

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.

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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 are spiritually enriched by the Lord's Day worship.

Fifth Sunday of Lent

March 26, 2023

My Jesus, mercy!



Mass Intentions
(8:00 a.m. unless otherwise noted)
Join us to pray the Rosary before Mass.
Rosary starts at 7:30 a.m.

Tues., March 28	Tanya Cunha
Wed., March 29	Joseph Bercik
Thurs., March 30	Joseph Downey
Fri., March 31	Peveril Peters
Sat. April 1	Jorge De Sousa Gary Groleau

LENTE CONFESSION TIMES



Tuesday, March 28th: 3:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.

Wednesday, March 29th: 5:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.

Friday, March 31st: 7:15 A.M.- 7:55 A.M., and
8:45 A.M.- 9:30 A.M. (with Adoration of
the Blessed Sacrament)

Friday, March 31st: after the 7:00 P.M. Stations of the Cross,
as long as necessary

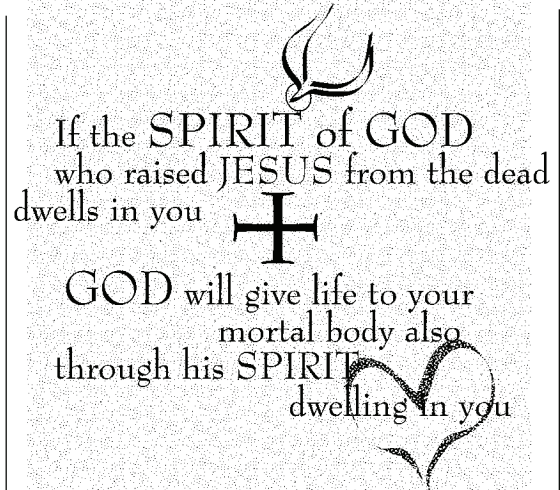
Saturday, April 1st: 3:00 P.M.- 4:40 P.M.

Tuesday, April 4th: 5:30 P.M.- 7:00 P.M.

Wednesday, April 5th: 4:00 P.M.- 5:30 P.M., and
7:00 P.M.- 8:30 P.M.

Good Friday, April 7th: after the 7:00 P.M. Stations of the Cross,
as long as necessary

Holy Saturday, April 8th: No scheduled Confession times



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REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The Gospel for the Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Sunday of Lent is:

Matthew 26.14 - 27.66

OUR GIFTS TO GOD March 19th Collection

Sunday Envelopes	Sunday Loose	Pre-Authorized Debit	Turkey/Syria Earthquake Relief
\$ 2,425	\$ 308	\$ 1,560	\$ 804

We thank you for your continued spiritual and financial support of Holy Rosary Parish. **The parish's 2022 Financial and Spiritual Report was made available in last weekend's bulletin.** to accompany the Finance Council's oral presentation made at that time. Deep appreciation to our Finance Council, under the leadership of Christopher Young, for its continuing careful analysis and prudent stewardship of your generously donated funds. Extra copies of the Report are available in the entranceway.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. March 27	Very Rev. Stephen Murrin
Tues. March 28	Rev. Kevin D'Souza
Wed. March 29	Sisters of St. Joseph of Canada
Thurs. March 30	Rev. Andrew Czarny
Fri. March 31	Rev. Msgr. Martin Valley
Sat. April 1	Rev. Michael King

COME AND SHARE---TUESDAY!

SOUP-&-BUN NIGHT!

The annual Lenten Soup-and-Bun dinner is back! Sponsored by our Catholic Women's League. In the Parish Centre, **this Tuesday, March 28th, starting at 6:00 P.M. Open to the entire parish.** There will be a variety of soups available for your enjoyment. Father David Reilander will be in attendance and will speak about the wonderful work of **Catholic Missions in Canada.** Free will donations are accepted, and all monies collected will go to Catholic Missions in Canada. Everyone is most welcome. Please sign in on the sheets at the door of the church, to indicate how many are coming from your household. This will give the organizers a good idea of how many to expect.

LENTE VIDEO SERIES

Produced by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops. Called "*Journey Through Lent 2023*". A weekly reflection, provided by Archbishop Brian Dunn of Halifax-Yarmouth (a classmate and friend of Monsignor Martin's!). Go to <https://www.cccb.ca>.

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE/CARITAS CANADA

TODAY IS SOLIDARITY SUNDAY!

