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LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 P.M.
Sunday: 9:00 A.M.; 11:00 A.M.; 8:00 P.M.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Friday 9:30 - 10:00 A.M.
Saturday 9:30 - 10:00 A.M. and 4:00-4:30 P.M.
or by appointment

BAPTISMS

If you are seeking baptism for your child, please complete the Request for Baptism form found on our website and email to aouellette@hamiltondiocese.com or drop off in person at the parish office.

MARRIAGES

Couples planning to be married must contact the priest one year in advance. You must be a registered parishioner, attending this parish.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Saturday: 9:00 A.M. (Except Tuesdays)
Tuesday ONLY: 7:00 P.M.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 9:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.
Tuesday - Friday: 9:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M., 1:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M.

NEW PARISHIONERS

If you wish to become a member of the parish, we invite you to take time to register by completing a Parish Registration Form available on our parish website. The forms are also available at the parish office if you require a hard copy. If you are currently registered and now wish to use Offertory Envelopes please complete the registration form and return to the parish office or drop in the Offertory basket. If you wish to sign up for Pre-Authorized Debit please complete the form available on our website. These forms are also available at the parish office.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

All bulletin announcements must be received by the parish secretary no later than Monday at noon to ensure publication in the upcoming Sunday bulletin. All announcements and inserts are subject to the pastor's approval.

PARISH SCHOOLS

Canadian Martyrs	3201 Lansdown Drive	905-336-5792	Michelle Kotulak, Principal
Sacred Heart of Jesus	2222 Country Club Road	905-331-4656	Pat Vigna, Principal
Saint Anne	4675 Doug Wright Drive	905-315-8384	Maria Thomas, Principal
Saint Christopher	2400 Sutton Drive	905-335-7553	Tara Wilson, Principal
Saint Elizabeth Seton	5070 Dryden Avenue	905-331-7246	Lisa MacLennan, Principal
Saint Timothy	2141 Deer Run Avenue	905-332-5253	Anna Marie Tolti, Principal
Notre Dame Secondary	2333 Headon Forest Drive	905-335-1544	Mark Freeman, Principal
Corpus Christi Secondary	5150 Upper Middle Road	905-331-5591	Christopher Chlisczyk, Principal

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SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 16, 2025

March 17 – March 23, 2025 WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

DATE	MASS INTENTIONS
MONDAY 9:00am Mass	<u>March 17, 2025</u> Bill Richards
TUESDAY 7:00pm Mass	<u>March 18, 2025</u> Noella & Vince Bozzer
WEDNESDAY 9:00am Mass	<u>March 19, 2025</u> – ST. JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY Stephen Jang
THURSDAY 9:00am Mass	<u>March 20, 2025</u> Vincenzo Pinelli
FRIDAY 9:00am Mass 9:30am – 10:00am 9:30am – 6:50pm 7:00pm	<u>March 21, 2025</u> Chris McDonnell Confessions Adoration Stations of the Cross
SATURDAY 9:00am Mass Intentions:	<u>March 22, 2025</u> Hacinto Zarate Int. of Kathleen Donnelly Mr. Rosaria D'Mello Int. of Lynn & Damian D'Souza Helen McHugh
9:30am – 10:00am	Confessions
4:00pm – 4:30pm	Confessions
5:00pm Mass Intentions:	
Gloria Miclat	Baby Mathew
Angela Miclat	M.A Aley
Mario Giacobbo	V.D Chacko
Attilio Rinaldo	Ian Macedo
Stephen Jang	Ava Maria Massaro
SUNDAY 9:00am 11:00am 8:00pm	<u>March 23, 2025</u> – THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT Mass (Livestream) Mass Mass

Vocation View

Peter, John and James had a mountaintop experience with Jesus by witnessing His transfiguration. We too can have a mountaintop experience when we open our minds and hearts to following God's Will for our lives. 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. E-mail vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
Visit: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/>

SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday:	Daniel 9.3, 4b-10++, Luke 6.36-38
Tuesday:	Isaiah 1.10, 16-20, 27-28, 31++, Matthew 23.1-12
Wednesday:	2 Samuel 7.4-5a, 12-14a, 16, Romans 4.13, 6-18, 22 Matthew 1.16, 18-21, 24
Thursday:	Jeremiah 17.5-10, Luke 16.19-31
Friday:	Genesis 37.3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28, Matthew 21.33-43, 45-46
Saturday:	Micah 7.14-15, 18-20, Luke 15.1-3, 11-32
Sunday:	Exodus 3.1-8a, 13-15, 1 Corinthians 10.1-6, 10-12, Luke 13.1-9

HAMILTON DIOCESE WEEKLY PRAYER CALENDAR

We pray for the following people or groups:

Monday:	Rev. Peter Robinson
Tuesday:	Rev. Saju Oreethaparambil, C.Ss.R.
Wednesday:	St. Joseph, Spouse Blessed Virgin Mary
Thursday:	Rev. Kevin Upendran
Friday:	Rev. Drago Gacnik, S.D.B.
Saturday:	Rev. Ambroise Tshiaba Ntumba



March 2nd

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Lenten Reconciliation Workshop

Join Father John Schnurr on Saturday March 22nd from 9:45am to Noon as he leads us through an examination of the healing sacrament of Reconciliation as part of our Lenten journey. Entering deeply and intentionally into this sacrament during Lent prepares us for the death and resurrection of our Lord that we celebrate at Easter. Please visit the parish website to register or call/email the parish office to secure a spot. Refreshments and materials will be provided. No fee to register.

