



Monday, March 12

8:00a.m. Franco Pinciario

Tuesday, March 13

7:00p.m. Deceased members of the Scime Family
 Deceased members of the Ianieri Family
 Alice Flanagan Donald Yip-Chuck
 Maria Magdalena Cartel Karel Huygen

Wednesday, March 14

8:00a.m. Paul Leung

Thursday, March 15

8:00a.m. Benedicto Ngo Tran

Friday, March 16

8:00a.m. Zuhar Azoo

Saturday, March 17

St. Patrick, Bishop

9:00a.m. Intentions of Deborah Chan

5:00p.m. Tony Salamone Fulvia Valentini
 Agnes Benoit

Happy St. Patrick's Day 

**Diocesan Prayer Calendar
 Week of the March 11th, 2018**

This week we especially pray for:

Monday	Rev. Toby Collins, C.R.
Tuesday	Rev. Daniel Lobsinger, C.R.
Wednesday	Ursuline Sisters (o.s.u.)
Thursday	Rev. Martin Mikulski, S.A.C.
Friday	Rev. Msgr. Edward House
Saturday	Rev. William Trusz

Loving Father, bless Your Church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, brothers and sisters. Give those whom You are calling to the married state and those You are choosing to live as single persons in the world the special graces that their lives require. Form us all in the likeness of Your Son so that through Him, with Him, and in Him, we may love You more deeply and serve You more faithfully. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK

The Trials of Saint Patrick

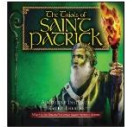
Augustine Institute Radio Theatre

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—Most Rev. Samuel J. Aquila, Archbishop, Archdiocese of Denver

VOLUNTEERS WANTED - BAPTISM PREP TEAM

Would you be interested in helping parents, families and godparents understand the meaning and impact of baptism. Would you like to lead parents to a greater awareness of their duties as spiritual guardians? Team members meet with and prepare new parents for the baptism of their children at scheduled times. Prep Meetings are held the First Sunday of each month after the final Mass and last for approximately 1 hour. Training will be provided by current Prep Couples. If you would like to take part in this awesome Ministry please contact the parish office, 905-648-6874.

CALLING ALL SEWERS & SUPPORTERS OF YOUTH MINISTRY!

The St Ann's Youth Group "ABLAZE" will be presenting a living version of the Stations of the Cross on Good Friday Evening at 7 pm. In order to assist us with the preparation of the costumes for this event we are looking for parishioners who might be willing to sew one or more of the costumes. There are also some costumes we will purchase at the cost of approximately 50.00 each. There are approximately 20 costumes to be made or purchased for this presentation. If you are willing to volunteer or donate to this Youth Ministry Initiative please contact David in the parish Office or via email dgdayler@gmail.com

VOCATIONS

St. Paul reminds us that we are "created in Christ Jesus for good works". If you think God's plan for you could be to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. **Michael King, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x2246** or email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

"Christ be with me, Christ within me, Christ behind me, Christ before me, Christ beside me, Christ to win me, Christ to comfort me and restore me, Christ beneath me, Christ above me, Christ in quiet, Christ in danger, Christ in hearts of all that love me, Christ in mouth of friend and stranger."
 -St. Patrick

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2018? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 10, 2018 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring one guest if you require assistance). Please refer to the poster in the back Narthex of the church for information on how to register for the celebration, or go to www.hamiltondiocese.com.



A SCHOOL OF COMMUNITY LEADERS IN PERU

For the fourth week of Lent, let's go to Peru and discover one of Development and Peace's partners, the Bartolomé de Las Casas Institute! It runs the Hugo Echegaray leadership school, where students strengthen their capacity for dialogue, consensus, participation, and consultation in order to exercise ethical and responsible civic leadership in their communities. The Solidarity Sunday collection will be celebrated in all Canadian parishes next week. We will appeal to your generosity in support of our sisters and brothers in the Global South who fight every day for peace, human dignity, and social justice.



FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH

The Feast of St. Joseph will be celebrated on Monday March 19 at Our Lady of All Souls Church, 21 Barton St. W. Hamilton with a Solemn Mass at 11am, followed by the traditional "Table of St. Joseph" in the parish hall. Novena begins on March 10 in the church. Everyone welcome!

SERRA CLUB DINNER

Join the Serra Club of Hamilton in honouring and celebrating our Priests and Consecrated Brothers and Sisters. The event takes place on May 2, 2018 at Liuna Station, Hamilton beginning with cocktails at 6:30. Tickets: \$65.00 Contact: Margaret at 905-628-5682 or celebrationprl@gmail.com. website: celebrationprl.wixsite.com/dinner

SCHOOL YEAR 2018-2019

St. Ann's Catholic Elementary School

If your child will be 4 years of age by December 31, 2018 they are ready to be enrolled for Full Day Kindergarten! Please contact *St. Ann Catholic Elementary School* at (905) 523-2340 to book your appointment today! We are accepting new registrants now!

Holy Name of Mary Catholic Elementary School

Holy Name of Mary is now accepting registrations for Junior Kindergarten and for any new Senior Kindergarten students. Children entering Junior Kindergarten must have a birth date in 2014 and those entering Senior Kindergarten must a birth date of 2013. As well, the school invites any students attending public school living in the Meadowlands who have a commitment to full participation in a Catholic school to call the school to enroll. Please call Mrs. Hopper at 905-523-2342 to arrange a time to register. Documents required for admission are as follows: (a) Birth certificate (b) Baptismal certificate (c) Immunization record (d) Proof of residence (e) Immigration papers (*if applicable*) (f) Custody papers (*if applicable*).

Hamilton Catholic Young Adults Group

St. Patrick's Pub 2

Irish Dinner & Live Celtic Music!

Sunday, March 18th at St. Thomas Parish Hall (715 Centre Rd., Waterdown, ON). Celebrate St. Patrick's Day weekend in a Family-Friendly environment! Doors open at 5:30. A 3-course Irish Dinner follows at 6:00. Live Irish Dancing & Celtic Music begins on stage at 7:00 pm. Cash bar - which includes Guinness and Green Beer - will be available! Featuring Irish Dancing & Live Celtic Band: "Failte" (www.failteband.com). Dinner Tickets must be purchased in advance or reserved. If you are interested in coming for the show and grabbing a pint we only ask a \$10 cover. Pricing: Dinner & Concert - \$25 Show only - \$10 cover. To reserve your tickets or for more information contact jpeter@hamiltondiocese.com; call 905 689 4857; www.stthomaswaterdown.com; Check out the event on "St Thomas the Apostle Church" on Facebook.