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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.

WEEKDAY MASSES

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

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.

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.

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.

MARRIAGES

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

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
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Corpus Christi Secondary	5150 Upper Middle Road	905-331-5591	Christopher Chlisczyk, Principal

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OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE NOVEMBER 24, 2024

Nov 25 – Dec 1, 2024
WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

DATE	MASS INTENTIONS
MONDAY 9:00am Mass	<i>Nov 25, 2024</i> Int. of Father Yves Fournier
TUESDAY 7:00pm Mass	<i>Nov 26, 2024</i> Jack Hubble
WEDNESDAY 9:00am Mass	<i>Nov 27, 2024</i> Emilio Carlesimo
THURSDAY 9:00am Mass	<i>Nov 28, 2024</i> Ellen Rodrigues
FRIDAY 9:00am Mass 9:30am – 10:00am <i>Confessions</i> 9:30am – 12:00pm <i>Adoration</i>	<i>Nov 29, 2024</i> Michael Jason Lewis
SATURDAY 9:00am Mass Intentions:	<i>Nov 30, 2024</i> – ST. ANDREW, APOSTLE
Chuck Nyland	Holy Souls
Norma Moore	Int. for Kevin McMahon
9:30am – 10:00am <i>Confessions</i>	
4:00pm – 4:30pm <i>Confessions</i>	
5:00pm Mass Intentions:	
Peter Guertin	Robert Magnan
Teresa Soares	Tia Francis
Bernard, Liam & Bernadette Duffy	Joseph DiCecco
Marguerite Fregeau Magnan	
SUNDAY 9:00am 11:00am 8:00pm	<i>Dec 1, 2024</i> – FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT Mass (<i>Livestream</i>) Mass Mass

Christmas and Advent Schedule

Our Parish Advent and Christmas Schedule is now posted on our website. Please visit our [website](#) or scan the code for detailed information on the Mass and confession schedule for the seasons of Advent and Christmas.



E-Transfer Donation Update

The new St. Paul the Apostle email address for **e-transfers** is stpaulburlington@hamiltondiocese.com. Please include your full name and contact information so that we can provide a tax receipt.

SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday:	Revelation 14.1-3, 4b-5, Luke 21.1-4
Tuesday:	Revelation 14.14-19, Luke 21.5-11
Wednesday:	Revelation 15.1-4, Luke 21.12-19
Thursday:	Revelation 18.1-2, 21-23; 19.1-3,
Friday:	Revelation 20.1-4, 11-15; 21.1-2, Luke 21.29-33
Saturday:	Romans 10.9-18, Matthew 4.18-22
Sunday:	Jeremiah 33.14-16, 1 Thessalonians 3.12 – 4.2, Luke 21.25-28, 34-36

HAMILTON DIOCESE WEEKLY PRAYER CALENDAR

We pray for the following people or groups:

Monday:	Rev. Pawel Stankiewicz
Tuesday:	Rev. Joseph Gregory Michel
Wednesday:	Fraternity of the Poor of Jesus Christ (p.j.c.)
Thursday:	Rev. Wilson Andrade, C.S.C.
Friday:	Rev. Emmanuel Ralte, C.S.C.
Saturday:	Very Rev. David Walter



November 10, 2024

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Advent Morning Retreat: Christmas – Season of Blessing

Join Fr. John Ha on Saturday, November 30th, from 9:30am to 12 pm, for a morning retreat as we prepare for the Advent season and rediscover God's blessings in our daily lives. As a loving God, He doesn't stop blessing us even though we, from time to time, deny His blessings. Through the retreat, we will find different ways to discover His blessings in order to enter into the season of Christmas with gratefulness and thanksgiving. Start time is 9:30am for refreshments, followed by a two-hour session from 10am to 12pm. Register via the parish [website](#) or by calling the parish office.

Envelopes and Tax Receipts

The 2025 offertory envelopes will be in the Narthex early December. Envelopes will be re-issued in 2025 for parishioners who have contributed a minimum of \$50 in the last year. For parishioners who wish to contribute periodically, there are visitor envelopes at the Greeter's Desk and online options through our parish website. If you wish to begin contributing regularly using weekly envelopes, please contact the office. The 2025 tax receipts will be issued for those who contributed \$50 or more in 2024 and can be issued for amounts less than \$50 by request. We sincerely thank all donors for their ongoing financial support of our parish.

In Memoriam Donation for Christmas Flowers Tribute

Once again, we will be collecting offerings for our annual "**Christmas Floral Tribute**" in loving memory of deceased relatives or friends. The Floral Tribute form is included in this week's bulletin and will also be available at the parish office. Offerings can be made in cash, cheque or via e-transfer. The names of loved ones, honoured through the Tribute, will be displayed on the website, and in the narthex over Christmas. Floral Tributes will be accepted until December 15th, 2024.

