

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.
*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
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

Parish Office 905-634-7441
Fax 905-634-6264
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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 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 during this Easter season!



MASSES THIS WEEK

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

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| Tuesday, May 5 | Irma Amadeo |
| Wednesday, May 6 | Douglas McColman |
| Thursday, May 7 | Patricia Lehocki |
| Friday, May 8 | John Baptist Phan |
| Saturday, May 9 @ 5:00 p.m. | Malferina Cupido Antonio Zantua Len Yust |

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

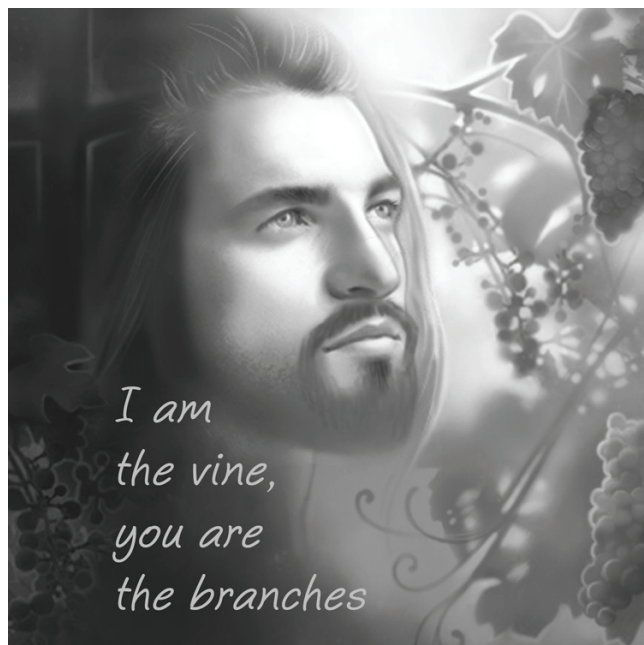
Over time, the crisis of last illness and the way the faithful met death changed. In earliest times, a sickbed vigil was an occasion for the community to gather and strengthen the dying person with assurances of love. A thousand years ago, in part because of massive upheavals in society, a new emphasis on individual repentance captured the imagination of millions. Death was to be feared, because it was about judgment. The delights of heaven's banquet dimmed, since most people saw God's just judgment and inevitable punishment intervening. If a community gathered at all, it was not to express faith in the Resurrection, but to seek forgiveness for those who were powerless to help themselves. The dead couldn't improve their situation, but their loved ones, by expressing sorrow for sin, could. Better yet, the clergy could, if they intervened in a timely fashion, provide the absolution needed for everyone to relax. Ministry to the sick shifted away from a ministry of consolation toward a challenge to repent before it was too late. As the sense grew that most people died with their work of repentance incomplete, the color black was reintroduced to funerals. It was the old pagan way of expressing despair. No wonder they call this time in history the "Dark Ages." Many layers have had to be peeled away to reveal the deepest, most positive expressions of our tradition of care for the dying.

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THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

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| Monday 7:00 pm – CWL Bridge – Parish Centre |
| Tuesday 1:00 pm – Seniors Bridge – Parish Centre |
| Wednesday 7:30 pm – Choir Practice – Parish Centre |
| Thursday 1:00 pm – Crafts – Parish Centre |

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER May 3, 2015



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BEARING FRUIT

"Children, let us love not in word or speech but in deed and truth." John's words come to us on this day when the Gospel passage presents us with the great image of the vine and the branches. Jesus uses the image as a warning to those who have begun to distance themselves from the way of the Lord. One of the ways this happens is when we love God and others "in word or speech" instead of "in deed and truth." What does it mean for us to "remain in Christ"? In an extension of the metaphor, the Lord gives us an example. If we remain in him, we will bear much fruit. As the branches, we draw strength from Christ who is the vine. This strength enables us to bear fruit—to do the work of true discipleship.

