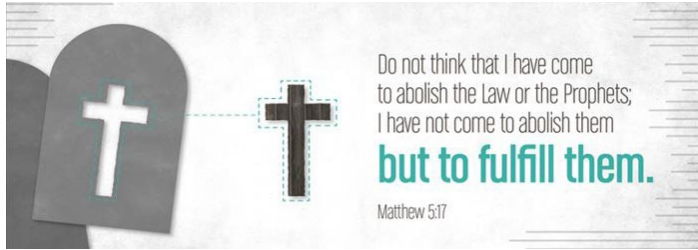


**SIXTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**



Mass Intentions
February 12 - 17, 2023

Sunday	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	For the People † Louis McDermott
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	†
Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	† Fr. Ray Modeski
Thursday	8:30 a.m.	† Maria Machado
Friday	8:30 a.m.	† Bill Liston

Saturday Multiple Mass Intentions
February 18, 2023

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	† Bill Potts † Alice & Francis Paul † Elizabeth Overy
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VOCATIONAL PRAYER CALENDAR
February 13 - 18, 2023

Mon.	Rev. Francis Noronha, C.S.C.
Tue.	Rev. Rafal Tomon
Wed.	Disalced Carmelite Sisters, O.C.D.
Thur.	Very Rev. Tim Uniac, C.R.
Fri.	Rev. Pat Aiello C.R.
Sat.	Rev. Chris Buda, C.R.

COLLECTION REPORT
January 1, 2023

Regular Donations

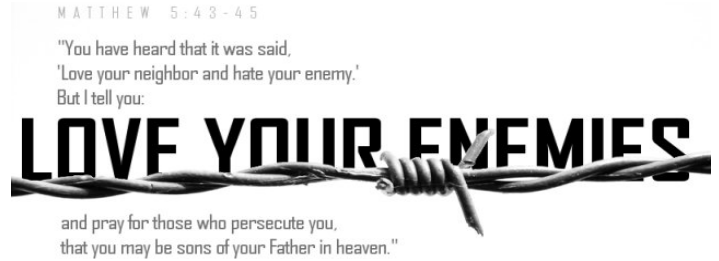
Collected from Envelopes/Loose	\$ 3,080.00
Pre-Auth. Jan 1-2.23	\$ 3,705.00
Total	\$ 6,785.00
<u>Building Fund</u> Weekly Total	\$ 550.00
TOTAL	\$ 7,335.00

COLLECTION REPORT
January 8, 2023

Regular Donations

Collected from Envelopes/Loose	\$ 5,247.16
Pre-Auth. Dec 20 - 31 2022	\$ 640.00
Total	\$ 5,887.16
<u>Building Fund</u> Weekly Total	\$ 35.00
TOTAL	\$ 5,922.16

**SEVENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**



Mass Intentions
February 19 - 24, 2023

Sunday	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	† Fr. Ray Modeski For the People
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	Int of Fr. Roshan D'Souza
Ash Wednesday	8:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Ash Wednesday
Thursday	8:30 a.m.	† Charlotte Feegrade
Friday	8:30 a.m.	

Saturday Multiple Mass Intentions
February 25, 2023

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	† †
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VOCATIONAL PRAYER CALENDAR
February 20 - 25, 2023

Mon.	Rev James Link, C.R.
Tue.	Rev David Mowat, C.R.
Wed.	Ash Wednesday
Thur.	Rev. Harry Reitzel, C.R.
Fri.	Rev. Raymond Reitzel, C.R.
Sat.	Rev. Floian Stasinski, C.R.

2023 BOXED ENVELOPES

The 2023 boxed sets of envelopes are ready for pick up. They are in Alphabetical Order, located in the parish hall. Please help us by picking yours up today. If you have requested envelopes and cannot find a boxed set with your name on it, please contact Bonnie in the parish office. Please be careful and double check the name on box so you don't take someone else's with the same or similar surname. If you are not currently using the boxed sets of envelopes and would like to start or if you would prefer to use Direct Debit, please call Bonnie at the parish office

2022 DONATION TAX RECEIPTS

2022 Tax Receipts are available for pick up. They are in alphabetical order on the table in the foyer. Please be sure to read the name carefully before picking your up.

