

32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Masses Intentions

November 7 - 12, 2021

Sunday	11:00 a.m.	† Velia Javier
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	† Agatha Silva † Germaine Derby
Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	† Angela Durante
Thursday	8:30 a.m.	† Umberto Muccearoni
Friday	8:30 a.m.	† Bill Liston

Saturday Multiple Mass Intentions

November 13, 2021

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	† Charles Vienneau † Sandy Lahey † Gremaine Derby
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VOCATIONAL PRAYER CALENDAR

November 8 - 13, 2021

Mon.	Rev. Jeffery Oehring
Tue.	Rev. Francesco Cucchi
Wed.	Deceased Members of our Parish Community
Thur.	Rev. Mark Gatto
Fri.	Rev. Paul Patrick, O.M.I.
Sat.	Rev. Saju Oreethaparaqmbil, C,SSR

VOCATION VIEW

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time - November 7, 2021

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 feel the call is genuine call Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton, 905-528-7988 ext. 2246. vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

COLLECTION REPORT

October 24, 2021

Regular Donations

Collected from Envelopes/Loose	\$ 3,879.00
Pre-Auth. Oct 19 -25, 2021	\$ 670.00
Total	4,549.00
<u>Building Fund</u> Weekly Total	\$ 40.00
TOTAL	\$ 4,589.00

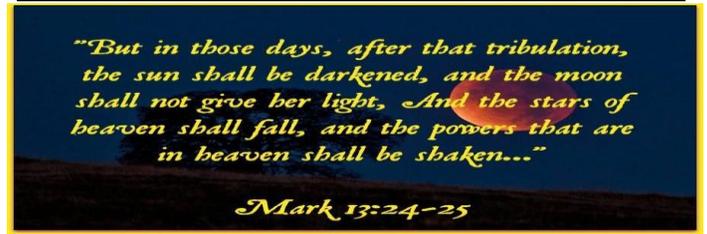
COLLECTION REPORT

October 31, 2021

Regular Donations

Collected from Envelopes/Loose	\$ 3,990.00
Pre-Auth. Oct 26 -31, 2021	\$ 650.00
Total	\$ 4,640.00
<u>Building Fund</u> Weekly Total	\$ 585.00
TOTAL	\$ 5,225.00

33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Mass Intentions

November 14 - 19, 2021

Sunday	9:00 a.m.	
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	† Holy Souls in Purgatory † Manual Chousa
Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	† Isabel Grodmaski
Thursday	8:30 a.m.	† Maria Felice
1st Friday	8:00 a.m.	† Edmund Whitefield Surtees

Saturday Multiple Mass Intentions

November 20, 2021

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	† John Xavier Paul † Charlotte Feegrade
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VOCATIONAL PRAYER CALENDAR

November 15 - 20, 2021

Mon.	Rev. Ambroise Tshiaba Ntumba
Tue.	Rev. Andrew Quarshie
Wed.	Deceased Consecrated Brothers and Sisters
Thur.	Rev. Drago Gacnik, S.D.B.
Fri.	Rev. Andrew Lopatniuk
Sat.	Rev. James Link, C.R.

VOCATION VIEW

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time - November 14, 2021

If we dare to trust God with our lives, great things happen. Give God your total self for, when the end of times comes, the wise and those who work for justice will shine forever. Dedicate your life to furthering the reign of God. *If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, call Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations, 905-528-7988 ext. 2246. vocations@hamiltondiocese.com*

PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT PLAN

Please find Pre-Authorized Debit Plan Forms on Our Website or contact the office and I will email one out to you. If you have any questions or assistance please call our Administrative Assistant Bonnie Maloney 905-632-6114. If you are already enrolled in our Pre-authorized Debit Plan, and would like to increase your donations please fill out a new form or call/email the parish office. Please consider dropping off or mailing your contributions to the parish office. Pre-Authorized debit forms are available on our parish website <https://stpatricksparish.ca/> **Once again, Thank you for your continued support**



ONLINE DONATIONS We now have a direct online **DONATE NOW** link on our website at <https://stpatricksparish.ca/> Please consider online donations via Credit Card, Paypal, Gift Card.

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL CHRISTMAS COLLECTION

Saint Patrick's St. Vincent de Paul Society is preparing for our Christmas collection.

It is being held on the weekend of December 4th and 5th. This collection helps us to support local families & individuals in need at this special time of year.

If you wish to support us, we will be handing out our donation envelopes on November 27th and 28th, the weekend prior to our collection. You can find our donation envelopes in the foyer. We will be back on the weekend of December 4th and 5th to collect your donations in the church foyer before and after each mass. If you wish to write a cheque they can be made payable to, "Saint Patrick's St. Vincent de Paul Society." If you are enclosing a cash donation and would like to receive a tax receipt, please be sure to include your full name and address on the donation envelope. Tax receipts will be issued on an annual basis. Thank you so much for your ongoing interest and support. God Blessings and Good Health!