Advent Wreath Lighting

Each weekend at all Lord's Day Masses, families/couples/individuals are called upon to assist the clergy with the lighting of the Advent wreath candles at the start of Mass. To help with this task, please see the parish [website](#) and register online for your mass of choice or call the office and our staff will register you directly. All sign-ups are on a first come basis and we ask that you sign up only once during the Advent season.

Rites of Acceptance and Welcoming

This month we celebrate the for those in RCIA. We are pleased to have 10 Catechumens to be Accepted and 5 Candidates to be Welcomed. As our group moves into the Period of Catechumenate we ask for the ongoing prayers and support of the parish community as their journey of faith continues.

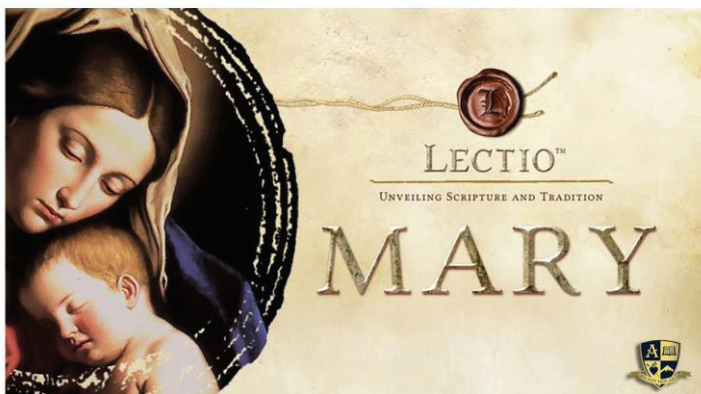
Youth Choir - Christmas Eve

We are excited to announce that our Music Director, Cydney London Speers, will once again lead a Youth Choir to sing at the Christmas Eve 5pm Mass on December 24th. This is a wonderful opportunity for young voices to come together and share the joy of the season through music. For more information and to register please visit our [Music Ministry](#) page.

Church Bulletin Advertising

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in February 2025 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

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Christmas Angel Tree Program 2024

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul (SSVP) Christmas Angel Tree program is underway. Your monetary donations help families, seniors, and others in need by providing them with food cards and gift cards for the holidays. They are close around us and although often unseen, they are many. We are blessed to continue to have our parish schools assisting us with the provision of senior bags for our local seniors.

Cash or cheque payable to **Society of Saint Vincent de Paul** can be returned to us via the weekly collection basket. Please use the green angel tree envelopes, are available from the Angel Tree at the back of the church. To donate online, please use our website at ssvpstpaulburlington.com and select the **Donate** page. We appreciate your donation no later than December 2nd to allow us to meet our deadlines.

Thank you for your ongoing generous support of this program and our ministry. Please keep our neighbors-in-need in your prayers this Christmas. May the Christmas spirit dwell within us all...always. God Bless.

Catholic Women's League

THANK YOU! The Catholic Women's League of St. Paul's would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to everyone who helped make this year's Bazaar truly wonderful! Our success comes from our tireless volunteers, donations of prizes, baked goods, etc., and the support of our wonderful parish and parish community! Through your generosity this community event raised much needed funds to help local charities, as well as Canadian and Global Missions.

Our Membership Drive for 2025 continues. Add your voice to a National Sisterhood of Catholic Women strong in Faith, Service, Awareness of Social and Environmental Issues and much more. Membership fees are \$40 and are due each November. We accept e-transfers at: stpaulcwl@gmail.com or you can place your dues in the collection basket along with your contact details.

Save the Date: Our next general meeting will be held on Monday, December 9th at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall and will include a Christmas Potluck. All ladies of the parish are welcome. Bring a friend!

Holy Land Wood Art

The main income for the Christian community of Bethlehem, the Birthplace of Jesus, is selling their handcrafted olive wood religious items to the pilgrims who visit the area. The past few years have been extremely hard for the community because of declining tourism and ongoing conflicts. After the 5pm Mass on November 30 and the Masses on December 1, we will be having some of their beautiful art for sale to support the Christian presence in the Holy Land. These religious items make wonderful Christmas gifts for family and friends!

Christmas Memorial Service

On behalf of Smith's Funeral Homes, The Carpenter Hospice, Acclaim Health and St. Paul's you are invited to join us at the Christmas Memorial Service.

Date: December 8th, 2024 Time: 4 pm.
Place: St. Paul the Apostle Parish, 2265 Headon Road, Burlington
RSVP: <https://www.smithsfh.com/burlington-memorial-service-rsvp>
or call 905-632-3333

Please RSVP by December 1, 2024



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