

**LITURGIES**

**Saturday, July 27**

Gospel: Matthew 13.24-30

- Confessions 4:00 p.m. – 4:40 p.m.

**Mass 5:00 p.m.** – Int. of Romano, Agatha & Eugene Yoon

Vocation Prayer – Rev. Sam Restivo, C.R.

**Sunday, July 28, Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Gospel: John 6.1-5

**Mass 9:00 a.m.** - Missa Pro Populo

**Mass 11:00 a.m.** – † Lucia Stefanelli, † Giovanni Buccilli, † Les Matthews, † Victor Bachmeier, Int. of Tina DiFrancesco

World Day for Grandparents & Elderly

**Tuesday, July 30**

Gospel: Matthew 13.36-43

- Confessions 6:00 p.m. – 6:40 p.m.

- Devotions 6:45 p.m.

**Mass 7:00 p.m.** – † Anita Lauer, Int. of Tom Luciani

Vocation Prayer – Rev. Krzysztof Szkubera, C.R.

**Wednesday, July 31, St. Ignatius**

Gospel: Matthew 13.44-46

**No Mass**

Vocation Prayer – Pallottine Fathers (S.A.C.)

**Thursday, August 1, St. Alphonsus Liguori**

Gospel: Matthew 13.47-52

**Mass 9:00 a.m.** – † Maria Nguyen Xuan

Vocation Prayer – Most Rev. Anthony Tonnos

**Friday, August 2**

Gospel: Matthew 13.54-58

**Mass 9:00 a.m.** – Int. of Erin Reid

- Holy Hour and Adoration 9:30 a.m.

Vocation Prayer – Rev. Henryk Krajewski, C.R.

**Saturday, August 3**

Gospel: Matthew 14.1-12

- Confessions 4:00 p.m. – 4:40 p.m.

**Mass 5:00 p.m.** – † John Carreio

Vocation Prayer – Parish Staff



**CELEBRATING THE FEAST OF  
OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION  
Patron Saint of Our Parish  
1894-2024**

**Aug. 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>**

**Day 1 - On Wednesday, August 14<sup>th</sup>, a vigil Mass will be celebrated at 7:00pm.**

**Day 2 - On Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm, the Feast day of Our Lady of the Assumption, we will continue our celebration beginning with the Rosary prayed outside (inside if Mother Nature is not cooperating), around the statue of Mary by Colborne St., (chairs will be available if needed). Mass will follow at 7pm. (NOTE: 9:00am Mass is cancelled)**

**Day 3 - On Saturday, August 17<sup>th</sup>, following the 5:00pm Mass we will continue celebrating the feast of our patron, Our Lady of the Assumption, with a Parish potluck gathering in the hall. Do you have a favourite dish that you can share with us? One large dish is sufficient as there will be many foods from which to choose. For those of us who do not cook, store bought items are just as welcome. There will be a sign-up sheet in the narthex on the weekends of August 3/4 and August 10/11, or you can call or email the office. (The hall will be open at 4:00pm for food drop-offs. Please make sure your food is prepared and ready to serve.)**

**SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTIONS**



**July 28-Aug. 3 – † Dennis Maerten**

**Aug. 4-Aug. 10 – † Phil Durham**

The name of your loved one, your contact information and \$10 in the collection basket will add the name to our list. This intention will be published in the bulletin.

**Pastor: Fr. Laszlo Amaszka**  
**Secretary/Bookkeeper: Angela Rowley**  
**Pastoral Minister: Joyce Young**

**Summer Office Hours**

Tuesday-Thursday 9 a.m.-12 p.m. 1 p.m.-4 p.m.

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**Sunday  
Collections:**

**July 14 - \$2780.05**

**July 21 - \$2584.80**

**INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC?**

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is for you! Please contact Joyce Young for more information at 519-753-7316 or [pmmarybrantford@gmail.com](mailto:pmmarybrantford@gmail.com).

## WHERE IS THE HAIL MARY IN THE BIBLE?

The Hail Mary is broken up into two parts:

- 1) Who Mary is
- 2) Our prayer to Mary

The first half of the Hail Mary (rows 1-5) is contained in Luke 1. The second half (rows 5-6) come from Luke 1, James 5 and various other Biblical texts.

