

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 enjoyed your Lord's Day worship.

Twenty-sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time

September 27, 2020

Mass Intentions This Week

Tues. Sept. 29	Guido Cupido
Wed. Sept. 30	Esterina Mancini
Thurs. Oct. 1	Geoffrey Peters
Fri. Oct 2.	Albert Kenel
Sat. Oct. 3 @ 5:00 p.m.	Catherine Donna Johns Pauline Lepinskie Antonio Da Silva Angela Blake

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS / EVENTS

Wednesday 5:00 pm onwards – Knight of Columbus – Parish Centre Follow up to HCCEF Golf Tournament
Thursday 7:00 pm – Finance Council Meeting – Parish Centre

CHRIS GIBBONS THANK-YOU AND BEST WISHES!

At the beginning of September, our faithful and much-loved Chris Gibbons retired, after 22 years of working in the office at Holy Rosary. We thank her so much for her dedication, skill, and kindness in caring for the parish's administrative needs during all these eventful years. We wish to Chris, and her husband Denis, many happy and healthy years of retirement. All are welcome to come to the Parish Centre after the 11:00 A.M. Mass today, to offer her a word of appreciation and best wishes.

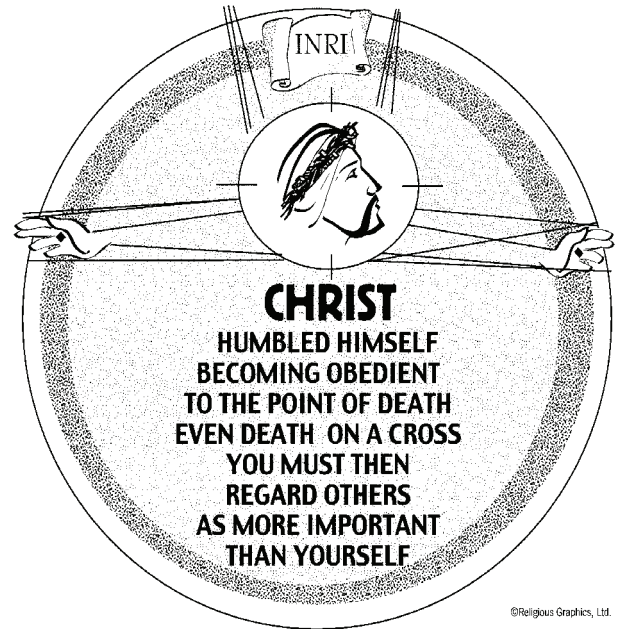
CARING FOR OUR PARISH FAMILY

During these days of social distancing, people continue experiencing fear, concern, anxiety and loneliness. We ask you to reach out to your neighbours and friends by phone or social media to say hello. If you are aware of parishioners who need assistance with things such as groceries or picking up medications, please call the parish office so that we can provide the help that is needed. Children can be involved in caring for our parish family too. We always welcome children drawing pictures or making cards. They can be dropped at the parish office and we will send them to those who are isolated because of lockdowns in retirement homes and long-term care homes.

9th ANNUAL HCCEF CHARITY GOLF CLASSIC Wed. Sept. 30th at 9:00 a.m.

Join us at Piper's Heath Golf Club, 5501 Trafalgar Rd., Milton, for a fundraiser for Halton Catholic Children's Education Foundation (HCCEF). Here is your chance to relax and help us continue to say yes to helping HCDSB students overcome financial barriers to learning. Contact Marc for more information clarema@hccef.org

O, Lord make your ways known to me



REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

Reflect upon the next Sunday's Gospel throughout the week. The Gospel for the Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time is: **Matthew 21.33-43**

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

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

Sept. 20th Collection

Sunday Envelopes	Pre-Authorized Debit	St. Vincent de Paul	Loose Collection
\$2,724	\$1,427	\$2,283	\$145

PARISH FEAST DAY ADORATION

Wednesday, October 7th is the Feast of Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary, to whom we are dedicated in our wonderful parish. To honour this day, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed on the altar for Adoration, at the end of the 8:00 A.M. Mass, and will remain available for visitation and adoration until 2:00 P.M. Come to visit, and spend a little time in the company of the Lord, praying for all who are in need during these challenging times.

**HALTON ALIVE
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Sat. Oct. 3 from 9:30 - 10:30 am**

Do you believe in the power of prayer? Does your heart ache for the unborn and those considering abortion? Join us at The Gathering as we pray over the issue of abortion and euthanasia, for the unborn, and for our Nation's leaders. Let's refocus on the power of prayer to change our culture. Join us at St. George's Anglican Church, 4691 Palladium Way, Burlington or you can participate from home via Zoom (registration is required).

Please visit us online for Covid related restrictions.
haltonalive.ca/thegathering or contact Tawnya Stanus at **905-632-3232**.



**LIFE CHAIN
Sunday, October 4th
2:30 – 3:30 pm**

This is a peaceful, prayerful, silent pro-life witness for the unborn in our community. Join thousands of pro-lifers across North America as we make a one hour visual statement of solidarity to end abortion and honour the lives of over 54 million children lost to abortion. Stand for those without a voice! Meet at Fairview & Maple St. in Burlington.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. Sept. 28	Rev. Mark Morley
Tue. Sept. 29	Rev. George Nowak, C.R.
Wed. Sept. 30	Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate
Thur. Oct. 1	Rev. Ireneusz Koziak, S.A.C.
Fri. Oct. 2	Rev. William Trusz
Sat. Oct. 3	Rev. Mariusz Durbajlo

Interested in learning how to listen to God's voice and to pray?

Come join (via zoom) the Communal Spiritual Growth Meeting at 7 pm on the 3rd Monday each month. For further information please refer to the church bulletin board

or contact Vicky at siuming.chen@gmail.com

MASS FOR ANOINTING OF THE SICK



We celebrate Mass with the Anointing of the Sick on **Saturday, Oct. 17 at 10:30 a.m.** with those who are elderly; those suffering from chronic illness and those with serious illness.



National Catholic Health Care Week 2020

From October 4 to 10, we celebrate National Catholic Health Care Week across Canada. The Week recognizes the inspiring work of Catholic health care organizations in our province and across Canada. At the heart of Catholic health care is a deep respect for the intrinsic value and dignity of every human being and an unwavering commitment to serving all people, from all backgrounds and faiths—especially society's most vulnerable.

This year the COVID-19 pandemic transformed our health care landscape and society. In Canada, the pandemic has shone a public light on many important social and ethical issues calling us all to reflect on the importance of human connection, quality of life, and the meaning of wellbeing—body, mind and spirit. The pandemic has also highlighted the timeless relevance of Catholic social teaching and our collective role in building a Canadian society that reaches out to every person who is suffering from illness, stigma, poverty, or loneliness.

During National Catholic Health Care Week, we give thanks for the courageous gift of Catholic health care during these challenging times—in hospitals, community health centers, or seniors care homes.

The pandemic calls us all to live the healing ministry of Jesus Christ. Holding all those impacted by COVID-19 in our hearts, we ask God to bless the work of Catholic health care and we offer our prayers, support, and encouragement for the people of our Catholic health organizations who care for all in need with compassion and courage.

For more information about Catholic health care in Canada or the week, please visit the Catholic Health Alliance of Canada website at www.chac.ca

BAPTISM – WELCOME!



We welcome:

Gianni Bairos Valle

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