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PARISH BULLETIN
APRIL 12, 2026
SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Father Patras Samuel Masih, Pastor
Vanessa Melo - Administrative Assistant
Nellie Melo - Pastoral Assistant
Randy York - Custodian

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Saturday, Sunday, Monday- Closed
 Tuesday to Friday 9:00 AM – 4:30 PM
 Closed for lunch 12 PM – 1PM Daily

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday – 5:00 PM Bilingual
 Sunday – 9:30 AM English
 Sunday 11:00 AM Portuguese

MISSAS DE FIM DE SEMANA

Sábado – 5:00 PM Bilingue
 Domingo – 9:30 AM Inglês
 Domingo 11:00 AM Português

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 4:30-4:50 PM or by appointment

CONFISSÕES

Sabados 4:30-4:50 PM ou por apontamento.

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PARISH LIFE

- ❖ **Sacrament of Baptism** - For baptismal registration, parents must call the office at least one month in advance.
- ❖ **Sacrament of First Holy Communion and Confirmation**, please contact Fr. Patras for more information.
- ❖ **Sacrament of Marriage** - Contact the parish at least 9 months in advance.
- ❖ **Marriage Blessings**, on the last Sunday of each month, please inform Father Patras before Mass.

VIDA PAROQUIAL

- ❖ **Sacramento do Batismo** - Para registo batismal os pais devem telefonar para o escritório com ou menos de um mês de antecedência.
- ❖ **Sacramento de 1ª Comunhão e Confirmação** - receber o Sacramento de 1ª Comunhão ou Confirmação, por favor fale com o Pe. Patras para mais informação.
- ❖ **Sacramento do Matrimónio** - Contactar a paróquia pelo menos 9 meses antes. Obrigatório participar num curso de formação.
- ❖ **Bênçãos de Matrimónio**, no último domingo de cada mês, por favor informe o Sr. Padre Patras antes da missa.

WEEKDAY MASSES IN THE CHAPEL

Portuguese: Tuesday 6:30pm-Wednesday 9:00am
 English: Thursday 9:00 am-Friday 9:00am

MISSAS DURANTE E SEMANA NA CAPELA

português: terça-feira 6:30pm-quarta-feira 9:00am
 inglês: quinta-feira- 9:00am -sexta-feira 9:00 am

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Every first Friday of the month 9:30 AM – 10:30 AM

PARISH REGISTRATION

New to the parish? Please pick up a registration form in the back of the Church after Mass. New parishioners can obtain Offertory Envelope sets from the Parish Office.

† **SHARING WITH GOD** †
EASTER TRIDUUM
APRIL 4TH & APRIL 5TH

OFFERTORY: \$ 2949.30	SHARE LENT: \$ 150.00
HOLY THURSDAY: \$517.00	INITIAL OFFERING: \$20.00
GOOD FRIDAY: \$ 697.00	BUILDING FUND: \$262.95
EASTER OFFERING: \$1340.00	EASTER VIGIL CANDLE DONATION: \$118.15
EASTER FLOWERS: \$50.00	CHURCH INSURANCE : \$10.00

† **DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR** †

Mon April 13	Rev. Ross Campbell
Tues April 14	Most Rev. Joseph A. Dabrowski, C.S.M.A
Wed April 15	Permanent Deacons
Thurs April 16	Grandparents & the Elderly
Fri April 17	Rev. Moices Caballero
Sat April 18	Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger

† **MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK** †

Sat April 11	5:00 pm	† Maria Faria e familia † Por alma de Maria Bianca – Maria do Carmo † 7 th Day Mass of Humberto Pacheco- Melo Family
Sun April 12	9:30 am	† Bawi Bibi † Matthew & Bridget Aberdeen
Sun April 12	11:00 am	† Silvio Esgueirao † Celestino De Almeida – Amigos e familia † Lino Victoria 1 month anniversary of his passing – Wife † Maria Eduarda Pavao – Marido e Filhos
Tues April 14	6:30 pm	† Carlos Manuel Alcatrao – familia
Wed April 15	9:00 am	
Thurs April 16	9:00 am	† People of St. Mary’s Parish
Fri April 17	9:00 am	



This Sunday, we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday, a special day in the Church dedicated to reflecting on God’s endless mercy and love.

We invite all parishioners to join us in prayer and trust in the Lord’s compassion. As we gather, let us open our hearts to His grace and remember the message: “*Jesus, I trust in You.*”

Wishing everyone a blessed and grace-filled Divine Mercy Sunday.

Heavenly Father,

We lift up in prayer all those who serve Your Church—our bishops, priests, and lay ministers. Bless them with wisdom, strength, and compassion as they guide your people. May Your Holy Spirit inspire them in their ministry and fill their hearts with your peace. We also entrust to you the needs of our parish and all who seek your grace.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

I would like to extend my heartfelt gratitude to each and every one of you who generously dedicated your time and service during Holy Week, the Stations of the Cross, the Easter Triduum, and our Easter Sunday Masses.

From Palm Sunday through the Stations of the Cross, Holy Thursday, Good Friday, the Easter Vigil, and Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of The Lord, your commitment and devotion helped make these sacred celebrations truly prayerful, meaningful, and welcoming for our entire parish community. Whether serving in visible ministries or working faithfully behind the scenes, your efforts were deeply appreciated and essential to the beauty of our liturgies.

May the joy and peace of the Risen Christ remain with you and your families always.

With sincere thanks and appreciation,

Rev. Patras Samuel Masih

Attention

As we gather for worship, we kindly ask that you please silence or turn off your phone ringer before entering the church.

Even small sounds can be distracting and may take away from the prayerful atmosphere of our service. Thank you for helping us keep this a peaceful and focused time for everyone.

We appreciate your cooperation.

Atencao

Pedimos gentilmente que, por favor, silencie ou desligue o toque do seu celular antes de entrar na igreja.

Mesmo pequenos sons podem ser distrativos
 Agradecemos a sua colaboração.

Hamilton Diocese Announcements

WORLD YOUTH DAY SEOUL 2027 The young people of the world have begun their preparations to meet with the Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV at the 41st International Celebration of World Youth Day, Seoul, South Korea. To learn more about this pilgrimage of faith, visit: <https://wydseoul.org/en> . Join us in praying for all young people discerning their participation from our Diocese.

**WORLD YOUTH DAY 2027: SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA
 JULY 31 – AUGUST 9, 2027**

Bishop Dabrowski is sending a delegation of young adults (aged 18-35) to World Youth Day in the summer of 2027. World Youth Day (WYD) is the gathering of young people from all over the world with the Pope. It is also a pilgrimage, a celebration of youth, an expression of the universal Church and an intense moment of evangelization for the world. The Diocesan Pastoral Offices welcome you to attend a **virtual information night** on Thursday, April 23 @ 7:30pm. Register here: bit.ly/WYDInfoNight

For more information about WYD in the Diocese of Hamilton please visit: wyd.hamiltondiocese.com

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 31, 2026 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton 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). Registration is found under Upcoming Events on the home page at hamiltondiocese.com or call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.