



11th Sunday in Ordinary Time June 17 - 18, 2023

Mass Intentions June 19 – 25, 2023

Prayer Calendar

	St. Anne	St. Joseph	Diocese of Hamilton
Monday 8:00 am	No Mass	† Alyssa Madore – Darlene Clausing	Very Rev. Paul Panaretos, S.J.
Tuesday 7:00 pm	† Scott Williamson – Rita Williamson	Liturgy of the Word	Rev. Franjo Sprajc
Wednesday 8:00 am 7:00 pm	Int of Mary Lou – family Int of Daniel Andrade – J & S Andrade	No Mass	Comboni Missionaries (M.C.C.J.)
Thursday 8:00 am	Int of Parishioners	Int of Joxy & family - Johnny Baby 6:00 pm St Bernadette School Mass	Rev. Wieslaw Berdowicz, S.Ch.
Friday 8:00 am	Int of Victor Pfeifer – Mom & Erica 1:00 pm St Anne School Mass	Liturgy of the Word 10:30 am Conestoga Lodge Mass	Rev. Valentine Onwunjiogu
Saturday St. Anne 4 pm St. Joseph 5 pm	† Ines Apunte – J & S Andrade † Robert Eckert – Al & Marilyn Schleimer † Bert Freiburger – Al & Marilyn Schleimer	† Andrew & Mary Kossuth – Frank Kossuth † Teresa Viveiros - family † Ildebrando Silveira – Maria Silveira † Carlos Codeco – Julia Maximino	SOLEMNITY Nativity of Saint John the Baptist - Patron of French Canadians
Sunday St. Anne 9:30 am St. Joseph 11 am	† June & Joe Walter – Maureen Rodrigues † Mike McGrath - Yvonne	† Orlanda Amorim - husband † Manuel & Vera Amorim - family	

SUNDAY MASS

Our weekend and weekday Masses are celebrated at the usual times (see above).

Church Offering Report: once a month. Offertory envelopes can be dropped off in the parish mailbox. Please call the office to pick up your Church envelopes.

Pre-Authorized Giving: next withdrawal – *July 15th*

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

St. Anne: Monday: Closed, Tuesday to Friday 8:30–11:30am

St. Joseph: Monday: Closed, Tuesday to Friday 12:30-3:30pm

DIOCESAN VOCATION CORNER

“The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore, ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.” If you feel God is calling you to be a priest, religious, permanent deacon or consecrated virgin, call Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

Website: hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

This Week's Liturgical Readings

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- 1) Exodus 19:1-6a
- 2) Romans 5:6-11
- 3) Matthew 9:36–10:8

FOCUS: The kingdom of heaven is at hand.

God's heart has been moved with pity for us throughout salvation history. God sees us in our wanderings, like sheep without a shepherd. Our readings today weave together a tender saga of God's loving care as he works to gather us back unto himself.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

In the first reading, God reminds the Israelites of his care, exhorts them to keep his covenant, and promises to make them a kingdom of priests, a holy nation. In Paul's Letter to the Romans, we are reminded that we were reconciled, while we were still helpless, through Christ. In the Gospel, Jesus is moved with pity and sends his disciples to heal and preach.

ST ANNE: ST VINCENT DE PAUL



Thank you for your continued support for St. Anne's St. Vincent de Paul Society. Your generosity to date has provided food vouchers to approximately 40 families per month. Food vouchers are mailed to our clients once a month. Since January we have mailed 200 vouchers for a total of approximately \$10,000. Volunteers are needed on Monday mornings between 8:30 - 10:30 am to help prepare these vouchers for mailing. Please contact the Parish Office at 519-745-5302 with name and contact information.

ST JOSEPH: ST VINCENT DE PAUL



Please support the work of the St Joseph Society of St. Vincent de Paul. SSVF provides assistance to those in need in our area. If you can, please help us continue our mission by donating in the boxes at the entrance of the church, or through this month's envelope on **Sunday, June 18**. Thank you for all your generous support and prayers!

ST JOSEPH: SAVE THE DATE – PARISH PICNIC

The social committee is planning a picnic on **Saturday, August 12** after the 5:00 Mass. Put the date in your calendar! We welcome help with ideas, organizing and/or on the day of the picnic. Contact Marlene, Marie S., Aarushi, Maria Rosa, Johny, Gloria, Paul or the parish office if interested.

ST ANNE / ST MARY'S CWL

St. Mary's/St. Anne's Catholic Women's League - greetings and blessings dear ladies - a huge thank you to everyone who supported us on our first Social/Fundraiser held on Sunday, June 11. We sincerely appreciate everyone who helped in the preparation of this event; many thanks to all who attended and supported us financially! For those who did attend, we hope you had a good time, and ate well!!! You are all in our Prayers! Enjoy a blessed and safe summer!

ST ANNE & ST JOSEPH: BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

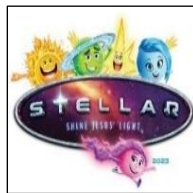


This fundraiser ends this weekend: June 18 (Father's Day). Please return your baby bottles and donations to the baskets at the Church entrances. Thank you for your generous support.

CARMEL OF ST JOSEPH – SAVE THE DATE

The Carmel of St. Joseph Guild invites all members, families & friends to attend the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass to be held at the Carmel of St. Joseph Monastery, St. Agatha on **Sunday, July 16**, at 2:00 pm. The Rosary will precede the Mass. The celebrant will be Auxiliary Bishop Wayne Lobsinger.

