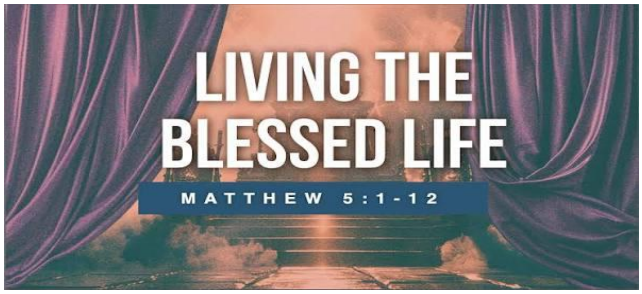
ALL SAINTS DAY

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Mass Intentions

November 3 - 6 , 2026

Tuesday	6:00 pm 7:00 p.m.	Confession, Adoration & Benediction + Souls in Purgatory + Wilma Clarke + Derek & Thelma Shimmin
Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	† Don Smith
Thursday	8:30 a.m.	+ Michael Turpin
Friday	8:30 a.m.	+ Don Vienneau Adoration & Benediction following Mass



Beginning Tuesday November 3rd Adoration, Confession & Benediction will be celebrated starting at 6:00 pm

Beginning Wednesday, November 4th, 2026, all Wednesday morning Masses will be at 9:30 a.m. instead of 8:30 a.m. We invite you to join our students as we come together to celebrate Mass.

Saturday Multiple Mass Intentions

November 7, 2026

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	† Velia Javier † John Schunk + Frank & Amanda Vienneau

VOCATIONAL PRAYER CALENDAR

November 2-7, 2026

Mon.	Commemoration of the Faithful Departed – All Souls Day
Tue.	Rev. Nishil Varghese, 'C.M.I.
Wed.	Deceased Priests of the Diocese of Hamilton
Thur.	Rev Lawrence Parent
Fri.	Rev JonathanReitzel
Sat.	Rev. Ivica Majstorovic, O.F.M.

All Saints – November 1, 2026

"The greatest among you will be your servant." Can I respond to God as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you to consider the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life, call Father John Ha, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988. vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

SUNDAY CONNECTION

What it means to be Blessed

Every year the Church recalls the example, witness, and prayer of the holy women and men who have been identified by the Church as Saints. These saints are more than just role models; they are family members with whom we continue to share relation, in a bond of prayer, called the Communion of Saints. Every year when we celebrate this day, the Gospel we proclaim recalls for us Jesus' teaching about happiness, the Beatitudes. We quickly note in this reading that none of those Jesus names as "blessed" or "happy" are expected . . . the poor in spirit, the meek, the persecuted. Jesus' blueprint for happiness reflects little of what the world might call happiness. What does Jesus mean when he uses the word "blessed?" This word is sometimes translated as "happy" or "fortunate" or "favored." In other words, Jesus is saying that divine favor is upon those who are poor, who mourn, who are persecuted. This might have been welcome and surprising news to the crowds who heard Jesus that day. The Beatitudes can be understood as a framework for Christian living. Because of this, it is natural that we proclaim this Gospel on the Feast of All Saints. Saints are people who lived the spirit of the Beatitudes as Jesus lived. On this day, we too are challenged to model our lives on the spirit and promises of the Beatitudes.

Fr. Jerome Mascarenhas

INSTALLATION CEREMONY FOR FATHER JEROME

Join us on **Saturday, November 14th at the 5:00 PM Mass** for the Installation Ceremony of **Father Jerome Mascarenhas as Pastor of St. Patrick's Parish. Bishop Joseph Dabrowski, C.S.M.A.** will preside at this special celebration as we officially welcome Father Jerome into his ministry at St. Patrick's. Please join us as a parish family for this beautiful and meaningful occasion. **All are welcome!**

VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP WEEKEND

There's a place for you at St. Patrick's! Join us after each Mass on **Saturday, November 7th, and Sunday, November 8th**, to explore ways to get involved in our parish community. Stop by, enjoy some coffee and donuts, meet fellow parishioners, and discover how you can share your time and talents. We'd love to welcome you!



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ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Interested in becoming an altar server? Join us for Altar Server Training on **Thursday, November 29th, from 5:30–6:30 pm** at St. Patrick's Parish!



This is a wonderful opportunity to learn how to serve at the altar and take an active role in our parish community. We look forward to welcoming our new and returning altar servers!





