



SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

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St. Joseph Church

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June 12th, 2022 – The Most Holy Trinity (Solemnity)

Parish Staff

Pastor: Rev. Fr. Christopher Tracey
 Administrator: Rosalie Scarlett
 Secretary/Receptionist: Gloria Villamil

Parish Office Hours:

Tuesday to Friday 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday – 5:00 PM
 Sunday – 9:00 AM at St. Patrick Church
 11:00 AM at St. Joseph Church

WEEKDAY MASS:

Wednesday – 9:30 AM @ St. Joseph Church – cancelled this week
Other Weekday Masses are celebrated in private by Pastor.

Mass Intentions Week 11th in Ordinary Time

Date	Day	* / +	Mass Intention (+ Deceased or * Intention)	Clergy Hamilton Diocese
13-Jun-22	Mon	*	Pastor's Intentions	Rev. Michael King
14-Jun-22	Tue	*	Secular Franciscans	Rev. Gary Schlack
15-Jun-22	Wed	*	No Mass Scheduled	Disalced Carmelita Fathers (O.C.D.)
16-Jun-22	Thu	*	Eileen Sanderson	Rev. Mariusz Durbajlo
17-Jun-22	Fri	+	Frank Biener	Rev. Edward Hinsperger
18-Jun-22	Sat	+	Pauline Thorman	Rev. Marcolm Katzenberger
	9am -		Parish & Pandemic Front-Line Workers	The Body & Blood of Christ
19-Jun-22	11am	*	Millie Pooley	

Church Collections

This week's contributions were \$1778.05. Diocesan Contributions \$95.

Thank you to all who have continued to support our parish with your gifts!

Sacraments

Baptism:	Contact the parish office for information and registration.
Marriage:	Contact the parish office for an appointment one year in advance of date.
First Communion:	Next First Communions will be celebrated in 2023
Confirmation:	For students in Grades 7 & 8, Confirmations will be celebrated in 2023
R.C.I.A.:	Adults and children in Grade 3 and up.
Care of the Sick	To arrange pastoral visits to the sick in hospital or at home, please call the parish office.

Saint Vincent de Paul is collecting shampoo, bar soap, toilet paper, and dishwashing soap.

Hot Line: 519-832-2207

Contribute regular monthly donations to SSVP by PreAuthorized Remittance (PAR). Register at the parish office.

Baptism – Entering into the Body of Christ!

St. Joseph Parish is pleased to welcome a new Catholic: **Tessa Bozena Rice** (daughter of Jamie and Victoria Rice) baptized on Sunday, June 12th. We offer our congratulations and prayers to her family and friends.



Prayer for Vocations: Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. Listen to what Jesus says: “When the Spirit of Truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth.” What is the 'truth' of your life? How can you best serve God? If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton (905-528-7988).
vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

Mexican Workers: St. Joseph Parish delivered take-out meals to the 19 workers who arrived in May. Please join us for the Spanish Mass for the Mexican Workers which will be celebrated by Fr. Francisco Cruz, on Thursday June 23, at 7 pm.



Sacristans Needed for St. Joseph Church to assist the 5 pm Mass on Saturday, and the 11 am Mass on Sunday. If you attend Mass regularly and like to arrive early before Mass, you may want to be part of the team. The sacristan assists the priest by setting up the sacristy and Altar with the necessary items in preparation for the celebration of Mass. This is a very rewarding ministry to serve the Lord and the Church. If interested please call the Parish Office.



Faith Programs: To participate, please request a ZOOM invitation link from tcarolan06@gmail.com:
- **Faith Sharing:** This program will return in September.
- **Rosary:** Tuesdays at 7:00 PM. It will run throughout the summer.

Hospitality Sunday is back!

Join us to say “farewell” to **Rev. Fr. Christopher Tracey**, on Sunday June 26th after the 11 am Mass in Jubilee Hall.

After three years, we send Fr. Chris with our prayers and blessings, and wish him all the best at his new parish-Blessed Sacrament in Kitchener.

Vincentian Meditation

Gratitude is a good barometer of our spiritual condition. If you find that you are giving thanks to God frequently in your prayer, for big things and small; if you find yourself showing gratitude to others, your spiritual life is probably in a healthy condition. To give thanks is a sign of humility. If we are humble, we will certainly be in God's favor and His love, and the most valuable gift we can offer to the poor, will be in our hearts. If we have a grateful heart, we will see everything as gifts of God. May God give us the grace to be grateful for everything He has given us and to show that gratitude by generosity to others and to the poor. (McCullen, Deep Down Things, p. 203)

What fills you with gratitude?

