

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.



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. Sept. 14	Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross Deacon Hyland Fraser
Wed. Sept. 15	Denis & Marcella McNamara
Thurs. Sept. 16	Robert Bryne
Fri. Sept. 17	Michael Wong Sing
Sat. Sept. 18 @ 5pm	Guido Dell'Unto Yolanda Fleming Monica Keating Stephen Chinnaswamy Helena Moniz Elizabeth, Enzo & William Galassi



SUNDAY MASS LIVE-STREAMED
 Every Sunday morning, 9:00 A.M., available live on our parish's website: <https://holyroaryburlington.com>. Then available on demand shortly after the completion of the Mass (within a half hour).

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING



Liturgical Publications is setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising has now begun, here in September 2021, & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

INVITATION TO COMMUNAL SPIRITUAL GROWTH

All are welcome to join our monthly faith sharing meeting resuming on **September 20, at 7 pm via Zoom** (third Monday of each month). This cycle we will go through the Ignatian Spiritual Exercises for Everyday Life (Annotation 19). Interested? Please contact Vicky through the rectory office, or at siuming.chen@gmail.com.

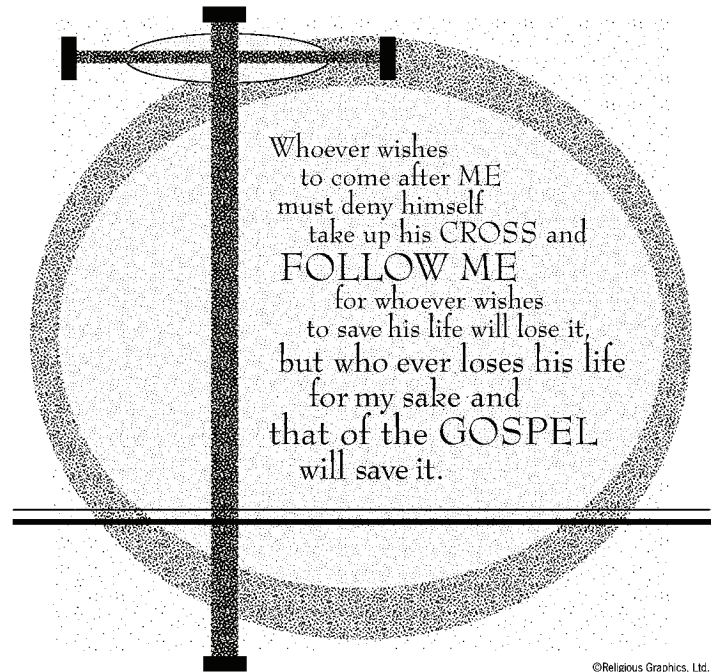
TILLING THE SOIL FOR GOD'S WORD
("QUEST" BIBLE STUDY GROUP)

You are invited to join the weekly Zoom meeting, which resumed last week. We gather every **Wednesday, 7 pm**. Reflecting on the upcoming Sunday Readings. If interested please contact Monsignor Martin, or the rectory office, so that you can be included in receiving the E-Mailed invitation to the Zoom link (sent out Wednesday morning).

Twenty-fourth Sunday
In Ordinary Time

September 12, 2021

I will walk before the Lord,
 in the land of the living!



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REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The Gospel for the Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time is:

Mark 9.30-37

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

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

Sept. 5th Collection

Sunday Envelopes	Sunday Loose	Pre-Authorized Debit
\$ 3,270	\$ 165	\$ 1,400



BAPTISM – WELCOME!

We welcome **Mateo Balaguer Olvera**. In the Sacrament of Baptism recently, Mateo received new life in Christ. We pray that, with the support of family and friends, he will grow to full stature in Christ.

FROM YOUR ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

First: Once again, please know that your Saint Vincent de Paul Society is immensely grateful to the parishioners for your generous response to the Back-To-School Appeal. You have helped 71 children in 39 families to better prepare for the challenges they face as this new school year commences. Your kindness blesses so many!

