



Mass Intentions November 22 – November 28, 2021 **Prayer Calendar**

	St. Anne	St. Joseph	Diocese of Hamilton
Monday 8:00 am	No Mass	+ Rudolf Senger - Frieda Senger	Rev. Piotr Jurzyk
Tuesday 7:00 pm	+ Ed & Demerise Lafleur - Kevin & Jo Ann Schmalz + Jeanne Held - Estate	+ Alois Seschel - Seschel Family	Rev. Jerry Punnassery, C.M.I.
Wednesday 8:00 am	+ Alice Salm Anne & Frank Olienick	No Mass	Fraternity of the Poor of Jesus Christ (p.j.c.)
Thursday 8:00 am	+ Special Int: Tony Alberto - Family	+ Ildebrando Silveira - Maria Silveira	Rev. Arpee Urquico.
Friday 8:00 am	+ Alice Salm - Debbie & Paul Hergott	Int of the Comboni Missionaries - Friend + Barry Ruetz - Dave Ruetz	Rev. Pawel Jamroz
Saturday St. Anne 4 pm St. Joseph 5 pm	+ Charlie Sheridan - Marie Gallen +Souls in Purgatory - Mary Kobetich	+ Souls in Purgatory – Julia Domingues + Dec'd members of the McCrea Family + Dec'd members of the Izma Family	Rev. David Avila
Sunday St. Anne 9:30 am St. Joseph 11 am	Parishioners of St. Anne + Alice Salm - Jerry & Linda Brenner + Anna Zunic – Mary Kobetich	Parishioners of St. Joseph + Ildebrando Silveira - Maria Silveira + Orlando Amorim – Carlos & children Int of Fr. Don Sanvido - Sunga family	

SUNDAY LIVE-STREAMED MASS

Our Churches are open, and we follow public health measures of masking and social distancing. Our weekend and weekday Masses are celebrated at the usual times. Livestreaming of Sunday Mass has been discontinued.

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 – December 15th
More information is available on our websites.

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR PARISH CAMPAIGN



This Week's Liturgical Readings

November 14, 2021 – 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 1) Daniel 7:13-14
- 2) Revelation 1:5-8
- 3) John 18:33b-37

FOCUS: Christ's Dominion is eternal

Today's solemnity, by which we close the liturgical year, reminds us that Christ is king and ruler of all. He is the *firstborn of the dead* in whom all power and authority has been invested. By our baptism we share in that holy and royal identity so that we might witness to His glory and kingship before the world.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Daniel has a vision of one *like a Son of Man* coming on the clouds of Heaven, receiving dominion and kingship over all creation. In the second reading, John writes of Jesus Christ as the faithful witness *who is coming amid the clouds*. In the Gospel, Pilate asks Jesus if He is the *King of the Jews*, and Jesus responds, *my Kingdom does not belong to this world*.

ONLINE YOUTH GROUP CONTINUES

Our Youth group, grades 5 and up, continues online Friday nights. Join us for games, prayer, sharing. New members encouraged! Contact Mary Forcier at stannekitcheneryouth@gmail.com or stjosephkitcheneryouth@gmail.com for the link to join.

FIRST NATIONS PEOPLE IN CANADA

Learn more about First Nations people in Canada. A few parishioners are interested in reading together the book "21 things you may not know about the Indian Act" (<https://goodminds.com/products/9780995266520>). Want to join us? If so, contact the parish offices. Open to St. Joseph and St. Anne parishioners. We'll see how many are interested and then decide when/how often to meet, if it will be in person or virtual, if we'll do a group book order, etc.

Virtual Tour of Brantford's Former Residential School

As we continue our efforts to learn more about indigenous peoples in our area, parishioners are invited to a virtual tour of the former Mohawk Institute Indian Residential School. Viewers will hear about the 140 year history of the building, and see different rooms in the school including the girls' and boys' dormitories, the cafeteria, laundry room. Most meaningfully, viewers hear interviews from five Survivors of the Mohawk Institute. Tickets are \$10, and screenings are offered several times each month. For more information go to <https://woodlandculturalcentre.ca/events/>

2021-2022 SUNDAY MISSALS

... are now available for purchase at the back of the Church. Inserted in it you will find an envelope labeled "MISSALS \$5.00". Please do not leave loose cash in the collection basket but return the envelope with payment next week, putting it in the collection basket.

RCIA PROGRAM

If you wish to become a Catholic or to explore the Catholic faith and possibly join the Church, the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is the program for you. Please call St. Anne: 519-745-5302 or St. Joseph: 519-745-9302.

NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCE



During the month of November, we pray for the souls of our beloved dead. Everyone is invited to inscribe the names of their loved ones in our book of Remembrance in front of the altar.

CHURCH OFFERING ENVELOPES 2022

Available for pick up next weekend - December 4/5/21

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING

Anyone who still hasn't submitted their contribution schedule for 2022, please return as soon as possible - thank you!

