

THE TWENTY- SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 31, 2025

DONATE

Tuesday, September 2, Annetta Schumacher & All Souls in Purgatory, at 7pm

Wednesday, September 3, The Cross Family Mass at 9:00am

Thursday September 4, Onorina DiDomenico Mass at 9:00 am

Friday, September 5, David Hoover at 9:00am

Saturday, September 6, Elsie Hankinson, Maddison Creery, Linda Mae Abbott, Doug & Pauline Newby, Noreen & Owen Power & Int. Katharine Furtado Mass 5:00pm

Sunday September 7, Our Parish Family, Mass at 9:30
Mass 11:30 am **All Souls in Purgatory**

The Diocese of Hamilton has helped all their Parishes set up a giving page whereby parishioners can support their Church.

The link for this giving page is on the first page of our website. You can visit our website www.stbasilparish.ca. and just hit the red donate button on the home page and it will take you to the Canada Helps secure donation. Just complete the St Basil's Parish Donation form and you are finished. Thank you for your support

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

In your charity, please remember in your prayers all who have passed away, especially **Carmen Lucente** and **Maria Spellier**, may they rest in the peace of Christ and rejoice in the glory of heaven.



SANCTUARY LAMP

Requests accepted by placing an envelope with the name of your loved one, your name contact and \$10 in the collection basket

READINGS

Wisdom 9.3-18, Philemon 9b-10, 12-17, Luke 5.33-39



PILGRIMAGE HOURS & MASSES - Pray before the Holy Door at St. Basil's during:

Sunday Masses: Sat 5:00 pm, Sun 9:30

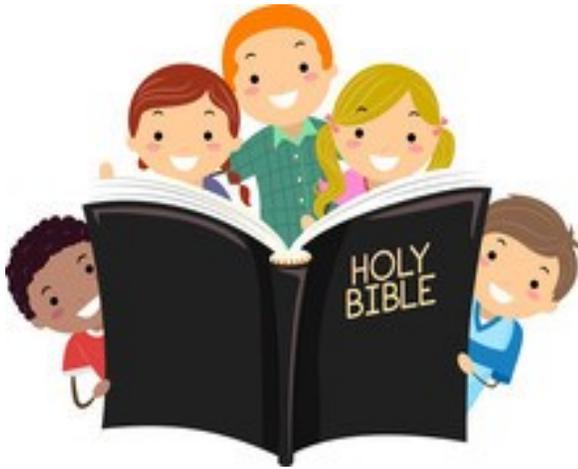
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PILGRIMAGE AND PRAYER:

A great opportunity for Adoration and Benediction, Receiving the Sacraments - Confession & Mass, and Obtaining a Plenary Indulgence as you make your pilgrimage to the Holy Door at St. Basil's Church on:

Tuesday Dec 2nd @ 6:00 pm - Adoration, Reconciliation, Benediction, and Mass.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY PROGRAM!

Exciting news! St. Basil's Parish is getting ready to launch a **Children's Liturgy** program for children in Kindergarten through to Grade 3, starting in late September 2025. This will be a wonderful opportunity for our parish's youngest members to learn and grow in their faith in a joyful, age-appropriate way. To make this possible, we need your support:

Adult Volunteers - Must be 18+. A vulnerable sector check would be required, and the parish will gladly reimburse the cost.

Youth Volunteers - Confirmed students in Grades 8-12 are welcome to help and can count this toward their community service hours.

We are also holding a **Back-to-school Craft Supply Drive!** Donations of crayons, markers, construction paper, and other supplies will help us create engaging activities for the children.

Thank you for helping bring this exciting new ministry to life at St. Basil's!

