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

New Parishioners

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

Contact us

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Email: hrosary@cogeco.net or

holyrosaryburlington@hamiltondiocese.com Website: www.holyrosaryburlington.com 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. 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, Msgr. Edward House and the present pastor, Father Martin Vallely. Today there are over 600 registered families.

Welcome to Holy Rosary Catholic Community. We hope you enjoyed your Lord's Day worship.



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. Mar. 13	Patricia Phoenix	
Wed. Mar. 14	Sean Rock	
Thurs. Mar. 15	Intentions of Mildred Fugina	
Fri. Mar. 16	Intentions of Mike Thomas	
Sat. Mar. 17	Zvonko Turk	
@ 5:00 p.m.	Patrick Sinka	

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS/EVENTS

Sunday	(Mar.	11)
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12 noon – Young Vincentians' Meeting – Heritage Room

Tuesday

12:45 pm - Seniors' Bridge - Parish Centre

7:00 pm - CWL Executive Meeting - Library

Wednesday

7:00 pm - Author Night - Parish Centre

7:00 pm – Quest Small Group Bible Study – Library

Thursday

1:00 pm - Craft Club - Parish Centre

7:00 pm - Parish Pastoral Advisory Council Meeting-Library No RCIA tonight

7:30 pm - Choir Practice - Parish Centre

Friday

7:00 - 7:55 am and 8:30 - 9:30 am - Confessions

6:00 pm – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

7:00 pm – Stations of the Cross and Benediction

Confessions after Stations of the Cross as long as required



THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Stations of the Cross are on Fridays starting Feb. 16 through Lent to Good Friday. There will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6 to 7 pm, with Stations at 7 pm, concluding with Benediction and Confessions after Stations as long as necessary.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. Mar. 12	Rev. Toby Collins, C.R.	
Tues. Mar. 13	Rev. Daniel Lobsinger, C.R.	
Wed. Mar. 14	Ursuline Sisters (O.S.U.)	
Thurs. Mar. 15	Rev. Martin Mikulski, S.A.C.	
Fri. Mar. 16	Rev. Msgr. Edward House	
Sat. Mar. 17	Rev. William Trusz	

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

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

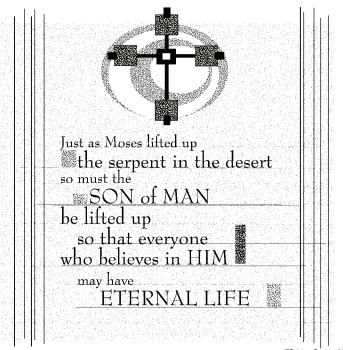
March 4th Collection

Sunday	Loose	Pre-Authorized	Easter Flower
Envelopes	Collection	Debit	Collection
\$4,381	\$565	\$1,605.	\$751

Fourth Sunday of Lent

March 11, 2018

Rejoice, Jerusalem, and all who love her.



REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The Gospel for the Fifth Sunday of Lent is: John 12.20-33

SHARE LENT 2018

"I want the voiceless to have a voice. They will not change history on their own, but watching them changes everything." —Gustavo Gutiérrez, Philosopher & Theologian

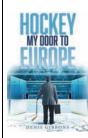


A school for community leaders "In Peru, many social conflicts stem from a lack of dialogue between citizens and the state. This has often caused deaths, which in turn reinforces mistrust of the country's representatives. Through dialogue, citizens formulate

demands and opinions on the use of the resources and services provided by the state. The Hugo Echegaray School teaches us to value and promote spaces for dialogue and listening." — Lidia Rojas, IBC Project Coordinator, Peru

Next week, Solidarity Sunday, the Share Lent collection takes place. Please use the special envelope in your church envelopes or use the envelope in today's bulletin. Make cheques payable to 'Holy Rosary **Church'.** Please be as generous as you are able.

AUTHOR NIGHT AT HOLY ROSARY CHURCH Wednesday, March 14th @ 7 pm



Join author, **Denis Gibbons**, former editor of The Burlington Post, who will speak and sign copies of his book '**Hockey My Door to Europe**' in the Parish Centre. The book details his work at seven Winter Olympics and his detainment by the secret police in Czechoslovakia in 1983. **Free will**

offering with proceeds going to Holy Rosary Knights of Columbus for the Special Olympics (Burlington branch). For more info call 905-632-6101.