Taken from SSVF Ontario Member Site

Franciscans' Little Corner



The Franciscans introduced the Christmas Crèche, got permission to place the Stations of the Cross in Catholic Churches, and to show respect to the Mother of God, introduced the noon hour prayer The Angelus.

There is Hope after an Abortion. Project Rachel is a ministry of healing for any person suffering pain or problems from an abortion experience. This confidential service allows people to work through their feelings and find hope and healing. Contact us at 905-526-1999 or 1888-385-3850.

Choice42 is a prolife group in Canada that encourages women to be fully educated about their options, and to realize that though it is their choice, they are making a choice for two. Make a choice! Choose life. Learn more going online at choice42.com

Pope's Prayer Intention:

We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.

The Sunday following the Solemnity of Pentecost commemorates the Mystery of the Most Blessed Trinity, the central mystery of Christian faith and life. It is the Mystery of God Himself. The Catechism of the Catholic Church (234) teaches that “by sending his only Son and the Spirit of Love in the fullness of time, God has revealed his innermost secret: God Himself is an eternal exchange of love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, and He has destined us to share in that exchange” (CCC 221). The Mystery of the Most Blessed Trinity reveals to us the truth about God and the truth about man, the human person created in God’s image and likeness. By worshiping the Trinity we realize the full truth about ourselves. For this reason, the worship of God in the profession of the true faith is the surest guarantee of a life of meaningful purpose. Read more at catholicinsight.com

The Dr. Patrick and Mrs. Gayle E. Cunningham Medical Scholarship has been established through the generosity of a benefactor in the Diocese, and will be accepting applications for 2022. The purpose of this scholarship is to afford Catholics, faithful to the teachings of the Church, the opportunity to pursue medical education. For questions, contact Francis Doyle, vice-Chancellor Temporal Affairs at 905-528-7988 or at fdoyle@hamiltondiocese.com. **Deadline is June 30, 2022**

2022 Baby Bottle Campaign

The Grey Bruce Pregnancy Centre is a support ministry for moms and families for unexpected pregnancies and for those who are in need through the early years. They are running the Baby Bottle Campaign from Mother's Day to Father's Day. It will be virtual again this year. You can participate by donating, through e-transfer to gbpreg.finance@gmail.com.

A Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, sponsored by the Institute for Catholic Education, begins on Wednesday, June 15th, and concludes on Friday, June 24th, the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Students in Catholic schools learn about this form of devotion in the Grade 6 Growing in Faith, Growing in Christ program during Unit 5. You can access the Novena online [here](#). We are grateful for the gift of publicly funded Catholic education in the Province of Ontario!

Family Love: A Vocation and A Path to Holiness is the sixth and final talk for the Hamilton Diocesan Speaker Series celebrating the Year of Amoris Laetitia Family. Our guest speaker will be Most Reverend Daniel J. Miehme, Bishop of the Diocese of Peterborough and former Auxiliary Bishop of Hamilton Diocese. Bishop Miehme will look at how through the life of the family and the love shared by its members, children learn about themselves and the seeds of their vocation are born. Every person is called to live in their family knowing the family itself is a call to an important vocation. Parents and children find their path to holiness with the vocation of the family. Join us **Wednesday, June 15th from 7-8:30p.m.** Check the Diocesan website at Speaker Series – Amoris Laetitia www.hamiltondiocese.com to register. For information, contact Teresa Hartnett at thartnett@hamiltondiocese.com or 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

Canadian Food for Children - As always, we are grateful for your monetary donation. You can mail cheques to: Canadian Food for Children, 1258 Lakeshore Rd. E., Mississauga, ON L5E 1E9 or donate on line via CanadaHelps. Or use a collection box at the entrance of the church.

The National Rosary for the Family, sponsored by the CCCB Standing Committee for Family and Life, will be prayed on Sunday, June 19th, beginning at 3:00 p.m. EDT (a time chosen to accommodate the various time zones across Canada). The nation-wide ZOOM prayer time is part of the preparation for the 19th World Meeting of Families (WMF) which will be held in Rome from June 22-26, 2022. You are invited to share in this prayer experience with your family and friends. The registration link can be accessed [here](#).

CNEWA – Catholic Near East Welfare Association – has received donations of an historic \$4 million in the past 100 days. The funds have been sent to support CNEWA’S partners in Ukraine to provide emergency services and humanitarian and pastoral support to Ukrainians from all walks of life, and to provide the displaced, the elderly and the sick with care, medical supplies, food, clothing and shelter, as well as educational programs and support for local priests. Online donations can be made to CNEWA at: www.cnewa.ca. Indicate it is for Ukraine.

When life gives you more than you can stand,
Kneel!

