

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

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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

Tuesday 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.
Friday After Morning Mass until 9:15 a.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.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



From the desk of:

FR. PAUL EDMONDSTONE

We officially hired a new custodian for the parish this past week. His name is Dennis Rousseau and is retired as the facilities manager at a Long Term Care home for a number of years. He is working limited hours beginning this week until we reopen for public worship. We welcome Dennis to the team and look forward to working with him in the weeks and months to come. My thanks to Marco and Sebastian Munoz and Matthew Wong for pinch hitting in the custodian position for us these last few months.

Speaking of staff, I have the sad duty to announce that Denise and Pat, our wonderful secretaries, have decided to retire at the end of June. Fr. John and I have begun the process of hiring a new secretary/bookkeeper. The job was posted this week and we hope to have the position filled by the beginning of June. We thank Denise and Pat for their service and commitment to the parish and wish them well in retirement. I thank them particularly for the help and support they have given me since my arrival in January.

The hits keep on coming, late last week Seminarian Mauricio was given the opportunity to participate in a formation program over the summer months. He was immediately interested and was given approval by both our Bishops. While it is an exciting opportunity, it will mean that next weekend will be Mauricio's last weekend at Saint Ann. We're not quite sure when his program will be completed but when it is done and we are open, I have already, on the new pastor's behalf, invited Mauricio to return for a weekend to say a proper goodbye.

With staff coming and going, it will be a challenging summer for the parish, so please keep all of us in your prayers. Happy Mother's day to all Mothers, Godmothers, and Grandmothers. We also pray for our Mothers who watch over us in heaven today.

Have a good week!

Father Paul



VOCATIONS

The greatest love story that ever happened: God's continuing love for His people. All God asks is "Love one another as I have loved you". The world really needs to see people who are trying to love others with all their hearts. Priests, religious and deacons can be excellent examples of this love. If you are willing to answer God's call, contact the Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton, 905-528-7988 ext. 2222. vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

Monday, May 10

8:00a.m. Agustin & Pedro Ravarra

Tuesday, May 11

Canada Health Day

8:00a.m. † Adele Quinn

† Louise Campbell

† Fausto Iafanti

† Italo Iafanti

Wednesday, May 12 *St. Pancras & Sts. Nereus & Achilleus*

8:00a.m. † Marcia Marcaccio

Intentions of Tom Carson

Thursday, May 13

Our Lady of Fatima

8:00a.m. † Dorentina Mason

Friday, May 14

St. Matthias, Apostle

8:00a.m. Concetta Gabriele

Saturday, May 15

Saturday 9am Mass is not live streamed; however, these Mass intentions are offered at Mass each Saturday by Father Paul Edmondstone.

9:00a.m. † Lea Adile

Intentions of John Pawlikowski

5:00p.m. † Tony Battaglia † Elvira Tedesco

† Joe & Giovina Borsellino

Diocesan Prayer Calendar

Week of the May 9, 2021

This week we especially pray for:

Monday	Rev. Allison Mahoney
Tuesday	Rev. Francis Noronha
Wednesday	Congregation of the Resurrection
Thursday	Rev. Msgr. Earl Talbot
Friday	Rev. Edwin Lapinski
Saturday	Very Rev. Tim Uniac

God, the source of creation and love, You invite each of us to serve You through the life which is your gift. May Your grace encourage men and women to heights of holiness through service to the Church as priests, sisters, brothers, and lay ministers. Make me an instrument to encourage others to give themselves and challenge me to do the same. Amen



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- ✚ Pre-Authorized Giving is a great way to provide your regular offering to our Parish. To register for EFT, call the Parish Office and we will email you the necessary forms.
- ✚ Drop off your envelope by putting it through the mail slot in the Parish Office door.
- ✚ You can make a donation online through the CanadaHelps site which can be reached by going to <http://www.canadahelps.ca/>
- ✚ You can also e-transfer donations through your Financial Institution using our email address stannancaster@hamiltondiocese.com. There is no need to use a password or phrase.

Thank you for your continued generosity and support! Without you we cannot be the amazing parish that we are.

MARRIAGE TIP

In every couple relationship there are two rhythms, one belonging to each spouse. Some people are slow-walkers who like to stroll through life, others are quick-steppers who like to keep up a fast pace. When two spouses have different rhythms, big strains in the relationship can occur, especially if one spouse expects the other to match their own style. We should learn to love and celebrate both our own rhythm, and that of our loved one, but we must also learn to accept that our spouse may not want to walk at the same pace we enjoy. So, use compromise and learn to understand, not fight, the rhythms of those you love.

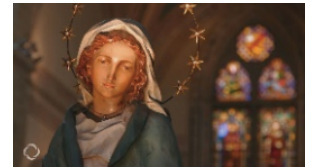
PARENTING TIP

Accentuate the Positive

Compliments and encouragement can go a long way towards changing poor behaviours and building self-esteem. Accentuate positive behaviours by praising children of any age when they undertake appropriate actions. By simply letting children know we've noticed their good behaviours, we can have a direct effect on the number of times they undertake these actions. "Thank you for...", or "Good for you for ...", are great starts in creating a positive environment in your children's lives.

"Never be afraid of loving the Blessed Virgin too much. You can never love her more than Jesus did." St. Maximilian Kolbe

MONTH OF MAY From David's Desk Marathon of Prayer



Pope Francis inaugurated the Marathon of Prayer for an end to the pandemic on Saturday May 1st 2021.

Pope Francis led the faithful in the recitation of the Holy Rosary on Saturday to inaugurate a "Marathon of Prayer" for an end to the Covid-19 pandemic. In a press release announcing the initiative, the Pontifical Council for the Promotion of the New Evangelization explains that "in response to the Holy Father's heartfelt wish, the month of May will be dedicated to a 'marathon' of prayer, to ask for the end of the pandemic, which has afflicted the world for more than a year now, and to ask for the resumption of social and work activities". The Pope's intention for this event is "for the entire world wounded by this pandemic."

"At the beginning of this month dedicated to Our Lady," the Holy Father said, "We join together in prayer with all the sanctuaries spread throughout the whole world, with the faithful, and with all persons of good will, to entrust into the hands of our Holy Mother the whole human race, sorely tried by this period of pandemic." Each day of the coming month, he said, "the many people who have been affected by the virus, and who continue to suffer the consequences of the pandemic," will be entrusted to the Blessed Virgin Mary, "Mother of Mercy."

"Most loving Mother," he prayed, "grant that the sense of belonging to one great family, in the awareness of the bond that unites us all, might grow in the world; so that, with a spirit of fraternity and solidarity, we might come to the aid of the many people who are poor and the many situations of misery. Encourage firmness in faith, perseverance in service, constancy in prayer."

We invite you as members of the St Ann's Parish community to join with the Holy Father in saying the Rosary each day as a family throughout the month of May. The Rosary, led from a different Marian Sanctuary each day during May, will be broadcast by Vatican Media, beginning at 6 pm Rome time, (12 noon time here in Ancaster). You can follow along with the daily broadcast on the Vatican News web portal, their Facebook or YouTube channels. The Links can be found below.

<http://www.pcpne.va/content/pcpne/en/attivita/24ore/24-ore-per-il-signore-2021.html>
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