

St. Ann's Parish

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Parish Office Hours

Monday to Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Friday 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

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Schools in our Parish

Saint Ann's	905-523-2340
Saint Joachim's	905-523-2341
Holy Name of Mary	905-523-2342
Immaculate Conception	905-523-2463

Secondary School

Bishop Tonnos 905-523-2331

Sunday Mass Times

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday 6:15 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.
Saturday 8:15 a.m. to 8:45 a.m.
4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration

Each Friday of the month following the morning Mass.
Tuesday evenings 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Marriage

You are asked to call the parish office to make wedding arrangements at least six months in advance.

Baptism

Please call the parish office. Six weeks notice is usually required.

Catholic Funeral Rites

When a death occurs in your family, please call the parish office and we will assist you in making the necessary liturgical arrangements.

Parish Registration

If you are new to the parish, please fill out a registration form. These can be found at the main entrances. We ask you to inform our office if you are moving out of the parish.

ALL SAINTS



Monday, November 2 *All Souls Day*

8:00a.m. † For all the Faithful Departed

7:00p.m. † For all the Faithful Departed

Memorial prayers begin at 6:30pm

Tuesday, November 3 *St. Martin de Porres*

7:00p.m. † Pamela Day † John Czuchta

† Elia Travaglini † Michael Bruce Boss

† Deceased Priests of Hamilton Diocese

Wednesday, November 4 *St. Charles Borromeo*

8:00a.m. † Lorraine Hodgins

Thursday, November 5

8:00a.m. † Deceased members of Aguiar & Medeiros Families

Friday, November 6

8:00a.m. Intentions of Alexander

Saturday, November 7

9:00a.m. † Edna & Stanley Kludys

5:00p.m. Intentions of Helena Buchowiecka

† Grant Moning

† Deceased parents of Cocca & Pompili Families



ST. ANN PARISH YOUTH GROUP

"Halloween is a reminder of our own mortality and our own need to prepare ourselves to face God one day. The festivities attached to the holiday can, as Mardi Gras does for Lent, prepare us for All Saints and All Souls, and for the month of November, which the Church sets aside for remembrance of the souls in purgatory."-Michelle Arnold, Catholic Answers

Please follow St. Ann Parish Ancaster on FaceBook and/or email jtower@hamiltondiocese.com for updates on Youth Group events. Our November events will be focused on Catholicism, death, and the afterlife.

-Jet



ST. ANN'S RECTORY KITCHEN RENOVATION

The kitchen in St. Ann's rectory has not been updated in about 30 years. We are looking for trade people who can assist us with this renovation. If you are in the kitchen renovation trade or have recently used a company that you found to be of good quality and service please let us know by calling the parish office. 905-648-6874.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL DONATIONS

If you would like to help support the St. Vincent de Paul Society in their efforts to help those in need, simply place your donation into an envelope marked St. Vincent de Paul and place it into the Sunday donation box at the main entrance to the Church on the weekend.



MEMORIAL BOOK AND MASS

November is the month of Holy Souls. You are encouraged to pray for all the faithful departed during this month. We will remember those who have died during the Masses in November and you are invited to email the names of those whom you would like remembered to

stannancaster@hamiltondiocese.com



OPTIONS FOR WEEKLY DONATIONS TO ST. ANN PARISH

Pre-Authorized Giving is a great way to provide your regular offering to our Parish. To register for Pre-Authorized Giving or Electronic Fund Transfer, call the Parish Office and we will email you the necessary forms.

You can drop off your weekly envelope by putting it through the mail slot in the Parish Office door, or when you come to Mass place it in the collection box in the foyer. Online donation:

hamiltondiocese.com/covid19parishfund/ or through canadahelps.ca, search St. Ann Parish, Ancaster. You can make a one-time donation or schedule a recurring donation.



FIRST RECONCILIATION & EUCHARIST
Information for The Sacraments of First Reconciliation/Eucharist and Confirmation have been sent out online through the schools this past week and the videos went online on Wednesday, October 28th. Father has prepared a video for the Parent Meetings and parents are all asked to watch these 20 minute videos. We thank Kevin Dunn for his help in preparing these video meetings. Children who are in Public School or those who are Home Schooled should go online to the Parish website under Sacraments to find the information and registration forms. You are asked to complete this and return it to the Church as soon as possible.

Wednesday, November 18, 2020
Foster/Adoption Information Webinar
7:00pm - 8:30pm

Anyone interested in fostering or adopting can join this online information session to learn more about the opportunities to foster and adopt through the Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton. This will be an interactive webinar where you can join the conversation and ask questions.

Please contact Jennifer Veenstra to pre-register for this no-cost webinar at 905-525-2273 or jennifer.veenstra@hamiltonccas.on.ca

FRIDAYS WITH FATHER

Come join Father Lobsinger every second Friday of the month when he will offer a class on the Catechism of the Catholic Church. All who are interested in learning more about their Catholic faith are welcome to attend. There is no registration required and no homework to do. The next class will be on Friday, November 13th from 7 - 8:30pm in St. Ann Hall.



DONNA HANSEN



Ministry of Care Home Visits

The Ministry of Care Team are continuing with home visits to bring the Eucharistic to those living in their own home and who are not able to attend Mass due to health concerns. The person must be able to wear a mask or face shield, receive communion in the hand and the home situation must allow for social distancing. The team have been educated in health and safety for COVID 19 and will take every precaution to protect the wellbeing of all concerned during their visit. If you wish to have the Eucharist at home please contact Linda Dayler at 905-648-6874 Ext. 226 or ldayler@stannparish.ca.

Prayer Shawl Ministry



The Prayer Shawl Ministry here at St. Ann's, in Ancaster has been in existence since 2008. Prior to the Pandemic this group met twice a month to reflect, pray and knit or crochet in community. Different kinds of shawls are produced by the group. Our Ministry makes Baptismal Shawls which are given freely by the parish to all children baptized here at St. Ann's. Secondly, we make our prayer shawls which can be given freely to anyone needing comfort or prayers, and thirdly artisan shawls are prepared for our yearly Bazaar which funds the work of our ministry. Sadly, this year we will not be able to hold our Artisan Fair.

Our prayer shawls are distributed throughout our parish and beyond as an expression of care, concern and support and can be given to those in need of comfort, those celebrating milestone or those who are ill. Parishioners can contact David Dayler at dgdayler@gmail.com or can call the parish office at any time to request at Prayer Shawl. (905 648 6874)

Shawls...made for centuries are universal and embracing, symbolic of an inclusive, unconditionally loving God. They wrap, enfold, comfort, cover, give solace, hug, shelter and beautify. Those who have received these shawls have been uplifted and affirmed, as if given wings to fly above their troubles.



This is a call to St. Ann's Young Adults. We would like to extend an invitation to grow both in knowledge of our precious faith and in fellowship. The formative aspect of the evening comes from Fr. Lobsinger's Fridays with Father, which will take place on Friday- November 13th at 7pm. Directly following, we will gather for a social event in the St. Ann's Hall. Some snacks and drinks will be provided. Feel free to bring your own snacks and beverages as well. Given our current situation, we kindly ask that you adhere to the security measures put in place for COVID-19, and to sign up for the event due to limited space in the parish hall, as a result of social distancing. To confirm attendance, please message us through our St. Ann's Young Adults' Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/st.annsyounadultsgroup/>



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