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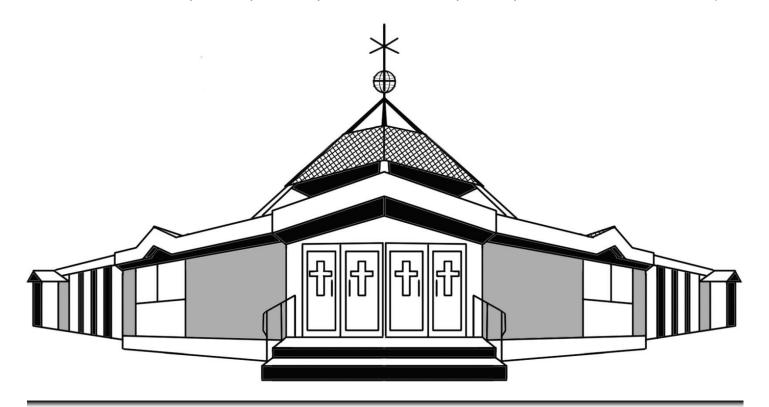
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Tuesday - Friday: 9 a.m. - 12 noon & 1:30 - 4 p.m.



PARISH TEAM

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

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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

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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

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

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March 9, 2025 First Sunday of Lent



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	Mar 10	No Mass	
Tuesday	Mar 11	7:00 p.m.	+Linda Murray, +Cesar Arcala, +Brian Pinto, +Maria Scarolei +Anna Matlida Mackness
Wednesday	Mar 12	8:30 a.m.	+John & Kalla Kostas
Thursday	Mar 13	8:30 a.m.	+Ugo Rizzuto
Friday	Mar 14	8:30 a.m.	Intentions of Maria Klawunn,
Saturday	Mar 15	5:00 p.m.	+Teresa Sergi, Rocco & Santa Romeo, +Anna Gris,
			+Douglas Linton, +Angela Frisina

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, Marie Smith

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



For Weekend of March 1/2, 2025: (including EFT for March)

Offertory: \$15,625 Building Fund: \$2,136 SVDP: \$1,875

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Pope Francis described consumerism as "a virus that attacks the faith at the roots", because it makes us believe that life depends only on what we have, so we forget about God.

We live in your world, O God, and for this, we praise and thank you. Among your treasures we creatures have fashioned many things to make our lives easier, healthier, and freer. But we have also created more things than we need, more than we can ever use. When these things distract us from our purpose in this life, we are

misusing the world you have created. When these things prevent others from having their basic needs met, your creation is corrupted. Help us to keep our eyes open to this temptation of consumerism. Help us to be followers of Jesus who are focused on the important and simple things in life, Christians who care for others and are willing to share our riches with those who have unmet needs. Give us the courage to go against our culture when it confuses want and needs.

Remind us that when the journey of life in this world is complete, we take with us only what we have built inside ourselves: treasure of the heart, love and generosity, friendship and concern, caring and sharing. We pray these things in Jesus' name.

Amen.



Praying the Stations of the Cross is a time-honoured devotion that commemorates the journey that Jesus made in his final days to die on the Cross for us. Praying the Way of the Cross reminds

us that life is a pilgrimage which leads from earthly exile to our true home in Heaven. It awakens in us a deep desire to be conformed to the Passion of Christ, and it reminds us of the demands of following Christ, that is, that his disciples must follow behind the Master, daily carrying their own crosses (cf Lk 9, 23). We will be praying the <u>Stations of the Cross</u> on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. starting March 12th. Come join us for this wonderful Lenten devotion.



CWL Lenten Retreat: Saturday March 22nd Saints.....Suffering to Sanctity All women in the parish are invited to

an afternoon of spiritual growth. Cost:\$5

11:30 a.m. Social, Luncheon,

1:00 p.m. Presentation of True Relics

4:30 p.m. Confession

5:00 p.m. Mass

For more information call Catharine (905) 318-2242

World Day of Prayer International:

"Psalm 139: 14 "I Made You Wonderful"
Join us Friday March 7th 2pm at Chedoke Church 865 Mohawk Rd W, Hamilton

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/

Regina Mundi parish is organizing a bus trip to the Franciscan University in Steubenville Ohio to attend the <u>Defending the Faith Conference</u> August 1-3^o 2025. Some of the most sought-after Catholic apologists, scripture scholars and evangelists will come together to lead you more deeply in your faith. Your life will be renewed in the Spirit through reverent liturgies, eucharistic adoration, uplifting music and joyful fellowship. An information session will be held at the Regina Mundi parish hall on Tuesday March 18th from 6:00 to 6:45 p.m. For more info, contact Tom Sauder (905)-387-5447.

Looking to dramatically change your heart this Lent season? 40 Days for Life is inviting YOU (young and old) to participate in a peaceful prayer vigil across the street from McMaster Children's Hospital, happening each day (Ash Wednesday -April 13th) from 7am to 7pm. This is our opportunity to pray for the voiceless and save their parents from the suffering abortion will bring. We have already helped mothers host two baby showers! Sign up in the online calendar today via:

https://bit.ly/40dayshamilton or call (905)962-2864.

<u>Parenting Tip of the Month:</u> Parents are the most influential people in their children's lives. They watch



every move, take in every word and see how you navigate the world then they become the mini version of you, their parents. All the traits they take in become part of who they are

for life! Help them to be the best people they can be by looking inward and asking yourself if you are doing enough to raise them to be the adult you would like them to be. If not, change how you interact and help them grow strong in mind, body and spirit. (Family Ministry Office)

Marriage Tip of the Month: March is the start of



Lent, a time when we reflect on our faith and our commitment to living as we are called to as disciples of Jesus. It is a perfect time to discuss as a couple how your marriage,

considered both a Sacrament and Vocation by the Church, is fulfilling its mandate to be the visible sign of God's invisible love. Do you strive always to treat each other as God loves, in total self-giving, with mercy and forgiveness acting as strong pillars of your marriage? This Lent, make your Lenten journey a time to pray together and to work as a couple to strengthen one of the most important parts of your life, your marriage. (Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)



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