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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 :** 8:30 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.  
**Tuesday - Friday:** 8:30 A.M. - 12:00 P.M., 1:00 P.M. - 4:00 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](mailto:aouellette@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.

## 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	John Susi, 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 Tolti, Principal
Notre Dame Secondary	2333 Headon Forest Drive	905-335-1544	Norm Roberts, Principal
Corpus Christi Secondary	5150 Upper Middle Road	905-331-5591	Kathleen Moro, Principal

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# SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER MAY 22, 2022

*The Lord takes delight in his people.*

## May 23 – May 29, 2022 WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

DATE	MASS INTENTIONS
<b>MONDAY</b> 9:00am Mass	<u>May 23, 2022</u> Jim Regan – Huschilt Family
<b>TUESDAY</b> 7:00pm Mass	<u>May 24, 2022</u> Afra & Jerome Guiab – Nellie Roshia & Family Renato Molinaro – Diane Molinaro Donato Ruggiero – Family Intentions of Dilu Alles – Marion & Chris Hettiarchchi
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> 9:00am Mass	<u>May 25, 2022</u> Elvira Lorello - Family Mildred & Carl White – Teresa Mawson Maria Mui – Family Intentions of Josephine Infurnari – Family
<b>THURSDAY</b> 9:00am Mass	<u>May 26, 2022</u> ST. PHILIP NERI Jim Regan – Shealyn Honan
<b>FRIDAY</b> 9:00am Mass 9:30am – 10:00am 9:30am – 12:00pm	<u>May 27, 2022</u> Maria Mui – Family <i>Confessions</i> <i>Adoration</i>
<b>SATURDAY</b> 9:00am Mass 9:30am – 10:00am 4:00pm – 4:30pm 5:00pm Mass	<u>May 28, 2022</u> Donald C. MacLeod – MacLeod Family <i>Confessions</i> <i>Confessions</i> Bertha & Joseph Vaz – Jenny & Arthur Vaz Jim Regan – James & Antoinette Regan Elizabeth McVeigh MacLeod – MacLeod Family Stephen Harapiak – Denise Duhaime
<b>SUNDAY</b> 9:00am 11:00am 8:00pm	<u>May 29, 2022</u> THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD Mass ( <i>Livestream</i> ) Mass Mass

### Vocation View

Whoever loves me will keep my word and my Father will love him and we will come to Him. How will I respond to that love? Am I being called to the priesthood, diaconate or religious life? If God is calling you contact **Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Vocations Director, Diocese of Hamilton, 905-528-7988 ext. 2223**

Email: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)  
[www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/)

### SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK

Mon. May 23	Acts 16.11-15, John 15.26-16.4a
Tues. May 24	Acts 16.22-34, John 16.5-11
Wed. May 25	Acts 17.15,22-18.1, John 16.12-15
Thurs. May 26	Acts 18.1-8, John 16.16-20
Fri. May 27	Acts 18.9-18, John 16.20.23a
Sat. May 28	Acts 18.23-28, John 16.23b-28
Sun. May 29	<b>THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD</b> Acts 1.1-11 Ephesians 1.17-23 Luke 24.46-53

### HAMILTON DIOCESE WEEKLY PRAYER CALENDAR

We pray for the following people or groups this week:

Monday:	Rev. Kevin D'Souza
Tuesday:	Rev. Piotr Golinski
Wednesday:	School Sisters of Notre Dame (S.S.N.D.)
Thursday:	Rev. Andrew Czarna
Friday:	Rev. Phillip E. Cook
Saturday:	Rev. Peter Ciallella

## *Pray for Vocations!!*



**OFFERING**

**May 8, 2022**

Regular Sunday Offerings	\$7,564.00
Building Maintenance	1,127.20
Loose Offerings	186.85
Indigenous Reconciliation	30.00
Pope's Pastoral Works	50.00
E-Transfers	3,410.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$12,368.05</b>

### Confirmations

Congratulations to the young people of our parish who received the Sacrament of Confirmation during the past two weeks. May they continue to practice the Catholic faith in every aspect of their lives.

### Baptisms

We welcome the following children, who became part of our faith community through the sacrament of Baptism: Fiona Bednarowski, Sofia Filoteo, Luke Trichilo, Beau Trichilo, Matteo Villella, Marielle Wagner, Jacob West, Landon West and Claire Hogan.

### Clergy Retreats

Fr. John will be away this week on retreat. Please pray for Fr. John and may God continue to grant all priests the wisdom, understanding and strength they need to follow the footsteps of Jesus.

Fr. Gregory will be celebrating all Masses this coming week.

### Knights of Columbus

**Charity Bottle Drive** – please continue to hold on to your empties. The next Knights of Columbus Charity Bottle Drive will take place the weekend of **May 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>** here at St. Paul's parking lot. We accept all liquor, beer and wine containers, cans, and bottles. We hope to see you there. Further information can be found on our website [Kofc17397.org](http://Kofc17397.org).

## Did You Know #9

Following the Gloria, the priest says "Let us pray", and then pauses. This is the moment of Sacred Silence when everyone calls to mind what they want to offer the Mass for, or who they want to pray for, or what intentions they have in their hearts. We all come to the Mass and participate in the offering in our own way, so we take a moment to call to mind what we are bringing to the Mass today, whether it is intentions, praises, and thanksgivings.

