

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.

Fourth Sunday of Lent

March 27, 2022

Praise the name of the Lord!



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., March 29	David Smith
Wed., March 30	Andy Galea
Thurs., March 31	Richard Abballe
Fri., April 1	Nicole Coté
Sat., April 2 5:00 pm	Fran McLean Deacon Bert Cambre



**PARISH 75TH ANNIVERSARY
LENTEN MINI-MISSION!
BEGINS NEXT WEEKEND!!**

With Father Mark Wendling, SOLT, Holy Rosary Alumnus!
The theme is: *"Being Made New....Let Nothing Separate You from the Love of Christ (Romans 8:35-39)"*

---Fr. Mark available for Confessions, Saturday, April 2nd, 3:00 – 4:30 P.M.

---Homily at All Masses, Weekend of April 2nd – 3rd

---Fr. Mark available for Confessions, Monday, April 4th, 3:00 – 4:30 P.M.

---Evening Session, with Evening Prayer, Talk, and Q & A, Monday, April 4th, 7:00 P.M. Fr. Mark available for Confessions after the Session, as long as necessary.

---Evening Session for Closing, with Mass and homily, followed by meet-and-greet, (light refreshments provided by the CWL), Tuesday, April 5th, 7:00 P.M.

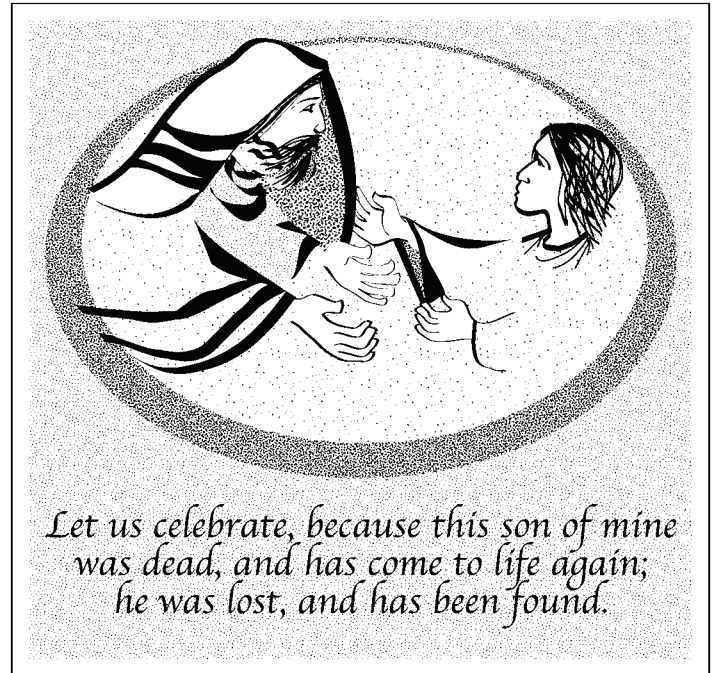
---Please note: the Mini-Mission Sessions will all be livestreamed to the parish website.

Set this time aside to be refreshed and renewed in your relationship with the Lord, for you are beloved in his sight!



**CHILDREN'S
LITURGY OF THE WORD**

We are excited to announce that the Children's Liturgy of the Word will finally resume, **at the 9 a.m. Mass TODAY, March 27th**, and continuing on Sundays at the 9 a.m. Mass until June 19th. All children who will be starting JK in September, up to grade 3, are invited to join the Children's Liturgy Leaders at the beginning of Mass to go to the library in the Parish Centre for their own celebration of the Liturgy of the Word. Children return to their families at the time of the offertory collection.



