

The Commemoration of all the Faithfully Departed NOVEMBER 2, 2025

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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 Vincent Huynh Tam, may they rest in the peace of Christ and rejoice in the glory of heaven.



Tuesday, November 4, Cindy MacDonald Mass at 7pm
Wednesday, November 5, George Spencer Mass at 9:00am
Thursday November 6, Julie Gibson Healing Mass 7:00 pm
Friday, November 7, The Burtnick Family Mass at 9:00am
Saturday, November 8, Mario Escobar, Kordis Family, Troha & Family, Sertic & Family, Ferkovic Family, & Branko Pokrajac Mass 5:00pm
Sunday November 9, Our Parish Family, Mass at 9:30
Mass 11:30 am **Paul Tran & Joseph Nguyen & Families & All Souls in Purgatory**

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

**Malachi 4.1-2, 2Thessalonians 3.7-12,
Luke 21.5-19**

Basilica of Saint John Lateran



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

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

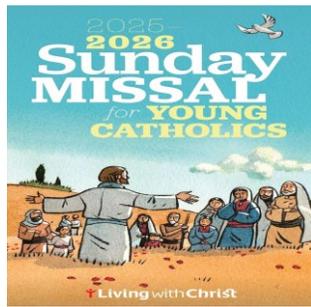
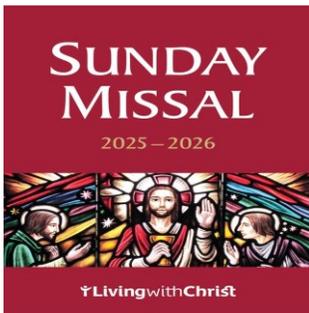
PILGRIMAGE AND PRAYER:

A great opportunity for Adoration and Benediction, Receiving the Sacraments - Confession & Mass, and Obtaining a Plenary Indulgence

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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

AVAILABLE NOW!



Please stop by the rectory if you wish to pick up a copy of the new Missal. Check our website stbasilparish.ca for office hours. Missals \$5.00 Children's \$8.00.



St Pius Annual Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, November 15th, 2025

9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

9 Waverly Street

GRAND DRAW

ITALIAN DELI (EAT IN OR TAKE OUT)

ATTIC TREASURES

BAKE SALE AND PRESERVE TABLE

CHANCE TABLE

KNITTING AND CRAFTS

QUILT

GROCERY BASKET DRAW

BOOKS, DVD AND GAMES

JEWELRY TABLE

PLANT TABLE FACE PAINTING

Collection October 26, 2025

Loose Collection	885.60
Sunday Collections	2,991.00
Building Fund	5.00
Religious Articles	40.00
Miscellaneous Revenue	200.00

Total 4121.60

Thank you for your generosity and sacrifice

Collection November 2, 2025

Loose Collection	959.90
Sunday Collections	2,862.00
Building Fund	15.00

Total 3,836.90

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NEWS FROM THE DIOCESE

CURSILLO is a movement that helps us get closer to God. There will be a women's Cursillo weekend from November 23-25, 2025, at Deemerton, Ontario. For information, contact Dan Brown at dmbrown269@gmail.com

WOMEN AT THE HEART OF JUSTICE

EVENT A speaker series hosted by Canadian Jesuits International, highlighting women as essential changemakers on the quest for peace

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and ecological justice. Keynote by Sister Laura Vicuna Pereira Manso, Franciscan catechist and member of Brazil's Indigenous Kariri People Nov. 20th, 3-5 pm. at St. Jerome's University Waterloo and Nov. 23rd, 12-1 pm. at Holy Rosary Parish Guelph. Register via the CJI website <https://www.canadianjesuitsinternational.ca/fall-campaign-2025/>

POPE LEO XIV, APOSTOLIC EXHORTATION DILEXI TE, "I HAVE LOVED YOU" The Holy Father's first apostolic exhortation was released in October. The document focuses on the powerful bond between our love of Christ and his call for us to love and care for the poor. A virtual copy of the document can be accessed on the Diocesan website.

YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and 30s) of our diocese to attend an evening of prayer, fellowship and praise music in support of your vocations during the Advent Season. The Young Adults Night includes a Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), social with food (7:30pm-8:00pm), praise night with vocations testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on Saturday, December 6th at Holy Cross Church (14400 Argyll Rd, Georgetown, ON). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton: For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

RESTART: Refresh, Renew, Revive Support Group Struggling after divorce or separation? Join us for learning, support and fun on Friday evenings. It is held the

2nd & 3rd Fridays of each month. These get-togethers offer continual support and insights for people as they journey through the divorce/separation process and beyond. Register here: <https://sites.google.com/view/hamilton-restart/home> anytime the week of the session, or contact Sarah at familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com, or 905-528-7988 ext. 2249. We look forward to seeing you!