Tuesday, November 3rd | 6:30–8:00 PM

Grades **7–12** — come join us for an evening of **fun, friendship, connection, and faith!** Come enjoy pizza, fun and games, time to connect, and growing in faith together! Bring a friend and come hang out with us! **Everyone in Grades 7–12 is welcome!**

Parish Memorial Mass

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 10TH AT 7;00 PM

Mass of Remembrance: Honouring Our Deceased Parish Family Members. A special Mass of Remembrance will be offered for all those of our parish family who have passed away in 2026. During this liturgy, we will prayerfully read aloud the names of all our deceased parish family members, entrusting them once again to God's eternal peace.



We extend a heartfelt, warm welcome to all families who have lost a loved one this year. Please join us in faith, remembrance, and hope as we come together as a community to support one another and celebrate Christ's promise of eternal life. Lite Refreshment Reception to follow in the parish hall.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

14 days and counting to our fabulous **"Christmas Market"** to be held this year on November 14th from 9:00am to 3:00 pm? Please help us spread the word by taking a flyer on the table in the Narthex (We appreciate the free advertising:)

With the countdown to our Christmas market, please be aware that we are having weekly meetings every Thursday until the big day. Plenty of work to be done and more importantly, fun to be had. **NEW** this year we have a **"St. Patrick's Craft Corner".** This is opened to all parishioners or friends who would like to donate their time in showing, helping or making crafts to sell at the Christmas Market. If you have a special talent and would like to donate your crafts, or share your skills with the group, we want you! (this event is not for vendors). **All** proceeds from our Christmas Market go to local charities supporting those in need! Please note that we are gratefully accepting any **new items** that you would like to donate.

The Spiritual Retreat will be on November 6, 7 and 8th at Mount Carmel in Niagara Falls. More information to follow.

For all general meetings, please join us at 12:30 to say the Rosary (all women are welcome), grab a cup of coffee (in your BYO mug, of course) and some goodies, and settle in for our 1:00 – 3:00 pm meeting

****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 margiebalfour@hotmail.com or Lucy 905-681-9432 lucy.costa@sympatico.ca **If emailing, **PLEASE** ensure you copy us bot

AROUND THE DIOCESE

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS WORKSHOP The Liturgy Office of the Diocese of Hamilton is pleased to offer is pleased to offer *Extraordinary Minister of Communion Formation* workshops this fall. Lunch is included. Cost to attend is $35.00. **Saturday, November 7, 2026** Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton 9:30am to 3pm

AI AND HUMAN DIGNITY: The Office for Evangelization and Catechesis invites you to join us as we explore Pope Leo's first encyclical, Magnifica Humanitas and our call to protect human dignity in an age of technological revolution. Hamilton**: Tuesday, November 3rd**, 2026 (1:00 – 3:00pm): Chancery Office, Hamilton Light refreshments will be provided at each session. Contact the Office of Evangelization and Catechesis at catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com or (905) 528-7988 ext. 2339 if you have any questions.

YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT Fr. John Ha, our Vocations Director, invites all young adults in their 20s and 30s across the Diocese of Hamilton to an evening of prayer, fellowship, and praise music. Come meet other young adults and find encouragement as you discern and live out God's call. Join us at on **Saturday, November 7, 2026** from 6:30pm–9:00pm at St. Francis Xavier Church (304 Hwy 8, Stoney Creek, ON L8G 1E6). Bring a friend—all young adults are welcome! Sponsored by the Vocations Office For more information, contact vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

DISCOVERING NEW PATHS FOR YOUR MARRIED LIFE Healthy marriages matter and marriage enrichment helps keep them strong! Proven benefits include having a support system, learning to grow together, having increased happiness levels and better physical health; all proven in research! Keeping your marriage healthy and strong requires love, but also time spent fine tuning your relationship and reconnecting. Join us on **Saturday, November 21st** at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish in Waterdown for a day to reconnect, discover new ways to deepen your relationship and spend time with the one you love! Registration hamiltondiocese.com, by looking for the date under Upcoming Events, or contact Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249,

PERMANENT DEACON INFORMATION

For anyone who is interested in the Diaconate and wants more information about what is re-quired and what is involved in the Admission process and Formation program, are invited to either of two Information Sessions:

1. Nov. 22nd, 2026, at St. Catherine of Siena Parish, 620 Rymal Rd. E, Hamilton after 11am mass.

You are welcome to attend the 11am Sunday Mass where Deacon Tom Vert, the Associate Director of the Deacon program will be preaching. Afterwards we will have the Information Session in the parish Hall. There will be a short presentation and then a question-and-answer session, with light refreshments. Also, we will be available for anyone wanting to speak privately.For information about this session, feel free to contact:

Deacon Tom Vert, Associate Director Deacon Formation Program, tvert@hamiltondiocese.com