



3rd Sunday of Easter April 30 - May 1, 2022



	Mass Intentions M	Prayer Calendar		
	St. Anne	St. Joseph	Diocese of Hamilton	
Monday 8:00 am	No Mass	+ T.J. Hogan – Margaret Boland	Rev. Florian Stasinski, C.R	
Tuesday 7:00 pm	+ Ernesto, Trindade & Paulino Matias - Family	Spec Int Hans & Christa Gollek - Erica & Gerhard Komptor	Rev. Jim Valk, C.R.	
Wednesday 8:00 am	+ Catherine Nowak - Hayek Family	No Mass	Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate (S.S.M.I.)	
Thursday 8:00 am	+ Frank Regan – Maureen & Tony Jordan	+ Marie Rita Essogo - Estelle	Rev. Adam Wroblewicz, C.R.	
Friday 8:00 am	+ Manuel, Maria & Paulino Matias - Family	+ Henry Sunga – Friend/Parishioner	Very Rev. Aleksander Mazur, S.A.C.	
Saturday St. Anne 4 pm St.Joseph 5 pm	+ Ray Koch – Henry & LeeAnn Walser Spec Int Simon van Riel - Friend	+ Maria Goulart – Friends at St. Joseph Place + Manuel Pinheiro – Antonietta + Giovanni Gemmiti – Tony Finoro	Rev. Sutherland MacDonald, C.R.	
Sunday St. Anne 9:30 am St. Joseph 11 am	+ Martin Brenner – Jerry & Linda + Tom Weiler – Jerry & Linda Brenner	+ Ildebrando Silveira – Maria Silveira+ Tony Cadilha – Antonio & Odette+ Henry Sunga – Family		

SUNDAY MASS

Our Churches are open, and we follow public health measures. Masks are encouraged. Our weekend and weekday Masses are celebrated at the usual times.

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 – *Mav15th* More information is available on our websites.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Effective January 3rd, 2022, the Parish Office will be open: ST ANNE: Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 8:30 am to12noon ST JOSEPH: Tuesday to Friday from 12:30 to 4pm

DIOCESAN VOCATION CORNER

How am I being called to feed the lambs of Jesus? Could it be as an ordained or consecrated person? If God is calling you to be a priest. religious or deacon, contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger,

Director of Vocations and Priestly Formations, Diocese of Hamilton (905-528-7988)

vocations@hamiltondiocese.com www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations

This Week's Liturgical Readings

May 1st - 3rd Sunday of Easter

- 1) Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41
- 2) Revelation 5:11-14
- 3) John 21:1-19 or 21:1-14

FOCUS: We continue to celebrate and give thanks for the gift of the Resurrection.

As we continue to celebrate this glorious season of Easter, our readings today show us how the Resurrection was preached and made manifest to the early Church. They also indicate how Jesus' first followers were strengthened in their faith, becoming enthusiastic and faithful witnesses to the risen Lord.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

The Apostles continue to speak out in the name of Jesus despite formal warnings from the Jewish authorities. John writes of the vision he had which included angels surrounding a throne and all creatures gave praise to the one who sat on the throne. In the Gospel, Jesus reveals Himself once again to the disciples, while they are fishing. Jesus asks Peter three times if he loves him and tells Peter to take care of his sheep.

HANDICRAFT HOLY LAND CHRISTIANS

This weekend, April 31– May 1, our parishes welcome our special guest, Sebastien Cardinal of "Handicraft Holy Land Christians", who after all the Masses will briefly address the concerns regarding the Christian presence in the Holy Land. Christians in the Holy Land graciously ask the support of your prayers. They have many unique hand carved olive wood religious art pieces made by these families in Bethlehem: these are available for purchase after every Mass. Proceeds of the sales generate much needed employment for our Christian brothers and sisters in Bethlehem. May God bless you for your generosity, for your help and for your prayers." Cash, debit, credit cards and cheque will be accepted. You can visit and support us at: www.HolylandChristians.ca

REACHING OUT TO ST ANNE & ST JOSEPH

We are excited that the restrictions are being lifted and we can now have 2 Lectors at each Mass. We are reaching out to Parishioners to see if anyone is interested in being a Lector or a Eucharistic Minister. We hope that you will consider joining one of these Ministries. Please call or e-mail the Parish Offices and let us know:

