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Welcome and Registration

Welcome to all who worship with us today! May the Lord bless you! If you would like to register with our 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.

Memorial Donations: Please keep our love for the parish alive: When recommending expressions of sympathy, please remember St. Ann Parish.

Knights of Columbus

Grand Knight – Michael Moss

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St. Vincent de Paul

Please call the parish office for more information.

Parish Schools

St. Ann's	905.523.2340
St. Joachim's	905.523.2341
Holy Name of Mary	905.523.2342
Immaculate Conception	905.523.2463
Bishop Tonnos Secondary	902.523.2331

The Lord's Day Masses

Saturday 5:00p.m.; Sunday 9:00a.m. & 11:00a.m.

Weekday Mass

Tuesday 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday—Friday 8:00 a.m.

Reconciliation

Tuesday 6:15 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

Saturday 4:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday 8:30 a.m.—9:15 a.m.

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Thursday 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Baptism

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

Marriage

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

Anointing of the Sick

Upon request. Please call the parish office.

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.

Third Sunday of Easter

Mass Intentions

Third Sunday of Easter
(April 23, 2023)

Tuesday, April 25

St. Mark

7:00p.m. † Mrs. Rena Jones
† Mona Campbell
† Patrick Tompkins
† Natalio Sadsad
Intentions of Michael
Intentions of Elizabeth
Intentions of Fred & Kathy Stutz
Intentions of the Jaczenko Family

Wednesday, April 26 *Our Lady of Good Council*

8:00a.m. † Ann Mizzi
† Fr. Francesco Choi
Intentions of Paul Hong

Thursday, April 27

8:00a.m. † George & Ida Marasco

Friday, April 28

*St. Peter Chanel & St. Louis
Grignon de Montfort*

8:00a.m. Intentions of Greg & Mary-Ann Henderson

Saturday, April 29

5:00p.m. † Ida Paone † William Strecker
† Nick DeGelder † Eric Flegg
† Philly Marranca † Bruno Iacoviello
Special Intention
Intentions of Sandi Carravaggio

Diocesan Prayer Calendar

Week of the April 23, 2023

This week we especially pray for:

Monday	Rev. Alberto Ferreira
Tuesday	Rev. Khalid Karomi
Wednesday	Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul of Zagreb (S.O.C.)
Thursday	Rev. Gary Schlack
Friday	Rev. Bradley Markus
Saturday	Rev. Edward Henhoeffler

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

VOCATIONS



Do you recognize Christ in your life? Does your heart burn in his presence? How are you being called - as a priest, deacon, brother or sister or consecrated virgin? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

Email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



This is a picture of Jesus present in the Consecrated Host (Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity) lifted up in a monstrance. He waits for us, to heal, console and strengthen us and fill us with His love, joy and peace. Come and see Him. Eucharistic Adoration each Friday of the month unless otherwise noted, following the morning Mass with Benediction at 9:00 a.m.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION - 2023

We wish to extend our congratulations to the students who received the Eucharist for the first time these past two weeks at St. Ann's Church. Their participation at the table of the Lord is a sign that they are growing up in their spiritual lives as well as physically. This is, indeed, a happy occasion for our parish community and for these children who share in the Eucharist for the first time.

We want to extend an open invitation to parents to bring these children to Mass regularly so that they can receive the Eucharist often.

May God bless our First Communicants and all those entrusted with their spiritual growth and development. Special thanks to all who worked so hard in preparing our children for this sacrament.

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON

YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT – MAY 6, 2023

Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and early 30s) of our diocese to attend a night of Adoration, Fellowship and Praise Music. Arrival and Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), Social with Food (7:30pm-8:30pm), Praise Night and Vocation Testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on Saturday, May 6th, at Canadian Martyrs Catholic Church and Chaplaincy, 1349 Main Street West, Hamilton Ontario. Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

April 23, 2023

THE SERRA CLUB

The Serra Club of Hamilton is holding their annual Vocations Recognition Dinner on Tuesday May 2, 2023 at Liuna Station. Tickets are \$90. Please email SerraHamilton1965@gmail.com or leave a message at 905-628-5682 if interested.

MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH

- Marriage Tip 129

Easter provides us with a clear picture of how much God loves us, since he sent his son to die on the Cross so we could have eternal life. Easter highlights the importance of forgiveness and our call as Catholics to forgive both ourselves and others. Marriage is an essential place to put this call to forgive into action. Forgiveness means we let go of issues, after discussing and working them out, and then move forward in love. It means showing mercy when mistakes are made and remembering that forgiving allows us to put love first. So, remember to forgive in your marriages so you can both find a place of peace. Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK 2023

Catholic Education Week 2023 begins on Sunday, April 30, 2023. The Catholic schools in our parish will engage in a series of events to celebrate the ongoing gift of publicly funded Catholic education. You are invited to learn about the various celebrations that are happening in your children's school, and are welcome to attend, if possible. Publicly funded Catholic education has existed in Ontario since 1841 and its graduates have served Ontario and Canada very well. The current generation of students in our publicly funded Catholic schools will serve with the same spirit and generosity as their previous generations.

This year's Catholic Education Week theme is, "We are Many, We are One."

The theme for Catholic Education Week 2023 was inspired by the following considerations:

- The Church worldwide has embarked on a synodal process, "a synod on synodality," which centres on intentional listening: listening to each other and listening to the Holy Spirit. We have each been asked to actively reach out and listen to the voices and experiences of people where they are at and consider what steps the Holy Spirit is inviting us to take as we walk together. As the Catholic Bishops of Ontario highlighted in Renewing the Promise, "It is about taking the time to walk

alongside one another, to listen and to teach, and in doing so, to transform."

- Ongoing recognition of the Truth & Reconciliation Commission and the importance of Indigenous culture and spirituality as we move forward together.
- The Ministry of Education's focus on Inclusion and Equity resonates with all educators and administrators as we desire to serve all of God's children and Pope Francis' encyclical entitled, Fratelli Tutti, will guide us in this good work.
- The challenges to personal and spiritual well-being posed by the uncertainty of the current global crisis makes the timing and the concerns of Mental Health Week, which takes place during the same week as Catholic Education Week, all the more relevant.

The Catholic Education Week biblical quote is, "We, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually we are members, one of another." (Romans 12:5)

FUN ZONE:

CATHOLIC TRIVIA —

1. The Easter Season is also called _____.
2. When Mary Magdalene first went to the tomb, where did the angel tell her to go and see the risen Savior?
3. How many days after the Resurrection did Jesus Ascend into Heaven?
4. Where did Jesus Ascend into Heaven?

LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS —

1. White
2. Pentecost
3. 50 days
4. 3 days



St. Ann, Pray for Us