NEWS FROM THE DIOCESE

DID YOU KNOW... Children in our parishes benefit from the Catechetical Correspondence Program each year for ongoing religious education and preparation for the Sacraments. We need volunteers to support the program! If you are willing to accompany these children in their learning journey, please reach out to the Office for Evangelization and Catechesis at catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com . To learn more about the Catechetical Correspondence Program, please visit: <https://bit.ly/DOHC> CC

ENHANCING SELF-ESTEEM - This program provides the opportunity to increase your awareness and to learn specific skills for building positive self-esteem, which will assist you to feel stronger in all areas of your life. Issues

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covered during the course include taking responsibility for your own thoughts and feelings, positive ways to behave assertively and setting realistic goals for your future. The program takes place on Tuesdays from Sept. 23 – Nov. 25 from 7-9 pm at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West Hamilton. Cost is \$35 for materials. For registration online: hamiltondiocese.com and look under Upcoming Events, or contact Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or e-mail familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com.

WHEN LIFE CHANGES PARTS ONE AND TWO – Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Are you looking for relief from the feelings associated with the loss of this loved one? You are not alone! The Hamilton Diocese offers two six-week grief programs for your support. Part one of the program will be offered again on Wednesdays from Nov. 5 to Dec. 10. For those who have taken part one, part two will be offered from September 10 to October 15, 2025. Both programs will run from 7:00-8:30pm and will be held at the Chancery Office, Hamilton. To register online: hamiltondiocese.com under Upcoming Events or call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

STRUGGLING IN YOUR MARRIAGE? FIND HOPE WITH RETROUVAILLE – Retrouvaille is a marriage program that helps couples who are struggling to restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship. Retrouvaille helps to improve

communication, build stronger marriages and aids couples to reconnect. Join us for our upcoming weekend Oct. 17 (evening), 18 and 19th because no marriage is beyond hope. For more information visit www.retrouvaille.org, or email 1013r@helpourmarriage.org, or call 905-664-5212.

RESTART: Moving Forward Our 10-week program offers education and support to anyone seeking to heal and move forward after divorce or separation. The sessions will run Tuesdays from Sept. 23 – Nov. 25 from 7-9 pm and are held in person at the Chancery Office, Hamilton, in person. Cost is \$35 for materials, but no one is turned away. Registration online: hamiltondiocese.com under Upcoming Events, or contact Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, e-mail familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com.

RESTART: Refresh, Renew, Revive Support Group Struggling after divorce or separation? Join us for learning, support and fun on Friday evenings on the 2nd & 3rd Fridays of each month at the Chancery Office in Hamilton These get-togethers offer continual support and insights for people as they journey through the divorce/separation process and beyond. Register at <https://sites.google.com/view/hamilton-restart/home>, or call 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

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Collection July 6, 2025

Memorial	50.00
Loose Collection	751.40
Sunday Collections	3,620.15
Initial Offerings	5.00
Building Fund	215.00

Total 4,641.55

Thank you for your generosity and sacrifice

Collection July 13, 2025

Loose Collection	610.65
Sunday Collections	2,130.00
Building Fund	893.10

Total 3,633.75

Thank you for your generosity and sacrifice

Collection July 20, 2025

Loose Collection	753.90
Sunday Collections	3,040.00
Building Fund	70.00

Total 3,863.90

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Collection July 27, 2025

Loose Collection	775.10
Sunday Collections	2,542.00
Building Fund	80.00

Total 3,397.10

Thank you for your generosity and sacrifice

Collection August 3, 2025

Loose Collection	780.65
Sunday Collections	3,660.00
Building Fund	75.00

Total 4,515.65

Thank you for your generosity and sacrifice

Collection August 10, 2025

Loose Collection	625.45
Sunday Collections	2,755.00
Building Fund	359.00
Sanctuary Lamp	100.00

Total 3,839.45

Thank you for your generosity and sacrifice

Collection August 17, 2025

Loose Collection	676.70
Sunday Collections	2,315.00
Initial Offerings	20.00
Building Fund	65.00

Total 3,076.70

Thank you for your generosity and sacrifice

Collection August 24, 2025

Loose Collection	898.30
Sunday Collections	2,729.00
Funeral	300.00
Building Fund	60.00

Total 3,987.30

Thank you for your generosity and sacrifice