

# 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 or by appointment.

#### **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:**

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## MONDAY-MARCH 11TH

7:15 am - Bill Willenbrech

## TUESDAY - MARCH 12TH

7:15 am + John McCutcheon

+ Geronimo Sarmiento, Sr.

### WEDNESDAY- MARCH 13TH

- 7:00 pm + Tom Beattie
  - + Rita Cassiani
  - + Eulogio Boein Villaranda
  - + John & Maria Domingos
  - + Pietro & Giuseppina Ferreli
  - ++ The Luison Family

## THURSDAY- MARCH 14TH

7:15 am - Frank Szarak

#### FRIDAY – MARCH 15<sup>TH</sup>

7:15 am + Pericles Sison

6:30 pm - Stations of the Cross

7:00 pm + Bradley Girling

## SATURDAY – MARCH 16<sup>TH</sup>

9:00 am + Giuseppe DiPlacito

## **SUNDAY LITURGY -**5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

#### SATURDAY – MARCH 16<sup>TH</sup>

5:00 pm - + Rita Roy

## SUNDAY - MARCH 17TH

9:00 am + Thomas Beattie

11:00 am - For living & deceased parishioners

## DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR

MONDAY - Rev. Sutherland MacDonald, C.R. TUESDAY - Rev. David Mowat, C.R. WEDNESDAY - Lay Parish Ministers THURSDAY - Rev. Harry Reitzel, C.R. FRIDAY - Rev. Raymond Reitzel, C.R. SATURDAY - Rev. Florian Stasinski, C.R.

#### **EASTER FLOWERS**



During the Easter season, when we celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus, the Saviour of the world, we are particularly mindful of the members of our own families. We fondly remember those who gone before us in death. have Parishioners, who wish, can make a

donation for sanctuary Easter flowers in memory of deceased loved ones. Mass for them will be celebrated on Easter Sunday, March 31st, at 11:00 am. Deadline is Monday, March 25th. Names of the deceased will be included in the bulletin insert.

### **EASTER CONFESSION – ALL DAY**



## **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20** 8:00 AM-8:00 PM

In the Catholic Church, it is recommended to confess at least once a year, especially during the Lenten season.



BIBLE GROUP - every Thursday of Lent in the Hearth Room from 7:00 to 8:30 pm. Facilitator - Dr. Eldon Tunks.



## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Organizations in charge (Fridays of Lent at 6:30 pm): Feb 16 — CWL, Feb 23 — K of C. March 1 — Ushers. March 8 -Haiti Committee, March 15 -Children's Liturgy, March 22 -Youth who have been confirmed, March 29 - In Tableaux (Good Friday at 8:30 pm).

#### **40 DAYS FOR LIFE**



Looking for something to do this Lent? 40 Days for Life Hamilton invites you to pray for Hamilton's preborn children! YOU can participate

in a peaceful prayer vigil across the street from McMaster Children's Hospital, from February 14<sup>th</sup> - March 24<sup>th</sup> between 7:00 am to 7:00 pm. Please consider signing up for an hour or more of prayer this Lenten season! SIGN UP ONLINE:

https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/hamilton

## YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT

On **SATURDAY, MARCH 16<sup>TH</sup>,** following the **5:00 PM** Mass, our Young Adults Group will be welcoming Bishop Lobsinger,



who will give a talk on **Music in the Liturgy**. All young adults, ages 18-39, are welcome and encouraged to join for adoration, dinner and the bishop's talk.

## **HOLY THURSDAY**

On Holy Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, at the 7:00 pm Mass "The Washing of the Feet" will take place. If you wish to volunteer to have your feet washed, please sign up on the sheet provided in the sacristy. We need 12 volunteers and this is open to all parishioners.

#### ST. MARGARET MARY WOMEN'S GROUP



The St. Margaret Mary Women's Group will be gathering to take part in a 4-part lecture series about "The Letters of Pope John

Paul II to Women". The lectures, delivered by Sr. Mary Madeline Todd, O.P., can be found on Formed. All women, ages 18 & up, are invited on Saturdays, March 23<sup>rd</sup> and April 6<sup>th</sup>, to the Hearth Room following the 9:00 am Mass. For more information email Kathleen at <a href="mailto:smmwomensgroup@gmail.com">smmwomensgroup@gmail.com</a>

## THE NEW VERSION OF THE BULLETIN

The Parish Council is exploring possibilities to refresh the style and production of the parish bulletin. An essential part of this work will be finding volunteers proficient in digital media software to help us design and collate the information weekly in preparation for printing. We need your help! If you are comfortable with digital software such as Canva or Microsoft Publisher, and you have a keen eye for print design, we ask you to pray about supporting this important ministry in our parish and then speak to Father Adam.



# SUNDAY COLLECTION – FEBRUARY 25<sup>TH</sup>, 2024

Regular Sunday envelopes + Loose Cash	\$5,567.25
Building Fund	503.00
St. M. M. Parish Outreach	55.00
Haiti Project - General	20.00
Seminary Education	20.00
Initial Offering Envelopes	25.00
Missals Offering	20.00
Knights of Columbus Donation	<u>1,000.00</u>
	\$7,210.25

## SUNDAY COLLECTION MARCH 4<sup>TH</sup>, 2024



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Share Lent Holy Land Collection Candles	130.00 105.00 20.00
Easter Flowers Easter Envelopes	130.00 <u>215.00</u> \$6,896.50



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