



BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH



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MASS TIMES:

Saturday - 7:00 p.m.

Sunday - 8:15 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:45 a.m.

Tuesday - 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday - 9:00 a.m.

Thursday - 9:00 a.m.

Friday - 9:00 a.m. Holy Hour follows Mass

ADORATION:

First Friday of the Month all day,

Benediction at 9:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturdays – 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

and during Friday's Holy hour when available

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Please see our Parish Website for more information.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Please see our Parish Website for information and to fill out the Preliminary Form at least 9 months in advance.

PARISH REGISTRATION

If you are new to our community or just visiting, welcome to Blessed Sacrament Parish. We encourage all new parishioners to register with the parish. Registration forms can be found on our website bskchurch.ca

We are most happy to have you join our Parish Family.

LEGACIES AND BEQUESTS

Keep your love for your parish alive. Remember Blessed Sacrament Parish in your will and when suggesting expressions of sympathy. If you wish to make such a

bequest in your will, please contact the Parish office.



SCAN QR CODE TO GIVE

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DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

ANNOUNCED MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF

Monday, April 13, 2026

Tuesday 7:00 p.m.

- † Arther & Gloria Tavares – Elisa Oliveira
- † Fatima Ricardo - Family
- † Muhic Family – J. Zunic Family
- Int. of Edwin & Flory D'Souza - Family

Wednesday 9:00 a.m.

- † Mary D'Souza – Mendes Family

Thursday 9:30 a.m. **Note Time Change!*

- † Antonio Veloso - Daughter

Friday 9:00 a.m.

- † Ursula & Dec'd Zunic Family Members
– Anton & Family

Saturday 7:00 p.m.

- † Filomena Forgione – Loni Beyfuss

Sunday

8:15 a.m.

- † Anneliese Retterath – Jean & Gary Kritz

10:00 a.m.

For the People of Blessed Sacrament Parish &
The St. Brigid Mission

11:45 a.m.

- Int. of Msgr. Earl Talbot – Judy Knight

Blessed Sacrament Church

Good Friday – Offertory \$ 3,348.10

Easter Sunday – Offertory \$ 13,122.10

total includes Pre-Authorized Giving



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Please take the time to write the dollar amount of your offering on the envelope. Thank you.

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday

- 1st Communion Session #6 6:00 p.m. Parish C.
- Men's Group 7:45 p.m. Parish Centre
- Legion of Mary 7:45 p.m. Music Rm

Wednesday

- Winston Park Nursing Home Mass 10:30 a.m.
- Jr. Choir Practice 6:00 p.m. Music Rm
- Choir Practice 7:15 p.m. Music Rm
- CWL Meeting 7:00 p.m. Parish Centre

Thursday

- ** Mass will be at 9:30 a.m.
- RCIA 7:00 p.m. Parish Centre

MASS TIME CHANGE THIS WEEK

Thursday

Please note the time of Mass has changed from 9:00 a.m. to 9:35 a.m. on Thursday for this week to celebrate with Monsignor Haller School. We will be back at 9:00 a.m. next week.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Divine Mercy Sunday is a day of prayer when we ask the Lord to renew our trust in His merciful love so that we might live it more fully in our lives. Our willingness to make sacrifices out of love for Him in return for all He has suffered for us helps us understand how His mercy is to be shared with all. See the back page of the bulletin for "How to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet."

SHARE LENT

Our offering for the Share Lent collection for this year was **\$5,625.00**. Your response to the cry of the poor has been very generous. "I tell you solemnly, in so far as you did this to one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did it to me." Matt. 25:40. Whatever we give in the name of the Lord, we know that our offering will not go unnoticed. May the Lord bless you for your spirit of generosity.

LITTLE BLESSINGS SHARING THE JOY OF EASTER

On **Sunday, April 12, at the 10:00 AM and 11:45 AM** Holy Masses, Moses the Moose will be handing out special books about Jesus and the Easter story to the children. These beautiful resources are made possible by the parish's Little Blessings Fund, which supports faith-based materials for our youngest parishioners. Come receive a gift from Moses and follow the instructions given at the end of Mass.

A heartfelt thank you to all the generous benefactors who support the Little Blessings initiative. This school year alone, your kindness has helped us share 300 books with children—a truly big blessing for their faith journey.

Thank you, and praise the Lord!

PILGRIM VIRGIN VISITATION PROGRAM

The Legion of Mary will hold a sign-up weekend after all the Masses on April 18 and April 19 for the Pilgrim Virgin Mary Statue of Our Lady of Fatima.

*Sign up for the dates you are available

*Two Legion of Mary members will bring the Statue to your home and pray the Welcome Prayers with Rosary prayer.

*After 10 days, members will come back for the Farewell Prayers.

* Please pray the Rosary daily while the Pilgrim Virgin Statue is in your home.

CWL EVENT

Join us on Wednesday, April 15th at 7 pm in the parish centre for our CWL, "Cards of Compassion" workshop.

We will be creating cards with 'thinking of you' messages to send to people who are new to our church community, Winston Park & Age Care residents, hospice patients, shut-ins, etc. All supplies are provided and there is no cost to attend.

Come on out and share in fellowship as we help share Christ's love with others.

CWL president, Wendy McGrattan.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) program is a friendly and welcoming way to explore the foundations of the Catholic faith — including who God is, the life of Jesus, the Bible, Christian traditions, and the teachings of the Catholic Church. Whether you're just starting to ask questions or ready to take the next step, we're here to support you. For more information or to register, please contact Bonnie Schroth at bonniegschroth@gmail.com. All are welcome!

HAVE YOU MOVED? CHANGED YOUR EMAIL OR PHONE NUMBER???

Now is a great time to let the church know!
Email Keri with any new updates for our records

VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION bskchurch.ca

DIOCESAN FUNCTIONS

THE DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS - Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2026? You are cordially invited to join Bishop Dabrowski and couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, May 31, 2026 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton at 1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring one guest if you require assistance). Registration is found under Upcoming Events on the home page at hamiltondiocese.com or call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

THE YEAR OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI The Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV has proclaimed this to be the "Year of St. Francis of Assisi," a special Jubilee in celebration of the 800th year since the holy death of St. Francis. The Diocese of Hamilton has put together a special webpage in celebration of this moment of faith. Join us in prayer and contemplation as we turn our hearts towards this saint of simplicity, peace, and joyful discipleship. All resources for adults and young people can be found here: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/year-of-st-francis-of-assisi/>

How to Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet

1. Make the Sign of the Cross

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

2. Optional Opening Prayers

You expired, Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls, and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world. O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us.

(Repeat three times)

O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fount of mercy for us, I trust in You!

3. Our Father

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, Amen.

4. Hail Mary

Hail Mary, full of grace. The Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou amongst women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death, Amen.

5. The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; He descended into hell; on the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

6. The Eternal Father

Eternal Father, I offer you the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your Dearly Beloved Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.

7. On the 10 Small Beads of Each Decade

For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

8. Repeat for the remaining decades

Saying the "Eternal Father" (6) on the "Our Father" bead and then 10 "For the sake of His sorrowful Passion" (7) on the following "Hail Mary" beads.

9. Conclude with Holy God (Repeat three times)

Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

10. Optional Closing Prayer

Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion — inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself.

