



Monday, February 3 *St. Blaise & St. Ansgar*
8:00a.m. † Bertha Rose Francis

Tuesday, February 4
7:00p.m. † Ida Filice Intentions of Father Greg
Intentions of Moe Intentions of Mary
Intentions of Abigayle †Alfonso Di Battista
Intentions of Seminarian Kevin

Wednesday, February 5 *St. Agatha*
8:00a.m. Intentions of Father Gary Schlack

Thursday, February 6 *St. Paul Miki & Companions*
8:00a.m. Intentions of David

Friday, February 7
8:00a.m. Intentions of Emidio

Saturday, February 8 *St..Jerome Emiliani, &
St..Josephine Bakhita*

9:00a.m. Alicya Wlusek

5:00p.m. † Mary Narbonne † Morris Mercanti
† Helen Bowie † Ross Peters
Intentions of Fr. Lobsinger

CONSULTATION ON MEDICAL ASSISTANCE IN DYING

The Canadian Department of Justice is having a Medical Assistance in Dying consultation, since the government is considering expanding the euthanasia law to those not dying. Let the government know that as a Catholic, you believe that the current safeguards and eligibility requirements need to be increased not lessened. You will be given the opportunity to provide written comments about the safeguards, the morality of the directives, and other factors of Canada's euthanasia law. This is your chance to influence how we move forward in this country with MAID. Please make your voice heard by filling out the survey at <https://www.justice.gc.ca/eng/cons/ad-am/index.html>

HOMILIES ON-LINE

Did you like the homily this weekend or were unable to attend St. Ann's on the weekend, but would like to hear how Father Lobsinger or Father Greg unpacked the Gospel. No problem, the weekend homily is now available on the St. Ann website www.stannsparish.ca.

2020 ST. ANN'S WOMEN'S RETREAT IMITATION OF CHRIST

Dr Josephine Lombardi, Ph.D. Associate Professor, Systematic and Pastoral Theology and Director of Field Education and Lay Formation at St. Augustine's Seminary will guide us in an exploration of how we as women are called to Imitate Christ in our lives.

Saturday February 8th, 2020, in St. Ann Hall
Join us for a day of Reflection, Prayer and Fellowship. The day begins at 9:00 with Mass, includes lunch and will conclude by 2:30 pm

Cost: \$30.00

To register please contact Linda Dayler or Denise Mauro at 905-648-6874 or email ldayler@st-anns-ancaster.com by January 31st



St. Ann Baptism Preparation Team is in need of more volunteers to help in the preparation of couples seeking Baptism for their children. We welcome couples as well as individuals wanting to help in this important task. If you are interested call the parish office at 905-648-6874.



ANCASTER FOOD DRIVE

Saturday March 7th from 12pm – 4pm
Ancaster Fairgrounds

8 volunteer needed to help load donated food into trucks

Contact Maggie at MPagotto@gsch.ca or Krista at kcraig@gsch.ca to sign up

LENTEN RETREAT

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish in Stoney Creek will be hosting a Lenten Retreat with Rwandan Genocide Survivor's message of FORGIVENESS, HEALING & HOPE. Immaculee will share her powerful journey through remarkable personal testimony. Witness the life-saving power of faith and the Rosary, as she huddled with seven other women in a cramped bathroom for 91 days while killers lurked just outside the door. Friday, March 13th, 4-9pm; Saturday, March 14th, 8:30am -12:30pm. Registration: www.immaculee.com; click on "shop/events" then select "Retreats"

Blessings To You



ST. ANN PARISH

FIRST RECONCILIATIONS

Let us keep our grade 2 students who will be making their First Confessions this month in our prayers, may God grant them the grace to experience His Mercy and Love.

Immaculate Conception School	Wed., Feb.12 at 7pm
Holy Name of Mary School	Thurs., Feb.13 at 7pm
Parish Catechism Class	Tues., Feb. 18 at 7:30pm
St. Ann School	Wed., Feb.19 at 7pm
St. Joachim School	Thurs., Feb.20 at 7pm



PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY THANK-YOU

The members of the St. Ann's Prayer Shawl Ministry would like to take this opportunity to thank all our parishioners who supported our Christmas Bazaar. Your support will enable us to continue our work of providing Shawls of comfort and care to parishioners and others needing our prayers. Your support also helps us to continue our charitable work of supporting groups like Ancaster Community Services, KIVA, and Chalice as well as other local charities. Congratulations to our two big winners this year; John Campbell won the wine cellar and Dan Maranca won the Carmen's package. Watch up-coming bulletins for more information on the Prayer Shawl Ministry here at St Ann's. Interested in joining the group? Contact David at: dgdayler@gmail.com

DAY of PRAYER

St. Catherine of Siena Parish (Corpus Christi Site)
Hamilton, Ontario

Fri., February 14, 2020 9:00 to 2:30 (Mass 9am)

Tea, coffee, muffins on arrival

Bring a bag lunch & coffee mug

To Register: please call or e-mail 905-388-3966

ssspertshire@sympatico.ca



KEYS TO LOVING RELATIONSHIPS

Healthy Relationships Share Common Skills – Come and Learn More! "Keys to Loving Relationships" is a ten week video-based program that all people (married, dating, or single) can use to develop the skills needed to have a truly meaningful relationship with a spouse, family member or friend. Learn how to become a better "me" in all your relationships! Held at the Diocesan Chancery Office, 700 King ST. W., Hamilton or Thursday evenings from 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. March 26 – June 4, 2020

The cost is \$45.00. For more information or to register, call the Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988 ext. 2249 or register at: www.hamiltondiocese.com.

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING

Have you considered supporting the parish through pre-authorized giving? This allows you to give to the parish through scheduled monthly transfers from your bank account, and helps ensure regular, dependable contributions to the parish. Most of all, though, pre-authorized giving affords us the opportunity to reorient how we think about giving. Rather than giving from what's left over, this method of giving encourages us to discern a level of Parish support with greater intention. In this way, we respond more fully to the call to "honour the Lord with your wealth, with the first fruits of all your produce." (Proverbs 3, 9-10) For more information or to enroll, please contact the parish office.



Rest in Peace

**ALL DECEASED MEMBERS OF
ST. ANN'S PARISH FAMILY.**