

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

TUESDAY, JANUARY 13
(followed by Novena to St. Anthony)

5:00 pm
+ Craig Pearce

+ Noreen O'Brien

+ Pasquale & Antonio Monterosso

Intentions of St. Patrick's Parishioners

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14

8:00 am
+ Maria Benevides

THURSDAY, JANUARY 15

5:00 pm
(followed by *Miraculous Medal Novena*)
+ Luiza & Jacinto Lima

FRIDAY, JANUARY 16

8:00 am (8:30 - 9:30 am adoration & recitation of *Divine Mercy Novena*)
+ Manuel Medeiros Pereira

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SATURDAY, JANUARY 17

5:00 pm
+ Ormindia Alves
+ Eleanor & Jack Furlong
+ Vitale Spatola
+ Rosa & Domenico Gioffre
+ Vicente Bairos

SUNDAY, JANUARY 18

8:00 am
9:00 am + Geraldine Sierchio
11:00 am - for the People - *pro populo*



If you are visiting today,

St. Patrick's Parish welcomes you.

If we are to be true forces of unity, let us be the first to seek inner reconciliation through penance. Let us forgive the wrongs we have suffered and put aside all anger and contention. Let us be the first to demonstrate the humility and purity of heart which are **required to approach the splendour of God's truth.**

Benedict XVI, Homily, St Patrick's Cathedral
New York, 19 April 2008

Please observe a reverent silence - *talk to God before Mass and to each other after Mass - and please ensure that all mobile devices are switched off or silenced to avoid distracting others in prayer. Children are most welcome. The narthex or the parish hall should be used as a crying room if needed. Please do not allow any children to run about the church at any time. Thank you.*

LAMP OFFERING

January 11 - 17

January 18 - 24

SANCTUARY LAMP

In Thanksgiving

Special Intentions

LADY ALTAR LAMP

Special Intentions

In Thanksgiving



OFFERTORY

JANUARY 4, 2026

Sunday Envelope Contributions	\$2,276.25
Loose Collection	\$ 750.60
EFT Donations	\$1,007.50
Total Collection – <i>Thank you!</i>	\$4,034.35

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

JANUARY 17 & 18

	5:00 p.m.	9:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Lectors	C. McArthur	P. Ajo D. Wylie	M. Deska
Communion	H. Nearing T. Nearing	B. Sousa J. Bui	D. Corbeil T. Cabral

JANUARY 11, 2026



CWL MEETING

The next Catholic Women's League meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 13. The meeting will begin with the celebration of Mass at 5 pm and continue in the parish hall - everyone is invited to bring their own brown bag supper or snacks. The formal meeting will begin promptly at 6:15 pm. It is asked that all CWL members share this news among the league.

At 7 pm, following the meeting Deacon Neil Devereaux will speak on "And, how was your Advent? All are welcome. Please enter through the parish hall door located in the lower parking lot.



CATHOLIC CEMETERIES

With a history of over 150 years, The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton has been a proud reminder of the Catholic faith. For more information about Catholic burial and cremation services in the Diocese of Hamilton, call the main administration office at 905-522-7727 to speak with a Family Service Counsellor or visit the website at: www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

VOTIVE CANDLES

Please note that an offering of \$2 per votive is requested when lighting a votive candle at either the Sacred Heart Votive Stand or at the Lady Altar Votive Stand. So for example, if you light three candles a \$6 offering is requested. *Many thanks.*



BLESSING OF THROATS

For centuries it has been a tradition for Catholics to have their throats blessed on or about the Feast of St. Blaise, the patron saint against throat ailments. This year, the Blessing of Throats will take place at St. Patrick's Parish following the 5 pm mass on Tuesday, February 3.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The Anointing of the Sick will take place at St. Patrick's Parish on Wednesday, February 11 at 8 am and again at 7 pm on this day. All those suffering chronic pain, illness or the burden of years are welcome to receive this sacrament.



LAMP OFFERINGS

To request that the Sanctuary Lamp or the Lady Altar Lamp be lit for your intentions, or in memory of a loved one, please call or email the parish office. A stipend of \$10 per lamp is requested at the time of booking.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEMBERSHIP DUES

The Knights of Columbus Council # 2184 would like to request that members submit the annual dues for 2026. Cheques should be made payable to 'Knights of Columbus Council 2184' with your membership # and cash payments should include your name and membership #. The current 2026 dues for members are \$40 and \$20 for honorary members. Thank you for your support.

WAYS TO SUPPORT ST. PATRICK'S PARISH

There are several ways to help financially support St. Patrick's Parish - simply choose what works best for you.

Weekly Envelopes: An easy means of giving and an excellent way to practice stewardship. Using envelopes allows directed giving to both general and special collections throughout the year.

Weekly Sunday Offering Basket: You are welcome to place cash or cheques into the collection baskets that are provided at each weekend Mass. Should you wish a tax receipt at year-end, please use a pink welcome envelope. Note that tax receipts cannot be issued for unmarked cash donations.

Bequests and Planned Giving: A bequest is a written intention naming St. Patrick's Parish as a beneficiary when constructing or re-visiting a will.

Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT): This way of giving allows parishioners to make their regular offertory donation to St. Patrick's Parish by direct debit. EFT forms are available in the narthex of the church for parishioners currently not registered for this option and who may wish to do so.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Monday	Rev. Scott Whitfield
Tuesday	Rev. Stanley Nwokeji
Wednesday	Sisters of St. John the Baptist, C.S.J.B.
Thursday	Rev. Peter Robinson
Friday	Rev. James Petrie
Saturday	Married Couples

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Heavenly Father, bless your Church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, brothers and sisters.

Give those you have called to the married state and those you have chosen to live as single persons in the world, the special graces that their lives require.

Form us all in the likeness of your Son so that in Him, with Him and through Him we may love you more deeply and serve you more faithfully, always and everywhere to the glory of your name.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. **A**men.