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LORD'S DAY MASSES Saturday: 5:00 P.M.

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

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION 9:30 - 10:00 A.M.

Friday

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 aquellette@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.

PARISH MINISTER: Arden Ouellette **SECRETARY:** Dorota Marcinowski **BOOKKEEPER:** Angela Kim SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION: Melanie Gaddi MUSIC DIRECTOR: Cydney Speers

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	Louise Cronin-Nowitsky, Principal
Sacred Heart of Jesus	2222 Country Club Road	905-331-4656	Pat Vigna, Principal
Saint Anne	4675 Doug Wright Drive	905-315-8384	Brian Melanson, Principal
Saint Christopher	2400 Sutton Drive	905-335-7553	Gord McCarles, Principal
Saint Elizabeth Seton	5070 Dryden Avenue	905-331-7246	Lisa MacLennan, Principal
Saint Timothy	2141 Deer Run Avenue	905-332-5253	Anna Marie Toltl, Principal
Notre Dame Secondary	2333 Headon Forest Drive	905-335-1544	Norm Roberts, Principal
Corpus Christi Secondary	5150 Upper Middle Road	905-331-5591	Christopher Chliszczyk, Principal

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TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 8TH, 2024

Sep 9 - Sep 15, 2024

WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

DATE MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY Sep 9, 2024 No Mass No Mass

TUESDAY Sep 10, 2024 7:00pm Mass Anthony Fava

WEDNESDAY Sep 11,2024
9:00am Mass Int. of Kathy Perino

THURSDAY Sep 12, 2024 9:00am Mass Shirley Louise Brown

FRIDAY Sep 13, 2024 – ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM,

BISHOP, DOCTOR

9:00am Mass Int. of Jimmy Lai 9:30am – 10:00am Confessions 9:30am – 12:00pm Adoration

Sep 14, 2024 – THE EXALTATION OF THE

HOLY CROSS

9:00am Mass Intentions:

Arnold Sernoskie George Bursa
Nathan & Noel Wong Int. of Julie Fernandes
Paul O'Connor Int. of Jacob Waldron
Rose-Marie Godin Int. of Kathleen Donnelly
Helen McHugh

9:30am - 10:00am Confessions 4:00pm - 4:30pm Confessions 5:00pm Mass Intentions:

Vivien deSouza Zvonko Cunko

Al & Renee Caracciolo
Linda A. Zysko
Bertilla Zanesco
David & Bridget Beresford
Hilda & Hugh Pottie
Imelda Guevarra

Jennifer Moraes Int. of Rebecca Anne Lopes

SUNDAY Sep 15, 2024 – TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN

ORDINARY TIME

9:00am Mass (*Livestream*)

11:00am Mass 8:00pm Mass

Vocation View

Did not God choose those who are poor in the eyes of the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the Kingdom? Count your blessings, then come and help others count theirs too, as a priest, religious or deacon. If you feel you have such a vocation, call Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations. Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

E-mail <u>vocations@hamiltondiocese.com</u>
Visit: https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Corinthians 5.1-8, Luke 6.6-11 Tuesday: 1 Corinthians 6.1-11, Luke 6.12-19

Wednesday: 1 Corinthians 7.1, 17, 25-31++, Luke 6.20-26 Thursday: 1 Corinthians 8.1b-7, 11-13, Luke 6.27-38 Friday: 1 Corinthians 9.16-19, 22b-27, Luke 6.39-42

Saturday: Numbers 21.4-9, John 3.13-17

Sunday: Isaiah 50.5-9, James 2.14-18, Mark 8.27-35

HAMILTON DIOCESE WEEKLY PRAYER CALENDAR

We pray for the following people or groups:

Monday: Rev. Ireneusz Koziak, S.A.C.

Tuesday: Very Rev. Tim Uniac, C.R.

Wednesday: Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate (S.O.L.I.)

Thursday: Rev. Robert Love Friday: Rev. Rafal Tomon

Saturday: Exaltation of the Holy Cross



August 25th \$ **7,405.00**

Welcome Sunday

Sunday September 22nd marks our annual Welcome Sunday following the 9am & 11am masses. Join us in the parish hall where various parish groups and ministries are available to share information about what they offer to our community as well as various ways to get involved and active in the life of St. Paul the Apostle Parish. In particular, we need additional volunteers for our 5pm and 8pm masses. Refreshments will be provided, and all are welcome. Thank you, Knights of Columbus for hosting. We look forward to seeing you there!

Sacramental Registration for 2024-2025 School Year

Attention families with children in our Parish Elementary Schools. If you have children attending Grade 2 and/or Grade 7 this school year, information for First Reconciliation & First Communion (Grade 2) and Confirmation (Grade 7) is now available. Please see our website to access the sacramental information packages. Printed copies will also be sent home with your child(ren) in the first week(s) of school. For any questions or concerns, please contact Melanie Gaddi at the parish office or via email mgaddi@hamiltondiocese.com.