St Anne – 519-745-5302: <u>stannekitchener@hamiltondiocese.com</u> St Joseph – 519-745-9302:<u>stjosephkitchener@hamiltondiocese.com</u>

ST. JOSEPH PARISH SIGN-UP SUNDAY

Please join us downstairs in the Parish Hall after the weekend Masses on April 30/May 1. St. Joseph Parish will hold its Sign-up Sunday for the various Parish Ministries: Ministers of Hospitality, Ministers of the Eucharist, Ministers of the Word, Ministers of Music, Altar Servers (both Adult and Youth), Social Committee, Building Committee, Society of St. Vincent de Paul, who spearhead the Parish outreach to the poor in their community, The Catholic Women's League, open to all Catholic Women of the Parish. Please give prayerful consideration to joining one or more of these ministries. None of them requires an inordinate amount of time, and each one provides great rewards and satisfaction. There are positions available for everyone, regardless of age or time in the Parish.

INDIGENOUS RECONCILIATION FUND

As outlined by Bishop Crosby, the Diocese of Hamilton has committed \$4 million to the Canada-wide \$30 million pledge toward healing and reconciliation initiatives. In support of these initiatives, annual in-pew collections will take place beginning this May, in all parishes of the Diocese. Special collection envelopes will be distributed to all parishioners this weekend, with the collection to be taken up May 14 and 15. This will be a sign of our commitment to walk with the First Nations, Metis and Inuit Peoples of our land. Please be generous as we stand in respect of their resiliency, strength, and wisdom, while listening to and learning from one another.

ST JOSEPH APRIL PARISH SUPPORT							
	Regular	Loose	ShareL't	Fwers	Gd Fri	Easter	Building
Apr. 03	1345	75	679	0	0	0	0
Apr. 10	520	75	50	60	0	0	337
PAG 15	2950	0	805	0	540	490	475
Apr.15-17	1835	572	155	170	695	1405	150
Apr. 24	545	70	0	0	40	50	0
Totals	7195	792	1689	230	1275	1945	962

CELEBRATION OF PRIESTHOOD

Serra Club of invites you to an appreciation Mass on Tuesday, May 3rd at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King (Hamilton), starting at 7 pm. We will celebrate and honour our brothers and sisters who have chosen the Priesthood or Consecrated/Religious Life and have marked their 50th anniversary serving Hamilton Diocese in 2020, 2021, and 2022. Please visit: https://celebrationprl.wixsite.com/dinner call Margaret Carreiro at 905-628-5682 for further details.

CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK

Catholic Education Week is celebrated this year from May 1 to 6. The theme is **"Rebuild, Restore, Renew Together".** A diocesan package of information includes the following items:

- full text of Bishop Crosby's Message for Catholic Education Week is distributed with our bulletin this weekend. (copies available at the back of the Church
- Bishop Crosby's video-message on YouTube: https://youtu.be/95R1VYx0rHo
- A Resource Site: <u>https://hamiltondiocese.com/catholic-education-week/</u>
- A pre-taped Liturgy of the Word: https://youtu.be/sBPWo2RTgRg.
- A Prayer for Educators can be found on our Parish websites.

BIG SPRING CLEAN UP 2022



We return to the very popular Kitchener Knights of Columbus Annual Great Big Spring Clean-up, on Saturday May 7th from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Bring your discarded and unwanted, to the St. Anthony

Daniel parking lot at Ottawa and Franklin. We will be collecting all your old electronics TV, computers, laptops and cellphones, your scrap metal, that includes copper, stainless steel and brass. Also, any gently used clothing is acceptable. It's been over two years but the Kitchener K of C is again able to support local charities.

MISSING AND MURDERED INDIGENOUS PEOPLE

Red dress day, May 5, is a day of honouring missing and murdered Indigenous people. It raises awareness and action for the high and disproportionate rates of violence against, and the high number of missing and murdered Indigenous women and girls throughout Turtle Island. The Healing of the 7 Generations on Fredrick St are hosting a community walk and evening candlelight vigil on Thursday May 5. We hope many parishioners will attend the walk or the vigil to learn more about our Indigenous people. For more information please go to healingofthesevengenerations.ca

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Apr. 03	1345	45	1629	0	0	0		
Apr. 10	1925	70	890	0	0	0		
PAG 15	4883	0	1115	610	940	0		
Apr.15-1	7 205	105	150	689	2145	0		
Apr. 24	970	30	0	130	330	35		
Totals	9328	250	3784	1429	3415	35		