


Holy Rosary Parish

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Church, Parish Hall

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Interpreted Mass: 11:00 a.m. 

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday: 7:40 p.m.
Saturday: 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

PRIESTHOOD OR RELIGIOUS LIFE: For more information or assistance, you may contact your parish priest or Rev. Mark Morley, the Diocesan Vocation Director at 905-528-7988, ext. 2223 or www.vocationsinfo.ca

ADORATION CHAPEL

The Blessed Sacrament is available for adoration 24 hours per day. For adoration outside regular office hours, please register at the office for the door code. Adoration is offered for Vocations on the First Friday of every month.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please contact the Administration Office as soon as possible after the birth of your baby.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please contact the Administration Office, generally, one year in advance. At least one party to the marriage must be Catholic and living within the territory of the parish or a parishioner of Holy Rosary Parish.

MISSION STATEMENT

Holy Rosary Parish is a Catholic Community rooted in Faith, Hope and Love. Empowered by the Holy Spirit, we strive to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ and spread it to our growing and diverse community. We welcome and reach out to individuals and families through Worship, Evangelization, Christian Formation and Service to all God's people.

PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. John Van Hees, Pastor
Fr. Nishil Varghese, CMI, Associate Pastor
Rev. Mr. James Whittaker, Deacon

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Corina Thomas, Parish Secretary
Angela Cumming, Parish Secretary
Dennis Herrero, Property Manager

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE 905-878-6535

Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
(Summer Hours: Office closes at 3:30 p.m.)
Saturday 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

OUR SCHOOLS

Bishop Reding Secondary	905-875-0124
Our Catholic Elementary Schools	
Our Lady of Victory	905-876-4379
Holy Rosary	905-876-1121
St. Peter	905-878-4626
St. Anthony of Padua	905-864-8272
Queen of Heaven	289-851-9329

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome! Please take time to tell us about yourself. Parish registration forms are available in the foyer of the church. These may be completed and placed in the collection basket or dropped off at the parish office.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Please email your announcement to the Parish Office at reception@holyrosaryparish.ca by Monday at 9:00 a.m.

CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in your family please contact the parish office and we will assist you in making liturgical arrangements. The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton website is www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca



Tuesday, Sep 17, 2024

8:00 a.m. †Murray Dennis

7:00 p.m. †Sarita Ayala; †Vincenza Berardi; †Janice Whittaker; †Dec. Memb. Gaetan & Arpa Families

Wednesday, Sep 18, 2024

8:00 a.m. †Stefan & Janina Paszyn

7:00 p.m. †Margaret "Peg" O'Rourke

Thursday, Sep 19, 2024

8:00 a.m. S/I Carmie Liberta

Friday, Sep 20, 2024 – Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-Gon, Paul Chong Ha-Sang, and Companions

8:00 a.m. †Virgilio Herrero

Saturday, Sep 21, 2024 – 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. †Carmelo Falletta; †Venizio Brum; †Jesus Pagcanlungan; †Dec. Memb. DeCouto Family

Sanctuary Lamp – Week of Sep 15th, 2024

In Loving Memory of Maria & Edward Tomczyk

Readings for Sunday, Sep 22nd, 2024:

Wisdom 2.12, 17-20

James 3.16-4.3

Mark 9.30-37

"The Lord upholds my life."

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WALK TO BETHLEHEM



"On the Way to Bethlehem" will be presented at Andrew's Scenic Acres Farm on **November 30th** and **December 1st**. Interested in participating? Volunteers can have either acting roles or behind the scenes roles. Commitment is required by **October 7th**. For more information, please call **Willi** at **(905) 462-3092**.

Refer to our website: www.holyrosaryparish.ca for additional events, information, & updates.

CONFIRMATION PARENT MEETING



There will be a meeting for the parents of all Grade 7 students preparing for Confirmation.

Thursday, September 19th at 7:00 pm

Holy Rosary, Our Lady of Victory, Queen of Heaven, Saint Anthony of Padua, & Saint Peter Schools

Don't forget to bring the completed **Enrollment Form** that will be provided through your child's school, and a copy of your child's **Baptismal Certificate**.

**CARMELITE SPIRITUALITY GROUP
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Lay Carmelites are Roman Catholic men and women called to seek God's Will in the ordinary circumstances of everyday life. They are part of an 800-year-old tradition of contemplative prayer, community, and ministry.

