

# 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.*

## **Priests**

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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 enjoyed your Lord's Day worship. May God bless you and your family abundantly.



**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. June 4	Linda Cupido
Wed. June 5	Hugh Johns
Thurs. June 6	Deacon Bert Cambre
Fri. June 7	Frances Talbot
Sat. June 8 @ 5:00 p.m.	John Ilijanich Rene & Mariette Arsenault Joe Petrarca Nadia Nawwas

**UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS/EVENTS**

<b>Monday</b> 7:00 pm – CWL Bridge – Hearth Room 7:00 pm – Capital Campaign Core Committee – Library
<b>Tuesday</b> 12:45 pm – Seniors' Bridge – Parish Centre
<b>Wednesday</b> 4:00 pm – Compassionate Care Committee Meeting – Library 7:00 pm – Quest Small Group Bible Study – Library
<b>Thursday</b> 1:00 pm – Craft Group – Parish Centre 7:30 pm – Choir Practice – Parish Centre
<b>Friday</b> 4:30 pm – Young Vincentians Meeting – Heritage Room

Next Weekend...



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**  
**ANNUAL PARISH BARBECUE**  
**Sunday June 9<sup>th</sup> @ 12:00 noon**  
**Right after 11:00 am Mass**

Don't miss this great event sponsored by the Knights of Columbus! Join us on the patio (weather permitting) or in the Parish Centre (in case of rain).

**BBQ'd Sausage-on-a-bun.....\$2**  
**Hot Dog.....\$1**  
**Ice Cream.....\$1**  
**Coffee or cold drink included.**

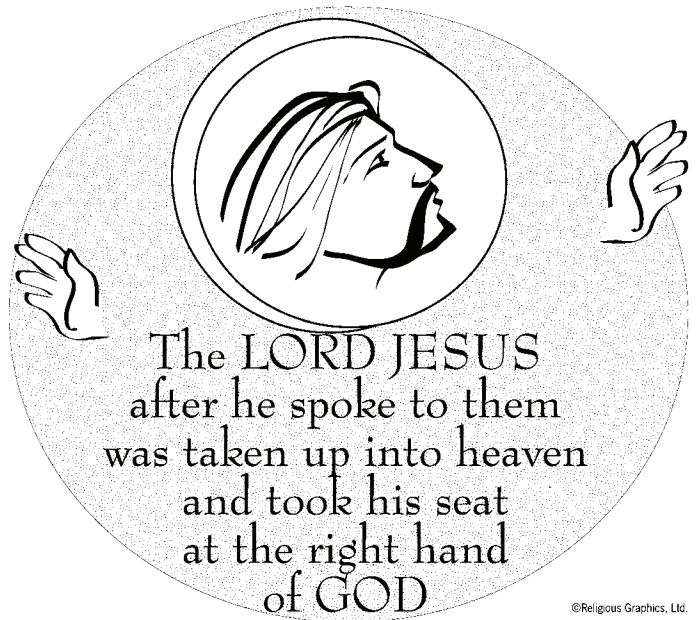


**PREPARATION FOR CONFIRMATION**

**Is your child in Grade 6?** Did you know we celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation in Grade 7 in the Diocese of Hamilton? Confirmation preparation begins 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**, call Mary Edmondstone 905-634-7441.

**Ascension of the Lord**  
**June 2, 2019**

God has gone up with a shout,  
 the Lord with the sound of a trumpet.



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**REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL**

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The gospel for Pentecost Sunday is:  
 John 20.19-23

**OUR GIFTS TO GOD**

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

**May 26<sup>th</sup> Collection**

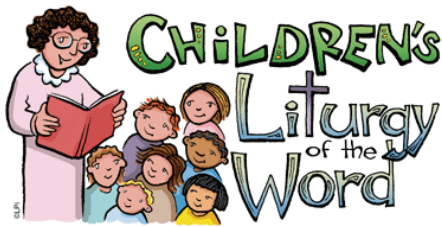
Sunday Envelopes	Loose Collection	Pre-Authorized Debit	Pope's Pastoral Works
\$3,845.	\$320.	\$1,181.	\$634.

Next weekend's special collection is for the *Cura Pastorum Association*, which provides for the needs of our retired priests in the Diocese of Hamilton.

