

Mass for the Intentions Week

Tuesday, September 28, 2021

7:00 p.m. Cathy Doody
req family
Regina Mullaley
req Doody family
Harry McKillop
req Sheena, Margaret, Art & family
Richard Sandig
req Chuck & Theresa Emberson
Marie Lennie
req Bre-Anne & Ryan Boyko
Walter Nestick
req Marie Wright

Thursday, September 30, 2021

National Day of Peace & Reconciliation

9:00 a.m. George Linger
req Marie Crone

Sunday, October 3, 2021

9:00 a.m. Living & Deceased Members of Sacred
Heart Parish

Tuesday, October 5, 2021

7:00 p.m. Cathy Doody
req family
John McKillop
req Sheena, Margaret, Art & family
Evaristo, Maria & gene Carreiro
req Oliver Carreiro
Souls in Purgatory
req Oliver Carreiro
Ray Jones
req Greg & Colette Donelson

Thursday, October 7, 2021

Rosario Bartolome
req Lita

Sunday, October 10, 2021

9:00 a.m. Living & Deceased Members of Sacred
Heart Parish

Weekly Donations

Sunday, September 12, 2021

Total Revenue \$2,343.35

Sunday, September 19, 2021

Total Revenue \$1,970.00

MEDITATION FOR THE TWENTY-SIXTH IN ORDINARY TIME

They too had been on the list, but had not gone out to the tent; yet the spirit came to rest on them also, and they prophesied in the camp. James 2:15-16

The question was a simple one: "Terrence, if you can be five minutes late every day, why can't you be on time?" It was posed to me by my grammar school principal, Sister Mildred, as I had arrived late for school once again. I had no good answer.

As one who is still nearly always running behind, I sympathize with the two men (Eldad and Medad) in today's First Reading. We don't know why they weren't in the tent when the other seventy elders received the spirit. Maybe they had a good excuse? Maybe not. Either way, God still bestowed the spirit upon them. By allowing these men to fully participate in prophesying, God demonstrated boundless generosity.

Even as we continue to struggle to overcome our bad habits, we can know that if we keep working on them in good faith, God's generosity and mercy await us also.

Terrence Hegarty

Vocations

Today's readings speak of the gifts of prophecy and of casting out demons. If you feel that God is calling you with the gift to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton, 905 528-7988 ext. 2246.

Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

Website: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/>

Vocation Prayer Calendar

Mon. Sept. 27 Very Rev. Jeff Bergsma
Tues. Sept. 28 Rev. Gregory Merkley
Wed. Sept. 29 Sisters Adorers of the Precious Blood
Thur. Sept. 30 Rev. Wallace Metcalf
Fri. Oct. 1 Rev. Robert M.F. Kiffman
Sat. Oct. 2 Rev. Msgr. Theodore Slaman
Mon. Oct. 4 Rev. Bernard (Mike) Francis
Tues. Oct. 5 Rev. Donald Wilhelm
Wed. Oct. 6 Felician Franciscan Sisters (C.S.S.F.)
Thur. Oct. 7 Rev. Vincent Kim Van Toan
Fri. Oct. 8 Rev. Valentine Onwunjiogu
Sat. Oct. 9 Rev. Msgr. Pierre Philippe Jean- Pierre

**SACRED HEART PARISH
100th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
POINT OF INTEREST**

Sharing Our Church Building

Sacred Heart Parish is known as “a community with a heart”. We at Sacred Heart Parish are a loving and welcoming community of parishioners. Our parishioners are a great example of the diversity of nations and cultures that form our Canadian identity. We come together at Sacred Heart Church as a Catholic community to honor and praise God in prayer, masses, sacraments, and celebrations. Catholic congregations apart from our Sacred Heart community have been welcomed to share our beautiful church with their members. The Greek Catholic Melkite congregation celebrate mass every second Saturday at 6 pm, and also use our church for weddings, funerals, and special prayer celebrations such as novenas. Also, the Syro-Malabar (Indian) Catholic congregation celebrate mass on Sundays, and also have special celebrations in Sacred Heart Church. God has blessed us all with a beautiful church in which we can gather and worship Him.

Because of closures, and restrictions due to covid-19, Father Charlie and the Anniversary Committee decided to extend our 100th Anniversary celebrations until June 5, 2022. At that time, on Pentecost Sunday, and in the month dedicated to the Sacred Heart, we will culminate our 100th Anniversary with mass celebrated by Bishop Crosby, followed by brunch. We are hopeful that this extra year of celebration will give us the opportunity to join as a community to attend in person planned events such as coffee Sundays and other monthly gatherings,

In the meantime, please send or give to Theresa at the rectory office, your favorite treasured recipes for our cookbook- A Century of Cooking and Baking. Also please send your photos of Sacred Heart Parish memories to be compiled for the memory stick.

First Communion

Congratulations to our students who made their First Holy Communion on Saturday, September 25, 2021.

Dhylan Aguirre, Makaylah Fernandez, Elsie Lamparski-Guiney, Audrey Lyne, Julia Mattina, Hannah Morin, Jude Otsugbede, Audrey Poser, Jericho Wenglewick & Kaiden Wordock.

FROM THE DIOCESE OF HAMILTON

In June, the federal government passed new legislation making September 30th a national statutory holiday commemorating **National Day for Truth and Reconciliation**. National Day for Truth and Reconciliation commemorates the history and ongoing trauma caused by residential schools and is intended to honour the survivors, families and communities who continue to grieve for those who were lost. While this not a statutory holiday in Ontario, our Chancery office will be closed that day. Therefore, our parish office will be closed as well. **There will be a Mass of Reconciliation at Sacred Heart Parish on Thursday September 30th, at 9:00 a.m. Wear Orange if you have it, to show support.**

Hamilton Right to Life

Sunday, October 3, 2021

2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

LIFE CHAIN

Please join us in our stand against abortion! Signs will be provided.

Locations:

- McMaster University Medical Centre (MUMC), corner of Main St W & Emerson, Hamilton
- Upper James & Mohawk Rd, Hamilton
- Hwy 20 & Hwy 8, Stoney Creek
- Hwy 8 & Grays Rd, Stoney Creek

Wednesday, October 27

7:00 pm - 8:30 pm online ZOOM

Unpacking UNPLANNED

Due to continued Covid uncertainty, our Dinner Fundraiser is moving to an online event entitled “Unpacking UNPLANNED: Bringing Hope and Healing”. Please check our website for details.

Website: Hamiltonrighttolife.org

The Hamilton Mountain Farmer’s Market

The Hamilton Mountain Farmers’ Market sponsored by Sacred Heart Church has a new day and time, the market for this year will run on Fridays from 3:30 to 7:30 p.m. The market is a True Farmers’ market where all the produce is grown or produced on local area farms and sold by the farmers themselves. It is located at the corner of Viewpoint and Mountain Park Avenues on the Sacred Heart Church parking lot, one block west of the Juravinski Hospital, on the Mountain Brow. Come out and support the farmers and enjoy the fresh seasonal produce!