Religious Education for Children

Catechism for children who are not currently enrolled in our affiliate Catholic elementary schools is available via the parish office. For children preparing for the sacraments of First Communion & Confirmation, we offer in person meetings and formation which start up in the Fall. We also offer catechism materials and support for children outside of sacramental preparation years who wish to supplement the faith development that happens within the home. Please see our parish Catechetical Page on our website or contact Arden Ouellette at the parish office for more information.

Assisted Listening

St. Paul's has installed an assistive listening system. Parishioners who have difficulty hearing are able to stream the church audio to their smartphones through the "Listen Everywhere" app (free) from the Apple App store, or Google Play store. Bring your phone and headphones to church and see the log-in instructions at the Greeter's desk in the foyer.

Are You Searching for God or Seeking the Catholic Faith?

Are you, or someone you know, not baptized or baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, who is searching for a relationship with God or wanting to

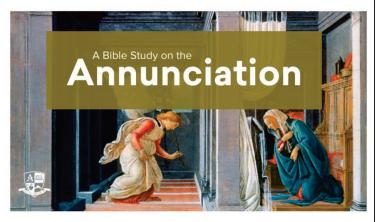


become Catholic? Are you baptized Catholic but have not received the sacraments of Communion or Confirmation and would like to do so? The *Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults* (RCIA) exists as a place to ask questions, seek understanding and establish a relationship with God in the Catholic faith. Our website page, Becoming Catholic, has more information or you may contact Arden Ouellette, Pastoral Minister, at the office or email aouellette@hamiltondiocese.com.

Catholic Women's League

Save the date: CWL will be hosting a food drive in the church parking lot on Saturday, September 21st from 10am to 2pm.





A Bible Study on the Annunciation

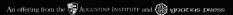
In this video, Dr. Ben Akers leads us through a brief study of Luke 1:26–38, highlighting some of the key Old Testament passages evoked by Gabriel's words. The reflection concludes with some thoughts on how we can imitate Mary's Yes in our own life, especially in this time of suffering.

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St. Paul's 40th Anniversary June 2026

We are looking forward to celebrating this big milestone with you! In preparation for this celebration, we are seeking volunteers who can assist in the planning and organizing of different parish events. If you are interested, please reach out to the parish office by September 29th.

Looking for Children's Liturgy Volunteers

We are looking for volunteers who can help us run Children's Liturgy at our Sunday morning masses. This special ministry to the young members (Kindergarten-Grade 2) of our church needs YOU!

ADULT VOLUNTEERS: We need adult volunteers who will lead the sessions with a partner. All materials and training will be provided, and no experience is necessary. You can commit to as many or as few Sundays throughout the year. The sessions are fun, interactive and very fulfilling. It's a real joy to see the Word of God come to life for our children.

TEEN VOLUNTEERS: We also welcome teens who wish to support this ministry. Teens help set up, clean up, lead the prayers and provide supervision. It's a great and fun way to earn some volunteer hours! Please contact Elizabeth stpaulchildlit@gmail.com or Melanie mgaddi@hamiltondiocese.com



Ministers of the Word

The Diocese of Hamilton provides formation for Ministers of the Word each year as they exercise a very important ministry at Mass. In this workshop, participants receive formation in Liturgy and Ministry, Techniques to Proclaim the Word of God, and an opportunity to practice. It is ideal for both parishioners new to this ministry or considering it and a good refresher for experienced Ministers of the Word. Participants receive a mandate from the Bishop of Hamilton. There is always good participant sharing. The cost is \$30 and includes lunch. First Workshop - Saturday, September 21, 2024, Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate, Guelph, ON, 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Second Workshop - Saturday, November 9, 2024, St. Catherine of Siena Parish, Hamilton, ON, 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Participants register through the Diocese of Hamilton website under Upcoming Events/Workshops.https://hamiltondiocese.com/events/2024/02/minister-of-the-word-formation-workshop-2/

Annual Red Mass

The "Red Mass" is the name given to the Eucharistic celebration during which the guidance of the Holy Spirit is invoked for divine wisdom for all those who plead, interpret and apply the law for the welfare of the people. The Mass takes its name from the red vestments worn by the clergy at a Votive Mass of the Holy Spirit, and the red robes traditionally worn by the judges. You are welcome to attend this year's Red Mass in Hamilton Diocese, which will be celebrated by His Excellency, Bishop Crosby, at St. Augustine Parish, Dundas, at 9:30 am on *Wednesday, September 11*. The Mass will be followed by a brunch, with guest speaker Mr. Sam Mercanti, the author of "Risen From the Shop Floor: Lessons from an Entrepreneur". For more information, or to register for the Brunch, e-mail Sam Garcia at sgarcea@confentegarcea.com.



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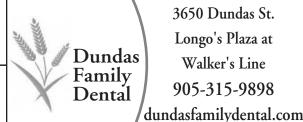
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