"Sacred silence also, as part of the celebration, is to be observed at the designated times. Its nature, however, depends on the moment when it occurs in the different parts of the celebration. For in the Penitential Act and again after the invitation to pray, individuals recollect themselves; whereas after a reading or after the Homily, all meditate briefly on what they have heard; then after Communion, they praise God in their hearts and pray to him. Even before the celebration itself, it is a praiseworthy practice for silence to be observed in the church, in the sacristy, in the vesting room, and in adjacent areas, so that all may dispose themselves to carry out the sacred celebration in a devout and fitting manner." (*GIRM 45*)

## Updates on Parish Upgrades

Recently we had some electrical contractors come in and provide quotes for updating the lights in the Church, hall, office, and parking lot. The plan is to retrofit the light fixtures in the church with LED bulbs. Currently the large, upper lights are 500W each, and the lower lights in the church are 200W each. The new LEDs will be 40W and 20W each and produce much more light than what is currently installed. You may see in the coming weeks one or two lights replaced so that we can see how they function and look in our church.

The office and hall will be updated with LED panels replacing the fluorescent panels, and LED "pot" lights to replace the current pot lights. The parking lot will have LED flood lights installed on the light poles. This will provide much better illumination than the old and dim lights that are currently installed. Those who come to the 8pm Mass in the winter know how dark the parking lot is at night, even with all the exterior lights on.

Finally, we had a contractor come in to start the process installing new doors at the entrance way, new flooring in the church, and some small renovations in the office area. I am glad that the projects that we have raised money for in the "One Heart One Soul" campaign are finally underway. I hope to start the most essential projects this summer and will keep you updated on progress as it continues. Fr. John

## Update on Parking Lot Repainting

This **Tuesday May 24**, Technoline Pavement Services Inc. will be working in the parking lot filling in the cracks with a tar mixture. This prevents water and moisture from seeping below the asphalt and causing further cracking, craters, potholes due to thawing and freezing cycles. Sealing cracks helps to prevent larger maintenance projects down the road.

On **Monday May 30**, Technoline will be back to repaint the lines in the parking lot. Access to the parking lot on these two days will be restricted, and we ask for your patience as we take care of these maintenance items.

Praise GOD who  
CREATES us  
REDEEMS us  
and SANCTIFIES us

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## Save the date for Special Mass and Parish B.B.Q.

Mark **Saturday June 25th** on your calendar! The 5:00 pm mass on this date will be a Mass of memorium in honor of former pastors Rev. Paul Boucher and Rev. Bob Stainsby, both of whom passed away in 2021. Both priests served in St. Paul the Apostle for many years, and Father Paul was our founding pastor. Due to the pandemic their funerals were restricted, so this mass is being offered to provide all parishioners a chance to remember their lives of priestly service and commitment.

Following the 5pm mass the Parish BBQ returns after a pandemic hiatus! Details regarding this event will be posted here in the coming weeks. This weekend also marks Father Gregory's final weekend with us before he moves to Canadian Martyrs parish Hamilton. Please come out and say thank you and farewell to him.

## Change 4 Life Baby Bottle Campaign

Please consider supporting Shifra Home's Change 4 Life Baby Bottle Campaign. Pick up a baby bottle from the back of the church and for the next three weeks fill it up with your loose change or bills or a cheque. Your contribution will come together to create a home-like maternity residence and help provide support services to young women during their pregnancy, childbirth and for a period after the birth of their baby. Please return the bottles to the church any weekend through to June 5<sup>th</sup>. Your support is very much appreciated.

## An Afternoon with Roy Petitfils

The Office of Youth Ministry is pleased to present Accompanying Forward – An Afternoon with Roy Petitfils on **May 27 at 1 pm** for a virtual conversation about accompanying young people as they try to navigate their new realities and their mental health. Roy is a Catholic author, speaker and psychotherapist with more than 25 years of experience ministering to youth and young adults in parishes, dioceses, and schools. Registration can be found on our Diocesan website under Youth Ministers Events and Resources.

## Wedding Anniversary Mass 2022 Registration

The Wedding Anniversary Mass, which would normally have been scheduled for **June of 2022**, will not occur this year due to the continued concerns around COVID-19. We invite you to register your 25, 40, 50, 60 and 60 plus years of marriage on the Diocesan website at <https://hamiltondiocese.com> / and we will be happy to send you the certificate you would have received from Bishop Crosby at the Mass. The Wedding Anniversary Mass is listed on the home page under Upcoming Events.

## Listening to Indigenous Voices

The Ignatius Jesuit Centre will be hosting an 8-Day Retreat on Listening to Indigenous Voices **May 18 @ 7:30 pm - May 26 @ 1:00 pm**. Facilitated by Shasha Sky and Dave Skene from White Owl Native Ancestry Assoc. in collaboration with Victoria Blanco, Mark Hathaway, and Trevor Scott, SJ, from the Jesuit Forum for Social Faith and Justice. The group gathers to acknowledge Truth and Reconciliation Call to Action #60 and educate on the ways we can honour and respect Indigenous spirituality and the history of residential schools in Canada. Cost and accommodation information can be found at [www.ignatiusuelph.ca](http://www.ignatiusuelph.ca).



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