

# THE THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## October 26, 2025

**DONATE**

**Tuesday, October 28, Sheila Robertson & P.T. Varghese** at 7pm

**Wednesday, October 29, Deceased Members of the Maloney & Kennedy Families & The Cross Family** at 9:00am

**Thursday October 30, Charlie Kirk & Kevin Hartman** at 9:00am

**Friday, October 31, Pierrette Grenier & Walter Nawrot** at 9:00am

**Saturday, November 1, Paul Tran & Joseph Nguyen & Families, Sue Wingate, Dian Smith and All Souls in Purgatory** Mass 5:00pm

**Sunday October 26, Our Parish Family,** Mass at 9:30

Mass 11:30 am **Paul Tran & Joseph Nguyen & Families & 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](http://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 Elisa Petrella, 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

Sirach 35.15-17, 20-22, Timothy 4.6-8, 16-18 5.14-17, 2 Luke 18.9-14



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

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

**PILGRIMAGE AND PRAYER:**

**A great opportunity for Adoration**

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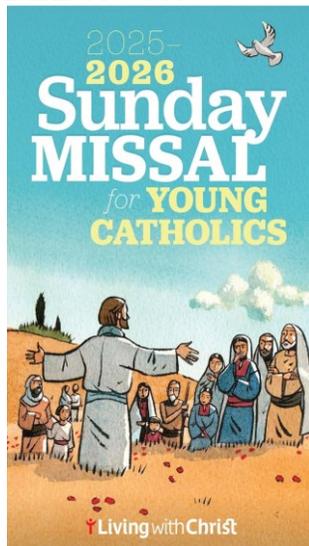
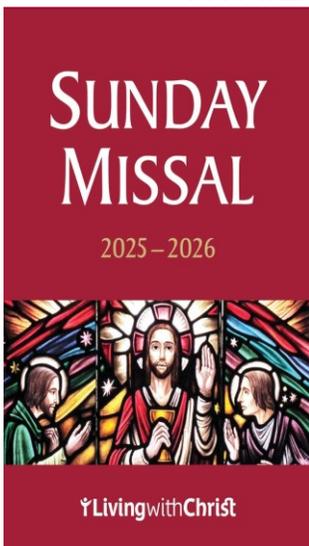
and Benediction, Receiving the Sacraments - Confession & Mass, and Obtaining a Plenary Indulgence as you make your pilgrimage to the Holy Door at St. Basil's Church on:

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



**October 26, 2025 - Parish Coffee** after 9:30 am mass in Parish Hall. Donations of baked goods are welcome.

**AVAILABLE NOW!**



The 2025-26 Sunday Missal will be on sale at the back of the Church this weekend and next after every Mass. This year's Missal is available for **\$5.00 (cash only)** until supplies last. The Children's Missal is **\$10.00** this year (**cash only**), there is a limited supply.

### Collection October 19, 2025

Loose Collection	904.15
Sunday Collections	2,756.00
Building Fund	65.00

**Total 3,725.15**

**Thank you for your generosity and sacrifice**



## Pasta Night Fundraiser

**Friday November 7, 2025 - 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.**

**St. Mary's Parish Hall - 94 East Ave, Brantford**

**Adults \$15.00**

**Children (6 - 10) \$10.00**

**Children (5 and under) Free**

**Desserts, Pop, Coffee, Water available for purchase.**

**For tickets please call 519 754-1753**

**ALL WELCOME!**

**Lots of fun & delicious Food!**

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### **ASSUMPTION COLLEGE** **MURDER MYSTERY** *Dinner Theatre*

Death stalks the ACS Stage!  
On **Thursday, November 6th**,  
at **6p.m.**, Assumption College School will  
host “An Audition for a Murder”. The gr. 11  
drama class has been hard at work  
rehearsing for this fun event. Dinner will  
be provided by the foods classes and  
includes penne and meatballs, garden  
salad and focaccia bread, coffee and  
apple crisp. Audience members will have  
an opportunity to interact with the cast,  
ask questions and do some detective  
work of their own! Tickets must be  
purchased by Friday, October 31st.

Call Ms. Naomi O'Neill at (519) 751-  
2030 (ext. 14445) to obtain advanced  
tickets! Proceeds to Drama  
Department. Tickets are only \$20 for  
dinner AND a show!