Lenten Formation for Adults: Bread of Life

Join us Thursday mornings March 6th - April 3rd to explore Christ's teachings of Eucharist as outlined in scripture. Using the *FORMED Bread of Life* series with Dr. Tim Grey we will examine Christ's teachings of Eucharist through scripture references of his time in Galilee. Group discussions and individual reflections on the sacrament will shape our Lenten journey and help prepare us to celebrate the Passion, Death & Resurrection of our Lord this Easter. Sessions start at 9:45 am to 11:00 am. No registration is required to participate. Refreshments and all materials will be provided at no cost. Participate in one or all sessions. For further information see our website or contact Arden Ouellette, Pastoral Minister, at the parish office.

Youth Choir

The St. Paul Youth Choir will be singing at the Easter Sunday Mass on April 20th, 2025, at 12:00pm. We welcome all youth ages 8-17 to come and join the choir. Practices will take place Thursdays from 7:00pm – 7:30pm in the Church starting March 6th, 2025, under the direction of the Music Director. We request that parents remain on site during rehearsals. For more information, and to register, please visit the parish website <https://www.stpaultheapostleburlington.com/>

Children's Liturgy Break in March

Children's Liturgy will not be running on March 16th due to March Break. We will resume on March 23rd.

40th Anniversary Photo Directory

St Paul the Apostle Parish is approaching the milestone of our **40th Anniversary!** Your presence in our church congregation is a **significant** part of this celebration. We formally invite all parishioners and their families to participate in our parish photo directory to capture the vibrant, generous and blessed community we have here at St. Paul's. Take advantage of this **free of charge** opportunity to receive:

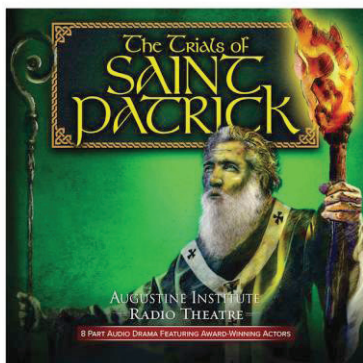
- **Free copy of the photo directory**
- A place to connect **names with faces** of both new and seasoned parishioners
- **Feel connected** to the greater community of our large parish
- A chance to purchase a **professional copy** of your portrait(s) for very reasonable rates
- **Be a part** of our parish HISTORY as we celebrate 40 years!

Due to popular demand, new dates are now available in April. For more information and to sign up for your photo session, please see the parish's 40th Anniversary webpage. You may also book your photo session directly, by using this QR code:



Spiritual Renewal for Easter

Come and journey through Lent with the Small Faith Group, as we reflect together on the Readings for the upcoming Sunday. Our meetings are Tuesday's from 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm in the Conference Room (adjacent to the parish foyer).



The Trials of Saint Patrick

The Trials of Saint Patrick, a powerful journey through hardship, loss, mercy, and forgiveness. With skilled actors and cinematic elements, this captivating story comes to life, stirring the imagination and sparking inspiration.

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Parish Financial Statement

The parish financial statement for 2023 can be viewed on our parish website at <https://www.stpaultheapostleburlington.com/reports>. The total revenue for 2024 was \$875,558.35 and the total expenditures was \$844,040.64. We extend a big and sincere thank you to all for your ongoing financial support to St. Paul's. May God bless you a hundred-fold for your generosity.



DIOCESE OF HAMILTON

ReSTART: Moving Forward

Our 10 week program offers education and support to anyone seeking to heal and move forward after divorce or separation. The sessions will be offered from **March 17 - June 9** (no sessions April 21 & May 19) and are held at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West in Hamilton. Cost is \$35 for materials, but no one is turned away. To register go to hamiltondiocese.com and look for the date under Upcoming Events, or contact Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or e-mail familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com.

Vocations Recognition Dinner 2025

The Serra Club of Hamilton invites you to gather on Wednesday, April 30, 2025, at Liuna Station in Hamilton to celebrate the service of our Priests, Religious Brothers and Sisters, Permanent Deacons, and Consecrated Virgins Living in the World. Doors open at 6:00 pm. Tickets are \$90 per person. To order tickets or for information, send an email to serrahamilton1965@gmail.com. You can pay for your ticket through e-transfer using the same email or you can also pay by credit card using the following link: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/events/>. This event is co-sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton.

The Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2025? You are cordially invited to join Bishop Crosby and couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on **Sunday, June 1, 2025**, at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton at 1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring one guest if you require assistance). Registration is found under Upcoming Events on the home page at hamiltondiocese.com.

Reel Justice Film Festival

Join us for our special youth screening of **Marcel the Shell with Shoes On, March 27th!** Marcel is an adorable, 1-inch-tall shell who ekes out a colorful existence with his grandmother, Connie, and their pet lint, Alan. Once part of a sprawling community of shells, they now live alone as the sole survivors of a mysterious tragedy. However, when a documentary filmmaker discovers them, the short film he posts online brings Marcel millions of passionate fans, as well as unprecedented dangers and a new hope of finding his long-lost family. Available to watch all day! Movie link will be sent straight to your inbox! Register and view our full schedule at: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/reel-justice-film-festival/>

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