

## PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Tuesday	6:30pm	+Pat Paci
Wednesday	8:00am	+Merna La Flamme
Thursday	<u>7:00PM</u>	<i>Liturgy of the Lord's Supper</i>
Friday	<u>3:00PM</u>	<i>Liturgy of the Lord's Passion</i>
Saturday	<u>8:30PM</u>	<i>Easter Vigil</i>
Sunday	9:00AM 11:00AM	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

### BLESSING OF THE FOOD

Holy Saturday: April 4<sup>th</sup> at 1:00PM in the Church.

### BLESSED SALT

Cloth bags of blessed salt will be available at the Masses on Easter Weekend and at the Blessing of the Food.

### DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Monday	Rev. David Mowat, C.R. <i>Chrism Mass</i>
Tuesday	Rev. Gregory Merkley
Wednesday	Oblates of Mary Immaculate, O.M.I.
Thursday	<i>Mass of the Lord's Supper</i>
Friday	<i>The Passion of the Lord</i>
Saturday	<i>Holy Saturday</i>

### VOCATIONS OFFICE

"Blessed is the one who comes in the Name of the Lord!"  
Are you being called to proclaim Jesus as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you, contact, Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 or  
Email: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)

### ADORATION

All day Adoration on Wednesday, from 8:45am to 7:00pm.  
Eucharistic Benediction at 6:50PM.

### ROSARY

The saying of the rosary on Wednesday at 7:00pm in the church. Consider coming early for a little time in Adoration and Benediction before we begin. All are welcome.

### 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](http://www.staugustinesparish.ca) to place your request.

### REST IN PEACE

Lord grant eternal rest of the souls of our dearly departed, especially the souls of your loving servants  
Dr. Frank Murphy and Georgine DesRoches.



Wednesday, April 1<sup>st</sup>  
7:10 to 8:15 p.m.  
(following benediction)



### EASTER FLOWERS FOR ALTAR

Donations for flowers will be gratefully received to help defray the costs. Anyone wishing to make a donation is asked to get an envelope marked "Flower Offering" from the back of the church.

Please indicate your name and envelope number and drop in the collection basket by Sunday, March 29<sup>th</sup>.

### REVIEW OR UPDATE

#### YOUR PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING

As we move through the Lenten season and look ahead to Spring, we invite parishioners to **register for or update** their pre-authorized contributions. Your steady support helps us plan responsibly for upcoming parish needs, ministries, and community outreach.

#### How to Register or Update Your Pre-Authorized Giving

**In Person:** Visit the Parish Office during office hours

**By Phone:** Call Cindy at (905) 628-2880 during office hours

**By Email:** Contact Cindy at [office@staugustineparish.ca](mailto:office@staugustineparish.ca)

We extend our heartfelt thanks to everyone who has recently registered or updated their contributions. Your generosity strengthens our parish and supports the mission we share.

#### COLLECTION REPORT: March 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>

Regular Collection	\$2356.25
Loose Collection	\$1485.75
Initial Offering	\$25.00
New Year's	\$30.00
Easter Flowers	\$640.00
Easter	\$50.00
Building Fund	\$110.00
Share Lent	\$2318.00
Good Friday	\$50.00
Indigenous Reconciliation	\$10.00



### **SENOIRS CARDS & GAMES AFTERNOON**

**Thursday, April 16, 2026**

**Time: 1:00PM to 3:00PM**

#### **Parish Centre**

Looking for a lively afternoon out? Join us for cards, games, and great company. Whether you're a seasoned euchre player, a cribbage fan, or just love a good board game, there will be something for everyone.

Bring a friend, bring your favourite game, or simply come to relax and socialize. It's a wonderful way to connect, laugh, and enjoy an easygoing afternoon together.

We will be collecting small donations to help cover costs, and there will also be a **50/50 Draw**.

All seniors are welcome – come for the games, stay for the fellowship.

Please call the Parish Office at 905-628-2880 to register.



### **BROADWAY WITHOUT BORDERS SHOW**

Since this past February, the BWB Singers have been afforded the privilege of rehearsing at St. Augustine's Parish. As a "thank you", the Broadway choir will be performing a cabaret style, **"A Century of Broadway"** in the Parish Centre at 3:00PM, **Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup>**, with the profits going to the Parish. Tickets are \$20.00 at the door – cash only.

### **Serve Up Smiles:**

#### **Host a Hospitality Sunday!**

Looking for a meaningful way for your family to give back? St. Augustine's is looking for host families to keep our beloved Hospitality Sunday tradition brewing!

By hosting, your family (or two families working together!) helps create the warm, welcoming environment our parish is known for. It's a fantastic way to model service for your children and bond as a team. In fact, grandparents know a thing or two about hosting – considering widening your team!

**The Role:** Set up refreshments in the Parish Centre kitchen, keep the coffee flowing after the 9:00AM Mass, and tidy up after the 11:00AM crowd.

**The Perk:** We encourage you to bring your favourite family baked goods to share!

**The Support:** You won't be doing it alone – we'll walk you through everything.

**Ready to serve?** Contact Pat Ertl at 289-253-4865. Pat will work with you to ensure your family has a great experience! We have open Sundays from the middle of September to the end of June.



### **MASS OF CHRISM**

**Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King**

**Monday, March 30<sup>th</sup> at 2:00PM**

All are welcome to attend the Diocese Mass of Chrism during which Bishop Dabrowski consecrates Sacred Chrism and blesses the Oil of the Sick and the Oil of Catechumens for use in the sacraments for the coming year. All Bishops and Priests renew the vows of their priestly ordination during this Mass.

