



# Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK

**Mass Intentions**  
April 28-May 1, 2026

Tuesday	7:00 pm	+ Grace Gillis +Gabriel & Glenn Paul + Martha Nguyen
Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	+Mary Rowena Strachan
Thursday	8:30 am.	In of Sean Keenan
Friday	8:30 am.	+ John Zammit

## Saturday Multiple Mass Intentions

May 2, 2026

Saturday	5:00 pm.	+ Joe Felicetti +Gabriel & Glenn Paul + Joseph Falzon
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## VOCATIONAL PRAYER CALENDAR

April 27 – May 2, 2026

Mon.	Rev. Robert Kiffman
Tue.	Rev. Francis Noronha, C.S.C.
Wed.	Order of St. Augustine, O.S.A,
Thur.	Rev. Alberto Ferreira
Fri.	Rev Michael King
Sat.	Rev. Gary Schlack

### VOCATION VIEW

#### Fourth Sunday of Easter - April 26, 2026

The Good Shepherd calls his own sheep by name and leads them. Is He asking you to help others to find Him? Pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life, especially for our archdiocese, that God will raise up good shepherds in our midst. If God is calling you to serve him as a priest, deacon, brother or sister, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

### SUNDAY FUNNY



## Clothing Drive



### What's in your closet?

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is running a Spring Clothing drive! The clothing we collect is exchanged for Goodwill vouchers which are given out to those in need within our community. Clothing will be collected in the parish hall during all masses the weekend of May 2-3. Any gently used clothing items you can spare would be greatly appreciated. Thank you and God Bless.

## WORLD YOUTH DAY 2027

SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA

JULY 31 – AUGUST 9, 2027

We are happy to announce that the Diocese of Hamilton will be leading a delegation of young people (aged 18-35) to the **41<sup>st</sup> World Youth Day 2027, Seoul, South Korea**. We are now taking declarations of interest from pilgrims interested in attending this pilgrimage of faith and learning more about this amazing opportunity.



The Diocesan Website has a [Declaration of Interest Form](#) available for those who wish to be added to our WYD mailing list for more details about participation. Additionally, we are in the process of updating our Official WYD Website. Please check back regularly for updates: [wyd.hamiltondiocese.com](http://wyd.hamiltondiocese.com).

The Offices for Evangelization and Catechesis and Youth Ministry will be hosting a **Virtual Information Night on Thursday, April 23 @ 7:30pm**. Please encourage young people to register for this information session [HERE](#).



Join Inspire Hope in touching the hearts of over 1500 residents of long-term care and retirement homes in Halton Region through our 2026 Spring Flowers Campaign! We are looking for volunteers to make and deliver 1500 paper flowers. This is a great opportunity for families, friends, parents, teachers and youth ministers to spark conversation about the value of life for the most vulnerable in our community. Visits are on Mother's Day weekend. Sign up at [www.haltonalive.ca/flowers](http://www.haltonalive.ca/flowers) or contact Mariana at [inspirehope@haltonalive.com](mailto:inspirehope@haltonalive.com) for any questions.



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**How to Use It** It's **completely free** for our parishioners! Access it on your **computer, smartphone, tablet, or smart TV** – anytime, anywhere.

Go to [www.FORMED.org](http://www.FORMED.org)

Click **“Find Your Parish Subscription”** at the top

Find our parish name, St. Patrick, **by using the postal code, L7L 4L8, don't forget the space**, and then follow the steps to create your personal account

✦ Whether you're just starting your faith journey or looking to go deeper, FORMED has something for you. Don't miss out on this amazing gift for you and your family!



## **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE**

We are once again holding a Mothers Day Raffle! We have 3 amazing raffle prizes. All proceeds will go to Community Development Halton. The draw will be on Sunday, May 10 after the 11 am Mass. More information to follow. PLUS... We would like to celebrate our Mothers with home made pies. We thought that most Moms would enjoy not having to make dessert for “their day”. The pies will be for sale after all Masses on the weekend of May 9/10.

We are looking for **\*volunteers\*** to help **make pies** in the church hall/kitchen on the mornings of **May 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>** Please add your name and phone# to the signup sheet in the Narthex after Masses on **May 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>**. Many hands make light work (plus, it's fun).

We are also collecting bottle corks for a “Bazaar” craft. If you have any, please bring them to the meeting. Please remember to wear your name tags to the meetings.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

· **Wednesday, APRIL 29 @ 6:30** – Steven Barrow from Community Development Halton will be speaking to us about the housing crisis in Halton **\*this event is OPEN TO THE PARISH**

· There will be a general meeting followed by Mass and the Crowning of Mary on **Tuesday, MAY 19, @ 6:30**

· On **Wednesday, MAY 27, @ 6:30** we will be hosting Mary Dilly from the “Art of Downsizing” - this event is **OPEN TO THE PARISH**

· The Members Annual Meeting and Convention is scheduled to take place the weekend of May 29-31 at the Infinity Convention Centre in Brantford.

**\*\*Please let us know if your contact information has changed so we can update our records.\*\***

All women 16 years of age and older are welcome to join the CWL. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Margie 905-815-3008 or Lucy 905-681-9432. All are welcome!



We are very pleased to announce that our Parish has been awarded \$ 50,000. Grant from the Diocesan of Hamilton ExCorde Foundation. The ExCorde Foundation was established by Bishop Douglas Crosby, O.M.I. to assist parishes with various projects to upgrades, maintenance repairs etc.

After careful consideration our ExCorde Application has been awarded to assist us with the replacement of the much needed Church Roof Top Air Conditioning units.

We are grateful and blessed to be the recipient of this EsCorde Grant Gift.

## **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

### **Council 5073**

**ROSE SUNDAY** Additionally, Mother's Day May 9/10 is Rose Sunday and at all the weekend Masses the Knights of Columbus will distribute “Lapel Roses” to all mothers. We only ask for donations to help us in our efforts to support the Sanctity of Life. **Help Save Lives**



**BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN** - Mother's Day weekend (May 10<sup>th</sup>) also marks the beginning of the Knights of Columbus annual ASAP (Assistance & Support



After Pregnancy) baby bottle program. Please pick up your “Baby Bottle” in the foyer before or after Masses on Mother's Day Weekend and fill it with your loose change or your donation and return the “Baby Bottles” on Father's Day weekend (June 21<sup>st</sup>). Again, proceeds go to Shifra Homes.

## **AROUND THE DIOCESE**

**MOTHER'S DAY TEA** - Mother's Day celebrations can be difficult and complex when your mother is no longer here to celebrate. Join this special tea on Sunday May 10, 2026 for an afternoon dedicated to honoring the women who shaped us and loved us, but are no longer with us. The afternoon is intended to be heartfelt and uplifting, sharing our stories, sipping tea and enjoying finger sandwiches and fresh baked scones. Cost is \$85. Please email your interest or questions,. The event will be held at 667 Golf Club Rd. Unit #2, Hannon, ON. Contact: Salvina Castiglione, BA, BSW. RSW.; [www.cardinalconnection.ca](http://www.cardinalconnection.ca); or call (905)-537-9638.

### **YOUTH MINISTRY CERTIFICATION PROGRAM**

Ministerial Formation through VLCFF The Diocese of Hamilton is proud to partner with Dayton University's Virtual Learning Community for Adult Faith Formation (VLCFF) to offer certificate programs for ministry and enrichment for adult faith formation. the Youth Ministry Certification Program and the Catechist Formation Program begins in September 2026. For more information about our programs, and how to register, visit us at [www.hamiltondioceselearns.com](http://www.hamiltondioceselearns.com).