

# St. John Brébeuf Parish & St. Peter’s Mission

## Sunday April 6, 2025

5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent

### MASS SCHEDULE FOR TUESDAY April 8<sup>th</sup> TO SUNDAY April 13<sup>th</sup>

8	Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	Repose of the souls Regina & Florence Onyekwere
9	Wednesday	9:15 a.m.	Repose of the soul of Michael Nnoli
10	Thursday	6:15 -6:45 p.m.	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
		7:00 p.m.	Mass for a special intention
11	Friday	9:15 a.m.	For the increase in vocation and religious life (Anonymous)
		7:00 p.m.	Stations of the Cross
12	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+Giles Cyr (Lance & Joanne O’Guedes)
12	Sunday	9:00 a.m.	For the living and deceased members of the parish
	Oustic	11:00 a.m.	For the repose of the souls of Laurie & Agathe Robichaud (Robichaud Family)



Sunday April 13	9:00 a.m. 11:00. a.m.	(Erin) Palm Sunday Mass (Oustic)
Monday April 14	2:00 p.m.	Mass of Chrism- Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King
Tuesday April 15	7:00 p.m.	Mass of Holy Week
Wednesday April 16	9:15 a.m.	Mass of Holy Week

### THE SACRED PASCHAL TRIDUUM

Thursday April 17	7:00 p.m.	Holy Thursday – Mass of the Lord’s Supper Followed by Adoration until 10:30 p.m.
Good Friday April 18	11:30 a.m. 3:00 p.m.	(Oustic) Friday of the Passion of Our Lord (Erin)

### EASTER WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Holy Saturday April 19	8:00 p.m.	Easter Vigil. (SJB)
Easter Sunday April 20	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	(Erin) Easter Sunday of the resurrection of Our Lord (Oustic)

**PARISH FAMILY DIRECTORY:** As it is customary for parishes in the diocese to update their parish photo directory every 7-8 years, we have received a notice to update our parish pictorial directory this year. Please note that there are sign up sheets for families and individuals to register their names at the back of the church on the table. Once sufficient registries are accumulated then a photo date(s) will be announced. This is a great way to meet your fellow parishioners and keep our parish family and faith community closer together. Thank you for signing up.

**PARISH LENTEN PENITENTIAL SERVICE:** Will take place this Wednesday April 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. This is a special parish Lenten prayer and there will be visiting priests to assist us with confessions. This is a wonderful way of preparing for the forth coming Holy Week and Ester celebrations. Please plan to attend.

**FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT – APRIL 6, 2025:** What am I racing after in my life? Fame? Fortune? A life in Jesus? What is the prize I seek at the finish-line? 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](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com) [hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/](http://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/)

**THE DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS – SAVE THE DATE:** Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2025? You are cordially invited to join Bishop Crosby and couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 1, 2025, at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton at 1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring one guest if you require assistance). Registration is found under Upcoming Events on the home page at [hamiltondiocese.com](http://hamiltondiocese.com).

**DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE-CARITAS CANADA (DPCC) – SHARE LENT CAMPAIGN 2025:** As we begin our journey for the 2025 Jubilee, Pope Francis reminds us that “hope should be granted to the billions of the poor who often lack the essentials of life” and that “the goods of the Earth are not destined for a privileged few but for everyone.” Inspired by this call to justice, we are joining Caritas Internationalis’ campaign Turn Debt into Hope along with many other faith-based and civil society organisations. As the Holy Father writes, “if we really wish to prepare a path to peace in our world, we must commit ourselves to remedying the remote causes of injustice, settling unjust and unpayable debts”. Please give generously and support our partners in the Global South as they bring hope to their communities. Thank you.

**Kindly keep our recently Baptized and their families in your prayers, Brinley Hendrix, Adalyn Hendrix, Chiukwubuzor Nwogu, and Danica Lavery.**

**April 6, 2025:** First Reading: Isaiah 43.16-21; Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 126;  
Second Reading: Philippians 3.8-14; Gospel Acclamation: Joel 2.12-13; Gospel: John 8.1-11

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Tina Sousa  
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Thursday, Friday  
10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

## UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

- Lenten Penitential Service:  
April 9, 7:00 p.m.

**April 6, 2025**

24 Millwood Road,  
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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
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MINISTERS OF CHILDREN'S LITURGY	Jenny Cajucom	(416) 829-7465
MUSIC MINISTRY	Jean Gravelle	(519) 833-9552

WEEKEND MASSES	WEEKDAY MASSES- St. John Brébeuf Parish
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*

