

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
 (8:00 a.m. unless otherwise noted)
 Join us to pray the Rosary before Mass.
Rosary starts at 7:30 a.m.

Tues., Sept. 6	Marian Walsh
Wed., Sept. 7	No Mass
Thurs., Sept. 8	Feast of The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary No Mass
Fri., Sept. 9	Calogero & Antonina Dinolfo
Sat., Sept. 10 5:00 pm	Monica Mary Keating Louis Gaspari

PASTORAL SEMINAR THIS WEEK

All parish priests will be participating in the Pastoral Seminar (first one since 2018) from Tuesday through Thursday, on the theme: "Re-Imagining Our Preaching". The location is now the Nottawasaga Inn up in Alliston. On account of Monsignor Martin's absence, there will be no morning Mass on either Wednesday, September 7th or Thursday, September 8th.

**REGULAR MASS TIMES
 BEGIN AGAIN NEXT WEEKEND**

Starting on **Sunday, September 11th**, we resume the regular Sunday Morning Mass Schedule: at **9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.** The 9:00 a.m. Mass is livestreamed on the parish website, <https://holyrosaryburlington.com>.

QUEST SCRIPTURE REFLECTION MEETING



Quest Scripture reflection will begin to have in-person meetings this Fall: every Wednesday at 7 pm in the Parish Centre library, commencing **this Wednesday, September 7th**. The group prayerfully examines and discusses the upcoming weekend's Mass Readings. Resources provided. New members most welcome. If interested, please contact the rectory office, or just come---no registration required.

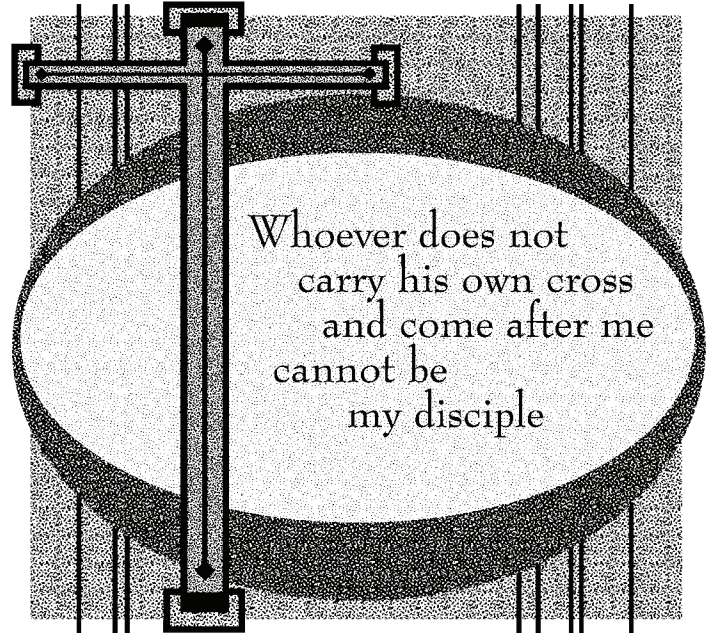
INTERESTED IN LEARNING HOW TO LISTEN TO GOD'S VOICE AND PRAY?

The *Communal Spiritual Growth* monthly meetings will resume, in-person, on **Monday, September 19th** at 7 pm in the Parish Centre. This is especially designed for people busy in serving God in various capacities. It is to encourage the sharing of our experience of the Holy Spirit through each other. Spiritual growth is not just for the benefit of one person but is communal and evangelical. The topics will vary each month. 'Come and See' – as our good Lord said. Third Monday of each month. If interested, please contact Vicky at siuming.chen@gmail.com for more information.

**Twenty-third Sunday
 in Ordinary Time**

September 4, 2022

In every age, O Lord,
 you have been our refuge.



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REFLECT ON THE GOSPEL

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

Luke 15.1-32

**OUR GIFTS TO GOD
 August 28th Collection**

Sunday Envelopes	Sunday Loose	Pre-Authorized Debit	Saint Vincent de Paul Back-to-School Appeal TOTAL
\$ 3,204	\$ 194	\$ 1,439	\$ 5,645

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

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. Sept. 5	Rev. Marko Stefanec
Tues. Sept. 6	Rev. Joseph Akanbi
Wed. Sept. 7	Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate (S.O.L.I.)
Thurs. Sept. 8	Rev. Charles Jordan
Fri. Sept. 9	Rev. Lourdy Dorismond, O.M.I.
Sat. Sept. 10	Rev. Archange Kebe

OUR NEW DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY!!



