



HOLY WEEK Mar 29-Apr 4, 2021

Monday of Holy Week

8:00 am + Jose Carreiro – Herb Altman
- Int. of Fr. Venil and Fr. Melvin - Maria

Tuesday of Holy Week

8:00 am + Shirley Daub – Helen Stemmler
6:00pm **Adoration and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Mass**

7:00 pm - Int. of Father Venil – Stained Glass Guild

Wednesday of Holy Week

8:00 am + Jose Carreiro – Eduarda Avila

Thursday of the Lord's Supper

7:00 pm

Friday of the Passion of the Lord

1:00pm – Lord's Passion

3:00pm – Lord's Passion

Holy Saturday – Easter Vigil

8:00 pm

Easter Sunday – The Resurrection of the Lord

Sun 8:00 am- Int. of the Parishioners of St. Aloysius and those written in our Parish Book of Life

Sun 10:00 am Memorial Mass

Sun 12:00pm Memorial Mass

(no 7pm Mass on Easter Sunday)

Parish News

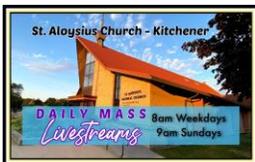


We are very excited that our Parish is open for Public Mass! In order to help stop the spread of Covid-19, we are following health and safety guidelines from the Province of Ontario and the Diocese of Hamilton.



Mask Wearing is mandatory when coming to Mass and to our Parish Office. Please continue to be kind and charitable and follow the direction of local health authorities. *Let's work together at*

St. Aloysius to help prevent the spread of COVID-19.



YouTube Masses: We are continuing with our weekday Live Streaming of our 8am Masses and our Sunday Mass at 9am. **We will also be Live Streaming the following Masses during Holy**

Wee; Palm Sunday at 9am, Holy Thursday at 7pm, Good Friday at 3pm and Easter Sunday at 10am. If you haven't subscribed yet, visit our YouTube Channel at the to subscribe;

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCX7FhzT1OuPieve5XmAfBRw/>

The Obligation to attend Sunday Mass has been suspended until further notice. If you choose to return to Mass at this time, please read these important guidelines below;

- **All Masses are first come first served**
 - Masks must be worn at Church
 - Seating is limited to only 30% capacity and physical distancing measures are in place.
 - **Doors Open 30 minutes prior to Mass and will lock during Mass or prior to Mass if we have reached our Church capacity.**
 - **Please arrive at the main door of St. Aloysius (all other doors will be locked) at least 15 minutes before Mass time.**
 - Entrance is NOT permitted to those who have an elevated temperature, or are suffering from a cough or cold symptoms, shortness of breath, undue fatigue, loss of appetite, muscle aches, runny nose, chills involving shakes, loss of taste or smell
 - If you are sick, please stay home
 - If you have traveled outside Canada within the past 14 days, you are not to enter the Church until you have completed the period of self-isolation
 - Everyone is to use the hand sanitizer provided
 - Please Maintain a two metre (6 foot) distance
 - Please follow the direction of Ushers
- Our Parish Office is open by appointment only.**

Easter Triduum Schedule 2021

Holy Thursday April 1

7:00pm – **will also be Live Streamed (no Adoration following and no 8:00am Mass that day)**

Good Friday April 2

1:00 pm – The Lord's Passion

3:00 pm – The Lord's Passion – **will also be Live Streamed.**

Holy Saturday April 3

8:00pm Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday April 4

8:00 am

10:00 am – Memorial Mass – **will also be Live Streamed.**

12:00 pm – Memorial Mass

No 7pm Mass on Easter Sunday



If you are looking for Lenten resources, please visit our website at <https://www.staloysius.on.ca/lenten-resources>



Weekly Adoration and Confessions Join us every Tuesday evening for Adoration and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 6pm followed by Mass at 7pm. We will also hearing Confessions every Tuesday from 6pm-6:45pm, and Saturdays from 3:45pm-4:30pm. Confessions are first come first served



Divine Mercy Sunday is coming up Sunday April 11th, 2021. In a series of revelations to St. Maria Faustina Kowalska in the 1930s, our Lord called for a special feast day to be celebrated on the Sunday after Easter. It is now known as Divine Mercy Sunday, named by Pope St. John Paul II at the canonization of St. Faustina in the year 2000. Divine Mercy Sunday focuses on the gift of mercy and love given through Christ's death, burial, and resurrection. Visit our website for a link to the 9-day Novena which starts on Good Friday. <https://www.staloysius.on.ca/divine-mercy-novena>



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The WCDSB is currently accepting applications for Lunch Hour Supervision (All Schools) Please visit their website for job details and application criteria: www.wcdsb.ca



Prayer Vigil – Thurs Apr 1

9-10am in front of Freeport Hospital, Kitchener, for babies being aborted. All are welcome to pray quietly for those who have no voice.

Parking - across the road, Schneider Park.
Physical distancing of 2 metres distance will be in place.
Questions? Email: kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com



Wedding Anniversary Mass

THE 2021 DIOCESAN ANNIVERSARY MASS HAS BEEN CANCELLED DUE TO COVID-19.

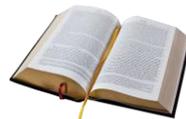
As the restrictions from COVID-19 continue and for the safety of all concerned, a decision has been made to cancel the annual Anniversary Mass scheduled for June of 2021. Bishop Crosby would still love to offer congratulations to all those who will be married 25, 40, 50, 60 and 60 plus years in 2021. The Diocese can still send you the certificate you would have received if the Mass had gone ahead. **Click the link below to register for a certificate;** <https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/sfm/anniversary-mass.php>



Hamilton Diocese Parenting Tip of the Month Tip 128:

The amount of time spent together as a family during COVID might be considered by some to be too much, but it may also be filling a real need. 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. So, 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!

Gospel Reflection: Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion Weekend of March 27/28,



2021 This weekend we participate in the proclamation of the passion and death of Jesus according to the Gospel of Mark. In the extended version of this weekend's Gospel reading, Jesus is at Gethsemane, praying to his Father, in much emotional distress. He knows he can save himself. He can escape over the Mount of Olives in the dead of night and make his way safely into the Judean desert. Instead, Jesus chooses obedience to his Father and waits for his persecutors. As Saint Paul puts it in the second reading, Jesus is "obedient to the point of death." Jesus' obedience is a lesson for those who are good stewards of their life in Christ. Let us reflect on how we might be more obedient to the will of God instead of our own will. **ICSC March E- Bulletin**