

Mass Intentions: February 7th – February 15th

SATURDAY	February 7th
10am	First School Reconciliations
5pm	†Leo Yaskowich
SUNDAY	February 8th Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time
7am	Living & Deceased of the Parish
9am	Living & Deceased of the Parish
11am	†Gino Busato †Dino Porcellato Int. Victoria Gojdyicz
MONDAY	February 9th
9am	†Joseph Analil
TUESDAY	February 10th St. Scholastica
9am	†Maria Sacchetti
WEDNESDAY	February 11th World Day of the Sick
9am	†Vitor Da Conceição †Anne Dmetriuc Int. Nina Sheppard †Cecilia Pigozzo
THURSDAY	February 12th
9am	†Cathy Copeland †Joey Bellon †Maria Luisa Zilio †Keegan Fraser & Wyatt Eston Adoration 9:30am-10:30am
FRIDAY	February 13th
9am	†Vitor Da Conceição
7pm	Young Adult Adoration
SATURDAY	February 14th St. Cyril & St. Methodius
5pm	Int. Myle Do
SUNDAY	February 15th Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time
7am	Living & Deceased of the Parish
9am	Living & Deceased of the Parish
11am	†Frank Gazzola †Stan Stromski †Dino Porcellato

Weekday Altar Server & Reader February 9th – 13th

Weekday Server: Kevin Kennaley
Weekday Reader: Kevin Kennaley

Liturgical Ministry & Lectors Sat / Sun
February 14th/15th

E – Eucharist L – Lector G – Gift Bearer

5pm	E Stan & Elisabeth Crha L Teresa Moran & Darrin Johnson G
7am	L Miriam Porter G Virginia
9am	E Steve & Therese Wright L Rodney Bell & Steve Wright G
11am	E Sylvia Wilvert & Rose Silveri L Sylvia Wilvert & Rose Silveri G

Parish Meetings / Events: February 7th – February 15th

Saturday, February, 7th

First School Reconciliations: 10 am – Church

Tuesday, February 10th

Catholic in Recovery: 7 pm - Our Lady of the Rosary Comm. Rm

Wednesday, February, 11th

Family Rosary: 6 pm – Church

CWL News

General meeting – **Monday February 9th at 6:30 pm** in the community room (speaker in attendance)

For those donating watches to the CWL Christmas Bazaar and Tea, please drop off (only watches) in advance of the Bazaar in the baskets at each entrance so that they can be serviced before being sold at the Bazaar.

Reminder that CWL membership fees for 2025 is \$40.00 and that cheques should be made payable to: **Holy Rosary Catholic Women's League**. Please do not use the CWL acronym on the cheque as the bank will not accept it.

Reminder: Ash Wednesday is **February 18th**. Remember to bring your palms to the Church to be burned. A box for palms will be placed beside the statue of Mary outside the Parish Office.

Tax Receipt Reminder!

 Due to the 2024 postal strike, the government extended the date of eligible cash donations for 2024. Because of that, you received a tax receipt with your January and February donations for 2025 last year. This year's tax receipt includes March – December 2025.

Spring Book Club: "On Love of the Poor"

The Office for Evangelization and Catechesis invite you to join us for a four-week virtual book club, exploring Pope Leo XIV's first Apostolic Exhortation, "On Love of the Poor." Aligned with our Lenten journey, this series will explore the key themes and messages of our Holy Father's message on love and solidarity with those who experience marginalization. Registration can be made here:

<https://hamiltondiocese.com/events/>

Speaking Synodality

The Office for Evangelization and Catechesis invites you to join our three-part workshop series on Synodality and its applications in local parish settings. This seminar is encouraged for those involved in parish councils, pastoral planning, and leadership at all levels of Catholic community living. There will be 2 locations for each 3-part session series: Hamilton (with a Zoom option) and, Holy Rosary Guelph. Registration and further details can be found here: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/events/>

PARISH OFFERINGS**Collection of February 1st, 2026**

Sunday Offering	161 Envelopes	\$ 4,609.00
Auto Withdrawal	101 Envelopes	\$ 2,311.15
	262 Envelopes	
	Loose	\$ 1,040.60
		\$ 7,960.75

Seminary Education **\$1,827.40**
Bottles to Date: **\$20,306.45**

Thank you to all for your continued generosity.

Please Remember the Parish in Your Will.

Sanctuary Lamps

The Sanctuary Lamps beside the Tabernacle will burn for seven days **For the Intentions of Mary & Wayne Knightengale** from February 7-13 2026.

Excerpt from Pope Leo XIV's Message for World Day of the Sick 2026

Let us raise our prayers to the Blessed Virgin Mary, Health of the Sick, asking her to assist all who suffer and are in need of compassion, consolation and a listening ear. Let us seek her intercession with this ancient prayer, that has been invoked in families for those living with illness and pain:

Sweet Mother, do not part from me.

Turn not your eyes away from me.

Walk with me at every moment and never leave me alone. You who always protect me as a true Mother, obtain for me the blessing of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Thank you to all parishioners who contributed to the last Mission Possible Outreach collection. **\$236.40** was raised for the Missions. Next Mission Possible Outreach collection will be **February 21/22 2026**

**Regina Caeli Academy Gala**

The private Catholic school opening in September 2026 will host a gala at the Italian Canadian Club on **Saturday, April 11th, 2026**. The event will feature dinner, dancing, a silent auction, and many prizes. Vegetarian and gluten-free options are available. Tickets are \$140 each and can be purchased at the parish office. For a table of 8, tickets are \$135 each; for a table of 10, they are \$130 each. This discounted table rate applies to tickets purchased by **February 12th, 2026**. For more information, to pay by e-transfer, or to donate a prize, please contact info@reginacaeliacademy.ca

The Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2026? You are cordially invited to join Bishop Dabrowski and couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on **Sunday, May 31st, 2026 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton at 1:30 pm**. Registration is at hamiltondiocese.com, or call the Family Ministry Office at **905-528-7988 ext. 2249**

Enhancing Self-Esteem

This program provides the opportunity to increase awareness of yourself and to learn specific skills for building a positive self-esteem. It can help you to feel stronger in all areas of your life. Issues covered during the course include taking responsibility for your own thoughts and feelings, positive ways to behave assertively and setting realistic goals for your future. The program will run Tuesdays from **Feb. 17 – April 21 from 7-9 pm** and are held at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West Hamilton. Cost is \$35 for materials. Registration online can be found by going to hamiltondiocese.com or by contacting Sarah at **905-528-7988 ext. 2249**, or at familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com.

When Life Changes Grief Program

Using Dr. Bill Webster's grief material these programs are intended to help you to understand your grief and provide practical tips and support for helping you through. Both part one and two will be offered at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West. All are welcome. To register look for the program at hamiltondiocese.com or call the Family Ministry Office at **905-528-7988 ext. 2249**.

Part One – When Life Changes will be offered on Wednesday afternoons from **Feb. 18- March 25 from 1:30 – 3:00 pm**.

Part Two – The On-going Journey (for those who have previously completed Part One) is offered on Wednesday evenings from **April 8 - May 13 from 7:00-8:30pm**.

Welcome to Holy Rosary Parish**WOULD YOU LIKE TO REGISTER? COUNT YOURSELF IN!**

Please complete the form & deposit it into the collection or hand to the Parish Office.

Family Name _____

First Name (s) _____

Address _____

Postal Code: _____ Phone No. _____

Email: _____

Your permission to be on the electronic parish update?

Yes _____ No _____

Sunday Offering Envelopes: Yes _____ No _____

Automatic Withdrawal: Yes _____ No _____

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

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