



St Anne Parish

First Sunday of Lent
March 5 - 6, 2022

St Joseph Church



Mass Intentions March 7 – March 13, 2022

Prayer Calendar

St. Anne

St. Joseph

Diocese of Hamilton

Monday 8:00 am	No Mass	+ Maria Giuseppini - Friend	Rev. Patrick Ohl
Tuesday 7:00 pm	NO MASS	6 – 8:00 pm Veneration/Exposition (with 7 pm Mass), of the Relic of St. Andre Besstte (Bro. Andre) + Zacharias – Johnny - Intentions of Erika Pfeifer	Rev. Jerzy Tomon
Wednesday 8:00 am	+ John Currie - Friend	NO MASS	Sisters of St. Joseph of Cluny (S.J.C.)
Thursday 8:00 am	+ Harvey Carrière - Friend	+ Jose de Sousa	Rev. Francisco Sordo
Friday 8:00 am 7:00 pm	+ Michael Ioannidis - Hayek Family Stations of the Cross	Stations of the Cross	Rev. David Perrin
Saturday St. Anne 4 pm St. Joseph 5 pm	+ Nada Giovinazzo - Mary & John Kobetich	+ Manuel Lameira – Fernanda + Andrew & Mary Kossuth – Frank + Maria da Luz Medeiros – Maria Da Costa	Very Rev. Wojciech Kuzma
Sunday St. Anne 9:30 am St. Joseph 11 am	+ Gador Marton – Laura Wilhelm Sp Int Faith Brenden - Friend	Paulina & Luis D’Rosa – A&A Arruda +Mila Navaleza – Zennie and family	

SUNDAY MASS

Our Churches are open, and we follow public health measures of masking and social distancing. Our weekend and weekday Masses are celebrated at the usual times.
Livestreaming of Sunday Mass has been discontinued.

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 – March 15th*
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 to 12 noon
ST JOSEPH: Tuesday to Friday from 12:30 to 4pm

2021 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

... have now all been mailed out from the Parish and St. Vincent de Paul

This Week's Liturgical Readings

MARCH 6, 2022 – 1st SUNDAY OF LENT

- 1) Deuteronomy 26:4-10
- 2) Romans 10:8-13
- 3) Luke 4:1-13

FOCUS Faithfulness to God is rewarded with grace and strength.

The Church has begun the spiritual journey of this Holy Season of Lent. With Christ, we enter the desert – to confront the Evil One and resist his false and empty promises. Once again, we seek the abundant mercy and power of God.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Moses gives the people instruction on giving proper praise and thanksgiving before the Lord God. Saint Paul writes, *if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved*. In the Gospel, Jesus is led into the desert by the Spirit, where he overcomes three temptations by the devil.

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STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Please join us every Friday during Lent for the Stations of the Cross, at 7:00 pm at both St. Anne and St. Joseph.

RELIC OF SAINT BROTHER ANDRE

What: Exposition and veneration of the relic and blessing with the Oil of St. Joseph from St. Joseph's Oratory, Montreal.

When: Tuesday, March 8, 2022, 6:00 pm

Where: St. Joseph Church

PLEASE NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO 7 PM MASS AT ST. ANNE

This third-class relic is a piece of cloth which was touched to the relics of Saint Brother Andre Bessette. The exact date that this relic was created is unknown, but it was sometime after 1937. Saint Andre of Montreal (1845-1937) was an important Catholic figure in Canada and is known to have done miraculous healings

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE

This year D & P — Caritas Canada's *People and Planet First* campaign calls you to support our sisters and brothers in the Global South in defending their rights and the planet. Do this by:



1. **Donating** online at devp.org/give or during the Solidarity Sunday collection on April 3, the fifth Sunday of Lent. Your generosity helps support over 85 projects in 27 countries around the world!
2. **Learning more** by reading the **Mini-magazine** and other resources available at devp.org/lent/resources.
3. **Signing the petition** for strong laws to control Canadian corporations' behaviour abroad at devp.org/act.

Week 1: March 6

Development and Peace: a movement of solidarity



Established in 1967, Development and Peace — Caritas Canada is the official international solidarity organization of the Catholic Church in Canada.

We partner with organizations in the Global South that promote alternatives to unjust social, political, and economic structures and support women in their quest for equality and justice.

With the help of over 11,000 volunteer members, we inform Canadians about the root causes of impoverishment and mobilize them to act for change. Our Lenten campaign, *People and Planet First*, offers you the opportunity to help protect vulnerable communities.

ST. ANNE FEBRUARY PARISH SUPPORT

	Regular	Seminary	Loose	Building
Feb 6	1685	370	0	0
Feb 13	3045	30	0	0
PAG 15	4893	680	0	0
Feb 20	820	0	50	0
Feb 27	1590	5	20	115
Totals	12,033	1085	70	115

ST. JOSEPH JANUARY PARISH SUPPORT

	Regular	Seminary	Loose	Building
Feb 6	1675	334	0	0
Feb 13	1655	120	55	366
PAG 15	2960	515	0	690
Feb 20	775	0	0	0
Feb 27	530	20	145	165
Totals	7595	989	200	1,221

PARISH ONLINE SYNOD NEWS

About 50 already participated in our three-week on-line synod listening sessions. They were a dedicated and thoughtful group. The final report will be made available to everyone in our parishes and many others now have an opportunity to be a part of this exciting The Bishop Crosby has broadened the consultation process – that's how important it is that everyone's voice is heard!!

There are several choices:

1. you may wish to respond to the questionnaire electronically by going on-line to: <http://hamiltondiocese.com/synod/>
2. download the Synod Consulting Questionnaire, print or legibly write your responses to the questions, and return the questionnaire to the Parish Office mailbox, or dropping it in the collection basket
3. pick up a hard copy of the questionnaire at the back of the Church this weekend, complete it and return it to the Parish, by March 28th To quote the Bishop: "this invitation of Pope Francis to 'let your voice be heard' is an extraordinary opportunity for all of us to discover how the Holy Spirit is speaking in the Church today. I pray that all of us will personally experience the blessings of this Synod process!"

DIOCESAN VOCATION CORNER

How are you contributing to the treasury? God knows what gift we give to Him in love. Let us then be faithful to whatever vocation God calls us to live. Does Jesus want you to give your life to the Church? If you think that God is calling you to serve Him as a priest, religious or deacon, call the Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 ext. 2246 or e-mail: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
Website: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/>