

CONFESSION (in the Chapel) Tuesday 6-7p.m; Saturday 3:45-4:45p.m		Weekend Masses: Saturday 5p.m. Sunday 9a.m, 11a.m. & 4p.m.	IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY PARISH SUNDAY, MARCH 7, 2021 Mass Intentions: March 8-14, 2021 ~Please Pray for each other and for the end of the COVID-19 Virus~	Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention
MONDAY	9:00A.M	† BRUNO & IOLANDA CAMPORESE—Maria & Franco Lucato	Rev. Joe S. Selvanayagam	
TUESDAY	6:30P.M –Rosary 7:00P.M	SPECIAL INTENTION FOR KATHLEEN WHYTE—Deacon Joe & Nadia SPECIAL INTENTION FOR JERRY GROSZEK—Deacon Joe & Nadia & Precise Auto Staff	Rev. Stephen Gilbert	
WEDNESDAY	9:00A.M	SPECIAL INTENTION FOR CARMELINA MEDINA	Sisters of St. Joseph of Cluny	
THURSDAY	9:00A.M	SPECIAL INTENTION FOR ANIA KALUSKI	Rev. Marko Puljic	
FRIDAY	9:00A.M	† GIOVANNI CAZZOLA—Julie Cascio SPECIAL INTENTION FOR JADWIGA ZYCHOWICZ	Rev. Robert Kavelj	
SATURDAY	5:00P.M	† BORIS DRENSKI—Family † DOMENICO DILORETO—Haan Family † ISABELLA FILIPPONIO—Melissa Keorhdajian † JOSIE & TOM IVEZIC—Family † JOSE ARRUDA—Vince & Sara Santini † PINA FERRARA—Giacomo SPECIAL INTENTION FOR BARBARA DOMINIK—Theresa & Guni Sapra	Rev. Ilija Petkovic	
SUNDAY	9:00A.M 11:00A.M	† ETTORE CARLESSO & DORA GIGLIOTTI—Family † MARIA & GIOVANNI CANDELORO—Carmelina Lancia ***** † CARLO ZAVARISE—Family † PIA DIGIACINTO, RODOPI MERTZANIS —Tony & Daniela Giannini † CHESTER MAZUN, MICHAEL SZABUNIA, KATHY LUBERA—Sergio & Diane Filippetto SPECIAL INTENTION FOR FRANCES BOZZO—Deacon Joe & Nadia SPECIAL INTENTION FOR MARTA BEDOYA—Lopez & Aponte Families	SCRIPTURE READINGS: SUNDAY, MARCH 7 1st Reading 2Chronicles 36:14-17a, 19-23 2nd Reading: Ephesians 2:4-10 Gospel: John 3:14-21	



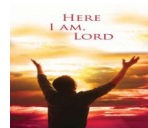
DEAR PARISHIONERS, During this Holy Season of Lent, we are able to offer you a variety of activities to bring you closer to God. You are invited to join any or all of the activities below:



STATIONS OF THE CROSS & VESPERS: JOIN US ON FRIDAYS BEGINNING AT 7P.M. WITH VESPERS FOLLOWED BY THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS
 Friday, March 5 - CWL
 Friday, March 12 - Youth Group/NET Team
 Friday, March 19 - NO Stations - Healing Vigil
 Friday, March 26 - RCIA



CHRISTIAN MEDITATION: Group meditation on Tuesday evenings at 8pm in the church has resumed. Christian Meditation as taught by Frs. John Main and Laurence Freeman with recorded teachings is given as well as 30 minutes of SILENCE to allow the GOD WITHIN to be present. All are welcome.



PRAISE & WORSHIP - Join us on THURSDAY EVENINGS beginning at 7p.m. in the parish hall. Social distancing measures are in place. Please wear a mask, bring your own drink, notebook, pen and Bible. **If you have any questions, please email Myra: myratjumeau@gmail.com**



OUR EUCHARISTIC ADORATION in the Church, Tuesday to Friday 10a.m. to 4p.m. please sign in at the parish office. Our Lord is always waiting for you!



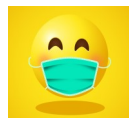
HEALING VIGIL: FRIDAY, MARCH 19 beginning at 7p.m. All safety protocols are in place.



TELEVISED SUNDAY MASSES: Now that we have opened again, you are invited to watch televised Masses on Salt and Light (each day at 6:30a.m; 11a.m; 3p.m. and 10:30p.m) Mass is also available online: <http://saltandlighttv.org/mass/>. Vision TV broadcasts Mass on Sunday at 8a.m. **We will be offering the audio version of our Sunday Masses on our Youtube Channel, you may click on the link:**

<https://www.youtube.com/c/ImmaculateHeartofMaryParish>

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER: Oh Jesus, I turn toward the holy tabernacle where You live hidden for love of me. I love you, O my God. I cannot receive you in Holy Communion. Come, nevertheless, and visit me with Your grace. Come spiritually into my heart. Purify it. Sanctify it. Render it like unto Your own. Amen. Lord, I am not worthy that You should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.



IMPORTANT MESSAGE ABOUT MASKS: It is mandatory to wear a mask in all public places, that includes the church and its facilities. Please wear a mask when you are coming to mass or the church building. ****IT HAS BEEN BROUGHT TO OUR ATTENTION, THAT THE CLEAR PLASTIC HALF-MASKS ARE NOT A SOURCE OF PROTECTION . PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR MASK IS COVERING YOUR NOSE AND MOUTH PROPERLY.** This is to protect yourself and those around you. We thank you for your co-operation for your safety and the safety of others.



