Programs available for children from Kindergarten to High School not currently receiving religious instruction. Preparation for First Communion and Confirmation for children not in Catholic Schools also available. Families work through the programs at home. Registration forms are available at the website [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com) (click on Catechesis office). Or call Monica 905-528-7988, ext. 2238.

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