This Solidarity Sunday, Development and Peace — Caritas Canada's **Stand for the Land** campaign invites you to give generously and thanks you warmly for your generosity.

Your donation transforms the lives of some of our most vulnerable sisters and brothers across the world. Our solidarity rests on your generosity.

"The support we receive from Development and Peace has been very important for me. It allowed me to find myself, to live again."— Raquel Soto, participant in the documentary filmmaking school of the Asociación Campesina de Antioquia (ACA, Peasant Association of Antioquia)

Such is the difference you can make by giving to your Share Lent parish collection or at <https://devp.org/give>. Thank you for helping us build a world of justice. You can use the envelope in your box of envelopes, or the brown Share Lent envelopes available in the church. As always, cheques are to be made out to the parish. And, when using those generic brown envelopes, identify yourself clearly on the envelope (including your regular Sunday envelope number, if you have one). Thank you again!



PASSION PLAY— HOLY ROSARY SCHOOL



The Grade 8 students of Holy Rosary School are presenting a Passion Play in the school gym, on which they have been working very hard. Presentations are on **Holy Thursday, April 6th, 9:15 A.M., 10:30 A.M., and 1:15 P.M.** It promises to be very powerful. All are welcome to attend any performance.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOUNDER'S DAY



This Wednesday, March 29th, marks the 141st Anniversary of the founding of the Knights of Columbus by Blessed Father Michael J. McGivney. In 2014, on that same day, our own Council 15920 received its Charter. It has been nine wonderful years of successful fraternity and charitable service of all kinds. Our Council marks this double-Anniversary day in a special way, as founding Chaplain Monsignor Edward House died on that day, his birthday, in 2018. After 8:00 A.M. Mass on Wednesday, a trip will be made to the chapel at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery to pray at Monsignor's grave. All are warmly welcome to join the Knights in this annual act of gratitude and prayer.

"I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me... will live forever." (John 11:25-26)



MASS OF CHRISM

MONDAY, APRIL 3rd, 2023, 2:00 P.M.

The Mass of Chrism is fully open to the public once again this year. It will take place at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King on the **Monday of Holy Week, April 3rd, at 2:00 P.M.** At this important Mass, the Bishop, surrounded by the clergy and faithful of the Diocese, blesses the Sacred Oils which shall be used in sacramental celebrations during the coming year. As a celebration of the priesthood, this is the occasion when the priests who have gathered will renew their solemn commitment promises to serve as good priests in the care of God's people in the Diocese. All are welcome.

HALTON CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S FOUNDATION

---The annual 24-hour fast, to raise funds for needy Halton students and families, is this week, March 30th – 31st. For information, & to donate/sponsor, call 905-802-0918, or go to [24 Hour Fast - Halton Catholic Children's Foundation \(hccf.ca/24-hour-fast/\)](https://hccf.ca/24-hour-fast/).

---HCCF invites members of the community to consider joining the Board of Directors, to become more directly involved this wonderful work of assistance to needy Halton students and families. Applications need to be in by April 14th. Contact Marc Clare, Executive Director, for more information, at 905-802-0918. Go to <https://hccf.ca>.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS)

We are so pleased that this year's summer program will be offered: 9:00 A.M. – 12:00 Noon, all week, July 10th – 14th, in the Parish Centre and on the grounds. For children 5-10 years old. A wonderful opportunity for growth in Christian community in an environment of great fun. Information and Registration forms are available on our website and in the entranceway at the Church. Registration will end by May 31st Contact Cristian Lecanda at the rectory for further information, and to inquire about participating: 905-634-7441, or at clecanda@hamiltondiocese.com.

SPECIAL DIOCESAN COLLECTION FOR TURKEY/SYRIA EARTHQUAKE RELIEF

Thank you so very much for your generous and thoughtful care for those who are suffering so much in this devastation. We have submitted a total of **over \$ 9,000** from this parish. God's blessings upon you for your ready, compassionate response to this appeal.



PARISH GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

The parish's **brand-new monthly grief support group** held its first meeting earlier this month. Meetings will generally take place on the second Friday of each month, in the Parish Centre Library, from 1:00 P.M. to 2:30 P.M., providing an opportunity to share, learn, and walk alongside others to ease the pain of loss and grief. Interested in participating? Please contact Heidi Cowie 905-746-0766, heidicowie55@gmail.com. A conversation with Heidi is required, before coming to your first meeting.



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