

November 5 - 8,2024			
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	[†] Hilma Clarke [†] Souls in Purgatory	
Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	[†] Holy Souls in Purgatory	
Thursday	8:30 a m.	† Velia Javier	
Friday	8:30 a.m.	† Guiseppi Morosin	

<u>Saturday Multiple Mass Intentions</u>

November 2, 2024				
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	[†] Jan & Janina Marcincowski [†] Ron Coates [†] Gail Pereira [†] Don Ross		

VOCATIONAL PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon.Rev. Francis HubillaTue.Rev. Francisco SordoWed.Deceased Priests of Diocese of HamiltonThursRev. Leszek SzczygielFri.Rev. Mark Sullivan	November 4 -9, 2024		
Wed. Deceased Priests of Diocese of Hamilton Thurs Rev. Leszek Szczygiel	Mon.	Rev. Francis Hubilla	
Thurs Rev. Leszek Szczygiel	Tue.	Rev. Francisco Sordo	
	Wed.	Deceased Priests of Diocese of Hamilton	
Fri. Rev. Mark Sullivan	Thurs	Rev. Leszek Szczygiel	
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Sat. Dedication of Lateran Basilica	Sat.	Dedication of Lateran Basilica	

VOCATION VIEW

<u>31st</u> Sunday in Ordinary Time – November 3, 2024</u> "To love Him with all the heart and with all the understanding, and with all the strength" and "to love one's neighbour as oneself" are the greatest commandments. If you feel God may be selecting you for the special life of priest, religious or deacon, call **Fr. Mark Morley**, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

SUNDAY FUNNY



<u>THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN</u> <u>ORDINARY TIME</u>



The Greatest Commandment

Mark 12:28-34

IN OUR PARISH



During the month of November we pray for all our deceased loved ones and those who lost their lives fighting in the name of peace and justice. Please inscribe the names of your loved ones in the **BOOK OF LIFE**, located beside the Tabernacle

FORMED IS NOW LIVE!!!!!!!

As a parishioner, you now have free access to a vast library of Catholic movies, audiobooks, radio talks, podcasts, studies, and much more—it's like a Catholic version of Netflix! This "Catholic Faith On Demand" resource is for all parishioners, young and old, and in-between! Log in and see what's waiting for you!!!! Here's how to get started:

Go to: <u>https://formed.org/</u> Go to the top of the page and look for: "Find your parish subscription." Create your personal account by looking for the parish name, St. Patrick's, by using the postal code: L7L (*space*) **4L8** (St Patrick's should pop up)

O<u>CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE</u>

Saturday, November 9th is our annual **CHRISTMAS BAZAAR** sponsored by St Pat's Catholic Women's League from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the church hall. *Donations for the bazaar can be dropped off in the church hall* on Thursday mornings between 9:30 and 11am, Saturdays between 4 and 6:30pm and Sundays between 8:30am and 12:30pm. In addition to many other charitable community donations, this year, 10% of the funds raised from the Bazaar will go to the Ozanam Education Fund. If you have any questions or special requests please reach out to Margie Balfour @ 905.815.3008. Thank you for your continued support!

CELEBRATING THE WORD

<u>Please</u> join us every Tuesday 9:30 -11 :00 am. This is a small group who reflects and discuss the following Sunday readings. You are most welcome to drop in on any Tuesday morning or you may review on your own from home.

OUR SUNDAY READINGS, can be found online oursundayreadings.wordpress.com

<u>SQUARE LADIES</u>

Thursdays @ 9:30 am

WELLWOOD is a Community base organization which helps people and families in our area who have received a cancer diagnosis. All their programs are free of charge.

Square Ladies is a non-sectarian group of volunteers who have met for 20 years to make and prepare Afghans which are distributed through Wellwood as part of their cancer support program

We meet is St. Patrick parish hall Thursday mornings about 9:30 am

If you are interested in finding out more about this group of volunteers please drop in and visit. No special skills are needed. The coffee is good, the conversation is better, and everyone is welcome. We have a lot of fun while helping our community. Bring a friend!

