

Holy Rosary Catholic Community

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

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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.
*June 1 to Aug. 31-Sunday mass 10 a.m.

Weekday Mass

Tuesday-Friday 7:45 a.m.

Confession

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

Catholic Funeral Rites

Contact Holy Sepulchre Cemetery
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New Parishioners

We welcome you. Please complete a
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Contact us

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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. 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 Trzupsek, 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

(7:45 a.m. unless otherwise noted)

Tuesday, July 1	Intentions of John & Tina Aguiar
Wednesday, July 2	Albert Altobelli
Thursday, July 3	Alma Picone
Friday, July 4	Dr. Anthony Pracsovics
Saturday, July 5	Malferina Cupido

See bulletin board for summer Mass Intentions.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Today is an exceptional event on our calendar: the Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time is eclipsed by a solemnity honoring two saints who didn't spend much time together in their earthly ministry, and who have distinct feasts so they probably don't mind sharing this one. Yet each suffered a similar fate in the same city, Rome, during the persecution of the Emperor Nero. Nero probably ordered the destruction of many of the residential neighborhoods in service to his building projects, and when the homeless began to look for someone to blame for the fires, Nero targeted the Christians. Soon, Peter was crucified, upside down, on the Vatican hill. Excavations (called *scavi*) under the Vatican basilica have proven the authenticity of his burial place near the place of his death. Paul, a Roman citizen, was later granted a swifter execution by sword, and is remembered at a vast basilica on the city's outskirts. Peter and Paul were just about polar opposites. Peter rough and ready, Paul poetic and polished. Peter carried a burden of regret for his denials, Paul had his own issues with which he struggled. Peter leapt over barriers to go to the Gentiles, Paul strove with and surrendered to the same call. True, they spent very little time together in this life, but the same Spirit filled their hearts and by their witness changed the face of the earth

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CANADA DAY



July 1 is celebrated as Canada's birthday. Canadians should seek to be witnesses to Christ in Canada and the world, and to continue working to influence those in government to act from Christian principles and attitudes. Christians, realizing they do not have a lasting home here, should pray and work for justice and peace in Canada and throughout the world, so that all God's people may share in the goods of this earth. God's kingdom will come only when all people are ready to let Christ's teaching guide and rule their lives and actions. (CCCB Ordo – Liturgical Calendar 20013–14)

SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES)

June 29, 2014

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PETER AND PAUL

Today is something of a rarity: the celebration of a saint's day that replaces the Sunday liturgy. Only a handful of these days, given the official rank of "solemnity," are considered so foundational and primal to the mission of the Church that they can interrupt the Sunday sequence. And so it is with Peter and Paul today. In a way, they each have personality traits with which we can identify. They are both impetuous, sometimes acting or speaking thoughtlessly, contradicting the spiritual gifts given to them by God. At such times, they might receive a nudge from God, much the same as many of us experience. On the positive side, these men were deeply rooted in their faith in Christ, tireless and fearless in living out their call to spread the Good News of his death and resurrection. Perhaps we might identify more with one or the other, but the essential truth we celebrate today is this: Through the Spirit, Christ built and continues to build the Church and make the kingdom known through fragile, remarkable human beings, each graced in a particular way for the work of the reign of God.

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REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time gospel is: **Matthew 11.25-30.**

**OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED
Mon. June 30th and Tues. July 1st**

DRESS APPROPRIATELY

Even though it might be hot some Sundays, we encourage you to dress appropriately when coming to celebrate Mass. The Church is air-conditioned and will be comfortable. Liturgical ministers are asked to always dress appropriately for their ministry also. God comes down to our Altar so we want to look our best for our Lord.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

We encourage you to be faithful to your Parish Ministry schedule. If you have to be away, would you kindly get a replacement. If that doesn't work, please call the parish office. Thank you.

DIOCESAN MISSIONARY CO-OP SOCIETY

The Missionary Co-op Society of the Diocese of Hamilton, begun in 1970, provides an opportunity for us to meet and hear the wonderful stories of the Missionary Societies and organizations throughout the world that assist the poor, hungry, homeless and abandoned. Monsignor House has reinstated the **Mission Co-op Society** in Holy Rosary Parish and on the **weekend of July 12th/13th**, we will welcome **Father Tulio Ramirez of the Yarumal Missionaries**. Father Tullo is from Columbia and at present is a Pastor in New York City. Envelopes will be provided for his appeal. We look forward to greeting him.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. June 30	Rev. Michael Downey
Tues. July 1	Rev. Gordon Kennedy, C.S.B.
Wed. July 2	Servants of Mary Immaculate (SSMI)
Thurs July 3	Most Rev. Matthew Ustrzycki, D.D.
Fri. July 4	Rev. F. J. Power, S.J.
Sat. July 5	Very Rev. David Weise

See bulletin board for summer Prayer Intentions.

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

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

June 22nd Collection:

Regular Sunday Env.	Loose Collection	Pre-Authorized Debit
\$3,531.	\$380.	\$1,638.

We are happy to announce the forthcoming wedding of:



Sacha Bohanovic
& Erin McDonough
July 19th @ 2:30 p.m.

COMING LATE – LEAVING EARLY

We notice many parishioners coming late for Mass and many leaving early. It is good for you to come at least 15 minutes early so that you prepare yourself for the celebration of the Eucharist. That can be a time for prayer and petition for your family. **Please do not leave before the Procession.**

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Do you know anyone in your family who may be interested in investigating the Catholic Faith? If so, please tell them to call the Parish Office and speak to Msgr. House or Mary Edmondstone. Arrangements are now being made for the RCIA Process coming this Fall.

HOST AN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT THIS SUMMER IN ALDERSHOT

AFS Interculture Canada, a non-profit international organization is introducing a program in Burlington for 16-17 year olds from other countries. **We need host families** to provide room and board for the students who will be here for 4 weeks of English language training and cultural integration. Students arrive July 12-13 weekend and depart Aug. 9-10. If interested, please call John Creary 905-631-8397 or visit www.afscanada.org

CONGRATULATIONS

Alexander Petrowski received the Holy Rosary Parish Award which is given to a graduating student who has exemplified the true values and spirit of Assumption High School. Well done Alexander!

Briannee Dover received the Catholic Women's League Award which is given to a graduating student who has exemplified effort, diligence and hard work throughout their years at Assumption High School. Congratulations Briannee!



Says THANK YOU!

To all the parishioners for their generous donations of linens, dishes, toiletries, etc. last weekend. Your generosity will help enable ex-prisoners to make better choices as they re-enter society as contributing members of our community.

SUMMER BULLETINS

JULY 27 and AUGUST 31 only. Please send any announcements 2 weeks in advance. Thank you.



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