ANNIVERSARY MASS 2021 REGISTRATION - The Anniversary Mass scheduled for June of 2021 has been cancelled due to restrictions and concerns around COVID-19. We invite you to register your 25, 40, 50, 60 and 60 plus years of marriage on the Diocesan website at www.hamiltondiocese.com or contact our parish office at 905-643-1637; email: ihmchurch@cogeco.net. The Anniversary Mass is listed on the home page - click on the icon and you can register your anniversary. A certificate will be mailed to from Bishop Crosby.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Keep your liquor/wine bottles and beer cans, we're planning another **BOTTLE DRIVE for the spring!** Keep your eye on the bulletin!

CHARITY - UNITY - FRATERNITY - PATRIOTISM
JOIN THE KNIGHTS and make a difference.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Do you have a family member or friend who is sick? Let the parish office know and we will make sure you will receive a **PRAYER SHAWL** made by our CWL members.

2021 CWL Membership Dues (\$30) can be submitted. An envelope is available at the beginning of your current 2021 Sunday Offering envelopes or you can use an envelope marked with your name, phone#, email address and "CWL Dues". **Your dues can be dropped off at the Church, mailed in or e-transferred to: ilariavp@icloud.com.**

New Members are always welcome!



SOCIAL ACTION MINISTRY: Thank you to all who donated to the **BLUE BOX** for DeMazenod Door last month. It is amazing how many people who come to The Door recognize our church for providing meals on the last 2 Thursdays of every month. Last Tuesday they were already wondering what we would be serving in March. Many mentioned that they have never had food as good as what IHM provides. So, **THANK YOU** for making so many homeless and marginalized people feel so good and for providing them meals that sustain them and give them a sense that they are care about. God Bless you all.



~ STEWARDSHIP ~

WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED & GENEROUS SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH DURING THIS TIME OF UNCERTAINTY THROUGH; **ONLINE GIVING:** This can be done by going to our website, clicking on the ribbon at the top of our page "Donate to our Parish" and then clicking on "DONATE NOW". You may use your credit and donation receipts are given right from this site.

MAILING/DROPPING OFF DONATIONS TO THE PARISH

934 Highway #8, Stoney Creek, ON L8E 5H7

We are so grateful for everyone giving to the parish, your generosity is most appreciated.

We continue to pray for your Health and Safety.

PRAY THE FOLLOWING PRAYER ALONG WITH YOUR DAILY ROSARY: POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER TO OUR LADY

(in the coronavirus emergency)

O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick. At the foot of the Cross, you participated in Jesus' pain, with steadfast faith. You, Salvation of the Roman people, know what we need. We are certain that you will provide, so that, as you did at Cana in Galilee, joy and feasting might return after this moment of trial. Help us Mother of Divine Love, to conform ourselves to the Father's will and to do what Jesus tells us: He who took our sufferings upon Himself, and bore our sorrows to bring us, through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. **AMEN**

SPRING FLOWERS INITIATIVE:

Volunteers needed to make and deliver 5500 homemade Spring flowers! Select your flower and make as many as you can!

Includes discussion starters for parents, teachers and youth ministers. Volunteers will drop off bright, cheerful bouquets for an assigned facility (following all Covid-19 protocols). **Sign up at**

www.haltonlive.ca/inspirehope or contact Tawnya Stanus 905-632-3232

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Follow OUR NET TEAM on our Youth Instagram Account: ihmyouth_, ZOOM & IN PERSON!

IN-PERSON PRAISE & WORSHIP NIGHT - Tuesdays 8-9pm

ONLINE YOUTH NIGHT - Wednesdays 7-8 pm

IN-PERSON OUTDOOR REC TIME - Thursdays 4:30-5:30pm every 1st & 3rd week of the month

ONLINE GAMES NIGHT - Thursdays - 7-8pm every 2nd & 4th week of the month

LIVE INSTAGRAM & YOUTUBE ROSARY HOLY HOUR
Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays - 4pm



AFTER 4PM YOUTH MASS ON SUNDAYS, THE NET TEAM WILL HAVE THEIR OPEN OFFICE
From 5-6pm, for anyone who would like to come hang out & have fun.

We are excited to present our very own Youth Youtube channel for Youth activities. Click on the Link below:
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCJe0bZhGIDaynP45DCH0Wow?>

If you do not have Instagram, you can still join the activities through **ZOOM; Password for all Events- YOUTH NIGHT**

Wednesday Youth Night - <https://zoom.us/j/94439841428>

Thursday (2nd & 4th) Fun Nights - <https://zoom.us/j/95531588497?pwd=MnovMEF5N0lkUUUpGenMxM1IxampBQT09>

Check out the exciting activities they have planned!
Join in the FUN & BRING A FRIEND!



DIocese of Hamilton

FRATELLI TUTTI—Join us for five sessions in March where we will discover more fully the beauty of the Encyclical, and Pope Francis' call for each of us to consider how we can truly see all people in the world as our brothers and sisters.

The sessions will be held on Mondays, **March 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29.** Two time slots are available from **1:30-3:00P.M. OR 7:00- 8:30P.M.** Please register for the time slot that will work best for you, so I will have a sense of the numbers coming on to each session and so I can send you the zoom link to join by internet or phone.

Once you have registered for a session, you are free to attend the other time slot on any given week if that will work our better for you - in that case you will simply need to thartnett@hamiltondiocese.com to get the link for to session for which you are not registered. This will allow you flexibility around which session you attend.

This will be a great Lenten journey for all those in attendance, so please feel free to pass this information on to anyone on your e-mail list who you think might be interested! The link for registration, along with a bit more detail on Fratelli Tutti, can be found here: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/fratelli-tutti>.