ST.BASIL CATHOLIC CHURCH  
50 PALACE ST.  
BRANTFORD ON

## *Healing Vigil*

Pastor: Fr. Kevin D'Souza  
Mass Celebrant: Fr. Bill Trusz  
Papal Missionary of Mercy and  
Spiritual Director - Ste. Therese Healing Ministry  
of the Hamilton Diocese



**Thursday November 6th, 2025**  
**at 7:00 PM**

EXPOSITION, PROCESSION & BENEDICTION OF THE  
BLESSED SACRAMENT  
EXHORTATION TO HEALING  
HEALING PRAYERS  
HOLY MASS

### **NEWS FROM THE DIOCESE**

## **Walk with Jesus:**

## **Retreat Day for**

## **Grieving Parents**

*November 22, 2025* Basilica of Our  
Lady Immaculate (28 Norfolk St.,  
Guelph)

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*The loss of a child is a most challenging event in the life of any parent.* This grief is acute and challenging and never truly leaves us. The Diocese of Hamilton invites you to join us as we welcome **Deacon Henry DeMena** from North Carolina to join us in facilitating a retreat day for parents who have lost a child through death. Whether the loss is recent or some time ago, we invite you to join us for this day of healing and support

**.Registration is required as lunch will be provided. Cost:** \$20 per person To register, contact the Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988 ext. 224

**JUBILEE YEAR HEROES OF HOPE** for October in the Diocese of Hamilton are “those who promote human life and dignity!” This include multiple “ministries of care” for the poor, sick, homeless, migrant workers, those with mental health issues, support to the Indigenous through the Reconciliation Fund and international development programs worldwide! In our parishes, this includes St. Vincent de Paul, Catholic Women’s League of Canada and Knights of Columbus. Through these organizations and many other local groups, HOPE is constantly renewed and faith shared with those in need. Compassionate care ministries remind each one of their dignity and that they are loved by God!

**DILEXI TE (I have loved you!)** is the first Apostolic Exhortation of Pope Leo XIV, focusing on the Church’s care for the poor. Drafted by Pope Francis before his

death and now revised and issued by Pope Leo, the Exhortation is in continuity with Pope Francis’ last encyclical, *Dilexit Nos* (He has loved us!), on the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Pope Leo emphasizes that “love for the Lord ... is one with love for the poor”. The Exhortation is divided into five chapters, and outlines God’s identification with the poor. *Dilexi te* is available on the Holy See’s website and can be read here.

**THE SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH OF CANADA** announced the election of their new Leadership Team for the coming years. Sr. Anne Karges was elected Congregational Leader, with Sister Sue Wilson serving as the Congregational Assistant, with the three Consultants, Sister Isobel Gallotti, Sister Mary McIntyre, and Sister Nancy Wales. May the Spirit guide and strengthen them in their ministry of leadership and service! We are grateful for their presence and ministry in the Diocese of Hamilton!

**CHANGES IN LEADERSHIP AT THE CANADIAN CATHOLIC BIOETHICS INSTITUTE** were announced this week. The retirement of Moira McQueen was announced, with Mr. Eoin Connolly accepting to serve as Executive Director and Dr. Patricia Murphy as Program Director. The announcement was accompanied by a letter from Cardinal Francis Leo, Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto, and Chair of the

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Board of Directors of CCBI. The letter and announcement can be read here.

### THE MULTICULTURAL MASS

celebrated last Sunday afternoon at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish in Waterdown, was very well attended. Different cultural groups took responsibility for various parts of the Mass, with the Eritrean community from St. Agnes Parish in Waterloo, entertaining those gathered with song and dance at a lively reception afterwards. Thank you to all who contributed to the success of the event.

### THANKS TO THE WELLINGTON CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

for organizing this year's (last evening's) Bishop's Dinner Supporting Community Needs in the Guelph/Eramosa area. Always a happy gathering of schools (administrators, teachers, students, with Priests and Deacons from the parishes). It provided an opportunity for the Board to showcase the Children's Choir from St. Ignatius School, the Student Leaders from the High Schools, and several charities that benefit from the generosity of participants. Well done, once again!

**ST. ANN PARISH**, in Ancaster celebrates the long awaited completion of their most recent renovation of the exterior of their Church. It was a "labour of love". The Sunday morning Mass of Thanksgiving with be just that – an expression of gratitude for a job well done by the capable craftsmen and labourers who

worked hard to complete the job in a timely way! Well done indeed!

### Vocations Dance – November 7th, 2025

- Mount Mary Ancaster Father Mark Morley invites the young adults (ages 20s and 30s) of our diocese to attend a Regency period dance for dating couples and singles who are discerning the vocation of sacramental marriage on Friday, November 7th, 2025, at Mount Mary Retreat Centre (437 Wilson Street East, Ancaster) starting at 7:00pm. The evening includes a talk, dance instruction, and hors d'oeuvres. Cost: \$20 per person. Online registration required by Monday, November 3rd. Space is limited. No tickets at the door. For registration and more details, visit: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/events/> For inquiries, contact the Vocations Office: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)



**ADVENT IS COMING!**

