

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

MASS INTENTIONS FOR HOLY WEEK

Tuesday	6:30pm	+Russell Hotrum
Wednesday	8:00am	Int. of Perez, Hlebanja, and Hutten-Czapski Families
Thursday	8:00am	+Gabriela Arman Ramos
Friday	8:00am	No Morning Mass
Saturday	5:00pm	+Rosa & Alfredo Consoli +Sr. Patricia Hanlon +Justice Patrick White
Sunday	9:00am 11:00am	+Antonio Nole Int. of Roberts & Lyttle Families

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Monday	Rev. Peter Tuyen Nguyen
Tuesday	Rev. Edward Pierre Luc, S.J.
Wednesday	<i>St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Protectress of Canada</i>
Thursday	Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger
Friday	Rev. David Wilhelm
Saturday	Rev. Scott Whitfield

VOCATIONS OFFICE

What could convince someone to turn to God? The story that God became human? The story of Jesus cured the sick? The story that Jesus forgave sin? The story that Jesus rose from the dead? Or, perhaps, the story of the witness of your own life! If you have the continuing inclination that God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, call Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 or vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

ADORATION

All day Adoration on Wednesdays from 8:45AM to 7:00PM. Eucharistic Benediction at 6:50PM.

PRAYER REQUEST

If you know of anyone who is in need of prayers, place their request on our network and volunteers will pray specifically for your request. Call Gail at 905-628-2304 or go to our website: www.staugustinesparish.ca to place your request.

STEWARDSHIP FOR OUR FUTURE

Stewardship, rooted in the spiritual principles of the Old Testament and Jesus' teachings, embodies intentional, planned, and proportionate giving of our time, talent and treasure. As we confront our current debt of \$1.2 million incurred for the completion of church renovations, it is imperative that we develop a strategic plan to alleviate this burden. Since the completion of renovations in 2018, no principal payments have been made, necessitating the creation of a comprehensive Stewardship Plan to restore St. Augustine's Parish to fiscal health and vibrancy.

Beyond addressing our outstanding debts, St. Augustine's needs to chart a new course for the vision and mission of our parish. This entails infusing vitality into our community, fostering active participation in parish life, evangelizing, serving the faithful and the surrounding community, all the while fostering a spirit of joy and camaraderie.

To accomplish these goals, we seek dedicated volunteers to join our new Stewardship Team. If you have expertise in event planning, marketing, accounting, or any relevant field, we invite you to contribute your skills and passion to this crucial initiative. To express your interest, please email us at office@staugustinesparish.ca or call the parish office at 905-628-2880.

Thank you for your commitment to the future of St. Augustine's Parish. Together, let us embark on this journey of renewal and service.

Spring Memorial Mass at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery

The Spring Memorial Mass at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Burlington will take place on Saturday, April 27th at 11:00AM. The principal celebrant will be Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, OMI, Bishop of Hamilton. All are welcome!

APRIL 14, 2024



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
COUNCIL 6579**

The Knights of Columbus are hosting a Social Evening for all men of the parish. This includes cards, board games, an exciting social evening for all men. This will be held on Tuesday, April 16th at 7:00PM in the Parish Centre. Hope to see you there!

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**THE ST. AUGUSTINE'S MENTAL HEALTH
MINISTRY SPEAKER SERIES**

**THURSDAY, MAY 9TH, 7:00PM – 9:00PM
PARISH CENTRE**

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Guest Speaker: Catherine Pead

Cathie is a former high school and university chaplain, currently serving as Spiritual Care Advisor with the Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton. Cathie has many years of experience facilitating retreats and community planning processes, bringing together diverse groups of people to develop shared visions and action plans to achieve common goals. Cathie attended Cathedral Girls' High School, then McMaster University where she earned a BA Hons in History. She pursued graduate studies in New York, first at Union Theological Seminary, then at Fordham University where she received a MA in Religion and Religious Education. She also holds a Certificate in Spiritual Direction. Cathie is a member of St. Joseph's Parish, Hamilton.

**TOPIC: A Parish Conversation On
Mental Health**

Cathie will share some thoughts on the intersection of faith and mental health and lead us in conversation as we look to build our mental health ministry at Saint Augustine's.

Please register for this event by contacting Dave Weber at 905-546-6219 or by email at dweber60@gmail.com.

**THE DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY
MASS**

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2024? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on **Sunday, May 26, 2024** at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton at 1:30pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary Couples only – those married 60 years or more may bring one guest if you require assistance). Registration is now available online at hamiltondiocese.com.