HEARTACHE TO HEALING - GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP Grief support provides companionship on the long journey through the grief process. Our support group follows the process developed by Dr. Bill Webster, an experienced leader in grief counselling. All who have suffered a loss are welcome, regardless of how much time has passed since your loss. Our monthly informal drop-in support - available at St. Michael Parish, Waterloo on the 2nd Wednesday of the month; 7 pm in the Parish Resource Centre/Library.

ACT II (SEPARATED & DIVORCED SUPPORT GROUP) Our Act II monthly informal support group that meets on the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 7:30 pm, in the Resource Centre/Library at St. Michael's Parish Waterloo. With the support of others, you can begin to heal the emotional, social and spiritual devastation of divorce. Join us anytime you can; registration is not required. Visit our website (www.stmichaelw.ca/separated-and-divorced), or contact our Parish office 519-884-9311, or email

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PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH #173

One of the most important components of positive mental health is a sense of belonging. Family is the first place we feel this sense and the stronger the ties the more secure we feel. Belonging comes when we play and work together and yes, pray together. These shared experiences help us bond and set the foundation for family traditions that unite us in common understandings and joys. So clean, cook and tidy together, play games, go for walks, build forts and houses from boxes and pray before meals, bed and at Mass on Sunday. This foundation of who we are and where we come from will contribute to healthy and happy children and families.

(From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)

MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH #153

Relationship experts often remind us of the importance of listening, really taking in what the other is saying. While this is vital to any good relationship, it is good now and then to listen to ourselves and ask if we are really conveying what we want or should be saying. Do I compliment or complain more often? Do I speak in an aggressive manner or in a loving voice that speaks the truth to see needed change? Do I repeat what I hear my spouse saying so they know I am indeed listening, or do I move on with the facts I want to share? Listen to yourself to be sure you are in fact listening to create a more loving relationship. (From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)

WHEN LIFE CHANGES PART ONE 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 a six-week grief program for your support. Part one of the program will be offered on Wednesdays from Nov. 5 to Dec. 10 from 7:00-8:30pm and will be held at the Chancery Office, at 700 King St. West in Hamilton. To register go to hamiltondiocese.com and look at upcoming events for When Life Changes: Grief Relief (Part One) or call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

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HOPE AFTER AN ABORTION Are you struggling with an abortion decision – either your own, or someone else's? Do you feel alone, emotional, or angry? Project Rachel is a ministry of healing for any person suffering pain or problems from an abortion experience. This confidential service allows people to work through their feelings and find hope and healing. Please contact us at 905-526-1999 or toll free at 1-888-385-3850.

REKINDLING THE LIGHT: A RETREAT DAY FOR BUSY MINISTERS The Office for Evangelization and Catechesis is very pleased to offer a full-day retreat for all adult ministry leaders on Saturday, November 15, 2025, at St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, Cambridge. Join us for a day of prayer and sharing of the graces of pastoral ministry. Registration and further details can be found here: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/events/>

LECTURES IN CATHOLIC EXPERIENCE: Since 1982, the Lectures in Catholic Experience have brought leading scholars, activists, religious

leaders and other professionals to St. Jerome's to offer opportunities to engage with the critical issues of our time, particularly as they intersect with faith and the life of the Church. This year's theme is "Living Mission on the Margins."

Each lecture is hosted in the Notre Dame Chapel on the St. Jerome's campus and is free and open to the community to attend. Lectures can be attended in-person, streamed live online or viewed in perpetuity on YouTube. The full list of lectures for the 2025-2026 academic year can be found here: www.sju.ca/lce

BRANT HALDIMAND NORFOLK CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD



Catholic School Trustee for Haldimand County

The Board of Trustees of the Brant Haldimand Norfolk Catholic District School Board invites qualified members of the Catholic community who are passionate about faith-based education and community service to consider applying to serve as the Trustee for Haldimand County.

Candidates must:

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- Be a Roman Catholic who supports the separate school system.
- Be a Canadian citizen.
- Be at least 18 years of age.
- Reside within the jurisdiction of the school board.
- Not be an employee of the Board or otherwise disqualified by law.

Submission of Application:

- Eligible candidates are invited to complete an application, in writing, that includes a current resume, an Expression of Interest, and a presentation.
 - Detailed information and link to the online application can be found by visiting **CatholicEducation.ca** and choosing the **Haldimand Trustee – Apply** button.
- The application process is open until **Thursday, November 20, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.**