MASS INTENTIONS FOR TWO WEEKS

Wednesday April 19 - 9:00am -

Guerino & Maria Bosa

Friday – April 21 –9:00 am - Ernst Roth Saturday April 22 – 5:00 pm- Maria Bosa, Elinor Brown, Armando Pereira

Wed April 26 – 9:00am- special intentions of the Legion of Mary Auxiliary members

Fri April 28 - John DeKleyn

Saturday April 29 - 5:00 pm —Pietro & Caterina Bressanutti, Barb Underhill, Delan Griffin

Palm Sunday - \$3,564.00 including loose Easter -- \$5,895.00 including loose Good Friday- \$1,740.00 Total Share Lent \$3,508.00

We thank you for your continued support.

Hamilton Right to Life Baby Bottle Campaign Change for Life Mothers' Day – Fathers' Day

RIGHT TO LIFE

Our church is once again partnering with Hamilton Right to Life through the 2023 Baby Bottle Campaign from Mothers's Day to Fathers' Day. Baby Bottles will be avalable to take after the Masses the weekend of May13/14, Motherrs' Day, and you are asked to return them on the weekend of June 17/18th Fathers' Day. Please take a bottle and fill it up with your coins, paper money or cheque. Hamilton Right to Life needs your support to raise money to educate, advertise, and get the message throughout the City of Hamilton of the devastating effects of abortion and other life-threatening issues. Please pray for families affected by abortion today. You can learn more about Hamilton Right to Life at www.HamiltonRightToLife.org or by calling 905-528-3065

Neighbour 2 Neighbour

We are so thankful for you ongoing support of our emergency Food Services. We are a welcoming community of compassionate, caring people like you, and we are proud to work with you to feed our neighbours in need.

SAVE THE DATE - Golf before your neighbour charity golf classic — Tuesday July 18th at Dundas Valley Golf & Curling Club. Registrations info coming 905-574-1334- www.n2ncentre.com



The next meeting for the <u>CWL</u> will be held on Sunday May7th after the 11am Mass, in the parish hall. We will enjoy a light lunch. Please bring your rosary with

you as we will honour our Blessed Mother.

World Youth Day 2023-Lisbon, Portugal

We have three young adults who will be attending World Youth Day 2023. We are excited for Matthew S., Michelle C., and Kevin L., and their fellow pilgrims. We are very fortunate that some of their fees will be covered through the One Heart, One Soul Campaign. However, if you would like to make a personal donation, and receive a tax receipt, please visit https://wyd.hamiltondiocese.com/ and click Donate. You may direct it to one or spilt it between the three. Thank you for your ongoing support and prayers for our young people.

Youth Group Grades 7-12! All young people are invited to join us for an evening of games, food and friendship. Our meetings for the



time being will be held in the parish hall from 7:00-8:30 p.m.. Permission forms can be found on our parish website or in the Narthex. Our next meeting will be held Friday, April 28th.

First Communion Retreat

If your child is receiving their First Holy Communion, please note the retreat will be held in the Parish Hall on Saturday, April 22 from 9 to 11am. Permission forms went home through the school. Please return them April 12th to the classroom teacher.

<u>Vacation Bible School: Save the Date!</u> July 17th to 21st. We are looking for high school aged students and adults to help run the Vacation Bible School program this summer. High School students and those graduating grade 8 can receive hours towards their graduation requirements. Please email Rachel at <u>blessedsacramentyouth@hotmail.com</u> if you are able to assist or for more information.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

April 17-22 2023

MON – St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Protectress of Canada

TUE - Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger

WED – Jesuit Fathers (S.J.)

THUR - Rev. Joseph Gregory Michel

FRI – Rev. Wilson Andrade, C.S.C.

SAT – Emmanuel Ralte, C.S.C.

April 24-29, 2023

MON - Rev. Alberto Ferreira

TUE - Rev. Khalid Karomi

WED - Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul of Zagreb

THUR - Rev. Gary Schlack

FRI – Rev. Bradley Markus

SAT – Rev. Edward Henhoeffer

SSVP JOB POSTING

SSVP is job searching for a "Manager of Thrift Store:

Responsible for the staff as well as the volunteers, including scheduling, task assignments and performance reviews. Responsible for store operations such as layout, store inventory, arrange deliveries and pickups by store owned truck. Responsible for some of the banking procedures. Knowledge of daily store routines. Minimum of 3 years of relevant experience in store management. Experience in a thrift store setting is an asset. Required knowledge of basic computer skills Microsoft Word. Excel, Facebook and Instagram. Renumeration: \$44,000-\$47,000 per year depending on experience. Email: ssvpparkdalemngr@gmail.com for more info.

Parenting Tip for the Month - As spring begins we see new life erupting everywhere. This is a great chance to point out the beauty of God's creation to your children, as buds form, trees bloom and flowers grow. Remind them of God's creative power and how he created all this for us, but also gave us the task of caring for His creation. We must nurture and protect God's created world. It is also a chance to remind them that life too has cycles and we can begin anew – the Sacrament of Reconciliation allows us to seek forgiveness and start anew, just as nature does each spring! Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

Marriage Tip for the Month - Easter provides us with a clear picture of how much God loves us, since he sent his son to die on the Cross so we could have eternal life. Easter highlights the importance of forgiveness and our call as Catholics to forgive both ourselves and others. Marriage is an essential place to put this call to forgive into action. Forgiveness means we let go of issues, after discussing and working them out, and then move forward in love. It means showing mercy when mistakes are made and remembering that forgiving allows us to put love first. So, remember to forgive in your marriages so you can both find a place of peace. Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

Aging Issues: Listening to Indigenous Voices—join us for this chance to learn about aging from the perspective of three Indigenous speakers in our region. The Diocese, through the Family Ministry Office, is co-sponsoring this Zoom event on Saturday, April 22 from 2-4 pm. For registration and information, please contact Ellen Ryan, hamiltonagingcommunity@gmail.com or at 905-648-0437.

Young Adults Night - May 6, 2023 - Hamilton-

Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and early 30s) of our diocese to attend a night of Adoration, Fellowship and Praise Music. Arrival and Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), Social with Food (7:30pm-8:30pm), Praise Night and Vocation Testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on Saturday, May 6th, at Canadian Martyrs Catholic Church and Chaplaincy, 1349 Main Street West, Hamilton Ontario. Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

The Serra Club of Hamilton is holding their annual Vocations Recognition Dinner on Tuesday May 2, 2023 at Liuna Station. Tickets are \$90. Please email SerraHamilton1965@gmail.com or leave a message at 905-628-5682 if interested.

Our Lady of All Souls Annual Spaghetti Dinner and Dance: at All Souls Parish Hall, 21 Barton St. W, Hamilton, on Saturday April 29 at 6:30pm. Menu includes: Spaghetti & meatballs, roast chicken with potatoes, peas, mushrooms, salad, dessert, coffee/tea followed by music and dancing. Adults \$40, Children under 12, \$20. For tickets call the parish office 905 528-1513.

Registration for the 2023 cohort of the <u>Laudato Si</u> <u>Animators program</u> has opened! The Laudato Si'Animators Program explores the interconnectedness between the social, spiritual and ecological crises, the causes and consequences of climate change, and how the injustice of this crisis affects the earth and those who are poor. You will receive information and support on implementing tools and strategies on how to impact change in your locality, while in global community in more than 110 countries. The free course starts April 19: register today! Fall in love, protect, transform!

Website laudatosianimators.org or email arichard@faithcommongood.org

WHAT IS A COMMITTEE

A committee is made up of a group of people

Who individually can do nothing.

Collectively they can meet and decide that nothing can be done.