As our pantry shelves begin to become a little “sparse”, we appeal once more to your generosity for non-perishable food items and other dry goods which can be brought to the homes of those in need. As always, items should just be deposited into the large bin in the church narthex. Especially needed now are: peanut butter, jam, honey, cereal, oatmeal, canned fruit and canned vegetables, juices, crackers, protein bars, pasta sauce, pancake mix, syrup, kids’ snacks, coffee, tea, dishwasher soap, laundry detergent, toilet paper, shampoo, toothbrushes, toothpaste, personal hygiene products, paper towels and Kleenex. Thank you so much for your loving support!!!!

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. Sept. 13	Rev. Roger Yaworski, S.J.
Tues. Sept. 14	Rev. Daniel Syauswa Musondloi, S.J.
Wed. Sept. 15	Salesians of St. Don Bosco (S.D.B.)
Thurs. Sept. 16	Rev. William Clarke, S.J.
Fri. Sept. 17	Rev. Gregory M. Kennedy, S.J.
Sat. Sept. 18	Rev. Paul Panaretos, S.J.

The Sisters of the Carmel of Saint Joseph

will pray for you during the

Novena to Little St. Therese,

September 23rd to October 1st, 2021

Are you troubled? Do you need spiritual support?

You can participate in the Novena to St. Therese.

Send your prayer intention slip with name and address to:

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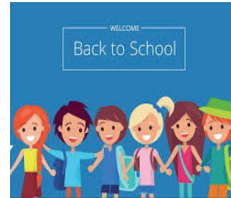
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HALTON SERRA CLUB

The Serra Club is an international organization of Catholic men and women, dedicated to praying for, promoting, and supporting vocations to the ordained ministry and consecrated life. It is named for **Saint Junipero Serra**, the great 18th-century Spanish Franciscan Friar who evangelized the Western United States, and whose influence is felt worldwide. We have several Serra Clubs in Hamilton Diocese, including one in Halton. Its current President is Dr. Matthew McQueen, and our own Mary Edmondstone and Gerry Woodman are members. This coming Thursday, Bishop Crosby will join the members here at Holy Rosary, for the annual Charter celebration and renewal, to celebrate Mass and give words of encouragement. Halton Serra will always be pleased to welcome new members! Contact Mary for information.

TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION: OUR INDIGENOUS BROTHERS AND SISTERS

As we continue to grieve with the Indigenous peoples of our land, and strive to find the pathways to justice and reconciliation, you are urged to keep informed of the issues. Our Diocesan website continues to update its resources. Go to: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/residential-schools/>. And let us never cease praying.



FAMILY BACK-TO-SCHOOL SPIRITUAL RESOURCE

The Catechesis Office of the Diocese of Hamilton has prepared a family resource to help prepare prayerfully for the start of a new school year. The link below will bring you to a Back-to-School resource on the Diocese of Hamilton web page, designed to help families and schools welcome the return of a new academic year. Included are suggestions for prayers, questions and conversations parents can share with their children, as well as a brief Liturgy of the Word celebration for use either in homes or at school. Go to: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/backtoschool2021/>. (It can also be found on our parish website.) We pray for all those who are beginning anew, that Our Lord’s Spirit will guide you in a safe and welcoming environment.



CATCH-THE-ACE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The successful Catch-the-Ace online lottery, sponsored by our K of C Council, has at press time stretched into its 21st (maybe 22nd ?) week. The weekly winner typically pockets well over \$ 100, while the elusive Ace of Spades Grand Jackpot prize is now very close to \$ 4,000.00! Many worthy charities are supported by your participation. Just head to www.catchtheacekofc15920.ca, and try your luck!

INTERNATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

The important event of the International Eucharistic Congress, which takes place every few years, is now drawing to its conclusion in Budapest, Hungary. Today (Sunday), Pope Francis is celebrating the Closing Mass, before proceeding to visit Slovakia for several days. Last weekend, at the Opening Mass, the homily offered these encouraging words: **“You are not alone in a hostile universe, you are not alone before the marvelous mystery of life, you are not alone with your thirst for freedom and eternity. Wherever you are, you are not invisible, God looks at you with love; you are not an orphan, God is your Father; you are worth the blood of Jesus, Redeemer of the world, and Bread of eternal life. Do not be afraid: God is not dead, the Eucharist overcomes every loneliness, every distance, every indifference....May the Lord God grant to us the capacity to feel in these days that Christ is with us in the Eucharist. He does not leave the Church, people and humanity alone.”**



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