

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.

Pentecost Sunday

May 19, 2024

Send forth Your Spirit
and renew the face of the earth!



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., May 21	Intentions of Breckenridge Family
Wed., May 22	Judy Baillie
Thurs., May 23	Matilde Estrela
Fri., May 24	Maria Helena Moniz
Sat., May 25 5:00pm	Intentions of Deacon Juan & Dulce Herrera Manuel & Maria Moniz Paul Arsenault William Harlos & Lucy Klimkiewicz

MONSIGNOR MARTIN RE-ASSIGNED

Well, my friends, I do have a bit of news to share with you (as was announced last weekend), and to ask for your continued prayers.

Bishop Crosby and I have come to an understanding and agreement concerning my future service. I am now informing you that, as of Wednesday, June 26th, I will become the Chaplain to the Sisters of the Precious Blood Monastery, not far from here, and will be helping out the local Sisters of Saint Joseph as well. Their current Chaplain, Father David Wilhelm, a good and faithful priest of our Diocese for 40 years now, will on that day become the Pastor of Holy Rosary Parish.

It is felt that this is going to be the best thing for me, going forward, in terms of both physical and emotional well-being.

It goes without saying that I am going to miss Holy Rosary Parish terribly; these eight years have been very fruitful ones, and I have invariably been supported and strengthened by all of you, with whom I have been privileged to be in community and friendship.

I also want to stress, in this connection, that my reassignment from Holy Rosary Parish is in no way to be taken as a reflection on the parish and its good people---not at all. It is a rather more personal thing. As I say, the Bishop and I agree that this new assignment will be the best thing for me as I move into what you might call the twilight time of my active priestly service. I will turn 70 in August, and some of the resources of energy are under some strain, and, to be honest, are starting to run a bit thin.

Until June 26th, we carry on as usual in our busy parish activities of Spring wrap-up. After that, I know you will welcome Father Wilhelm, and be as supportive to him as you have been to me and to all the priests who have been fortunate enough to have served here.

I ask for your continued prayers for me, on which I have depended so much already; and please know that you are, and will always remain, in my prayers and in my heart. My very sincerest and heartfelt thanks to you all.



REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week.
The Gospel for the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity is:

Matthew 28.16-20

OUR GIFTS TO GOD May 12th Collection

Sunday Envelopes	Sunday Loose	Pre-Authorized Debit	Church Maintenance
\$ 3,145	\$ 445	\$ 1,644	\$ 962

*We thank you for your continued spiritual and financial support of Holy Rosary Parish. **Extra copies of the 2023 Financial Report of the parish will remain available on the information rack in the entranceway, plus information about special donation methods and planned giving.***

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. May 20	Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church
Tues. May 21	Rev. Hanh Van Tran, O.M.I.
Wed. May 22	Congregation of the Resurrection (C.R.)
Thurs. May 23	Rev. Adam Voisin
Fri. May 24	Rev. Jeffrey Oehring <i>World Day of Prayer for the Church in China</i>
Sat. May 25	Rev. Francesco Cucchi



FIRST KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BOTTLE DRIVE FOR 2024!

The Knights of Columbus will be happy to receive your donated returnable bottles and cans, wine bladders and tetra paks, **this Tuesday, May 21st**, in the parking lot near the big blue shipping container, from 4 – 6 P.M. If you can provide proper boxes for the bottles, that will also be very much appreciated. This is the first drive in what promises to be another record-breaking year. All proceeds go to the wonderful work of Burlington Special Olympics.

OUR KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



Our Knights of Columbus Council continues to be gracious and generous in its service, in and beyond our parish. They look forward to sharing a special celebratory BBQ weekend with the parish, **July 13th – 14th**, marking the 10th Anniversary of the founding of the Holy Rosary Council. Interested in learning more about the Knights, and possibly joining? Contact Jim Hession, Membership Director, at hessionje@gmail.com, or 905-875-7323. Or check out the information leaflet, on the rack in the church entranceway, or the advertisement (with QR code) on the back of this bulletin.



ROSES FOR LIFE (LAST SUNDAY): SINCERE THANKS!



The Knights of Columbus thank you sincerely for your great generosity in supporting the annual Roses for Life program. A total of just about \$ 600.00 was raised from your freewill donations. All proceeds go to the wonderful work of Halton Alive.



CWL GENERAL MEETING NEXT TUESDAY, MAY 28TH!!

All ladies invited to a special General Meeting, next **Tuesday, May 28th**, the annual occasion on which Service Pins will be awarded to several Members for years of dedicated service to the League. Beginning with Mass at 6:30 P.M. to honour Our Lady of Good Counsel, the League's Patroness. Socializing and refreshments a-plenty, afterwards. Come on out!



CRAFT GARAGE SALE

We are having our parish Craft Garage Sale on Saturday, July 20th (rain date is Saturday, July 27th). Accepting all donations (except clothing & books). Drop off dates: Thursday, July 18th & Friday, July 19th at the Parish Centre Hall from 9am to 3pm. For inquiries you may call Carol at 905-525-1426, or Stephanie at 905-631-5745.

INVITATION TO COMMUNAL SPIRITUAL GROWTH

This monthly meeting is open to anyone interested in growing into the mystery of God through mutual sharing of our encounter of God in daily life. This may help us discern and serve others better in God's vineyard. Part of our meeting may be topic-oriented. We will continue to delve into the prayers of Saint Catherine of Siena.

Our next meeting is on **Monday, May 27th at 7:00 P.M.**, in the Parish Centre. We will watch a video by **Bishop Robert Barron** and look at the life and teachings of St. Ignatius of Loyola, (Pivotal Player, the Founder). All are welcome! Contact **Vicky** for more info – siuming.chen@gmail.com



HALTON ALIVE WALK FOR LIFE SATURDAY, JUNE 1ST, 2024

Walk for Life is a fun day for community and helping to raise funds for Halton Alive's pro-life work. With each step of this 5k walk, we honour the approx. 100,000 lives that have been lost to abortion over the last year.

Join a team or start your own and invite some friends! We wear our pro-life t-shirts, do the walk while making friends and talking about things that matter, and then end with a delicious BBQ. And if you might want to help raise funds but can't join the big community walk at that time, feel free to plan your own local walk with friends or by yourself that weekend. Contact info@haltonalive.com for more details, and to register.

Please also note that Halton Alive has open positions on its paid staff, particularly suited to highly organized, independent working, good communicators with a natural networking ability. Go to www.haltonalive.ca/theteam.

HCDSB "FILL A SCHOOL BUS" FOOD DRIVE

Join the Halton Catholic District School Board (HCDSB) in supporting the "Fill a School Bus" Food Drive for *Food4Kids Halton!* From May 6-24, HCDSB schools and work sites will be collecting non-perishable food items. Members of the community who wish to participate may drop off donations to their local school, or at the HCDSB Catholic Education Centre, located at 802 Drury Lane in Burlington. **Please refer to the list for most needed items here:** <https://hcdsb.info/MostNeededItems>

Families and members of the community are also invited to celebrate our school board's efforts at the HCDSB community BBQ on June 8, 2024, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM at the Catholic Education Centre at 802 Drury Lane in Burlington. Enjoy food and fun, with all proceeds going to Food4Kids Halton. More details and RSVP information to come. View the event poster here: <https://hcdsb.info/EventPoster>



Have a happy and safe Victoria Day Weekend!
May the **Pentecost Holy Spirit** produce real and lasting fireworks in you and through you!!!!



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