ST ANNE & ST JOSEPH – VBS



3...2...1...BLAST OFF!! Registration for Stellar Vacation Bible school is now half full! If your child would like to join us for our half-day summer camp August 21 to 25, please register now as spots go quickly! Online registration for camp and more information is available at <https://bit.ly/stellar2023>. Interested teen and adult volunteers, please contact Mary Forcier at mforcier@hamiltondiocese.com

NATIONAL INDIGENOUS DAY

Wednesday, June 21 is National Indigenous Peoples Day in Canada. There are three groups of Indigenous Peoples in Canada: First Nations, Inuit and Métis. Canadians are invited to join Indigenous Peoples to learn about Indigenous languages, history and culture; to celebrate and share in deeper reflection and public dialogue on our relationships with one another. We recognize and celebrate the history, heritage, resilience and diversity of First Nations, Inuit and Métis across Canada. We will be sharing important Calls to Action every week in this bulletin until September 30 – please read and give thought to learning more and getting involved. We encourage you to participate in activities in our community to learn more about the richness and diversity of First Nations, Inuit and Métis cultural expressions and stories.



ST ANNE & ST JOSEPH - SHARELENT: THINKFAST

Thank you and congratulations to all of our youth who participated in THINKfast in support of Development and Peace last weekend. Through prayer, fasting, and exploration, 14 young people took 25 hours to learn about climate justice and how Catholics are working to make a difference. Their witness and openness is a great witness to us all. Special thank you to Mary Jane for providing us with a tour of the Reep House for Sustainable Living. We also thank everyone who supported the youth in their fundraising. Together they raised \$675 for Development and Peace!

ST ANNE & ST JOSEPH – SPAM EMAILS

We would like to remind everyone to be cautious when checking their email. Some parishioners are receiving emails from unscrupulous individuals using Fr. Brian Quigley's name and identity and asking you to look at photos or click on links. Be wary of fake emails. Fraudulent email accounts are cleverly configured to look at first glance like legitimate ones. DO NOT reply to a suspicious email. Please call the office if you are unsure about an email claiming to be from Fr. Brian, or any of the office staff.

MARIAN DAYS CELEBRATIONS

HAMILTON DIOCESAN MARIAN DAYS – These days will be celebrated from June to October 2023 at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph. The day starts with Confessions at 9:00 am followed by Mass at 10:00 am, Rosary Procession at 11:00 am & lunch at 12:00 pm, Holy Hour & Marian Catechesis at 1:00 pm. The day will close with Benediction at 2:00 pm. Please bring your own lunch. Coffee & Tea will be available. Presiders will be, Bishop Douglas Crosby: Saturday, July 1; Bishop Gerard Bergie: Saturday, August 5; Bishop Wayne Lobsinger: Saturday, September 2; Thomas Cardinal Collins: Saturday, October 7. Please see bulletin board at Church entrances for more information.

ST AGATHA CWL: GARDEN TOUR INVITATION



St. Agatha CWL is proud to sponsor a garden tour on **Sunday, June 25, 11:00 am – 4:30pm**, including five estate gardens. Also, a stop on the

church grounds where you will find a nostalgic hot dog stand, penny raffle and antique car show. Tickets are \$10 and are available at the church on the day of the tour or by emailing cwlstagatha@gmail.com. More information is on the bulletin boards at Church entrances.

YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT - GUELPH

July 1st - Our diocesan Vocations Office invites all young adults (ages 20s & 30s) of our diocese to attend our Canada Day Young Adults Night. Arrival and Holy Hour in the church (6:30pm-7:30 pm), social with food, testimony/talk and Compline (9:00pm) in the Hall followed by Canada Day Fireworks from the Hill. Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate (28 Norfolk Street, Guelph). For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

WORLD YOUTH DAY - PORTUGAL

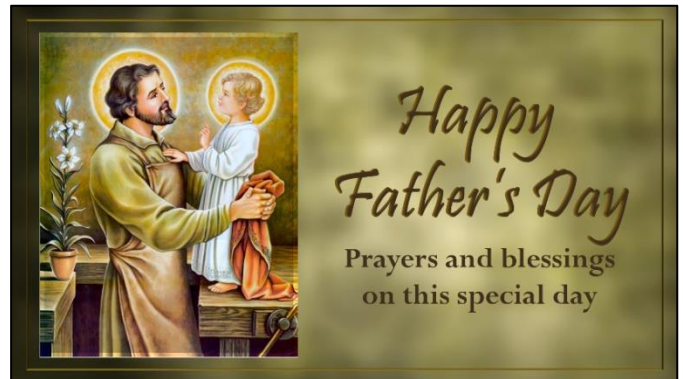
WORLD YOUTH DAY IN THE DIOCESE OF HAMILTON – Did you know that 39 delegates from the Diocese will be traveling to the international celebration of World Youth Day in Portugal this summer? Led by the Holy Father, Pope Francis, these pilgrims will have the opportunity to pray alongside thousands of young people from around the world in celebration and thanksgiving for the gift of the Holy Church. We need your help! Please pray for our young people on their journey and keep up to date on our pilgrimage by following us on social media: @officeofyouthministry (Instagram) or “Diocese of Hamilton Office of Youth Ministry” (Facebook).

DIOCESE: THE FAMILY & YOUTH OFFICE

Summer should be a time of relaxation, slowed schedules and time spent together as a family. All three of these are essential elements for good mental health for all family members, including children. So, together spend time outdoors, play games, cook or bake and pray because these are the moments that will strengthen your family bond. Take a holiday from social media and devices while doing so, which can help to prevent the negative mental health issues in children they are known to produce. Renew your commitment to in person, device free time together this summer and watch your children thrive.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

Blessed is the father who lets the Lord be his guiding hand,
whose faith brings his family courage,
whose wisdom comes from God and
whose children still stand and honour him.



Know that the LORD is God.

It is He who made us,
and we are His;

we are His people,
the sheep of His pasture.

Psalm 100:3