

COMING TO OUR CHURCH! Starting May 30th Sitting dates: May 30, 31, June 1,2,3

We look forward to having you included in the new photo directory!

This is a wonderful opportunity to bring your family together for a Family Keepsake Portrait and will allow you to hand down something special to upcoming generations.

To book an appointment simply grab a postcard at the entrance of the church, or call 1-888-769-7339

Happy Mother's Day

As of June 4th, Holy Family Parish will no longer be livestreaming our Sunday Mass.

Catholic Women's League
YEAR END DINNER - Thursday June 8.
Gathering at 6:00, Dinner at 6:30 at
Schmitsville, Wellesley.
Buffet Dinner. \$33.00 which includes
dinner, dessert, tea or coffee, tax, gratuity.
All women of the parish are invited to join us.
Sign up sheets at both church entrances.

Council of Catholic Men Spaghetti dinner - Thursday May 18

We will sponsor a spaghetti dinner in Jonathan Reitzel's honour.

The simple menu will be spaghetti with either meat or tomato sauce, garlic bread, ceasar salad, and coffee, tea or punch.

The cost is \$12.00 adults,7.00 children under 16, \$35.00 family (2 adults and all children under 16)

There will be 2 sittings at 5:30 pm (100 people), 7:30 pm (100 people)

We will also offer take out for pickup at 5 pm or 7 pm.

We will do limited delivery in New Hamburg only. Reservations are required.

All proceeds will be given to Jonathan.

If you are unable to attend and wish to support him, donations will be accepted.

Fr. Jonathan will be present that day so you can visit with him.

For tickets:

- 1) they will be available at the main entrance of the church. Payment by cash or cheque
- 2) Call Pat at 519 242 4763
- 3) email Pat at patlangford99@gmail.com-etransfer will be available

Orders must be placed by May 14.



Holy Family Roman Catholic Church (1883)

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Pastor:

Reverend Bob Love Secretary: Sherry Reitzel

Office Hours

9 am - 11:30 am Monday, Tuesday & Thursday

Mass Times

Tuesday—7:00 p.m. Wed-Friday 8:30 am Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 10:00 a.m. Rosary - 30 min before Mass

Confession

Saturday 4-5 pm Or upon request

<u>Marriage</u>

Please contact the parish at least six months in advance.

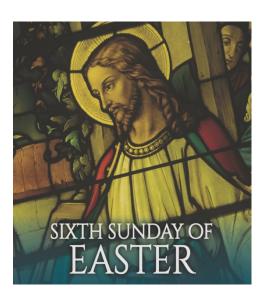
<u>Baptism</u>

Contact the office at least four month in advance
Request forms at back of the church

Holy Family Catholic School Principal: Mark Modolo.

519-662-1734

Sunday, May 14, 2023 Sixth Sunday of Easter



John 14:15-21 I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate.

MASS SCHEDULE

TUESDAY

May 16

7:00 pm

+ Guiseppe Sgarbossa Req. Judy Sgarbossa

WEDNESDAY

May 17

8:30 am

+Judith Kroetsch Reg. Estate

THURSDAY

May 18

8:30 am Special Intentions M.B.

FRIDAY

May 19

8:30 am

+Eileen Plouffe Req. Moe Plouffe

SATURDAY

May 20

5:00pm

+Sandra Musclow Req. Sharon Young

WEEKLY OFFERING May 7, 2022

Sunday Offering: \$ 1,059.00 Building Fund: \$ 153.25 Diocesan special collection: \$175

Thank you for your generosity

Prayer Network

To request special prayers contact:

Marcella 519 - 662–2962 Sharon 519 - 634-8401

If you would like to join the prayer chain please contact Sharon Diebold.

News from the Diocese of Hamilton

Join the Reel Justice Film Festival May 25, 2023 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM for an exciting youth-led film screening featuring the Laudato Si' Movement film The Letter. This documentary follows the journey of four individuals called by Pope Francis to lend their voices to the global conversation about the environmental crisis. Hailing from Senegal, the Amazon, India, and Hawai'i, these four individuals brought perspective and solutions from the poor, the indigenous, the youth, and wildlife into an unprecedented dialogue.

The screening and discussion will be hosted online. R.S.V.P. and view our full schedule of events at: reeljusticefilmfestival.wordpress.com/ A partnership between the Bishop Farrell Library & Archives and Development and Peace, the Reel Justice Film Festival shines a spotlight on issues of social, political, and economic injustice.

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH - Parenting Tip - Frenemies is a term used to describe a relationship where people are friendly, but share an underlying dislike or rivalry. Unfortunately, sibling relationships can often end up in this category. As far back as Cain and Abel we see sibling rivalry impacting relationships. Parents can prevent sibling rivalry by remembering the following: allow each child to develop different interests; praise each child equally for their different gifts and talents; spend individual time with each child; refrain from taking sides in an argument but help children to work it out between themselves; engage in fun family activities together; pray for each other by name. Parents can indeed help reduce the amount of sibling rivalry in their children's lives and help them to find love and support from their siblings that can last a lifetime. From: Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

Vocation Seeds:

Sixth Sunday of Easter - May 14, 2023 The Lord said, "I will not leave you orphaned." Pray for an increase of vocations to the priest-hood, diaconate, religious and consecrated life. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

Vocations Prayer Week of May 15

Rev. Michael McHugh

Rev. Msgr. Raymond Modeski

Seminarians

Rev. Robert Sims

Rev. Arthur Scidmore

Rev. James Curtin

From the Diocese- Family Life

FORMED provides the very best Catholic content from more than 60 organizations to help parishes, families and individuals explore their faith anywhere. Supporting thousands of movies, children's programs, ebooks, audio and more, it is an excellent resource for families, especially to ensure the content their children are watching is safe. The Family Ministry Office has entered into a partnership with FORMED in order to allow families access to this resource and invite you to an on line session for an opportunity to have a quick overview look at the content. Join us on Wednesday, May 24th at 7 p.m. by zoom, whether you are already a subscriber or would like to learn more about the site.

You must register to receive the link at hamiltondiocese.com, under Upcoming events on the home page.

Lives of the Saints

Saint Bernardino of Siena (1380 - 1444) Feast day May 20

Bernardino ("Little Bernard") was born in Tuscany. His parents died when he was a child. While still a student at the University of Siena he took charge of the hospital there when an epidemic killed most of the staff. Later he looked after a bedridden aunt until her death; and then, at the age of 22, he became a Franciscan.

Inspired by St Vincent Ferrer, he was an energetic and popular preacher and spent years travelling on foot through Italy preaching to enormous audiences. He denounced usury, promoted peace among the warring Italian cities, and worked hard for the reform and discipline of the Franciscan order, and for church unity.

Bernardino's achievements before he became a Franciscan show what the young can achieve if given the chance. Let us try not to confirm them in a culture of enforced irresponsibility, but to encourage each of them to give to others whatever they have been called into this world to give.