**VACATION BIBLE CAMP – July 8<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>**



Calling all children (ages 5 to 10) to join us for our Third Annual Vacation Bible Camp from 9 am to 12 noon each day! We'll have fun games, neat activities, songs and yummy snacks as we learn about God's goodness in our lives. Registration forms in the Narthex. Cost is \$30 per person. For more information email: [mary.edmondstone@cogeco.net](mailto:mary.edmondstone@cogeco.net)



Children's Liturgy will be **ending** on **Sunday, June 9<sup>th</sup>** for the summer. We will resume on Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup> at the 9:00 a.m. Mass. **Thank you to our Co-ordinator, Bonnie Sparks** for her leadership and to our leaders for their commitment and enthusiasm in sharing the Word of God with our children.



**CONGRATULATIONS!**

**Ken & Dianne Fleming** will celebrate their **50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary** on June 7<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for being a sign of Christ's faithful love for his Church these many years.

**DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR**

Mon. June 3	Rev. Paul Vellimoozhayil, S.J.
Tues. June 4	Rev. Robert Love
Wed. June 5	Barnabite Fathers (C.R.S.P.)
Thur. June 6	Rev. Ron Cote
Fri. June 7	Rev. Michael Bennett
Sat. June 8	Rev. Ralph Diodati

**FRIENDSHIP COMMUNITY TEA**

**Tuesday, June 4<sup>th</sup> from 2:30 to 4:00 pm**

You're invited to tea time at Park Avenue Manor, 924 Park Ave. West on the first Tuesday of each month. Come with friends or meet new people. Enjoy tea, dessert and entertainment. For more information call 905-333-3323.

**THE FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE – For anyone 50+**

Join us in the Holy Rosary Parish Centre the first Thursday of each month. Next meeting: **Thursday, June 6<sup>th</sup>** from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Meet new friends, enjoy conversation and help plan group activities. There's no cost. For more info email: blueheron123@sympatico.ca or call Gary at 289-933-9982.

**GATE OF HEAVEN CEMETERY MEMORIAL MASS  
Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup> @ 11 am**

Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, OMI, Bishop of Hamilton will celebrate this annual Mass at Gate of Heaven Cemetery, 580 Old York Rd (at Snake Rd). For more information, please call 905-690-7547, or visit: www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca All are welcome!

**8<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL HCCEF CHARITY GOLF CLASSIC  
Wed. June 12<sup>th</sup> @ Piper's Heath Golf Club Milton**

This tournament supports Halton students through the Halton Catholic Children's Education Foundation (HCCEF). Every student needs basic necessities like food and clothing to succeed and 1 in 10 kids have a challenge doing so. We need golfers, sponsors and prizes! [www.hccef.org/?post\\_type=events&p=3022](http://www.hccef.org/?post_type=events&p=3022)



**SHIFRA HOMES INC.**

Shifra Homes is a maternity residence and resource centre located in Burlington, Ontario that supports young, homeless, pregnant women in the Halton Region. We accept young pregnant women between the ages of 16 and 27. We are the only maternity residence in all of Halton.

Our need in the community is predicated by statistics showing that there are over 200 teenage pregnancies in Halton every year.

**HOW CAN YOU HELP THESE YOUNG WOMEN?**

To make a donation online, go to: [www.shifrahomes.com](http://www.shifrahomes.com) and you can donate through CanadaHelps.org or by cheque payable to **Shifra Homes Inc.** and mail to: 3350 Fairview St., Suite 3-226B, Burlington, ON L7N 3L5. Tax receipts issued. For more information call Nancy Romic, Executive Director at 905-681-9633 ext. 222. Thank you.

**VOCATIONS**

The Lord said, "...you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." Pray for an increase of vocations to the ordained and consecrated life. 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.

**NEW SCHOOL BOARD POLICY  
ON PUBLIC CONSULTATION**

The Halton Catholic District School Board is developing a new policy on Community Engagement and Public Consultation, and invites your input. Go to: <https://www.hcdsb.org/Board/Policies/Pages/Policies-under-consultation-form1.aspx>, and read Policy V-18, with opportunity to respond as provided. **Responses are due by Wednesday, June 5<sup>th</sup>.**



**OUR PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED**

We offer our prayers for deceased parishioner, **Bernadette Hession** (late mother of Jim & Diane). May she enjoy the blessedness of eternal life.

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