

St. Margaret Mary Parish

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Rev. Adam Wroblewicz, CR, Pastor Rev. Mr. Rene Marechal, Deacon Mrs. Marilyn Sturtevant, Parish Minister Miss Sheila Campbell, Secretary

Office Hours:

Monday-Friday: 9 am - 12 noon, 1-5 pm. July & August: 9 am - 12 noon, 1-4 pm.

Sunday Masses:

Saturday – 5:00 pm Sunday – 9:00 am, 11:00 am

Daily Masses:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 7:15 am

Wednesday: 7:00 pm Saturday: 9:00 am.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Available 30 minutes before all Masses.

Parish Devotions:

Eucharistic Adoration: Mon-Fri: 8:00 am-8:00 pm.

Sat: Benediction 8:45 am.

Baptisms: are celebrated by appointment only. Participation in a Baptismal Preparation Session is required. Please contact the parish office (905-388-2200) well in advance.

Marriage: Parishioners who are planning to marry should contact the parish office at least six months before the proposed wedding date.

Visits to the Sick: If you or someone you know is in need of a visit in home or hospital please call the parish office.

New to the Parish: Please register by completing a registration form (available in the Narthex). We also ask that you notify the office of any change in address or telephone number.

Schools:

 St. Margaret Mary
 905-383-8122

 St. Kateri Tekakwitha
 905-385-8212

 St. Anthony Daniel
 905-389-5186



MONDAY- FEBRUARY 10TH - ST. SCHOLASTICA

7:15 am + Gus Adili

TUESDAY- FEBRUARY 11[™]

7:15 am + Mark Bistoyong

WEDNESDAY – FEBRUARY 12[™]

9:00 am + Ben-Hur Benito

7:00 pm + Clarita Benito

- + Antonia Cocnio
- + Dory Isidro
- + Donato Tortis
- + Sonia Vilar

THURSDAY- FEBRUARY 13TH

7:15 am + Jenny Bravo

FRIDAY- FEBRUARY 14TH - ST. CYRIL & ST. METHODIUS

7:15 am + Lucy Gabriele

SATURDAY – FEBRUARY 15TH

9:00 am + Maria Gabriele

SUNDAY LITURGY SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SATURDAY – FEBRUARY 15TH

5:00 pm – Living & Deceased Parishioners Confirmation Mass for St. Anthony Daniel & St. Kateri Schools

SUNDAY - FEBRUARY 16TH

9:00 am + Pauline Kaszyca

11:00 am – Intentions of Morasterial & Abesamis Families

2:00 pm – Intentions of Confirmandi Confirmation Mass for St. Margaret Mary School



Welcome to Bishop Wesley Spiewak CR – The Ordinary of the Diocese of Hamilton in Bermuda

Wesley Spiewak, a native of Cracow, Poland, entered the

Congregation of the Resurrection in 1983 and completed his philosophy studies at the Vincentian Theological Institute in Cracow. He was sent to Rome for his theological studies, where he earned his degree at the Gregorian University. He was then ordained a priest on May 19, 1990.

His priestly ministry included first two years as Vice-Rector of the Minor Seminary in Poznan, followed by roles as Provincial Secretary and Vocation Director. He then specialized in Spiritual Theology at the Salesianum University in Rome beginning in 1997. During this time, he also served as pastor of St. Mary Magdalene Parish in Capranica Palestrina, outside of Rome, and simultaneously as Postulator General of the Congregation for the causes of canonization.

In 2008, he was elected Provincial Superior of the Polish Province, a position to which he was reelected, completing his two terms on May 30, 2014. He also served as a member of the President's Council of the Conference of Major Superiors in Poland.

The solemn celebration of the Episcopal Ordination of Fr. Wieslaw Spiewak took place on October 1, 2015, in the Cathedral of St. Therese in Hamilton, Bermuda, on the patronal feast of the Cathedral and the Diocese.

The Diocese of Hamilton encompasses the archipelago of Bermuda. The local church was established as an Apostolic Prefecture on February 19, 1953, by Pope Pius XII, under the Archdiocesan Administration of Halifax, Nova Scotia. Bermuda was elevated to an Apostolic Vicariate in 1956 and was established as the Diocese of Hamilton on June 12, 1967, by Blessed Pope Paul VI.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION



An important event is approaching in the lives of the young people who are to receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. On February 8th, the Confirmandi will participate in a Confirmation retreat, celebrating the

Sacrament of Penance and attending the Holy Mass. The Sacrament of Confirmation will be conferred on the youth from St. Anthony Daniel and St. Kateri Schools on Saturday, February 15th, during the 5:00 pm Mass. The youth from St. Margaret Mary School will receive their Confirmation on Sunday, February 16th, during a special Mass at 2:00 pm. The minister of the sacrament will be an unusual guest - Bishop Wesley Spiewak CR, the ordinary of the Diocese of Hamilton in Bermuda. I ask kindly the parishioners to keep in your prayers the young people who are preparing for Confirmation. May the Holy Spirit guide them on their spiritual journey, and strengthen their faith as they approach this important milestone. Thank you for your support and prayers. Blessings, Fr. Adam CR.

VOCATION INSERTS

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Do not be afraid. If the Lord is calling you to the ordained or consecrated life, do not be afraid. Jesus calls and will give you the grace to respond wholeheartedly. If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988. Email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

DIOCESE OF HAMIILTON PRAYER CALENDAR

MONDAY – St. Scholastica, Virgin
TUESDAY – Rev. Msgr. Theodore Slaman
WEDNESDAY – Missionaries
THURSDAY – Rev. William Trusz
FRIDAY – Rev. Donald Wilhelm
SATURDAY – Rev. Guillermo Diaz

<u>VOCATIONS DANCE</u> – FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH

A Vocations Dance will be held on **FRIDAY**, **FEBRUARY 14**TH, at Mount Mary Retreat Centre, Ancaster. Vox Talk: "The Theology of Dancing and Dating". Cost: \$20.00 per person. Online registration required by **TUESDAY**, **FEBRUARY 11**TH. See poster on the bulletin board in the Narthex for more information.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS

Please have your \$40.00 CWL Membership fees by **FEBRUARY 28**TH. Include your full name, home and email address, and telephone number on the envelope. You can put the envelope in the Sunday collection or bring it to the parish office.

This past weekend we welcomed into the family of God



EVERLY ELIZABETH KELLAR

Daughter of Robin & Sarah

MASON BILICKI-BYRNES

Son of of Mathew & Amanda

Congratulations to the Parents,
Godparents, Grandparents & Families.



To everything there is a season and a time to every purpose under heaven...

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who died January 28, 2025

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