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REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week! The Gospel for the Sixth Sunday of Easter is:

John 15.9–17

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

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April 26th Collection

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| \$5,149. | \$257. | \$1,652. |

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

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| Mon. May 4 | Rev. William Trusz |
| Tues. May 5 | Rev. David Wilhelm |
| Wed. May 6 | Congregation of the Resurrection |
| Thurs. May 7 | Most Rev. Daniel Miehms, D.D. |
| Fri. May 8 | Rev. Robert Stainsby |
| Sat. May 9 | Rev. Martin Vallely |



Join us for this annual dessert & card party hosted by St. Raphael's Catholic Women's League on **Thursday, May 7** @ 7pm in the Parish Centre, 4072 New Street. Admission of \$10 allows you to play bridge or euchre, enjoy homemade desserts and a chance to win door prizes. Call Helen for tickets 905-634-7481. Proceeds go to local charities.

SPAGHETTI / MEATBALL DINNER & Silent Auction



The 7th Aldershot Scouts invite you to their Spaghetti & Meatball Dinner & Silent Auction on **Fri. May 8** from 6:30 - 8:30 pm at East Plains United Church. Magic show, balloon artist, great family event—be prepared to bid for your dessert! Tickets \$20/family of 4 or \$10pp. Contact Blair Breckenridge at: brecky.b@gmail.com

THINKING ABOUT THE PRIESTHOOD OR RELIGIOUS LIFE?

Find out by attending this upcoming event: Discernment Group (a monthly morning of prayer, reflection, and lunch): **Sat. May 9**, at Canadian Martyrs Church in Hamilton: starting at 9:00 a.m.: Mass, Holy Hour, Discernment Groups for men and women, and lunch. For more information visit www.hamiltonvocations.com

PRAYING FOR VOCATIONS

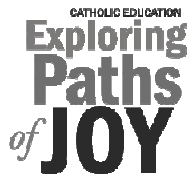
**Sat. May 9 at Canadian Martyrs Hamilton
at 9:00 a.m. for Mass and Holy Hour**

If you love priests and religious men and women, please support them by joining us in praying for vocations. Vocation Saturday is an initiative of the Vocation Office of the Diocese of Hamilton to gather people from across the diocese to unite in prayer for vocations.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ROSES FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN



Next weekend (May 10th) our Knights of Columbus will be distributing tiny red 'roses' after each mass. All contributions will be given to Pro Life organizations to assist them in their work so that babies may live. **Help Save Lives!** Please be as generous as you are able.



**Catholic Education Week
May 3 - May 8, 2015
www.goodnewsforall.ca**

"Were not our hearts burning within us while He was talking to us on the road?" – Luke 24:32

Please pray for our children and their Catholic education during this week.



MARIAN PILGRIMAGE DAYS In Honour of our Lady of Fatima

Join us at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish in Waterdown on the five First Saturdays of the month from **May 2nd to September 5th** from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Each celebration will be led by a Bishop. For more info. go to: hamiltondiocese.com/mpd or check the bulletin board for details.

ANNUAL ALDERSHOT JANE'S WALK Sunday May 3 @ 1:30pm

Join the Aldershot community for this narrated walking/cycling tour starting and ending at St. Matthew's Church, 126 Plains Rd. E. Free BBQ after event. This year's Aldershot Jane's Walk is called "See the Best of the West". To register or for info. go to: www.aldershotjaneswalk.eventbrite.ca

6TH ANNUAL 'WALK WITH JESUS' Thursday, May 7

The Halton Catholic District School Board announces this annual student walkathon in support of Catholic Education Week. The walk starts at Bronte Park and ends at Corpus Christi with Mass at 1:00 p.m. Please pray for our students on Thursday, May 7th.

CATHOLIC FAMILY SERVICES

Catholic Family Services of Hamilton invites applications for its Board of Directors. If you wish to explore this opportunity further, please contact the Nominating committee through our Executive Director, Linda Dayler, by faxing your letter of intent to: 905-546-5779 or email: ldayler@cfshw.com

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