

St. John Brebeuf Parish & St. Peter's Mission
SUNDAY JANUARY 28th 2024.

MASS SCHEDULE FOR SATURDAY FEBRUARY 3rd TO SUNDAY FEBRUARY 4th

Please note that there will be no weekday Masses scheduled for this upcoming week. All weekend Masses will follow their regular schedule.

3rd	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Holy souls in purgatory (SJB- Nena Kuebler)
4th	Sunday	9:00 a.m.	For the living and deceased members of the Parish (SJB)
		11:00 a.m.	For the living and deceased members of the Parish (Oustic)

SERRA CLUB - Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time – January 28, 2024

Pray to know how God wants to use your talents and abilities. Could it be He is calling you to consider priesthood, religious life or diaconate? If God is calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call **Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.**

**email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
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Interested in Spiritual Direction?

The Ecumenical Week of Guided Prayer and Spiritual Exploration will be held online from Feb. 18 to 24. It is an opportunity to enrich your spiritual life and deepen your relationship with God. During the week you will be paired with an experienced prayer guide who will suggest specific ways to meet God meaningfully and guide you in various spiritual practices. We hope you can join us. Information and registration online at guidedprayer.webs.com until Feb. 11.

Justice, Peace, and the Integrity of Creation

As the world seems to descend in ever more conflict, division and war, it begs the question, "Where is hope?" Here are a couple quotes to help deepen your hope: "This is Christian hope. The future is in God's hands." Pope Francis. "Many things are possible for the person who has hope. Even more is possible for the person who has faith. And still more is possible for the person who knows how to love. But everything is possible for the person who practices all three virtues." ~ Brother Lawrence. "Christian hope does not

promise successful days to the rich and the strong, but resurrection and life to those who must exist in the shadows of death. Success is no name of God. Righteousness is." ~ Jürgen Moltmann

ENVELOPES - Envelope sets for 2024 collections are available and can be picked up at the back of the Church. Please note that you may not have the same number ID as in previous years. You can find your number by locating your last name on the chart at the back of the Church and your ID number will be listed beside your name. If you cannot find your set, or if you are not yet registered at the parish, but would like to be, please contact the Parish Office via email at stjohnnerin@hamiltondiocese.com

THE OFFICE FOR EVANGELIZATION AND CATECHESIS is offering a three-workshop series this Spring entitled, *The Pastoral Parish in the Modern World*. A new handbook created by David Wells and Bill Huebsch provides a comprehensive outline of the new vocabulary of pastoral ministry and how to promote it in your local setting. The workshop series is offered for anyone working or volunteering in pastoral teams, parish council youth ministry, Register <https://hamiltondiocese.com/events/2023/12/> on past on past pastoral teams, parish councils, and in youth ministry

Young Adults Night - Saturday, February 3rd - Waterloo

Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and 30s) of our diocese to attend an evening of Adoration, fellowship and praise music in support of your vocations. The Young Adults Night includes a Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), social with food (7:30pm-8:00pm), praise night and vocations testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on Saturday, February 3rd at St. Michael's Catholic Church (80 University Avenue West, Waterloo, ON). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

February 4th, 2024 – First Reading: (Job 7, 1-4) Responsorial Psalm (Psalm 147); Second Reading: (1 Corinthians 9.16-19, 22-23) ; Gospel Acclamation: (Matthew 8,17) ; Gospel: (Mark 1.29-39)

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School Address:
30 Millwood Road, Erin, ON

Interested in starting a new
Catholic Women's League (CWL)
branch in the Parish?
Contact Fr. Gordian!
519-833-9738

St. John Brébeuf Parish, Erin

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**OFFICE HOURS**  
Tuesday – Friday  
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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

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.

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