

Mass Intentions: January 6th – 14th, 2018

SATURDAY	January 6th	<i>Saint André</i>
9am	<i>Mass at Homewood</i>	
5pm	†Helen Daniels	
SUNDAY	January 7th	<i>Epiphany of the Lord</i>
9am	Living & Deceased Members of the Parish	
11am	†Ethel & John Smith & Mary Smith Lewcock	
MONDAY	January 8th	<i>Baptism of the Lord</i>
9am	†Frank Basso	
TUESDAY	January 9th	
9am	†Hung Chung	
WEDNESDAY	January 10th	
9am	†Ian Fraser †Gloria Flaman †Tony DiCarlo Intentions at our Lady's Altar	
6pm	Family Rosary	
THURSDAY	January 11th	
9am	†Alma Lonc <i>Adoration 9:30 - 11:30am</i>	
7pm	†Patrick Doherty †Mary Hayes †Tony Aimola	
FRIDAY	January 12th	<i>St. Marguerite Bourgeoys</i>
9am	†Andre Bechard †Brian Drexler	
SATURDAY	January 13th	
9am	<i>Mass at Homewood</i>	
5pm	†Incoronata Stocco	
SUNDAY	January 14th	
9am	Living & Deceased Members of the Parish	
11am	†Marcello Vadori †Frank Anselmini & Deceased Members of Romeo Family.	

Weekday Altar Server & Reader: January 8th - 12th

Weekday Server: Hugh Peloso
Weekday Reader: Rose Charbonneau

Liturgical Ministry - Saturday/Sunday, January 13th & 14th

5pm	E Chris Barrett, Sandy Halloran & Annette Yaskowich L Paul Drone & Tim O'Connor S Darwin & Don Joseph and Pio & Johnvia Kuruvila
9am	E Barb Marzo, John & Jeanne Lovelock L Nadia Martin & Lloyd Longfield S Lauren & Christopher Cathcart, Mathew Jijo & Isaac Sivo
11am	E Lila Dempsey, Pat McCann & Cathy Whyte L Magee McGuire & Dawn Gray S Sarah Obbema, Alexandra & Myra Johnson, Jane Wood & Isabella McDowell- Cotlear

January 7, 2018 - Epiphany of the Lord

“..they fell down and worshipped him. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh...” - Matthew 2:11. Notice the order of events in the Magi's visit. First, they knelt before Jesus and prayed to Him. Then they presented Him with their gifts. We, too, must take time to pray before we present our gifts to the Lord. We never know what God may be asking us to share!

Parish Meetings / Events January 8th – 13th, 2018

Monday, January 8th

- **Adult Faith:** 10am – Our Lady of the Rosary Comm. Rm.
- **Bingo:** 1:30pm – Our Lady of the Rosary Comm. Rm
- **CWL:** 6:45pm – Our Lady of the Rosary Comm. Rm.
- **Faith & Family Group:** 7pm – Adoration Chapel

Wednesday, January 10th

- **Family Rosary:** 6pm – Church
- **Reno:** 7pm – St. Ignatius Loyola Classroom

Thursday, January 11th

- **R.C.I.A.:** 7pm – St. Ignatius Loyola Classroom

Saturday, January 13th

- **Confirmation Commitment Mass:** 5pm – Church

Friendly Reminder - Fatima Statue Pick-up

In honour of the 100th Anniversary of *Fatima*, a statue of Our Lady is available for families to take home for a week, to pray, sing songs & enjoy a DVD. Below are upcoming bookings:

January 7 – Elisabeth Crha
January 14 – Eugene Fraser

To reserve or for more details, please call the Parish Office.

Faith & Family Prayer Group (Divine Mercy Chaplet)

A new prayer group is being formed in the Parish, approved by Father Boyd. Beginning **Monday, January 8th & then after on the 1st Monday of each month.** For 1 hour the Divine Mercy Chaplet will be recited and Evening Prayer of the Liturgy of the Hours will be prayed. The prayer intention is to strengthen our families and marriages in the Faith. The prayer group will meet in the Adoration Chapel at 7pm. All Welcome! For further info, contact Barbara Opolski at 647-241-4655.

The Catholic Grandparents Association

Our next meeting is on **Tuesday, January 16th at 1pm** in Our Lady of the Rosary Community Room. Theresa Hartnett from the Diocese will be speaking at this meeting. Everyone is welcome to attend!

Holy Rosary Guelph Blood Donor Clinic

Holy Rosary Church is donating blood together as a Parish on **Sat., Jan., 20th between 8am-1pm** at the Guelph Blood Donor Clinic (130 Silvercreek Pkwy., North). Sign-up to donate at blood.ca/18882DONATE or attend mass the weekend of **January 13th/14th**; a speaker from Canadian Blood Services will be at all masses to answer questions & book appointments.

