

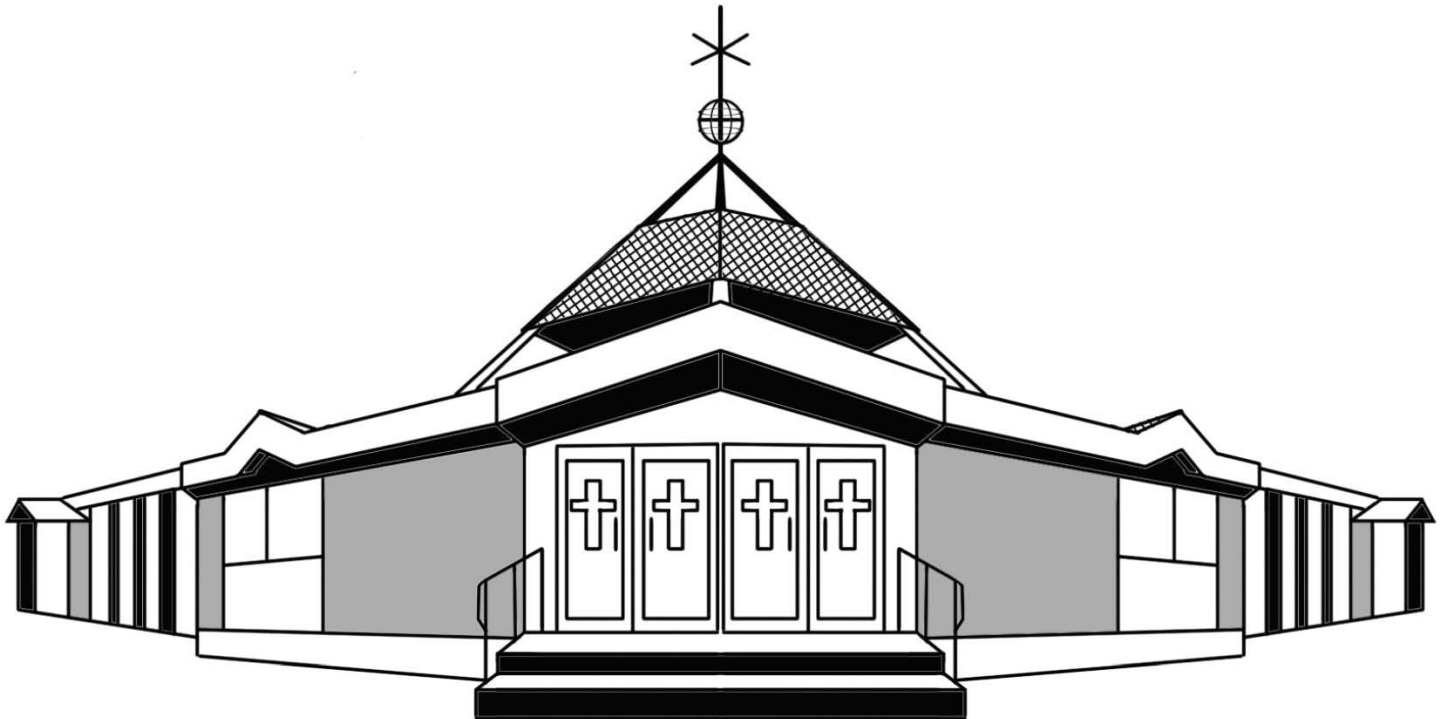
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**OFFICE HOURS:** Sunday, Monday, Saturday: Closed Tuesday – Friday: 9 a.m. – 12 noon & 1:30 – 4 p.m.



## PARISH TEAM

Reverend Adam Voisin  
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Lynda Flood - Office Administrator  
Michael Pollard - Caretaker

## PARISH SCHOOLS

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## PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

If hospitalized or confined to home  
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## CATHECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE

For those in public schools  
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## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

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Contact Robert Plaenk 416-578-7863  
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## 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  
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## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

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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

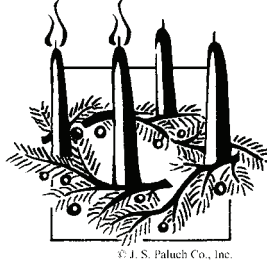
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December 8, 2024  
Second Sunday of Advent