Meetings are held on the **third Saturday** of the month from **9:30 to 11:30 am** in the parish hall. Our next meeting is on **September 21st, 2024**. For more information, please visit: www.laycarmelites.org or contact **Noreen D'Souza** at noreendsouza72@gmail.com.



NOT REGISTERED YET?

If you attend Holy Rosary Parish regularly, but have not yet registered, please complete a Parish Registration form available on the parish website at: www.holyrosaryparish.ca/general-information.html or call the office at **(905) 878-6535**. Completed forms may be dropped off at the Parish Office or in the Sunday collection.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY



This ministry gathers in the Parish Hall **every Thursday afternoon** from **1 pm to 3 pm**. All are welcome to join. Sponsored by the CWL, this ministry knits and crochets loving, prayer centered shawls. If you wish to obtain a Prayer Shawl for someone in need, please contact the parish office at **(905) 878-6535**.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus are hosting a parish breakfast on **Sunday, September 22nd** in the parish hall following both Masses. This is a great opportunity to get to know and connect with fellow parishioners and the community as a whole. The menu includes pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausages, bacon, fruit cocktail, coffee, tea, and juice. A donation is welcome, and proceeds will support parish youth groups.



SSVP COLLECTION WEEK

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul boxes will be out from **September 14th – 21st** for your donations. Your generosity is most appreciated and on behalf of the needy of our parish community, we thank you.



HALTON ALIVE 50TH ANNIVERSARY GALA



Join us on **Friday, October 18th** for an inspiring evening of delicious food, community, and celebration as we raise funds for pro-life ministry and honour the people who helped form Halton Alive over the last 50 years to what it is today. Tickets are \$125 - There is a special VIP pre-event feature this year. Full details and tickets online at www.haltonalive.ca/gala or call (905) 632-3232.

JOIN OUR CHILDREN'S LITURGY MINISTRY!



We're seeking adult and high school student volunteers to lead the Children's Liturgy during the **11 AM Sunday Masses** from **October to May**. This rewarding opportunity allows you to inspire and guide the youngest members of our parish community. Leaders are scheduled on a monthly basis. Interested in volunteering? Please contact the parish office at **905-878-6535**. Help us nurture the faith of our children!

CHALLENGE GIRLS MILTON

Challenge Girls Milton is now accepting registrations for this academic year. Join us for a meeting on **Friday, September 27th** from **7:00 to 9:00 pm** at Queen of Heaven Catholic school, Milton. This program is open to all girls from ages 6 to 17 years. Challenge is a place to grow united in Christ, virtue, friendship, and faith through Catholic formation, apostolic projects, games, retreats, and lots of FUN! To register, scan the **QR code** or contact **Elizabeth Noronha** at challengeinmilton@gmail.com.



CONQUEST BOYS



CONQUEST

Conquest is a national network of Catholic Leadership Programs, Clubs, and Camps for boys and young men 5 to 18 years of age that helps young boys develop their friendship with Christ and relationships with those around them. Conquest meetings are held **every Friday** beginning on **September 20th** from **7:00 to 9:00 pm** at St. Peter's school, Milton. For more information and registration please refer to our website www.conquestmilton.com.



LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary at St Benedict & Holy Rosary parishes is pleased to announce that they will bring the **Pilgrim Virgin Statue** or **The Divine Mercy Image** to the homes of families as a way of increasing family prayer and bringing blessings to families. The Legionaries will accompany them to the home and will pick up the statue or image at an appointed date. To arrange a home visitation please contact **Paula Melo** at miltonlegionofmary@gmail.com. The Legion of Mary meets at St. Benedict Church on **Tuesday evenings at 7 pm**. All interested are welcome to join.

PRAYER INTENTION FOR VOCATIONS

"Who do people say that I am?" Who do you think Jesus is? The depth of our faith is rooted in our answer. Is God calling you to be a priest, religious, or deacon? If you think you are being called to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon contact **Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations** at vocations@hamiltondiocese.com or call (905) 528-7988.

- Please remember to especially pray for our priests:
- Sep 16 – Rev. Michal Kruszewski, C.R.
 - Sep 17 – Very Rev. Aleksander Mazur, S.A.C.
 - Sep 18 – Missionary Sisters of Christ the King M.ChR.
 - Sep 19 – Rev. Philip Reilly, C.R.
 - Sep 20 – Rev. Pawel Jamroz
 - Sep 21 – Rev. Stephen Gilbert



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