FUNERAL ALTAR SERVERS

Would you be interested in acting as an Adult Altar Server? We are in need of both men and women who would be available during the day to train as Altar Servers for funeral Masses. If you are interested in participating in this special ministry, please contact the Parish Office. Thank you

ASH WEDNESDAY

February 22

Each year, Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent and is always 46 days before Easter Sunday. Lent is a 40-day season (not counting Sundays) marked by repentance, fasting, reflection, and ultimately celebration. The 40-day period represents Christ's time of temptation in the wilderness, where he fasted and where Satan tempted him. Lent asks believers to set aside a time each year for similar fasting, marking an intentional season of focus on Christ's life, ministry, sacrifice, and resurrection.



DISCIPLINES OF LENT

As Lent begins, we are invited "to struggle against everything that leads us away from the love of God and neighbour" by exercising the **DISCIPLINE OF LENT: Repentance, Fasting, Prayer and Works of Love.** These become the specific occasions and opportunities for spiritual renewal during this season of renewal. Living out a discipline takes our Lord's words about self-denial seriously (Matt.16:24). Through discipline, we find freedom and grace, just as parental discipline is loving and brings a child to freedom and righteousness (Heb.12:3-13).

Please plan on participating in the following Lenten Observances:

- **THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS** - Every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. following the 7:00 p.m.
- **BENEDICTION** Every Friday morning after the 8:30 a.m. Mass
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ST. PATRICK'S DAY FAMILY VARIETY NIGHT

On Saturday, March 18th, 2023, we wish to celebrate St. Patrick's Day in a special way by hosting a Family Variety Night. This will be an evening filled with fun, food, and entertainment for the entire family. *Please mark this event on your calendar. It will be a great celebration of our patron!*

EUCHRE NIGHT

Enjoy playing Euchre? We are inviting you out for a fun night every other Thursday at 7:00 pm. We play in the church hall. Cost a loonie for monetary prizes (so you might win back a few loonies) Coffee/Tea will be available Contact Yvonne Paul at thatyvonnegal@yahoo.com Or Phone 905-681-9203 and leave a message with your phone number and I'll get back to you asap. Hope to see you there. **Euchre Scheduled Nights February 2nd & 16th**

ROSARY & DIVINE MERCY GROUP

During the apparitions of Fatima, Our Blessed Mother told the children to pray the Rosary each day to bring peace to the world. It is one of the main and most significant apparitions of Our Lady, the Virgin Mary.

Through Sister Faustina our Lord is showing us his Mercy and he is asking us to accept it for ourselves and others. Please join us and be part of **The Saint Patrick Rosary and Divine Mercy Group. We will meet in the Church every Monday evening at 7:00 p.m.**

APPLE LAPTOP FUNDRAISER!

The Knights of Columbus #5073 is selling high quality 13" Apple MacBook Air laptops.

Computer Specs Apple MacBook Pro (13")

MacOS 12.5 Monterey

128 GB SSD * 8 GB RAM

AC Charger

\$400. each

If interested please contact Bro. Mark Herod @ Voice 289-242-1121 @ Email mark@herod.ca @ iMessage 2892421121

THANK YOU

FROM ST VINCENT DE PAUL

As we settle into the New Year we were able to take a moment to look back on all we have accomplished through our St. Patrick's Society of Saint Vincent de Paul. Throughout 2022, with your help and overwhelming generosity, we were able to complete 113 home visits, to sponsor 22 children for milk and pizza lunch programs in our schools, to help support our local Shifra House and to provide after school snacks as well as back-to-school backpacks through the ROCK community centre. At Christmastime, your donations also helped us support 104 adults and 73 children with Christmas assistance here within our community.

We would like to extend our gratitude to all of you who kindly supported us with all of our endeavours in 2022. A sincere "Thank You" to Ascension and St Patrick schools for holding Thanksgiving and Christmas food drives...to our parishioners for your financial support through all of our collections...and to Assumption High school for once again sponsoring families at Christmas, it is a great help with the success of our Christmas program. So many people have been touched by your kindness. All of your generosity makes a difference. We are truly blessed to be part of such a caring community!! May God Bless You and Your Families in 2023.

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DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2023? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, April 16, 2023 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton at 1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if you require assistance). Registration will be available in early January at www.hamiltondiocese.com.