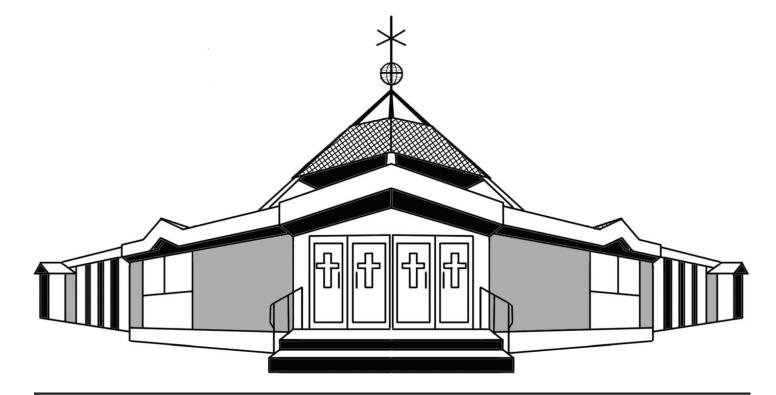
# **REGINA MUNDI CHURCH**

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**OFFICE HOURS:** Sunday, Monday, Saturday: Closed Tuesday – Friday: 9 a.m. – 12 noon & 1:30 – 4 p.m.



#### PARISH TEAM

Reverend Adam Voisin Pastoral Assistant: Robyn Aguila Lynda Flood - Office Administrator Michael Pollard - Caretaker

#### PARISH SCHOOLS

 Regina Mundi
 905-383-7244

 St. Teresa of Avila
 905-385-7555

 St. Vincent de Paul
 905-385-3734

## PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

If hospitalized or confined to home Please call the Parish office

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY** For assistance call: 289-689-4397

## CATHECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE

For those in public schools Call the Chancery Office: 905-528-7988

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE reginamundicwl@gmail.com

#### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Contact Robert Plaenk 416-578-7863 sekurityboy@yahoo.com

#### MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 9 a.m., 11 a.m. Children's Liturgy: 9 a.m. Mass Weekday schedule in the Bulletin

#### **CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES**

When a death occurs in the family please contact the parish office and we will assist you in making the liturgical arrangements. For info on Catholic burial, please contact 1-800 661-5985, or visit the website at www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

#### EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mon & Tues 4 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. Thursday 9 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Friday 4 p.m. – 11 p.m. Call: Sharon 905-388-4071

#### HOME & FAMILY BLESSING

Please call Fr. Adam at the Parish to arrange this.

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

 Tuesday:
 6:15 - 6:45 p.m.

 Saturday:
 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

 Other times by appointment

#### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

2nd Sunday of the month Baptism Preparation last Sunday of month for parents & godparents

#### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

At least six months notice required Call to make an appointment

#### LEGION OF MARY

Contact: Sandra Serafini 905-317-7762

#### DIOCESAN NEWSLETTER

Click "Subscribe to our Newsletter" at www.hamiltondiocese.com. Your email address will be used solely to provide you with Diocesan Newsletter and will never be shared with any third party. December 15, 2024 – January 4, 2025 Third Sunday of Advent, Fourth Sunday of Advent, Feast of the Holy Family,









**WELCOME** to all who visited our Parish today. We pray that you were nourished by our Liturgy. If you are new to our community, please fill in a registration form and return it to the office or place it in the collection basket. Registration forms are in the main entrance of the church

# LITURGIES AND DEVOTIONS

Monday	Dec 16	No Mass	
Tuesday	Dec 17	7:00 p.m.	+Vittorio Cantagalli, +Sina Marchesano, +Alberto DiMeo,
Wedneedey	, Dog 19	8:30 a.m.	+Ralph & Beatrice Criminisi, +Nicholas Bentham Intentions of Erin Reid
Wednesday Thursday	Dec 18 Dec 19	8:30 a.m.	+Carolina Vincelli
Friday	Dec 19 Dec 20	8:30 a.m.	Intentions of Christina Wilson
Saturday	Dec 20 Dec 21	5:00 p.m.	+Joe Roberto, +John Agnoletto, +Gabrielle Galletti, +Francesco Ciardullo,
Gatulday	Dec 21	0.00 p.m.	+Pietro & Vincenzina Palermo
Sunday	Dec 22	9:00 a.m.	
		11:00 a.m.	
Monday	Dec 23	No Mass	
Tuesday	Dec 24	5:00 p.m.	Mannas
		8:00 p.m.	Silerry ***
Wednesday	/ Dec 25	9:00 a.m.	Christmas
		11:00 a.m.	Christmas
Thursday	Dec 26	No Mass	
Friday	Dec 27	8:30 a.m.	Intentions of Catharine Beaulne
Saturday	Dec 28	5:00 p.m.	Intentions of Olga D'Sa, +Nunziata Livoti, +Nello Serafini, +Stephen Hincks,
<b>a</b> .	<b>D</b> 00		Deceased members of the Protolessi & Trimboli families
Sunday	Dec 29	9:00 a.m.	
	<b>-</b>	11:00 a.m.	
Monday	Dec 30	No Mass	
Tuesday	Dec 31	5:00 p.m.	
Wednesday	/ Jan 1	9:00 a.m.	Нарри
<b>T</b> I I		11:00 a.m.	Stappy New Year
Thursday	Jan 2	No Mass	-
Friday	Jan 3	8:30 a.m.	+Peter Cassidy
Saturday	Jan 4	5:00 p.m.	+Giuseppe Catanzariti, +Luigi, Michelino & Nicoletta Romano,
			+Antonio, Michel & Anna Maria Sciarra, +Angie Infante, Mario Billichi

