

Monday, September 14– Feast: The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

9:00a.m. – Vincenzia Maria Di Tomaso, Olga Murray, Anna Levenetz, Intentions of Lucila & Tereso Garcia

Tuesday, September 15 – Feast: Our Lady of Sorrows **9:00a.m.** – Helen (Pollack) & Frank Synnott, Deceased Members of the Downey Family, Norma O'Shea, Intentions of Bob & Patricia Mason

Wednesday, September 16 – Feast: St. Cornelius & St. Cyprian

7:30a.m. – Deceased Members of the Silva Family, Sheila & Jimmy Lowe, Barbara Wiechold

Thursday, September 17 – Ferial: Weekday **9:00a.m.** – Edwardo Sousa, Louie Folk, Ed Crimless

Friday, September 18 – Ferial: Weekday 9:00a.m. – Elizabeth MacIntyre, Intentions of Bishop Ustrzycki, Intentions of Elise Charron

Saturday, September 19 – Ferial 5:15p.m. – Zvonko Peteranac, Katharine Meechan, Angelina Lipartiti, Intentions of Edward & Clara Kaczorowski

Sunday, September 20 – Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00a.m., 10:30a.m. & 12noon

Stewardship of Treasure:

Thank you for your gift of \$9,598.20 in support of your parish community in gratitude for God's blessings.

PARISH & OTHER NEWS COVID-19 UPDATES

Please refer to our parish website (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.

VOCATIONS:

"If we live, we live to the Lord, and if we die, we die to the Lord; so then, whether we live or whether we die, we are the Lord's." Consider service as a priest. If God is calling you contact Father Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 or email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

WEEKDAY MASS & DEVOTION SCHEDULE

PLEASE NOTE: This Mass schedule is effective beginning Monday, September 7th, 2020.

MASSES FOR ORDINARY TIME

Monday – 9:00a.m.
Tuesday – 9:00a.m.
Wednesday – 7:30a.m.
Thursday – 9:00a.m.
Friday – 9:00a.m.
Saturday – 9:00a.m. (Feasts and Solemnities ONLY)
First Saturdays – Confessions – 8:00a.m
Mass – 9:00a.m.

CONFESSIONS – Saturdays from 4:00p.m.-5:00p.m.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT –

Fridays – 9:30a.m.-12:00noon

PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS – Following the 7:30a.m.

Mass on Wednesday mornings

PLEASE NOTE: ADDITIONAL SUNDAY MASS

Please note that *beginning Sunday, September* **20**th we will be adding an additional Sunday Mass. Masses will be held at 9a.m., 10:30a.m. & 12noon and you do not need to book ahead to attend.

CATECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE COURSE

Programs available for children from Kindergarten through to High School not currently receiving Preparation religious instruction. for First Communion and Confirmation for children not in Families work Catholic Schools also available. through the programs at home. Contact Monica in the Catechesis Office at 905-528-7988, ext. 2238 or check out our website at www.hamiltondiocese.com and click on the Catechesis Office for more information, printable registration forms or to register online. You can also register directly through our Parish Office by calling 519-824-3951.

RETROUVAILLE

Experiencing stress in your marriage? Is your marriage not what you hoped it would be? Are you, or a relative or a friend heading for a possible divorce? Retrouvaille is designed to help marriages regain their health. The Retrouvaille program is highly successful in saving marriages and in helping them to thrive. For confidential information about, or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on Oct. 23, 2020. Please call 905-664-5212 or email: Teamrecine@gmail.com or visit the website at www.retrouvaille.org.

HENRI NOUWEN SOCIETY DAILY MEDITATIONS

I hope you stay close to Jesus in the midst of everything. Jesus is, as you know, much more than a story. He is a source of life and is truly able to touch you deeply so that you can go beyond the successfailure syndrome. I really believe that it is possible for you to develop a simple life of prayer that can give you that "holy indifference." By that, I mean the place where you feel so truly safe and so well held that the ups and downs of your life aren't able to distress you or excite you. I have personally found much help in spending a little time every day just repeating in my mind a sacred text such as the prayer of St. Francis, "Make me an instrument of your peace. . . ." When I let these words enter deeply into my consciousness, something new in me happens and I am moved beyond the places where exultation or depression dwell.

GUELPH & AREA RIGHT TO LIFE CHAIN

One hour could save a life! Join the pro-life prayer chain happening in over 1500 cities across North America. Local people of faith are invited to come together for an hour of peaceful prayer and witness. Join the Life Chain to pray for women and families who have been wounded by abortion, to pray for women to choose life, and to witness the value of every unborn child. In Guelph, Life Chain will be from 1-2p.m. at the intersection of Speedvale Ave. and Woolwich St. For more information on COVID-19, safety measures or any other questions, visit guelphforlife.com or call 519-836-6311.

RESOURCES FOR FAMILIES DURING THE CRISIS

We are all facing challenging times in light of the COVID-19 crisis and we understand the various stresses that many families are facing. For a list of resources regarding relationship support for couples, singles persons and parents, mental health or financial concerns please visit www.hamiltondiocese.com. As new resources are discovered this list will be updated for your convenience.

CATHOLIC SCHOOL SUPPORT

Are you aware that when you move, your tax support automatically defers to the public school system, even if you have always been a Catholic School Supporter in the past? If you are not sure where your tax dollars are directed, please call the Wellington Catholic District School Board at 519-821-4600 to confirm your support. The School Board will be happy to provide you with the appropriate forms to switch your taxes if you are currently supporting the public board. For more information about the Wellington Catholic School Board visit www.wellingtoncdsb.ca .

BLESSINGS IN THE MIDST OF TRIAL

The pandemic hasn't halted the good work of the church. The Stewardship & Development Office of the Diocese of Hamilton asked for examples and parishes provided a wealth of them. To access the profoundly uplifting volumes please visit www.hamiltondiocese.com.

GOLF TOURNAMENT CANCELLED

We have had to cancel the Parish Golf Tournament, which was scheduled on October 4th of this year. There is a silver lining however. The 2021 Parish Golf Tournament is now tentatively re-scheduled for Sunday, June 6th, 2021.