**Hail Mary, full of Grace** – Luke 1:28 – And coming to her, he said, “Hail, favoured one.”

**The Lord is with Thee** – Luke 1:28 – The Lord is with you.”

**Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus** – Luke 1:42 - ...cried out in a loud voice and said, “Most blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb.”

**Holy Mary, Mother of God** – Luke 1:43 – And how does this happen to me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me?

**Pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death** – James 5:16 – Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The fervent prayer of a righteous person is very powerful. (Catholic Meme)

### FESTA OF SAN ROCCO

To be held at St. Pius X Church, 9 Waverly St., Brantford, on **August 18, 2024 at 1:30 pm**. A solemn Mass will be celebrated in honor of San Rocco, followed by a procession in the church parking lot. Upon return to the church the blessing and distribution of the bread will take place, after which a social is planned in the church hall with entertainment by Claudio Santaluce. All are welcomed. Flowers and baked goods are greatly appreciated and will be received Saturday Aug. 17, 2024, from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm at the church. Special notice “The church parking lot will be closed for this celebration.”

### YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT

#### SATURDAY, AUGUST 3RD – HAMILTON

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. 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, August 3rd at St. Catherine of Siena Church (620 Rymal Road East, Hamilton, Ontario). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/>  
For more information: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)

## LITURGIES

### Sunday, August 4, Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel: John 6.24-35

**Mass 9:00 a.m.** - † Antonia Martino, † Jose Vilaca, † Carmine Minutillo, † Michael Rice, † Peter Pham Quang Luong, Int. of CWL members celebrating a birthday this month

**Mass 11:00 a.m.** - Missa Pro Populo

Vocation Prayer – Rev. Melvin Pinto, O.C.D.

### Tuesday, August 6, The Transfiguration of the Lord

Gospel: Mark 9.2-10

- Confessions 6:00 p.m. – 6:40 p.m.

- Devotions 6:45 p.m.

**Mass 7:00 p.m.** – Int. of Donna

### Wednesday, August 7

Gospel: Matthew 15.21-28

**No Mass**

Vocation Prayer – School Sisters of Notre Dame (S.S.N.D.)

### Thursday, August 8, St. Dominic

Gospel: Matthew 16.13-23

**Mass 9:00 a.m.** – † Leo Rice

Vocation Prayer – Rev. Sunil D’Souza, O.C.D.

### Friday, August 9, St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

Gospel: Matthew 16.24-28

**Mass 9:00 a.m.** – Int. of the St. Vincent de Paul Society

- Holy Hour and Adoration 9:30 a.m.

### Saturday, August 10, St. Lawrence

Gospel: John 12.24-26

- Confessions 4:00 p.m. – 4:40 p.m.

**Mass 5:00 p.m.** – † Antonio & Assunta D’Archangelis

### Sunday, August 11, Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel: John 6.41-51

**Mass 9:00 a.m.** - Missa Pro Populo

**Mass 11:00 a.m.** – † Vencel & Piroška Laczko, † Les Matthews, † deceased members of the Lovell Family, Int. of Pat Matthews, Int. of Deanna Sayers

Vocation Prayer – Rev. Mussie Keflezghi, M.C.C.J.

*Mass Intentions are published above and may not be announced. We are sorry for any unintentional errors in spelling or pronunciation and changes in dates.*

### ADULT FAITH FORMATION THROUGH VLCFF

The Diocese of Hamilton is proud to partner with Dayton University’s Virtual Learning Community for Adult Faith Formation (VLCFF) to offer certificate programs for ministry and enrichment for adult faith formation. We are currently taking enrollment for the Youth Ministry Certification Program and the Catechist Formation Program for the Diocese of Hamilton, which begins in September 2024. Three and five week e-seminars are also available at a discounted rate for all adults in the Diocese looking to further their learning. For more information about our programs, and how to register, visit us at [www.hamiltondioceselearns.com](http://www.hamiltondioceselearns.com)

**Dear God, fix me when I’m the problem and protect me when I’m not.**