

Pastoral Staff

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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 Marranca dannymarranca@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

St. Ann's Parish

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<u>The Lord's Day Masses</u> Saturday 5:00p.m.; Sunday 9:00a.m. & 11:00a.m.

Weekday Mass

Tuesday7:00 p.m.Wednesday—Friday8:00 a.m.

Reconciliation

Tuesday6:15 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.Saturday4:00 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.

<u>Baptism</u>

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.

Mass Intentions

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time – January 21, 2024

Tuesday, January 23th

Wednesday, January 24th

8:00 a.m. Intentions of Lucia Caluori

Thursday, January 25th

8:00 a.m. Intentions of Diana Rich

Friday, January 26th

Saturday, January 27th

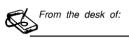
Diocesan Prayer Calendar

Week of January 21, 2024 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

This week we especially pray for:	
Monday	Rev. Phillip Cook
Tuesday	Rev. Luc Payette
Wednesday	Youth Ministers
Thursday	Rev. David Weise
Friday	Rev. Tom Moisan
Saturday	Rev.Louis Lenssen, C.R.S.P

January 18-25 Prayer for Christian Unity

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



FR. PETER NGUYEN

Dear Friends and Parishioners of St. Ann:

In the midst of the constant barrage of negative and distressing news through television, the internet, and newspapers, it becomes increasingly important to seek out and highlight stories of goodness and compassion.

As the pastor of St. Ann, I've had the privilege of witnessing numerous acts of kindness from our parishioners. I consistently find great joy in hearing heartwarming narratives of these compassionate deeds. If you have experienced or witnessed such uplifting moments, I warmly encourage you to share your short stories with us by emailing me at pnguyen@hamiltondiocese.com.

We eagerly anticipate learning about instances that have lifted your spirits.

With your permission, we would like to share these uplifting stories with our fellow parishioners. Please be assured that your name will remain confidential unless you specify otherwise. Together, let us amplify the good news through our personal experiences and by bearing witness to the positive deeds of others.

> In gratitude, Fr. Peter

THE WOMEN'S GROUP FAITH GROUP

Attention women of St Ann parish. Please join us for a 7 week Lenten study entitled The Mysteries of the Rosary beginning Tuesday, February 6th and ending Tuesday, March 19th at 7:30 pm after week day mass. The program features a 30 minute video on the sorrowful mysteries followed by approximately 30 minutes of discussion. There is no fee for the program but we will take a collection at the end so we can send a donation to the ministry that provided the program. Bring a pen, a journal and an open heart and hope to see you in the parish centre on Tuesday, February 6th at 7:30 pm. If you have questions please contact us at stannwomenoffaith@gmail.com

ST. ANN, PRAY FOR US

OUT OF THE COLD COFFEE DRIVE

"Hamilton Out of the Cold would like to thank the parishioners of St. Ann's Parish for your incredible generosity at our annual coffee drive. This year we collected over 150 tins of coffee (enough to make over 14,000 cups of coffee!) for the most vulnerable in our community. Over the years, St. Ann's parishioners have donated over 2000 tins of coffee! Thank you and God Bless." - Paul Sullivan

COME AND JOIN US!

Join the Pastoral Team; The Three Amigos: Fr. Peter, Fr. Edward and David for a five-week study session of the Gospel of Mark.

This shortest of all New Testament gospels is likely the first to have been written, yet it often tells of Jesus' ministry in more detail than either Matthew or Luke. It recounts what Jesus did in a vivid style, where one incident follows directly upon another. In this almost breathless narrative, Mark stresses Jesus' message about the kingdom of God now breaking into human life as good news and Jesus himself as the gospel of God. Jesus is the Son whom God has sent to rescue humanity by serving and by sacrificing his life.

We will begin Thursday, February 22nd, at 7- 8:30 p.m. and continue for 5 weeks ending on Thursday, March 21.

Thursday February 21: An Introduction to the Gospel

Thursday February 28: Chapters 1-4 – Preparing the Way

Thursday March 7: Chapters 5- 8 – Parables & Miracles

Thursday March 14: Chapters 9 – 12 – Jesus Teachings

Thursday March 21: Chapter 13- 16 – Predictions, Plots & The Passion

Together we will discover how Mark's gospel presents us a Savior who is truly divine, truly man, and who gives His life uniquely as a substitutionary atonement for the sins of His people. We benefit from His death by faith, even as we learn from Him that the way of glory is the way of suffering.

Together, as a faith community this Lent, we invite you to share with us the beauty of this sacred text.

To register for these sessions, contact David in the parish office (905-648-6874 or by email at dgdayler@gmail.com)

SUITABLE & AFFORDABLE RENTAL



Reliable family of 3 seeking suitable and affordable rental on the mountain to accommodate proximity to school. If you can help please contact Margaret D'Arcey at 905 648 1019.

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON THE WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

begins on Thursday, January 18th and concludes on January 25th, the Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul, Apostle. The Vatican Dicastery for Promoting Christian Unity and the Commission on Faith and Order of the World Council of Churches working jointly have prepared resources to facilitate prayer and reflection. They are available at:

<u>https://www.weekofprayer.ca/2024-wpcu-resources</u>. We pray as did Jesus, "That they may be one!"

THE 2024 REEL JUSTICE FILM **FESTIVAL** kicks off the season on January 25, 2024, 7:00 p.m. - 9 p.m., with the film Gather, an intimate portrait of the movement among Indigenous communities to reclaim spiritual, political, and cultural identities through food sovereignty. Kitty R. Lynn Lickers and Dr. Adrianne Xavier from McMaster University's Indigenous Studies Department will be guest speakers for the evening. They managed the Our Sustenance program in the community of Six Nations. The screening and discussion is hosted on ZOOM. Register and view the full schedule of events at:

https://reeljustice.hamiltondiocese.com/. An exciting partnership between the Bishop Farrell Library and Archives and Development and Peace, the Reel Justice Film Festival shines a spotlight on social, political and economic justice concerns.