



St. Ann's Parish

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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 – Dan Marranta dannymarranta@gmail.com

St. Vincent de Paul

Collection held first Sunday of the month.

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 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Tuesday 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.

Christ the King – Last Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Christ the King – Last Sunday in Ordinary
Time

(November 26, 2023)

Tuesday, November 28th

7:00 p.m. † Bienvenido Pingol
Intentions of Steve Dunn
† Joan Cauley
† Alfonso & Ida DiBattista
† Angelo & Sarafina DiMuzio

Wednesday, November 29th

8:00 a.m. † Richard McDermott
† Harry Graham Lewis
† Elizabeth Totok

Thursday, November 30th

8:00 a.m. Intentions of Helen
Intentions of Wong
Intentions of Teresa
Intentions of Eldre

Friday, December 1st

8:00 a.m. † The Deceased of the Durkacz Family
† The Ziolkoski, Homenuik & Taback
Families
Intentions of Gian & Carolyn Carere
† Andrew Totok

Saturday, December 2nd

5:00 p.m. † Shirley Toth
Intentions of the Choi Family
† Margaret Coutou
Intentions of Hailey Slaviero
Intentions of Donna Slaviero

Diocesan Prayer Calendar

Week of November 26, 2023

Feast of Christ the King – World Day of Youth

This week we especially pray for:

Monday Rev. Roger Yaworski, S.J.
Tuesday Parents & Guardians
Wednesday Fraternity of the Poor of Jesus Christ
Thursday Rev. Edward Hampson
Friday Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger
Saturday Rev. David Reilander

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

ST. ANN, PRAY FOR US

CONGRATULATIONS FATHER EDWARD!

On Saturday, November 25, 2023 at Regis College in Toronto, Father Edward was conferred with his **Master of Theology**, and **Licentiate in Sacred Theology** degree. This area of study, allows Father Ed to better understand and integrate the major doctrines of the Christian faith, such as those touching on Trinity, Christology and ecclesiology into a life-giving and coherent whole. Father Ed wanted to grasp the meaning of Jesus'suffering and solidarity in the process of salvation as he is from Haiti, a country, in his words, where suffering is part of the daily life of the people. Father Ed's focus was on the thought of Emmanuel Lévinas and Gustavo Gutierrez to see how solidarity with the poor can bring hope and open us to the mystery of God's love. Father Ed still holds on to the hope that ethically-based solidarity with the poor can help every person and every people to live up to their dignity as sons and daughters of God. His goal is to develop theological expertise that will enable him to better participate in the new evangelization. Father Ed hopes to contribute to the theological thought in Haiti, and the world, in the service of the poor and vulnerable. Father Edward, you've worked diligently to reach your goal and now your hard work has paid off. On behalf of Father Peter, the staff and our parishioners at St. Anns' we congratulate Father Edward on this great achievement!



Society of
Saint Vincent de Paul

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Thank you for your continued support of the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Our next collection will be on the weekend of December 2nd and December 3rd. This will be a special Christmas collection to assist the needy families in our neighbouring communities. Your generosity is most appreciated.



This year we will once again be collecting Christmas boxes for Canadian Food For Children. Gifts are sent throughout Africa, South America and Central America. The following items can be put in the boxes – school supplies (colouring books, crayons, pens, pencils, stickers), small toys (toy cars, small balls, dolls), hair bands & accessories, hats, socks, T-shirts, Slinkys, plastic

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animals, action figures, finger puppets, jump ropes, puzzles, craft kits, etc. Hard candy and toothpaste. Items that cannot be used are food, chocolate, gum, liquids, used or aerosol items. It is helpful to wrap the boxes identifying a boy or girl and the age. We hope to collect the boxes by December 9th and 10th. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



📷Credit: Jim Galvin

"At the recent Ancaster Veteran's November 11th Memorial service, Grand Knight Dan Marranca and former Grand Knight Henry VanVroenhoven lay a wreath at the Ancaster Town Hall cenotaph on behalf of the St Ann's Council of the Knights of Columbus. We will remember them."

DIocese OF HAMILTON

The local celebration for World Youth Day falls on the Feast of Christ the King. In our Diocese we are very grateful to have many active youth ministry programs. We thank our pastors, parish ministers and volunteers for continuing to mentor and accompany the youth of our diocese. The theme for this World Youth Day is "Rejoicing in Hope" Romans 12:12. Let us rejoice in hope as we celebrate the many good things that our youth ministries are accomplishing in their communities.

Ways to celebrate in our parish:

- Welcome young people
- Thank them for being present
- Encourage and celebrate their presence and participation in the Sunday Eucharist.

COPING WITH THE HOLIDAYS ... WHEN SOMEONE YOU LOVE IS GONE

When: Sunday, Dec. 3, 2023

Time: 1:30 – 3:00 P.M.

Where: Diocesan Chancery Office (In Person)
700 King St. West, Hamilton

Or by Zoom - please contact the Chancery office to receive the link (see below)

Cost: FREE of charge

Presenter: Mrs. Teresa Hartnett (Director of Family Ministry) Register at hamiltondiocese.com (under Upcoming Events) or call Sarah to reserve a seat at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249. You can attend this session in person or join by Zoom. When it does not feel like "Peace on Earth.

HEALING VIGIL ON DEC 5TH

"But He was pierced for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on Him, and by His wounds we are healed" Isaiah 53:5. Mark your calendars! Our parish will be hosting Father Bill Trusz and his prayer team for a healing vigil on Tuesday December 5th, from 7 to 9 pm. The evening will begin with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, a time of prayer and adoration, opportunity for individual healing prayer with Father Bill and his experienced prayer team, and ending with mass at approximately 8:30 pm.

Bring your needs and those of your loved ones and come and experience the healing power of the Lord that He so desperately wants to give us all.

SACRAMENTS OF FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2024

In preparation for these special Sacraments, there will be a Parent Meeting at St. Ann's Church (Parish Centre) on Thursday, January 11, 2024 at 6:30 p.m

WATERS OF ITALY TRIP

Waters of Italy Trip! With Fr. Mark Gatto. October 9 to 18, 2024. For more information contact Fr. Mark at mgatto@hamiltondiocese.com



Coping with the Holidays

... when someone you love is gone

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**When it does not feel like "Peace on Earth"
Know that you are not alone.
Learn strategies for
Coping at Christmas because
Your loss is not forgotten.**



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Join Us for Our
COME HOME
for Christmas
FESTIVAL




FREE!

Sunday, December 3rd, 2023 | 1:00-4:00pm

Mount Mary Immaculate Retreat Centre | 437 Wilson St. E., Ancaster, ON, L9G 3K4



Fun Includes:

- Music
- Hot Cocoa
- Cookie Decorating
- Magic Show
- Face Painting
- Balloon Animals
- Local Artisans (cash only)
- Visit from Santa
- Walk our beautiful grounds
-  Christmas Ornament Painting

**The Diocese of Hamilton invites you to extend this invitation to your family and friends.
Come celebrate with us!**

If inspired to give generously this Christmas, donations of cash and/or non-perishable food items will be collected for beneficiaries of the Bishop's Charities. If you are able, we appreciate your support!

For more information, please contact: mcmorgan@hamiltondiocese.com or 905.528.7988 ext. 2251

COME HOME
for Christmas