ST. JOSEPH MEMORIAL SERVICE NOV. 28

Memorial Service on Sunday, Nov. 28th at 6:30 pm in St. Joseph Church. All who wish to remember and pray for deceased family members and friends are invited to come and celebrate their lives. Please bring a small memento or picture of the deceased to be used in the celebration. If you want the deceased to be named in the printed program, please call the St. Joseph's office (519-745-9302) with the name of the deceased, your name, and your contact information. Names can be added to the printed program until Monday November 22nd, but all are welcome at the service.

ST. JOSEPH CHRISTMAS MEMORIAL TREE & FLOWERS

If you would like to participate in the Christmas Memorial Tree and contribute toward the purchase of flowers this year, please enclose your donation in an envelope with your name, phone number along with the names of your deceased family members and an ornament will be displayed on the Christmas trees during the Advent season.

ONE HEART, ONE SOUL CAMPAIGN

As we reach the final stages of the campaign, we have much to celebrate. Many parishioners have been very generous, and we thank you sincerely. A full report is being provided separately from the bulletin. Due to the pandemic and its restrictions, we have not realized the full benefit of our efforts – especially in terms of the number of parishioners who participated. As you know, the central mission of the parish campaign is to bring life and vitality to our faith communities.

With an easing of restrictions and a return to "normalcy", more people are attending Mass. This gives us a **new spirit of optimism**: more parishioners have a desire to reengage and move forward with confidence. The intention of this "campaign restart" (and the last time you will hear about it) is meant to provide you, if you have not yet participated, with an opportunity to help your parish to come to a fuller life of faith and service to God's people. Please consider prayerfully what you may be able to do to be part of this great adventure that will impact our future as Church. Information packets are available at the Church entrance.

YOUNG ADULT CELEBRATION DIOCESAN WORLD YOUTH DAY 2021

We gather together to celebrate the Diocesan Day of Prayer for Young People on the Feast of Christ the King.

- When: Sunday, November 21, 6pm to 8pm
- Where: St. Margaret Mary Parish – 20 Idlewood Ave, Hamilton
- What: Evening Mass with reflection by Msgr. Murray Kroetsch, PH, VG This is an in-person and virtual event – for more details and registration please go to: <https://bit.ly/DOHyoungadults>.



2021-2023 SYNOD OF BISHOPS

In response to Pope Francis' invitation to every person to become involved in the synodal process, His Excellency, Bishop Crosby, OMI, and the Diocesan Committee for the 2021 – 2023 Synod of Bishops developed a few materials to encourage the participation of the Faithful of our Diocese. A video guide featuring Bishop Crosby and the members of the Diocesan Committee for the Synod, along with multiple resources including: a link to our diocesan survey to be answered by all the Faithful of the Diocese of Hamilton and a prayer inviting the Holy Spirit to operate within us, have been encompassed in a special section of our diocesan website. <https://hamiltondiocese.com/synod/#resources>.

In-Kind Donations Needed for St. Anne's 3rd Refugee Sponsorship Family

Great News! St. Anne's 3rd Refugee Sponsorship Family, The Naser family of 4 (2 adults and 2 teenagers), will be arriving in Kitchener from Jordan on December 15 and the Refugee Committee is preparing for their arrival. We need your help! We are looking for 4 twin size mattresses with frames (new or nearly new); 4 sets of sheets, 4 pillows, 4 blankets and 4 comforters. The family needs winter clothing: 2 women's jackets/coats, size M and 1 women's jacket/coat, size S; also 3 pairs of women's boots, size 8; and 1 pair of men's boots, size 8-8-1/2. Grocery gift cards (Zehr's, Food Basics, and Walmart) would also be greatly appreciated. Also needed is a dining/kitchen table with 5-6 chairs (black or white in colour). If you are able to donate any of these items, please contact Elizabeth Meakes at 519-570-3383 or e-mail her at elizabethmeakes@gmail.com Thank you so much for any help you can offer as we warmly welcome this family to Canada.

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF WATERLOO REGION

... invites you to join in on a virtual event - Fundamentals for a Bright Future: Building Resilient Families on Tues., Nov. 30th from 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm. This family-focused event will explore and define current mental and physical health challenges for people in all stages in life. Space is limited, please register today! <https://www.ccfowr.org/speaker-series>

COVID VACCINES

The official position of the Catholic Church is that all available COVID vaccines are ethical and all Catholics who are able are encouraged to receive the vaccine. All employees serving in the Diocese of Hamilton are encouraged to be fully vaccinated or to submit to a COVID rapid test every Monday and Thursday in order to carry out their responsibilities. Volunteer liturgical ministers are required to be fully vaccinated. Bishop Douglas Crosby, OMI, encourages every member of the Catholic Church within our Diocese of Hamilton to be fully vaccinated.

DIOCESAN VOCATION CORNER

If we dare to trust God with our lives, great things happen. Give God your total self for, when the end of times comes, the wise and those who work for justice will shine forever. Dedicate your life to furthering the reign of God. If you feel God may be calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon in His Church, call the Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 ext. 2246 or e-mail: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
Website: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/>