



#### 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time September 17 – 18, 2022



|  | Mass Intentions September 19 – September 25, 2022  |  | Prayer Calendar                       |
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|  | St. Anne   | St. Joseph   | Diocese of Hamilton                   |
| Monday<br>8:00 am                              | No Mass  | + Dec. members of Kohanosky,<br>Rovinsky & Hilinaky families - Renata<br>+ Nicholas Flanaghan – Maureen<br>Levacic | Rev. Francesco Cucchi.                |
| Tuesday<br>7:00 pm                             | <ul> <li>+ Dec. members of Kohanosky, Rovinsky</li> <li>&amp; Hilinaky families - Renata</li> <li>+ Karolina &amp; Frank Petrie</li> <li>Spec Int Aimeé Aquin - Grandma</li> </ul> | Spec Int Eminjoe Pius and Family – Johny Baby  | Rev. Mark Gatto                       |
| Wednesday<br>8:00 am                           | + Freta & Alfred Hayek – Hayek family  | No Mass  | Chancery Staff                        |
| Thursday<br>8:00 am                            | + Edwin Young – Betty & family   | Sp Int David & Daniel Andrade –J & S<br>Andrade  | Rev. Patras Samuel Masih              |
| Friday<br>8:00 am                              | + Daniella Abbruzzese - Friend   | 8:00 am - + Souls in Purgatory -friends<br>10:30 am – Mass at Conestoga Lodge                                      | Rev. Saju Oreethaparambil,<br>C.Ss.R. |
| Saturday<br>St. Anne 4 pm<br>St.Joseph 5 pm    | + Ray Koch – Family<br>+ Patricia Gohl – Millie Eckert   | + Souls in Purgatory – Fernanda<br>Lameira<br>+ Ildebrando Silveira – Maria S.                                     | Rev. Ambroise Tshiaba Ntumba          |
| Sunday<br>St. Anne 9:30 am<br>St. Joseph 11 am | + Luigi Scarbossa – Scarbossa family<br>Spec Int Jose Luis Tamayo – J & S<br>Andrade   | + Orlanda Amorim – Carlos Amorim<br>+ Maria de Fatima Vitorino – Vitorino<br>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 – *October 15th* More information is available on our websites.

#### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

St. Anne: Monday, Wednesday, Friday – 8:30 – 12:30 St. Joseph: Tuesday – Friday 12:30 to 4 p.m.

#### **DIOCESAN VOCATION CORNER**

We cannot serve two masters. Which one are you willing to follow? Could it be you are being called to serve the Master as a priest, deacon, sister, or brother? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formations, Diocese of Hamilton (905-528-7988) Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com/www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations

## This Week's Liturgical Readings

### SEPT. 18 – 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 1) Amos 8:4-7
- 2) 1 Timothy 2:1-8
- 3) Luke 16:1-13 or 16:10-13

# FOCUS: The person who is trustworthy in small matters is also trustworthy in great ones.

Loving God and neighbour are the highest priorities for Christians. The prophets challenged the Israelites when their love of wealth led to neglecting God and warned them against treating others unjustly and dishonestly. Jesus reinforces the message: Our relationship with God requires a commitment to a higher calling by remaining true to Him and treating others with honesty, generosity and justice.

#### LITURGY OF THE WORD

In the first reading, Amos warns those who trample upon the needy that the Lord will not forget the way they have treated the poor. In the second reading, Saint Paul advises Timothy to pray for everyone, including those in authority. In the Gospel, Jesus uses the parable of the dishonest steward to teach His disciples about trustworthiness.

#### WATERLOO DISTRICT CATHOLIC SCHOOL BOARD



WE ARE HIRING! We are currently accepting applications for the following opportunities:

#### Occasional Teachers

Please visit our website For job details and application criteria: www.wcdsb.ca

#### **HAMILTON DIOCESE MARIAN DAYS**

Join your brothers and sisters from around the Diocese in honouring Our Blessed Lady for the last Marian Day of the year with Bishop Crosby on October 1, 2022 at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph. Join us for confessions at 9:00 a.m. followed by the Holy Mass with Bishop Crosby at 10:00 am, the Solemn Crowning of Our Lady with Rosary at 11:00 a.m., and The Queen's Tea at 12:00 p.m., honouring the crowning of the image of our Lady. Cost for lunch is \$20.00 payable at the door. Call the Basilica to reserve your spot: (519) 824-3951.

#### **SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION**

Families with children who would like to receive First Eucharist or Confirmation this school year are invited to our upcoming information sessions. Families from both parishes are welcome on either date.



#### FIRST EUCHARIST (Grade 2 and up)

Sunday October 2 Monday October 3 6 pm at St Anne 6 pm at St Joseph

#### **CONFIRMATION (Grade 7 and up)**

Sunday October 16 Monday October 17 7 pm at St Anne 7 pm at St Joseph

#### **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL THANK YOU**



Many thanks to all who were involved in making VBS such a success! Our dedicated team - including 36 youth - worked hard to create an over-the-top underground adventure. Despite challenges, this year's crew of

volunteers and campers from both parishes kept their eyes on the light of the world. Here's to another *stellar* VBS in 2023!

#### **EVENINGS WITH BISHOP WAYNE LOBSINGER**

...continue this fall at St. Ann's Parish, Ancaster. Sessions are the **second Friday of each month** at 7:00 p.m. For more information, visit the Parish website: https://stannparish.ca/.

#### **OUR LADY OF SORROW SHRINE ST AGATHA**

A Pilgrimage Mass will be held Sept. 18th, inside and outside; Rosary @ 2pm; Mass @ 3pm. Archangels table to purchase precious sacramentals available.

#### **RIGHT TO LIFE ACTIVITIES**

This year's 40 Days for Life begins September 28. Opening rally with Mass at 7 pm, St Anthony Daniel on Tuesday Sept 27. To sign up go to 40daysforlife.com/kitchener

Life Chain October 2nd from 2-3 pm, in front of Kitchener City Hall – hold a sign in Silent Prayer

## MASS AND WALK FOR RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL SURVIVORS

Friday September 30 marks the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. Mass for Reconciliation will be celebrated at **9 am** in both parishes. All are then invited to walk to the Healing of the 7 Generations on Fredrick Street to join their "Every Child Matters" walk at 10 am.

#### JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

Do you love to cook? Do you find joy in nourishing others through good food? If so, we'd love to meet you! Marian Residence Retirement Home in Cambridge, ON is looking for a Sous Chef! Email us at careers@marianresidence.ca for more information on joining our team!

#### FROM THE DIOCESE....

Crisis in Pakistan: Our sisters and brothers in Pakistan are currently suffering a great climate disaster. Over 33 million people have been affected by unprecedent flooding across most of the country. To help our partners, Caritas Pakistan, cope with this crisis, Development and Peace has launched an appeal for funds. We have published an article about it on our website (www.devp.org). The Government of Canada is matching all donations to the cause dollar for dollar, up to September 28. Thank you for your support! The Donation Link is:

https://www2.devp.org/en/civicrm/contribute/transact?reset=1&id=3&ql=24501

\*\*\* Hiring Now!!! There are part-time and full-time career opportunities within the Diocese of Hamilton. Please look at their website: <a href="https://hamiltondiocese.com/job-opportunities">https://hamiltondiocese.com/job-opportunities</a> to see if there are positions that may interest you.