



PALM SUNDAY March 27 - 28, 2021



	Mass Intentions March 29 - April 4, 2021		Prayer Calendar
	St. Anne	St. Joseph	Diocese of Hamilton
Monday 8:00 am	No Mass		Rev. Ranjan D'Sa, O.C.D.
Tuesday 7:00 pm	+ Jacqui Parent - Lynda Munz & Family	+ Ildebrando Silveira - Maria Silveira	Rev. Maria Joseph Ahilan Alphonse, C.R.S.P.
Wednesday 8:00 am	+ Jacqui Parent - Yvonne McGrath	No Mass	Sisters of St. Joseph of Canada (C.S.J.)
Thursday 7:00 pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper	Mass of the Lord's Supper	Holy Thursday
Friday 3:00 pm	11:00 am Good Friday Prayer Celebration of the Lord's Passion	9:00 am Good Friday Prayer Celebration of the Lord's Passion	Good Friday
Saturday 8:00 pm	Easter Vigil	Easter Vigil	Holy Saturday
Sunday	Easter (9:30 am)	Easter (11:00 am)	Resurrection of the Lord

SUNDAY LIVE-STREAMED MASS

This Sunday live-streamed at 9:30 am from St. Anne Church, next week at 11:00 am from St. Joseph.

Church Offering Report: once a month. Offertory envelopes can be dropped off in the parish mailbox. Please call the office to pick up your **Church envelopes**.

Pre-Authorized Giving: *next withdrawal – April 15th* More information is available on our websites.

ST. ANNE REFUGEE MINISTRY

The Refugee Committee is pleased to announce that our third Syrian family will be arriving in Kitchener later this year. We thank you, the parishioners of St. Anne's parish, for your ongoing generosity as you make a new life, one of dignity and opportunity, possible for this family.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Congratulations to all our young people who received the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time this week! It was a joy to witness your openness to God's mercy.

<u>First Communion:</u> Our next online sessions are Sun., April 11 OR Wed., April 14, 6:30 pm.

<u>Confirmation:</u> Our next online sessions are Sun., April 18 6:30 OR Wed., April 21, 6:30 pm.

This Week's Liturgical Readings

March 28, 2021 – Passion Sunday

- 1) Isaiah 50:4-7
- 2) Philippians 2:6-11
- 3) Mark 14:1-15:47 or 15:1-39

FOCUS: Do the choices we make reflect our own will or the will of God?

Estimates say that human beings make as many as 35,000 choices each day. Through his sin of pride, the first man, Adam, attempted equality with God. Through humility and docility, Jesus put aside pride and accepted death on a cross for the salvation of mankind. In each moment, we have a choice – will we follow the example of Adam or the example of Jesus?

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Isaiah speaks of the well-trained tongue and open ears that God has given him, saying, *The Lord God is my help, therefore I am not disgraced.* In the 2nd reading, St. Paul testifies to the selflessness and humility of Jesus in obediently accepting death on the cross. At Jesus' name *every knee should bend... and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.* The Gospel narrates Jesus' last hours, from his anointing with perfumed oil by a woman, through his last supper, betrayal, passion, death, and burial.

HOLY WEEK CELEBRATIONS

Because we are permitted 30% capacity for Church worship (that is a little over 100 people) and we do not reach that number on regular Sundays, <u>you do not have to register</u> for these celebrations. Come and celebrate with us the mysteries of our salvation, the Paschal mysteries of the Life, Death, and Resurrection of the Lord Jesus.

HOLY WEEK MASS STREAMING

Palm Sunday: 9:30 am from St Anne Holy Thursday: 7 pm from St Joseph Good Friday: 3 pm from St Anne Easter Vigil: 8 pm from St Anne Easter Sunday: 11 am from St Joseph

ONE HEART, ONE SOUL CAMPAIGN



A Campaign for the Diocese of Hamilton

God bless our campaign, and our parishes

We had our campaign kickoff three weeks ago. If you haven't already, you should be receiving a phone call from a parish volunteer. If you did not receive a packet, please call the parish office. If you have any questions once you've read the material, go to campaign webpage at www.oneheartonesoul.ca or to the websites of the parishes to see the campaign video and message. We ask you to continue to pray for the parish and for the success of the campaign. We ask you to prayerfully consider giving a generous gift. We are grateful for your support. An updated report will be sent out by email.

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH - HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

HOLY Thursday – April 1

(note: NO MORNING MASS)

7 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

GOOD Friday - April 2

9 am Good Friday Prayers

3 pm Solemn Liturgy

HOLY Saturday – April 3

8pm EASTER VIGIL

EASTER Sunday – April 4

11:00 am RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

ST. ANNE CHURCH - HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

HOLY Thursday - April 1

(note: NO MORNING MASS)

7 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

GOOD Friday - April 2

11 am On-line Family Celebration

3 pm Solemn Liturgy

HOLY Saturday – April 3
8pm EASTER VIGIL

EASTER Sunday - April 4

9:30 am RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

VIETNAMESE COMMUNITY at St. Anne

HOLY Thursday - April 1 - 5:30 pm GOOD Friday - April 2 - 5:30 pm HOLY Saturday - April 3 - 5:30 pm EASTER Sunday - April 4 - 1:30 pm

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE



Did you know that Development and Peace has organized a Lenten campaign every year since 1968?

Keeping up with the tradition, this year's campaign, *Share Love, Share Lent*, invites you to a final week of family fun, communal reflection, global solidarity and prayer.

Don't miss our special campaign Way of the Cross!

Catch the details and contribute at devp.org/lent.

Thank you for your generous donations last weekend. This special collection will remain open until April 12.

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH

Past research has shown that children consistently identify a desire to spend more time with their parents and family. Time for them means direct, active engagement. The long-term benefits to family relationships are proven, children grow up healthier in mind, body and spirit. Enjoying quality time with their family's means children are more likely to turn to their family for love and support, keeping them healthy. Play with your kids, watch a movie together and discuss its message(s), pray together, be active together, cook together and/or clean together; the possibilities are endless. So remember, time with family is powerful when it is interactive, shared by all and fun!

JOB OPPORTUNITY

We are currently accepting applications for Lunch Hour Supervision (All Schools). Please visit our website for job details and application criteria: www.wcdsb.ca