We extend our great gratitude to William Renwick, for four years of outstanding service in directing our Music Ministry here at Holy Rosary. He has expressed a desire to step back from this responsibility (though he will still be available for assistance as needed). We have contracted with **Trevor Price** of Hamilton, an experienced and enthusiastic liturgical musician and choir director, who takes over this important responsibility this week. We welcome Trevor, and look forward to continued growth in our parish's praise of God in joyful song. Trevor can be reached at trevor.c.price@gmail.com. Vicky Chen remains on board as the capable Associate Organist. New choir members, cantors, instrumentalists always welcome to come forward.

HAVE YOU THOUGHT ABOUT BECOMING A CATHOLIC?



Do you know someone who might be interested in learning more about the Catholic faith?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process that helps inquiring non-Catholic adults deepen their relationship with God, participate at Sunday Mass and learn about our Catholic faith. It is a time to ask questions, understand the actions of the Mass, and learn about Church teachings. With this knowledge, people can make an informed decision about being initiated into the Catholic Church at Easter. Call Monsignor Martin 905-634-7441 for info, or E-Mail to mvallely@hamiltondiocese.com.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BOTTLE DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus will be happy to receive your donated returnable bottles and cans, wine bladders and tetra paks, **this Tuesday, September 6th**, 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. We are definitely on our way to another record-breaking year. All proceeds go to the wonderful work of Burlington Special Olympics.

MILK BAGS!



We are now back to accepting donations of milk bags for the making of plastic mats for Haiti and Indonesia. You can bring them to the Church and place them in the box in the Narthex. Questions? Please call Bev Taylor at 905-577-0470.



CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our Church Bulletin. The advertising will begin this September 2022 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin, and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.



Catholic Women's League

Come to our **Fall Fashion Show and Dinner** with *Fashions by Laura*. **Monday, September 26th**: doors open 6 pm, dinner 6:30 pm, show 7:30 pm. Tickets are \$25, poster board will be available to sign up starting September 10th. Please remember that only 100 tickets are available to be sold. Questions? Call Susan Lehocki @ 905-521-9445.

HOLY ROSARY TUESDAY AFTERNOON SENIORS' BRIDGE CLUB RESUMES THIS TUESDAY!!

After an absence of 2½ years, the Card Club resumes its activities in our Parish Centre, commencing this Tuesday, September 6th. For further information and to sign up, contact Earl Wiese: earl@innovationwurkx.com, or call 905-827-5748. The Bridge Club also has its own website now: see <https://holyrosarybridge.com>.



FROM YOUR ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

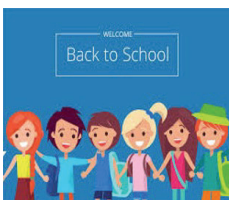
Your Saint Vincent de Paul Society is so grateful to all parishioners for your extraordinarily generous response to the Back-to-School Appeal. The total raised in both cash and gift card donations was \$ 5,645. Your kindness blesses so many!

CRAFT CLUB RESUMES!!

Holy Rosary Craft ladies get back to business, with lots to do to prepare for the Bell Bazaar in November. New crafters always welcome. Sessions are on Thursdays, starting September 22nd @ 1:30 pm, in the Parish Centre.

AN INVITATION FOR THE CHRISTOPHER LEADERSHIP COURSE IN EFFECTIVE SPEAKING

Whether you are afraid of public speaking, or would like to take on a leadership role within the parish or the broader community, the Christopher Leadership Course in Effective Speaking can help. The next course begins Tuesday evening, September 13, 2022, in either Hamilton or Burlington. To register or for more information, please visit www.clchamilton.com, or call Frank at 905-662-4076.



*Dear Lord,
As our students begin a new school year, we pray that you will keep them in your care.
Send your Spirit to open their minds to all that is true and beautiful and good.*

*Help them to see the gifts and talents you have given them and to use them well.
Help them to grow in knowledge, wisdom, and kindness.
Hold them in the palm of your hand,
and bring them home safely at day's end. Amen*

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