Prepare for the SHARE LENT Campaign!

Attend any one of our Hamilton Diocesan workshops. With our theme: **“Building peace through dialogue”**, join us as we explore how we and those around us can become “artisans of peace”. Questions? 905-525-1198

Tuesday, Jan 16, 7pm: Holy Rosary Parish,
175 Emma St., Guelph

Tuesday, Jan 16, 7pm: Annunciation of Our Lord Parish,
280 Limeridge Rd., West, Hamilton

Wednesday, Jan 17, 7pm: St Michael's Parish,
181 Sewell Dr., Oakville

Thursday, Feb. 8, 7 pm: Resurrection College,
265 Westmount Rd. N. Waterloo

Adult Faith Development

Our two last sessions on Mary in the Bible will start on Monday January 8th, at 10am. All are welcome.

The Tree of Hope Committee

... would like to offer their sincere appreciation for the overwhelming generosity of Holy Rosary Parishioners. Year after year, you selflessly support organizations in our community who so gratefully receive our donations. May God bless you all this Christmas season.

The Feast Video Guelph Group

.. is part of The Light of Jesus Community (LOJC), Canada, a Catholic Charismatic Community. LOJC is also a member of the Filipino Canadian Catholic Charismatic Prayer Communities (FCCCCPC) in the Archdiocese of Toronto, and is recognized by the Diocese of Hamilton. The group invites everyone to come and join them at their **monthly gathering, on Saturdays, 2-4pm** for time of worship, video teaching, sharing, fellowship and light snacks, and be blessed and inspired by God's Word! **Watch for Flyer coming soon.** Contact: Celestial Family 519-829-2758 OR email: afcelestial@hotmail.com.

✧ **IGNATIUS JESUIT CENTRE** ✧

Retreat Opportunity

Are you seeking a prayerful, silent, affordable place for spiritual reflection? Does a weekend retreat with healthy meals and private rooms at Loyola House appeal to you? Are you free **Feb., 23-25 or March 2-4?** If you have said yes but are concerned that you can't afford the retreat fee, contact Fr. Roger Yaworski directly at 519-824-1250 Ext. 230 OR executivedirector@ignatiusguelph.ca. The Hamilton Diocese Ex Corde Foundation has generously provided funds to make this opportunity affordable to parishioners within the Diocese. Be sure to register early. Call 519-824-1250 OR loyolahouse.com OR registration@ignatiusguelph.ca.

Love, Henri - Letters on the Spiritual Life

Join us on Saturday February 3rd at 7:30pm at Holy Rosary Parish for a presentation with musical accompaniment on the letters of Henri Nouwen, and an introduction to the celebrated author and pastor by archivist Gabrielle Earnshaw. This event is presented by the Henri Nouwen Society, Loyola House and Holy Rosary Parish. There will be a "free will offering".

✧ **HAMILTON DIOCESE** ✧

The "Keys to Loving Relationships"

"Keys" is a nine week video-based program meant for anyone (married or single) who is looking for a more meaningful relationship with a spouse, family member or friend. Learn how to become a better "me" in all your relationships! The program runs **Tuesday evenings from 7pm to 9pm, starting January 23rd**, at St. Mark's Parish, 55 Driftwood Ave., Kitchener. The cost is \$45. For more information, please call the Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988 ext. 2249.

Pope Francis to attend World Meeting of Families in Dublin

The Diocese of Hamilton is planning a trip to the World Meeting of Families in Dublin, Ireland, which takes place **Aug. 21 – 26, 2018**. Every keynote address and workshop will be based on Pope Francis' *Amoris Laetitia*, or *The Joy of Love*. This is a family event with workshop streams for those 18 and older, 6 – 17 years and day care for those 5 and younger. The Diocese of Hamilton has booked a block of rooms for anyone interested in attending, **but registration for the conference portion and travel are to be booked by each individual participant.** Conference Registration can be found at <http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie/en/>. For more information or to book accommodation at our hotel, the Maldon Hotel Tallaght, go to <https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/wmof-2018> or call 905-528-7988 ext. 2250 (Teresa Hartnett). **Diocesan accommodation must be booked by mid-January, so contact us soon if you are interested.**

Ignatius Jesuit Centre - www.loyolahouse.com

Holy Rosary Parish - www.holyrosaryguelph.ca

Hamilton Diocese - www.hamiltondiocese.com

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Family Name _____

First Name (s) _____

Address _____

Phone No. _____

Sunday Offering Envelopes: Yes _____ No _____

Tax receipts available for your kind donations. Please obtain envelopes at the Office or fill out a form to donate through monthly automatic withdrawal. Tax receipts for all donations over \$20 are issued every January.