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**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 9	No Mass	
Tuesday	Dec 10	7:00 p.m.	+Maria Novo, +Gabrielle Galletti, +Beatrice Criminisi, +Joseph Commisso, Deceased members of the Gionet & Morais families
Wednesday	Dec 11	8:30 a.m.	+Fred Wakeham
Thursday	Dec 12	8:30 a.m.	+Maria Faria
Friday	Dec 13	8:30 a.m.	+Elena D'Agostino
Saturday	Dec 14	5:00 p.m.	+Rosaria & Giuseppe Modica, +Olimpio Vallorani, +John & Maria Furtado, +Camillo Pio, +Jose Ben-Hur Benito

**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

*To add or remove a name, please contact the Parish office*

***Any contributions intended for the tax year 2024  
must be received at the church by the end of 11 a.m. Mass  
Sunday, December 29<sup>th</sup> 2024***



***For Weekend of Nov 30/Dec 1, 2024: (includes December EFT)***

***Offertory: \$12,106    Building Fund: \$2,239    SVDP: \$1,248***



Welcome into God's family ***Vienna Chiaravalle, Henry Duykers, Caden Edwards, Sebastian Edwards, Cruz Koelink, Cristian Morais, and Solena Morais***, who were baptized in December.



Receive  
the  
Holy Spirit

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***Congratulations to the students who received the Sacrament of Confirmation.***  
May you continue to grow spiritually, your faith always be strong. May God always be in your life, answer your prayers and never leave you.

**The office** will be closed on Friday December 20<sup>th</sup> at 4 p.m. and will  
reopen at on Tuesday January 7<sup>th</sup> at 9 a.m.  
May you all have a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

### Laudato Si' Reflection



Reflect on the importance in the Bible and in our present day lives of the wilderness, deserts, rivers, seas and other natural landscapes.

**Act throughout the week; Spend time with family and friends in a nearby green space. Express in your prayers an appreciation for God's creation of this world.**



**The Library** will be open after each mass next weekend. Any parishioner is welcome to borrow books or videos and we ask that they be returned in one month from when borrowed. Materials may be returned any time to the wooden box in the Narthex or in the designated slot in the Sacristy, or directly to the Library. *Please do not return to any other places or with other people, as they may end up being misplaced and you will be responsible for the lost material.*

**Christmas Young Adults Night** During the Christmas Season, Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and 30s) of our diocese to attend an evening of prayer, fellowship and praise music in support of your vocations. The Young Adults Night includes a Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), social with food (7:30pm-8:00pm), praise night with vocations testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on **Saturday, January 4th** at Annunciation of Our Lord (280 Limeridge Road W). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/> For more information, please contact: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)



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### **Christmas with the Chosen: December 12<sup>th</sup>**

**(7-8pm)** The Office for Evangelization and Catechesis invites you to a live virtual viewing party of "The Shepherd", a special Christmas episode of "The Chosen," reflecting on the birth of Christ through the eyes of a young shepherd. This one hour gathering will include prayer, free streaming of the 20-minute episode, and well wishes for the Advent Season. Gather your friends and family, make the popcorn, and join us for this wonderful opportunity to prepare for the coming of our Savior! Registration is free and can be made here: <https://bit.ly/ChristmaswiththeChosen2024>



### **Parenting Tip of the Month:**

December is an exciting month for children and families with the coming of Christmas. December is also the month we prepare for Christmas during Advent! Advent, by definition, means we are preparing for something important, which is the coming of Jesus Christ. Celebrating with an Advent wreath allows us to light a candle each week, offering a chance to discuss, on four occasions, what Christ's coming to the world means to all of us. The candles (hope, faith, joy and peace) open up the opportunity to remind our children what each candle represents and, of course, the real meaning of the season. Santa comes one night per year, but Jesus is with us always and is a true gift in our lives. This Advent, remember to make Christ the reason for the season. (From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)



### **Marriage Tip of the Month:**

December can be a stressful month with all the preparation and planning that goes on before Christmas. This stress can cause us to lash out in ways we often would not, especially towards our spouses. This year make a conscious decision to break the cycle. Get out your calendars and plan some quiet couple time: a shared coffee, a walk in your neighborhood, watching a shared movie, or a dinner out. At least once a week make the gift of the season time with each other because its impact will last much longer than any other material gift you might give. (From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)

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