# MASS INTENTIONS

Wed July 12 – 9:00am – special intentions for Jackie Ashbaugh Friday – July 14 – 9:00 am - John DeKleyn Saturday July 15 – 5:00 pm- Corinne Cremmen,

Marie Settimi

Wed July 19 -9:00 am - George & Jean Jordan Fri July 21 -9:00 am – Bernard Sullivan & Jim McGrath Saturday July 22 - 5:00 pm - Leo Adams, Antonio Miscione

Wed July 26- 9:00 am - Enique Infante Fri July 28 – 9:00 am – Gregory Taylor Saturday July 29 – 5:00 pm – Nick Yantha

Wed Aug 2 – 9:00 am – Nick Zaffro Fri Aug 4 – 9:00 am – Lucy Bianco Saturday Aug 5 – 5:00 pm –

Wed Aug 9 and Fri Aug 11 - NO MASS Saturday Aug. 12 - 5:00 pm -

\*\*\*\*Monday August 7<sup>th</sup> is the Civic Holiday the Office will be closed\*\*\*\*\*

June 24/25 - \$2,435.00 including loose July1/2 -- \$ 3200.00 including loose We thank you for your continued support.

Many blessings and best wishes to *Deacon* Roy Smyth as he retires from his appointment as deacon in our parish. When a deacon or pastor reaches the age of 75 they



are required to retire from their parish (or other) appointment. They can still continue to minister in a more reduced capacity. Deacon Roy will join us for a weekend later this month.

The Vigil Candles located in the narthex that stay lit for the year for your loved ones are \$125.00 for the year. There are candles available, if anyone would like a candle please call the parish office. First come first taken. Thank you.

August 12/13 weekend please welcome Rev. Frank Wagner, C.S.C. and Rev. Emmanuel Ralte C.S.C. from the religious community of Holy Cross. They will be here for the annual Mission Co-Op through the Diocese of Hamilton.

FYI- July 24-Aug 3 Mon-Thurs- the ofice will be only open from 9am-1pm. Mary will be in the office while Wendy is on vacation.

## **DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR**

July 10-15, 2023

MON – Rev. Msgr Edward D. Sheridan TUE - Most Rev. Anthony Tonnos WED – Society of Christ (SChr.) THUR – Very Rev. David Wynen FRI – Very Rev. Msgr Murray Kroetsch SAT – Very Rev. Adrian Lee July 17-22, 2023

MON - Rev. Marko Stefanec TUE - Rev. Joseph Abiola Akanbi WED – Pallottine Fathers (S.A.C.) THUR – Rev. Tomy Chittinapilly FRI – Rev. Mark Morley SAT – St. Mary Magdalene

### July 24-29, 2023

MON – Rev. Lourdy Dorismond, O.M.I. TUE - Rev. Jarek Pachocki, O.M.I. WED - St. Anne & St. Joachim THUR – Rev. Hanh Van tran, O.M.I. FRI-Rev. Adam Voisin SAT – Saints Martha, Mary & Lazarus July 31-Aug 5, 2023 MON – Rev. Drago Gacnik, S.D.B TUE - Most Rev. Anthony Tonnos WED – School sisters of Notre Dame (S.S.N.D.) THUR – Rev. Mark Gatto FRI – Rev. Kiwook Kim SAT - Rev. Saju Oreethaparambil, C.Ss.R

The Neighbour toNeighbour Food Bank can always use your

generous donations of food. The Summer is here, and donations are very low. The boxes are located in the Narthex, and they pick up from our church on the last Monday of the month.



Thank you for your continuous food donations.

We need (4) Volunteers who would be interested in joining the **Poinsettia Events Team** for the upcoming Planning and organizing of our updated seasonal event



Meetings start in September 2023 (1) per month/ Thursdays 6-7:30pm Event Date: Saturday, December 2,2023

Please contact Karen, for more details 905-570-3775 or

kgalipeau16@hotmail.com

### **CELEBRATE THE GIFT OF MUSIC**



We offer weekly instruction in vocals, guitar, ukulele, piano, electric bass, and more. All ages and musical styles welcome, from

beginner to advanced. With an emphasis on your personal goals and skill level, we give music lessons tailored entirely to you or your child. Enrich your life today hamiltonmusicschool.com If interested, reach out to Fr. Charlie at Sacred Heart Parish 905-383-3280| lessons@hamiltonmusicschool.com with music lessons available now at Sacred Heart Church!

