

St. John Brébeuf Parish & St. Peter’s Mission
Sunday November 30th, 2025
1st Sunday of Advent

MASS SCHEDULE FROM TUESDAY DECEMBER 2nd - SUNDAY DECEMBER 7th, 2025

2	Tuesday	9:15 a.m.	A.I.D.
3	Wednesday	9:15 a.m.	For the Holy Souls in purgatory (Nena Kuebler)
4	Thursday	6:15 -6:45 p.m.	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
		7:00 p.m.	Mass for the sick
5	Friday	9:15 a.m.	Repose of the soul of Joe Felicio (Fatima Felicio)
6	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	For the response soul of our dear friend Mary (Joanne & Lance O’Guedes)
7	Sunday	9:00 a.m.	For the health of Fatima Felicio, Eduarda & Humberto Costa (Fatima Felicio)
	Oustic	11:00 a.m.	For the living and deceased members of the parish

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT – NOVEMBER 30, 2025: “They shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks.” If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988. email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

MASS FOR THE DECEASED RELATIVES & FRIENDS OF OUR PASRISHONERS: In our prayers, let us remember to pray for these our deceased parishioners and loved ones: + Amando Folo, Kathleen Noakes, Noreen Beresford, Gordon Macdonald, James M'Dyre, Joseph Geurts, Jeff, Anna, Joseph, Becar, Erika, Vilis, Good morning, Mike, Austria, Author, Vitolins, Mary Julius, Dubovec, Joseph, Mary, Ralph, Mary Stella, Dibari, Wenzu, Teresa Costa, Maria Palma, Jim Feder, George Dinn, Howard Vill' Neuve, +Hubert Herwynen, Alfie Galda, Milos Jenicek, Jack Glazier, Wendy Govia, Michael & Helen Bash, Mat & Linian Davis, Aloys & Martha Halbach, Gregory & Ejdokia Bas, Tom & Ruth Ribble, Richard Thurston

ST. JOHN BREBEUF YOUTH GROUP IS BACK: We are delighted to announce that the SJB, Youth Group is back to our parish. It started on October 25. This group is for those confirmed, in grade 8 or older. The vision of this group is to help young people deepen their faith in an ever-changing world. Please check the parish website on how to be part of this amazing group in our parish.

EWCS: will be supporting families in need within East Wellington for this Christmas season. Last year St John Brebeuf community donated over 700lbs in groceries and over \$1000 towards the

hamper drive. Your generosity was outstanding. There is an increase in the numbers of families needing our help. EWCS would appreciate your support with the 2025 Christmas hamper drive. Your generosity has been phenomenal these past years, and I encourage you to please share in any way to bringing a smile and happiness to families within our community who need our support. Please see the flyer highlighting items needed. Grocery cards and/or cash gifts (checks) are welcome. Donations of \$20.00 and above will get you a tax receipt. Thank you for your continued generosity.
C: 226-979-2066 or e-mail me at Francesca.f@ew-cs.com

THE SOCIAL COMMITTEE: Please purchase tickets in the church hall after every Saturday and Sunday mass. The draw will take place after mass, in the church hall on Sunday, December 7. This is a good opportunity to win wonderful prizes while supporting our parish community. Thank you for your support.

JUSTICE, PEACE AND THE INTEGRITY OF CREATION: "Advent is not about waiting for God to act. Advent is about waking up to where God is already at work and joining God in that work. Staying awake means being prepared to say yes. Yes, to justice. Yes, to accompaniment. Yes, to human dignity. Yes, to policies rooted in compassion. Yes, to the long and challenging work of peace. And it means standing where Christ stands." Dr. Angélica N. Quiñónez

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH #173: One of the most important components of positive mental health is a sense of belonging. Family is the first place we feel this sense and the stronger the ties the more secure we feel. Belonging comes when we play and work together and yes, pray together. These shared experiences help us bond and set the foundation for family traditions that unite us in common understandings and joys. So clean, cook and tidy together, play games, go for walks, build forts and houses from boxes and pray before meals, bed and at Mass on Sunday. This foundation of who we are and where we come from will contribute to healthy and happy children and families.

THE CATECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE PROGRAM: for the Diocese of Hamilton provides ongoing religious education programs for children in grades Kindergarten through to 12. These programs are available for any children who are enrolled in public, private or homeschool settings. To learn more about our programs and for registration, visit us here: <https://bit.ly/catechesiscourses> .

NOVEMBER 30, 2025: First Reading: Isaiah 2.1-5; Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 122, Second Reading: Romans 13.11-14; Gospel: Matthew 24.37-44

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UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Support our parish community and get your
raffle tickets for our Christmas draw!!

November 30, 2025

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Box 269
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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please contact the Parish Office.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please contact the Parish Office
at least six months in advance.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:15-4:45 p.m. or by appointment.

PASTORAL CARE FOR THE SICK

Available upon request.
Please contact the Parish Office.

EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION & ADORATION

Each Thursday at 6:15-6:45 p.m.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST	Tammy Barnhart	(519) 833-7131
MINISTERS OF THE WORD	Mary Cunningham	(519) 855-6460
MINISTERS OF CHILDREN'S LITURGY	Jenny Cajucom	(416) 829-7465
MUSIC MINISTRY	Jean Gravelle	(519) 833-9552

<u>WEEKEND MASSES</u>	<u>WEEKDAY MASSES- St. John Brébeuf Parish</u>
Saturday 5:00 p.m. St. John Brebeuf Parish	Tuesday 7:00 p.m., Wednesday 9:15 a.m.,
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Thursday 7:00 p.m., Friday 9:15 a.m.
11:00 a.m. St. Peter's Mission, Oustic	

We gladly welcome new parishioners and invite them to pick up a registration form