SOUP & BUN SUPPER - Tues. Mar. 20 @ 6pm



All parishioners are welcome to a special evening presented by the Catholic Women's League. After supper, at 7 pm, our special guest, **Fr. Martin Vallely** will

facilitate an evening of prayer and reflection with the theme, "Lord, What Do You Want of Me? A Lenten Journey Within". Freewill offerings to support Catholic Missions in the northern community of Attawapiskat will be gratefully accepted. Please use signup sheets in the Narthex. For more information, call Chris McNamara at 905-639-3158.

YOUNG PARISHIONER JOURNEYING TO ROME

Jose Corral of our parish will be on pilgrimage to Rome for Holy Week & Easter, with a group of fellow students. He thanks you for your support, especially at the fund-raising showing of Our Lady of Fatima movie in October. If you have personal prayer intentions you would like Jose to bring with him to the sacred places in Rome, please convey these to the parish office asap or write them in the booklet in the Narthex, and Jose will be happy to lay them before the Lord in the Holy City.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE.

The 40 Days for Life campaign of prayer and fasting, peaceful vigil, and community outreach, is scheduled from **Feb. 14**th **to March 25**th. We pray at the intersection of Proudfoot Trail and Dundas St. in Oakville, and offer help and healing to those affected by abortion. Come to one of our group vigils on Saturday mornings from 10 to 11 a.m. For more information, go to 40daysforlife.com/oakville or call Steve Germann at 905-333-6472. Also, please note: **March. 13**th @ **7pm** – Mass for Life with Msgr. Kroetsch at St. Dominic's Parish, Oakville.

VOCATIONS

St. Paul reminds us that we are "created in Christ Jesus for good works". If you think God's plan for you could be a priest, religious or permanent deacon, call Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations & Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 x2246 or you can email him at: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

HUMAN TRAFFICKING – Tues. March 13 @ 7:30pm St. Paul the Apostle Parish, 2265 Headon Rd.

Join us for this presentation sponsored by the Catholic Women's League. Norina Murray, a lay associate of the Sisters of St. Joseph will present a video and speak on this topic. A free will offering can be made at the door to aid in her work. Please join us for this important evening.

ST. PATRICK'S PUB Irish Dinner & Live Music Sunday, March 18 – St. Thomas Parish Waterdown

Join us at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish Centre at 6 pm for dinner and live Celtic music at 7 pm. Reserve dinner & show tickets \$25 by calling 905-689-4857 or email: jpeter@hamiltondiocese.com 3-course Irish Dinner, cash bar, Irish dancers and Celtic band. Show only is \$10.

SENIORS STUDY SESSION Tuesdays—March 20, 27, April 3,10, 17 & 24

Creation Spirituality. Join us for this course offered by Sister Mary Heather MacKinnon SSND at the Chancery Office, 700 King St. W. Hamilton. Participants have an opportunity to understand and find ways to practice a Christian vision of Earth Centered Spirituality. Cost is \$35. To register call Monica Verin at 905-528-7988 ext. 2238.

REEL JUSTICE—A JUSTICE FILM FESTIVAL

Join us for a movie & discussion at a parish near you! **Tues. Mar. 20**th @ 7:30 pm; film—'After the Last River' showing at St. Paul the Apostle Church Burlington.

MASS OF CHRISM - Monday, March 26 @ 7 pm

All are welcome to join Bishop Crosby at the annual Diocesan Mass of Chrism in the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton. During this Mass, Oil for the Sick and for Catechumens will be blessed. Sacred Chrism will be consecrated. All priests present for the Mass will renew their priestly commitments in the presence of the Bishop and the lay faithful of the Diocese. Please join us.

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2018? If you are, you are invited to join couples from across the Diocese for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on **Sunday, June 10th** at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest, if you require assistance). **Please refer to the poster beside the bulletin board** for information on how to register for this celebration or visit the website: www.hamiltondiocese.com



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