Hamilton Diocese Marian Days - These days will be celebrated from June to October 2023 at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph. The day will start with Confessions at 9:00 a.m. followed by Mass at 10:00 a.m., Rosary Procession at 11:00 a.m. and lunch at 12:00 p.m., Holy Hour and Marian Catechesis at 1:00 p.m. The day will close with Benediction at 2:00 p.m. Please bring your own lunch. Coffee and Tea will be available. Presiders; Bishop Douglas Crosby: Saturday, July 1; Bishop Gerard Bergie: Saturday, August 5; Bishop Wayne Lobsinger: Saturday, September 2; Thomas Cardinal Collins: Saturday, October 7.

**Young Adults Night - August 5th – Hespeler/Cambridge** - 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, August 5th at St. Mary of the Visitation (16 Cooper St, Cambridge, Ontario). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

**Parenting Tip for July** –Summer should be a time of relaxation, slowed schedules and time spent together as a family. All three of these are essential elements for good mental health for all family members, including children. So, together spend time outdoors, play games, cook or bake and pray because these are the moments that will strengthen your family bond. Take a holiday from social media and devices while doing so, which can help to prevent the negative mental health issues in children they are known to produce. Renew your commitment to in person, device free time together this summer and watch your children thrive. From: Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

**Marriage Tip for July -** When we say "I do" during our marriage vows we are really saying "I will". I will love this person even in moments when they may feel unlovable. I will not look for a 50/50 split in what we do, but will be a partner who will give more, and sometimes have to take more, depending on the circumstances of our lives. I will look to find a solution instead of winning. I will spend time with you so we stay connected and in love. I will remember the commitment I made to be faithful and seek to make you a better person and accept your attempts to do the same for me. Marriage, taken as an action word, continues to grow and thrive despite the challenges life may throw at you and it produces a love that strengthens as the years pass. From: Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

Annual Novena to St. Ann (July 18-26). St. Ann's parish in Hamilton will be hosting 9 days of prayer to invoke the intercession of St. Ann, the Mother of the Blessed Virgin Mary and Grandmother of Jesus Christ. Each evening there will be Holy Mass at 7pm along with the Novena prayers before the relic. The homilies will be based on the 'Top 10 Early Stories from the Building of St. Ann's Church', a reflection of our rich church history in honour of our 100-year anniversary. Prayer requests can be submitted through link parish the the on website www.stannhamilton.church. All are welcome.

*World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly* this years' Day is characterized by its close connection with the World Youth Day, which will be held in Lisbon from 1-6 august. This relationship is evident in Pope Francis' message to elders, inviting them to pray for and bless the youth who will participate in the WYD, and to young people, urging them to visit and listen to the grandparents and the elderly in their community. The Pope stressed that between the two generations there is a communion of life and faith, a mutual giving and gratitude, a witness of hope and charity.

A salesman's car broke down on a lonely road in western Kansas, umpteen miles from nowhere. He managed to get a signal for his cell phone very faint but he managed to call his sales manager: "I'm stranded



out here miles from the closest service station. They are predicting a tornado. No trains or planes within a hundred miles. No buses either. What should I do? "Start your vacation today." **Marriage Support** – Your marriage doesn't have to feel like it is more trouble than joy, that it feels stagnant or disconnected and/or that it is causing you constant stress. The solution is Retrouvaille - a program for married couples facing difficult challenges in their relationship. Retrouvaille has one purpose: to help couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship. This is a practical program, where sharing is not required except between the couple themselves, designed to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect. It also works well for couples who may be considering separation or divorce. The next Retrouvaille weekend is Oct. 20-22. For more information call 905-664-5212 or email teamrecine@gmail.com.

**ReSTART: Moving Forward** – Our 10 week program offers support to anyone seeking to heal and move forward after divorce or separation. The sessions will run from Sept. 19-Nov. 28 and take place from 7-9 pm at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West in person, or you are welcome to join our zoom classroom. Cost is \$35 for materials, but no one is turned away. Registration is required so please call Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, e-mail familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com, or register on line at ReSTART Program: Support for Separated and Divorced - Diocese of Hamilton (hamiltondiocese.com).