**For Weekend of December 7/8, 2024**: Offertory: \$5,439 St. Vincent de Paul: \$1,086 Building Fund: \$ 100 Any contributions intended for the tax year 2024 must be received at the church by the <u>end of 11 a.m. Mass</u> Sunday, December 29<sup>th</sup> 2024 We thank you for your generosity

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND SUFFERING IN OUR FAMILIES AND COMMUNITY, ESPECIALLY:

Evan Inrig, Amy Younger, Loretta VanReizen, Christine Bolduc, Honorato Ortiz, Don MacDonald, Blake Burke, Richard Johnson, Carol Angle, Nathan Sly, Taylor Lively, Tracy Giannou, Shannon Marshall, Teresa Christine Dianna Ortyl, Elaine Silvano, Margaret Morris, Colleen Dadswell, Janet Dionne, Sharon Snaith, Mary O'Shea, Daniel Arruda, Lenora DiSaverio, Jo-Anne Brown, Mary Cordeiro, Lou Baff, Assunta Morcone, John Panter, John & Jenny Menezes, Mary Anne Ewer, Eugene Pereira, Maria Jose Pereira, Kathleen Holder, Sam Gionet

#### Dear Friends,

Over the past years, so many of you have been so generous with your Christmas gifts for me. I am truly grateful. However, this year, could I propose that instead of a gift for me, you do one (or more) of the following:

1. You could make a donation to Chalice (<u>www.chalice.ca</u>).

2. You could make a donation to Regina Mundi Parish (<u>www.reginamundi.ca/give</u>) or the Good Shepherd Centre (<u>www.goodshepherdcentres.ca</u>).

3. You could commit to praying for all priests and for all the parishioners of Regina Mundi Parish.

4. You could commit to spending time with Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament in our Adoration Chapel.

5. You could commit to spending even more time reading the Sacred Scriptures.

I am so incredibly grateful for the kindness and generosity that you have shown me over the last several years. Please be assured of my prayers for you and your loved ones during this Advent and Christmas season and in the new year.

Fr. Adam Voisin



Embrace the call of the Gospels to kindness and mercy. Reaffirm your faith's belief in sharing with our neighbours. Act throughout the week; Volunteer to help a local charity or donate to a charity which benefits those in need.

Think of how we are blessed by the presence of the Lord who makes Himself available without discriminating .

Our presence with our family and friends is the greatest present we can give. **Consider what we** have been given by God and share this joy and thankfulness with others.



*Life* is the greatest gift we can give.

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year, from **Hamilton Right to Life.** 

The <u>**Be A Man</u>** Brant men's group is hosting their <u>3</u><sup>rd</sup> annual Men's Conference this year on May</u>



2&3. It will again be at St. Pius X Church, Brantford ON. Our guest speaker will be Bishop Scott McCaig and our theme will be, "*Fan the Flame* of Hope".



The **CWL** General meeting for the <u>Birthright Baby Shower</u> will be held on Sunday January 12<sup>th</sup> from 12- 2 pm in the downstairs meeting room. Please bring a baby gift which will be used for their layettes. Monetary donations are also accepted. If writing a cheque, please make the cheque payable to Birthright Organization of Hamilton. Please join us for fun and refreshments and to support Birthright with the help they provide.

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2025? Then you are cordially invited to join Bishop Crosby and couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a <u>Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 1,</u> <u>2025</u>, 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 will be available online in January at hamiltondiocese.com.

Could God be calling you to be a priest, deacon, brother, or sister and announce the Good News to His People as John the Baptist did? Contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988. Email <u>vocations@hamiltondiocese.com</u> <u>hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/</u>

### Blessing Before the Christmas Meal

Lord our God, the coming of your Son brings joy to the whole world. Fill us with your love, and the hungry with good things. Bless our table and our home and grant that the food we share increase our eagerness to serve you in each other. Glory to you, Lord, In the wonder of your presence among us, For ever and ever. Amen

