



# St. Ann's Parish

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## Welcome and Registration

Welcome to St. Ann's! 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.

## Prayer Network — 905-648-3341

Lynn Vallentin — [jamantval@hotmail.com](mailto:jamantval@hotmail.com)

## Legion of Mary — phone/text Julia 289-489-9487

## Knights of Columbus

Grand Knight, Jim Galvin — [jgalvinkoc26@gmail.com](mailto:jgalvinkoc26@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 5:00 p.m.; Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.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.

# The Most Holy Trinity

## Mass Intentions The Most Holy Trinity



From the desk of:

**DAVID DAYLER**

### Tuesday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>

7:00 p.m. Intentions of Jane & Mike Reilly  
Intentions of Stella Ammendolia  
† Peter Lee  
† George Boyd Millar

### Wednesday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>

8:00 a.m. † Mitch Dubet  
† Mirella & Joseph Infanti

### Thursday, June 4<sup>th</sup>

8:00 a.m. Intentions of Mike Morton  
† Ken Ross Hajas

### Friday, June 5<sup>th</sup>

8:00 a.m. † All Souls in Purgatory  
† Krystyna Budyta

### Saturday, June 6<sup>th</sup>

5:00 p.m. † Gabriel Runco  
† Alexander Osting

## Diocesan Prayer Calendar

Week of May 31, 2026

***Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity***

*Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass*

This week we especially pray for:

Monday	Rev. Msgr. Theodore Slaman
Tuesday	Rev. Gianluca Roso, M.C.C.J.
Wednesday	Discalced Carmelite Fathers, O.C.D.
Thursday	Rev. Edward Henhoeffer
Friday	Catholic Youth & Young Adults
Saturday	Rev. Sam Restivo, C.R.

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 married couples, priests, consecrated virgins, sisters, brothers, and lay ministers. Make me an instrument to encourage others to give of themselves and challenge me to do the same. Amen.

## St. Ann, Pray for Us!

## THE HOLY TRINITY

One of the most beautiful and difficult mysteries of the Christian faith is the mystery of the Holy Trinity.

The mystery of the Holy Trinity stands at the very center of Catholic faith. Every time Catholics make the Sign of the Cross, participate in the Mass, or pray the Creed, they proclaim belief in one God who exists as three divine Persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Yet for many believers, the Trinity can feel distant or difficult to understand. How can God be both one and three? While the Trinity can never be fully explained by human reason, it can be prayerfully contemplated through Scripture, tradition, and the lived experience of faith. The Trinity is not simply a theological puzzle to solve; it is the revelation of who God is—an eternal communion of love inviting humanity into relationship.

Perhaps the most important point I would like to make today is:

The truth about the Trinity is that it is not a puzzle to be solved so much as a mystery to be entered into.

The Gospel reveals God first as Father. Jesus constantly speaks of the Father not as a remote ruler, but as one who loves, provides, forgives, and calls each person by name. In the Old Testament, God formed a covenant with Israel and remained faithful even when the people failed. In Jesus, this fatherly love becomes even more intimate. Christ teaches his disciples to pray “Our Father,” reminding believers that they are children of God, not servants living in fear. The Father is the source of all life and goodness, creating the world out of love and sustaining it through grace. For Catholics, recognizing God as Father means understanding that human life has dignity, purpose, and belonging.

The second Person of the Trinity is the Son, Jesus Christ. Catholics believe that Jesus is fully God and fully human. Through the Incarnation, God entered human history, sharing in suffering, joy, weakness, and even death. Jesus does not merely teach about God; he reveals God completely. In seeing Christ heal the sick, forgive sinners, and sacrifice himself on the Cross, believers encounter the very heart of God. The Son’s obedience to the Father demonstrates perfect love, and

his Resurrection opens the way to eternal life. Catholics understand salvation not as an abstract idea, but as a relationship restored through Christ. Jesus bridges the separation caused by sin and draws humanity back into communion with the Father.

The Holy Spirit, the third Person of the Trinity, is often the most difficult to describe because the Spirit works quietly within hearts and communities. Yet the Spirit is deeply present in Catholic life. At Pentecost, the Spirit descended upon the apostles, giving them courage to preach the Gospel. The Spirit continues to guide the Church, inspire holiness, and strengthen believers through the sacraments. In Baptism and Confirmation, Catholics receive the Holy Spirit in a special way, becoming temples of God's presence.

One helpful way to reflect on the Trinity is to see it as a perfect relationship of love. The Father eternally loves the Son, the Son returns that love completely to the Father, and the Holy Spirit is the living bond of that love. The Trinity teaches Catholics that love is not optional; it is the deepest truth of existence.

The Trinity also shapes Catholic worship. The Mass itself is profoundly Trinitarian. Catholics pray to the Father, through the Son, in the unity of the Holy Spirit. Every sacrament flows from the life of the Trinity. Baptism is administered "in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." The Eucharist unites believers with Christ and draws them into divine communion. Even ordinary prayer reflects this mystery, whether through the Sign of the Cross or the Gloria.

The Trinity reveals a God who is never distant but constantly reaching toward humanity. For Catholics, the call is not merely to explain the Trinity intellectually, but to live in its image—loving others selflessly, building unity, and remaining open to God's grace. In contemplating the Trinity, believers discover both the mystery of God and the true meaning of human life: to live forever in communion with divine love.

When we make the Sign of the Cross today, let us do so slowly and thoughtfully. Let us remember that we belong to the Father who created us, the Son who redeemed us, and the Holy Spirit who sanctifies us. And let us pray that our lives may increasingly reflect the unity, love and communion of the Holy Trinity, In the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

## DEVOTION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

As we prepare to enter the month of June, traditionally dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, Bishop Joseph Dabrowski invites all the faithful of the Diocese of Hamilton to renew this beautiful devotion. Rooted in the Gospel, devotion to the Sacred Heart draws us to contemplate the personal, healing, and transforming love of Christ. Please read our Bishop's pastoral letter prayerfully and join us in this devotion.

We invite you to say at the beginning of each day this prayer;

*O Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer you my prayers, works, joys and sufferings of this day for all of the intentions of your Sacred Heart, in union with the holy sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world, in thanksgiving for your favours, in reparation for my sins, for the intentions of all my family and friends, and in particular for the intentions of the Holy Father, Amen.*

Additional prayers and resources for the Month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus are available on the diocesan website: [www.hamiltondiocese.com/sacredheart](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com/sacredheart)

## THE 14<sup>TH</sup> DIANNE BABOTH MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

*In Support of McMaster Children's Hospital*

Thanks to generous support, this tournament has funded 3 outdoor playgrounds at MacKids and an outdoor playground at The Ron Joyce Children's Health Centre. The funds have also supported the Therapeutic Wellness Centre at MacKids and the Pediatric Oncology Clinic. Ambassador Leaf Captain *Darryl Sittler* will be in attendance to welcome golfers as this tournament is near and dear to his heart.

You can support by: golf, sponsor a hole, donate a silent auction prize, donate directly, and a tax receipt will be provided: [dbmemorial.com](http://dbmemorial.com) For more information please visit the above website or call **Rob Baboth at 905-518-3345**.

**Event details. Thursday, August 6, 2026,  
Flamborough Hills Golf Club  
71 Highway 51, Copetown.**

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (Council 10009)

The 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Taste of Ancaster Fundraiser will take place on Thursday, June 25<sup>th</sup> from 6 p.m. -9 p.m. at Marquis Gardens, 1365 Sandhill Dr., Ancaster. For more information visit the Taste of Ancaster Facebook page.