

St. Margaret Mary Parish

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Office Hours:

Monday-Friday: 9 am - 12 noon, 1-5 pm.
 July & August: 9 am - 12 noon, 1-4 pm.

Sunday Masses:

Saturday – 5:00 pm
 Sunday – 9:00 am, 11:00 am

Daily Masses:

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 7:15 am
 Wednesday: 9:00 am and 7:00 pm.
 First Friday: 7:15 am and 7:00 pm.
 Saturday: 9:00 am.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Available Saturday 4:00-4:30 pm or
 by appointment.

Parish Devotions:

Eucharistic Adoration: Mon-Fri: 8:00 am-8:00 pm.
 Sat: Benediction 8:45 am.

Baptisms: are celebrated by appointment only. Participation in a Baptismal Preparation Session is required. Please contact the parish office (905-388-2200) well in advance.

Marriage: Parishioners who are planning to marry should contact the parish office at least six months before the proposed wedding date.

Visits to the Sick: If you or someone you know is in need of a visit in home or hospital please call the parish office.

New to the Parish: Please register by completing a registration form (available in the Narthex). We also ask that you notify the office of any change in address or telephone number.

Schools:

St. Margaret Mary	905-383-8122
St. Kateri Tekakwitha	905-385-8212
St. Anthony Daniel	905-389-5186



TUESDAY – MAY 27th

7:15 am – Intentions of Jade

WEDNESDAY – MAY 28th

9:00 am + Nicola Cocca

7:00 pm + Eduardo Allanigue
+ Maria Ciancone
+ Joao Costodio
+ Manuel Moniz
++ Antonio & Luisa Mare
++ Joe & Maria Moniz

THURSDAY – MAY 29TH

7:15 am ++ Gerardo Salem, Consolatriz
Salem, Coronacion Tolentino

FRIDAY – MAY 30TH

7:15 am – William J. A. Pickett & Deceased
Members of Clement Family

**SATURDAY – MAY 31ST – THE VISITATION
OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

9:00 am – Fernando Tortis

**SUNDAY LITURGY
THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD**

SATURDAY – MAY 31ST

7:00 pm + Jaime Encinares

SUNDAY – JUNE 1ST

9:00 am – Living & Deceased Parishioners
11:00 am + Eleanor Wahler

**DIOCESE OF HAMILTON
PRAYER CALENDAR**

MONDAY – Rev. Melvin Pinto, O.C.D.

TUESDAY – Rev. George Nowak, C.R.

WEDNESDAY – Seminarians

THURSDAY – Rev. Krzysztof Szkubera, C.R.

FRIDAY – Rev. Henryk Krajewski, C.R.

SATURDAY – ***The Visitation of the Blessed
Virgin Mary***

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The CWL **Plant Sale** will be held after all Masses **TODAY, May 24th/25th**. Plant donations are humbly accepted on those dates. Please bring the plants to the Hearth Room.

PORKETTA ON A BUN

The Knights of Columbus will be selling Porketta on a bun after all Masses on **TODAY, MAY 24TH/25TH**. Prices are \$6.00 each or 3 for \$15.00. Pre-order sheets are in the Narthex.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BOTTLE DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus will be holding another **BOTTLE DRIVE** on **SATURDAY, MAY 31ST**, at Blessed Sacrament Parish parking lot, **9:00 am-3:00 pm**. We will accept **ANY** returnable items – cans, bottles, wine bags from beer, liquor and wine products. All proceeds go to the local food banks.

SISTERS POOR OF JESUS CHRIST

The Sisters Poor of Jesus Christ will hold their **LUNCH BAG PROGRAM** on **THURSDAY, JUNE 5TH, 2025**. Donations can be left in the Hearth Room and will be picked up by the Sisters on **WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4TH at 12:00 NOON**. The Donation List is on the table in the Narthex outside the Adoration Chapel. The Sisters are hoping to provide 120 lunch bags. Thank you for your generosity.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK MASS

Our annual Anointing of the Sick Mass will be celebrated on **SATURDAY, JUNE 7TH, at 11:00 AM**. A reception and time for socializing in the Hearth Room will follow Mass. Anyone suffering from a serious chronic illness or elderly persons in a general state of infirmity is welcome to receive this Sacrament. All are welcome to join us as we offer prayers and support for those who are sick and their families. **If you would like to be anointed, please return your completed registration to the office by SUNDAY, JUNE 1ST.** Registration forms are in the Narthex.

A call for "Sandwich and Baking Volunteers"

We are planning to offer small sandwiches and baked squares/cookies at the reception after the Anointing of the Sick Mass again this year on **SATURDAY, JUNE 7TH**. If you would be willing to bake or make one loaf of sandwiches for this event, please call Inez Beattie at **905-387-6152** or Irma Gabriele at **905-389-2032**.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

We will have a Corpus Christi procession in honour of the Holy Eucharist on **SUNDAY, JUNE 22ND**.

PRAYER NETWORK

Our parish has a **Prayer Network** – a number of parishioners who pray for special intentions each day. There is a prayer request box on the table near the Adoration Chapel. If you would like to ask for prayers for a special intention, please **print your request clearly** and drop the note into the box. Names are not required. Intentions are collected every Thursday, so they are ready for the following week. We are blessed to have this active ministry in our parish.

PARISH PICNIC –SAVE THE DATE



This year's Parish Picnic will be held on **SUNDAY, JULY 27TH**. The Picnic will be held at Battlefield Park, Stoney Creek, 12:00 noon-3:00 pm. The barbecue will be turned off at 2:15 pm. Cost is \$5.00 for everyone 6 years of age and older. Tickets will be sold starting the weekend of

June 21st/22nd. Student volunteers are needed to help with children's activities. Anyone who needs a ride can contact Nancy Parisi on 905-570-4463.

VOCATIONS

Sixth Sunday – May 25th, 2025. Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him and we will come to Him. How will I respond to that love? Am I being called to the priesthood, diaconate or religious life? If God is calling you contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988. Email **vocations@hamiltondiocese.com**



SUNDAY COLLECTION **May 18, 2025**

Sunday Envelopes (229)	\$4,379.00
Initial Offering	15.00
Pope's Pastoral Works	46.90
Indigenous Reconciliation	25.00
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Building Fund	30.00
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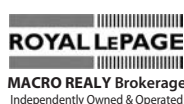
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