

Monday, July 13 – Ferial: Weekday

Tuesday, July 14 – Ferial: Weekday **9:00a.m.** – Intentions of the Shortreed Family, Michael O'Hara, Angelo Ammendalia

Wednesday, July 15 – Feast: St. Bonaventure 9:00a.m. – Ricardo Scapin, Bob Goetz

Thursday, July 16 – Ferial: Weekday 9:00a.m. – Robert Holliday, Maria Carmela Alpe

Friday, July 17 – Ferial: Weekday **9:00a.m.** – Sandra Tschirhart-Schramm, Mary Huxley

Saturday, July 18 – Ferial 5:15p.m. – Mae Oswald, Zvonko Peteranac, Giorgio "George" Gemin

Sunday, July 19 – *Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time* 9:00a.m. & 11:00a.m.

Stewardship of Treasure:

Thank you for your gift of \$10,819.45 in support of your parish community in gratitude for God's blessings.

PARISH NEWS **COVID-19 UPDATES**

Please refer to

website our parish (www.basilicaofourlady.com) or the diocesan website (www.hamiltondiocese.com) for the current and updated directives regarding COVID-19 from Bishop Crosby and the Diocese of Hamilton.

NEW PARISH OFFICE/ RECTORY

After almost two years of construction and renovation we are finally moved back into the renovated Rectory and our new Parish Offices. The Parish Office is open Monday-Friday 9a.m. - 4:30p.m. (closed between 12-1p.m. daily).

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL DONATIONS

When donating by cheque to the St. Vincent de Paul Society if you can kindly make the cheque payable to "St. Vincent de Paul" and not "Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate". Thank you!

MASS INTENTIONS

We can now process requests for Mass Intentions in the Parish Office but we do urge you, when possible, to book either by phone or email during the current COVID-19 crisis.

VOCATIONS:

Let anyone with ears listen! Do you hear God's call for you in your life? Have you considered the way of loving called "priesthood"? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 email or at vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

PROJECT RACHEL

Are you struggling with an abortion decision - either your own, or someone else's? Do you feel alone, emotional or angry? Project Rachel is a ministry of healing for any person suffering pain or problems from an abortion experience. This confidential service allows people to work through their feelings and find hope and healing. Please contact us at 905-526-1999 or toll free at 1-888-385-3850.

GARDEN OF GRACE

All are welcome to visit the Garden of Grace, a peaceful space for prayer, healing and contemplation on the property of the Basilica of Our Lady. The garden is dedicated especially to women and families who are grieving after an abortion and also those who have lost a child through miscarriage, stillbirth or ectopic pregnancy. Visitors are welcome to stop by the garden any time during the summer and fall months. For further information contact www.guelphforlife.com or call 519-836-6311.

DAILY MEDITATIONS - HENRI NOUWEN SOCIETY

The great conversion in our life is to recognize and believe that the many unexpected events are not just disturbing interruptions in our projects, but the way in which God molds our hearts and prepares us for his return. Our great temptations are boredom and bitterness. When our good plans are interrupted by poor weather, our well-organized careers by illness or bad luck, our peace of mind by inner turmoil, our hope for peace by a new war, our desire for a stable government by a constant changing of the guards, and our desire for immortality by real death, we are tempted to give in to a paralyzing boredom or to strike back in destructive bitterness. But when we believe that patience can make our expectations grow, then fate can be converted into a vocation, wounds into a call for deeper understanding, and sadness into a birthplace of joy.