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REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

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

John 8.1-11

**OUR GIFTS TO GOD
March 20th Collection**

Sunday Envelopes	Sunday Loose	Pre-Authorized Debit	Saint Vincent de Paul
\$ 3,815	\$ 198	\$ 1,429	\$ 90



**LENTEN CONFESSIONS AND
HOLY WEEK/EASTER SCHEDULE**

The Schedule for Lenten Confessions and for all Holy Week/Easter Masses and other ceremonies has been mailed this past week to our registered active parishioners, with extra copies available for pick-up on the long table in the entranceway. It is also prominently displayed on the parish website. Please note that Confessions are available both before and after the 8:00 A.M. Mass this Friday and next Friday, April 1st and 8th, and also after the 7:00 P.M. Stations of the Cross on both Fridays. This is all in addition to the times Father Mark Wendling will be available for Confessions during the Parish Mini-Mission (see accompanying announcement). Please make it a point to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation this Lent, no matter how long it has been. God loves you!

SHARE LENT---PEOPLE AND PLANET FIRST!

This Lent, give from the heart



Solidarity Sunday is next weekend, April 2nd/3rd, the Fifth Sunday in Lent.

Development and Peace's *People and Planet First* campaign invites you to give from the heart and thanks you warmly for your generosity.

Your donation transforms the lives of some of our most vulnerable sisters and brothers across the world.

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Such is the difference you can make by giving to our Share Lent parish collection, or at devp.org/give. Use the yellow envelope in your box, or use a brown one received in the mail or to be found at the entranceway. **Thank you for helping build a world of justice.**

BAPTISM – WELCOME!



We welcome **Anthony Joseph Kutlesa**. In the celebration of the Sacrament last Sunday, he received new life in Christ. We pray that, with the support of family and friends, he will

grow to full stature in Christ.

*Special thanks to the Kutlesa family for permitting the entire ceremony to be recorded for us by Patrick O'Hara and Wrenen D'Cunha. The edited recording will be used as part of the production of **our very own parish Baptism Preparation video**, to be shown in the future to parents preparing for the Sacrament. Grateful to Mary Edmondstone for the idea and the organization!*



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOUNDER'S DAY

This Tuesday, March 29th, marks the 140th 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 eight 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 Tuesday, 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.



CHOIRS RESUMING!!!

Choirs are busily preparing to resume here at Holy Rosary! New members are welcome to join: we have both the Adult Choir and the Family Choir (children age 6 or over together with their parent(s)). Singing is praying twice!!! Feel free to contact William or Vicky directly (in church or by email listed on the bulletin cover), if you are interested in learning more.



ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

We will be having a training session for **new and returning** Altar Servers this coming Saturday, April 2nd from 1:00 - 2:30 p.m. in the church. The Altar Server ministry is open to youth in Grades 3 and up. We especially welcome teens, who would serve as leaders for this ministry. Registration forms are available on the long table in the entranceway; and they can be returned to Msgr. Martin or Mary Edmondstone.

HALTON CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S FOUNDATION



The Halton Catholic Children's Foundation (HCCF) is an independent charity. We have partnered with the Halton Catholic District School Board (HCDSB) to support their students and families in need throughout Halton (Acton, Burlington, Georgetown, Halton Hills, Milton, Oakville). We raise funds to help HCDSB students overcome financial barriers to learning, which helps our students succeed in school. You are invited to participate in, or donate to support, the 24-Hour Fast **this week, March 30th – 31st**, to raise funds to support this important work of providing equal opportunity for all students. Go to: <https://www.hccf.ca/24-hour-fast/>, or call 905-632-4784 x5086, and speak to Executive Director Marc Clare (Holy Rosary Parishioner and Knight of Columbus).

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. March 28	Rev. William Trusz
Tues. March 29	Rev. David Reitzel
Wed. March 30	Sisters of St. Joseph of Canada (C.S.J.)
Thurs. March 31	Rev. Ross Campbell
Fri. April 1	Rev. Peter Robinson
Sat. April 2	Rev. David Reilander



FROM THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



A huge and heartfelt thank you, parishioners, for the overwhelming response to the shout-out for pantry items. Our shelves are now filled to the brim with your generous donations. SSVP and those we serve truly appreciate your consistent and unsparing support. May God bless you abundantly.

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