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH/BELL CANADA SWITCHING SHELTER

St. Patrick's parish in conjunction with the Hamilton Diocese has established a lease agreement with Bell Canada to put a 12' X 34' Switching Shelter (building) on our property behind our church parking lot. This lease provides a win/ win for both St. Patrick's and Bell. Bell obtains a convenient location to enhance their services in this section of the city while St. Patrick's receives an annual income of over \$32,000. which helps improve our financial situation. The Shelter building will be located on the vacant piece of land behind the parking lot and will not utilize any of our existing parking space and will not impact on our facilities. The project will start soon this fall with the installation of the connecting cables which run from Kenwood to the Shelter. This involves buried cable installation along the back church driveway. Plans are for the Shelter building to be installed in late fall this year. There will be some additional truck traffic during the construction phase this summer and fall; however, it will not impact our weekend services. St. Patrick's Finance Council

RCIA - BECOMING CATHOLIC RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION

Are you or anyone you know interested in exploring the Catholic Church as your church home? We invite you to join the RCIA program. Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is for those who wish to know more about the Catholic faith and perhaps become members of the Catholic church. The RCIA program will start on Sunday, October 17th. Please call up the Parish Office for more details.

COVID VACCINES

The official position of the Catholic Church is that all available COVID vaccines are ethical and all Catholics who are able are encouraged to receive the vaccine. All employees serving in the Diocese of Hamilton are encouraged to be fully vaccinated or to submit to a COVID rapid test every Monday and Thursday in order to carry out their responsibilities. Volunteer liturgical ministers are required to be fully vaccinated. Bishop Douglas Crosby, OMI, encourages every member of the Catholic Church within our Diocese of Hamilton to be fully vaccinated.



DIocese of HAMILTON

Oct. 22, 2021

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ in the Hamilton Diocese,

Family is a powerful influence in our lives. The family models and lives the gifts of love, caring, compassion, humour, kindness and patience. It is in the family that we first learn about God and grow in faith, so we regard the family as the Domestic Church, the first community of faith for each person.

On March 19, 2021, Pope Francis officially opened a Year of Amoris Laetitia Family, celebrating and commemorating the fifth anniversary of his Apostolic Exhortation, *Amoris Laetitia*. The exhortation both celebrates family and looks at the challenges families face in their everyday living. In his message launching the year, Pope Francis said that the family fulfills two main functions, "the frankness of the proclamation of the Gospel and the tenderness of accompaniment". These are crucial tasks and the Church supports families as they endeavour to live together in love, compassion, obedience and faith.

The Pope announced the upcoming year on the Feast of the Holy Family, Dec. 27, 2020. This year of Amoris Laetitia Family overlaps the Year of St. Joseph, which began Dec. 8, 2020. These two years are connected by the foundation of family so vital to each of us. We read at the end of the Apostolic Exhortation, "no family drops down from heaven perfectly formed; families need constantly to grow and mature in the ability to love." (*Amoris Laetitia*, 325) The Pope goes on to remind us that support for this essential vocation comes by living in loving community with the Holy Family. St. Joseph played a pivotal role within the Holy Family as a faithful earthly father to Jesus and his life serves as a model for us all; the overlap of the two years unites the Holy Family and all families in their vocation.

The example of love, devotion, faith and trust in God that Mary and Joseph demonstrated in their daily living and care for Jesus should inspire us during this year. The family provides a safe refuge for us to develop ourselves fully and to cultivate the particular gifts God provides each person. The Church offers its full presence and support for families as they experience the highs and lows, the opportunities and challenges of domestic life. As you strive to teach and learn what it means to give and forgive, to work together for a common purpose, and to share both joys and sorrows, may you remember that by nurturing the gift of faith in your children they will be able to grow into mature Disciples of Christ. We look forward to offering you support through Diocesan initiatives over the coming months, including a family conference at the end of May 2022. May these events serve to provide assistance, learning and inspiration for you in your essential role as family.

Pope Francis ended his announcement of the Amoris Laetitia Family Year with the following: "May the Virgin Mary grant that families throughout the world be increasingly fascinated by the evangelical ideal of the Holy Family, so as to become a leaven of [a] new humanity and of a genuine and universal solidarity." Together let us continue to work in solidarity to strengthen and care for all families.

Sincerely in Christ and Mary Immaculate,
(Most Rev.) Douglas Crosby, OMI
Bishop of Hamilton