HOME VISITS

Father Godwin looks forward to getting to know each and every parishioner more closely. His opportunity to do so can be limiting with the quick hello before and / or after Mass. He would be very honoured to make a personal house visit to your home. This could be a simple visit with you and could include a formal home blessing. If you are interested in a home visit for any reason, please call the office at 905-632-6114 to schedule the visit.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

MOUNT MARY OPEN HOUSE

All are welcome to the annual Come Home for Christmas Festival at Mount Mary Immaculate Retreat Centre on Sunday December 1st, 2024 from 1:00 am – 4:00 pm. There will be activities for children including cookie decorating, face painting, and ornament making. We will also have refreshments and local vendors selling small items. There is no entry fee; however, we are accepting donations of unused socks, gloves, hats, scarves and soap for the DeMazenod Door Outreach Centre. For more information please visit <u>www.mountmary.ca</u>. We look forward to seeing you there!

CHILDREN'S GRIEF WORKSHOP

Children's Grief workshop specifically geared to supporting children who are experiencing grief as a result of the dying or death of someone they care about. The workshop will be held here at the Chancery Office, 700 King St. West in Hamilton, **from 1 - 4 PM on Monday, November 18th**. There will be no charge for the workshop as a result of the combined support of the Hamilton Diocese and Arbor Memorial.

Our speaker for the day will be Andrea Warnick, MA, RN, RP, Education Director, Co-Owner & CEO AWC Grief Support. Andrea is a Registered Psychotherapist and Registered Nurse whose passion lies in helping individuals, families and communities support people of all ages who are grieving an illness or death in their lives. She brings to her work a rare mixture of medical and psychosocial expertise. Andrea developed and teaches the 5 Day Certificate Program in Children's Grief and Bereavement at SickKids Centre for Community Mental Health.

GRIEF PROGRAM

WHEN LIFE CHANGES Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Are you looking for relief from the feelings associated with the loss? You are not alone! The Hamilton Diocese is offering our six-week grief program from **November 6 to December 11, 2024**. The program runs from 7:00-8:30 pm at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West.in Hamilton To register go to hamiltondiocese.com and look for the start date under upcoming events on the home page.

RESTART: SUPPORT GROUP

Struggling after divorce or separation? Join us for learning, support and fun on Friday evenings. Held the 2nd & 3rd Fridays of each month, these get-togethers offer continual support and insights for people as they journey through the divorce/separation process and beyond. Join in-person (700 King St. West, Hamilton), or by ZOOM. Register before each session: or contact Sarah at familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com, or call her at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249. We look forward to seeing you!

MINISTRY WORKSHOPS

MINISTERS OF THE WORD The Diocese of Hamilton provides formation for Ministers of the Word each year as they exercise a very important ministry at Mass. In this workshop, participants receive formation in *Liturgy and Ministry, Techniques to Proclaim the Word of God, and an opportunity to practice.* It is ideal for both parishioners new to this ministry or considering it and a good refresher for experienced Ministers of the Word. Participants receive a mandate from the Bishop of Hamilton. The cost is \$30 and includes lunch. Event Date: Saturday, November 9, 2024, St. Catherine of Siena Parish, Hamilton, ON, 9:30 *a.m. to 3:00 p.m.* Participants register through the Diocese of Hamilton website under Upcoming Events/Workshops. https://hamiltondiocese.com/events/2024/02/ministerof-the-word-formation-workshop-2/

JUBILEE 2025: PILGRIMS OF HOPE

December 24 marks the beginning of Jubilee 2025: Pilgrims of Hope. The Office for Evangelization and Catechesis will be hosting brief workshops this fall for all Adult Faith Formation Leaders in Parishes and Schools to help prepare for this important moment of celebration in the life of the Church. These workshops are free of charge, and we look forward to providing you with comprehensive materials for adult faith formation programs throughout the Jubilee Year. **All are welcome to attend.**

Registration for one of the workshops can be made here: <u>https://bit.ly/preparejubilee</u>.

HEARTACHE TO HEALING

Grief Support Group at St. Michael Parish, Waterloo - Grief support provides companionship on the long journey through the grief process. Our support group follows the process developed by Dr. Bill Webster, an experienced leader in grief counselling. All who have suffered a loss are welcome, regardless of how much time has passed since your loss. A monthly informal drop-in support is available at St. Michael Parish on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7pm in the Parish Resource Centre/Library.