



Saint Dominic Parish Newsletter / Bulletin
THIRTEENTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME – June 28, 2020

SAINT DOMINIC PARISH LITURGIES

June 29 – July 5

Tuesday, June 30 + Guido Bardaro
8:30 a.m.

Wednesday, July 1 + Aureen D’Rozario
8:30 a.m.

Thursday, July 2 + Marco Simonetti
8:30 a.m.

Friday, July 3 + Jackson Downey
8:30 a.m.

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, July 4
4 – 4:30 p.m. Reconciliation
5 p.m. + Gabriele Biondo
 + Mary Kennedy
 + Frank Frieburger

Sunday, July 5
9 a.m. Intentions
11 a.m. of Parishioners



Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Mass celebrated June 21 in Saint Dominic Church.

Physical distancing at St Dominic

For the first time in three months, Saint Dominic parish community gathered in the church for Sunday Masses last week-end.

Numerous modifications, like pew closures and directional signs were put in place to allow recommended physical distancing. Seating in the church was and is limited to 30% of capacity. Wearing face masks is strongly encouraged as is use of hand sanitizer prior to church entry.

It is important, however, to remember that the COVID-19 Pandemic is not over. All these changes, including the restrictions for entering the church, have been put in effect to assure your safety and well being. Please remember that everyone must continue to pay attention to these measures to limit the spread of the COVID-19 virus.

- Ushers maintain proper people movement with distancing before, during and after the liturgy. Upon arrival you may be seated in locations other than your usual. *NOTE: First persons seated in a pew must move to the CENTRE to allow additional parishioners to sit safely distanced as they arrive. i.e. Even if you arrive early, you do not claim the outer end of a pew.* 😊
- Touchable surfaces are wiped down after each service in the church.
- Parish Centre washrooms are closed.
- Enter via Rebecca Street, Parish Centre or East Church doors. West church door is locked.
- Collection – you are invited to deposit your offering in baskets as you exit the church.

FOOD DONATIONS NEEDED

The Oakville Food Bank is especially in need of food donations to assist clients effected by recent lockdowns. Food inventories are running low. Items most needed are posted on Food Share’s website at <https://oakvillefoodbank.com/needed-items/> These include dry cereals, chunky soup/stew, canned meat, fish & fruit, nutritious kids snacks, baby formula, foods & cereals, laundry detergent. Donations of non-perishable foods may be left in the Food Box in the Parish Centre. These items are delivered weekly to the Food Bank.

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR

Monday, June 29	Rev. Thomas Manninezhath
Tuesday, June 30	Rev. Robert Bulbrook
Wednesday, July 1	Parish Staff
Thursday, July 2	Rev. Jungheon (Francisco) Kwak
Friday, July 3	Rev. James Malone
Saturday, July 4	Rev. Timothy Theriault



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■ Communion:

- Following the prayer “*Lord, I am not worthy*”, the Priest will say “*The Body of Christ.*” All respond *Amen*. Communion will be received in silence.
- Ushers will direct you to come to Communion, row by row.
- Communion will be given in the hand only. Extend your hands out in front of your body. Place one hand open upon the other to receive the Body of Christ. Communion from the chalice will not take place.

■ **After Mass dismissal, PLEASE remain in your pew.** To maintain social distancing, ushers will direct you to exit: a) by section, b) by pew row through the East or Parish Centre doors.

■ Please refrain from socializing in the church. If you wish to greet friends, do so outdoors with proper physical distancing..

VOCATIONS

“Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me.” Accept the invitation that is being extended, an invitation by the one who sent him. If you feel you are being called to the priesthood contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton at (905) 528-7988 or email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

Parish Office Reopens July 2



Saint Dominic Parish Office reopens Thursday, July 2. Staff will work in the regular office and communicate with individuals through the plexiglass barrier in the outer reception area. Due to its size, admittance to this area is limited to one person at a time.

Office hours: *Tuesday to Friday 9 a.m. to noon; 1 to 4 p.m.*

Those who are unable to come to the church are invited to participate in televised Masses on Salt and Light (each day at 6:30am, 11:00 am, 3:00pm, and 10:30 pm EST). Mass is also available online at:

<https://saltandlighttv.org/mass>.

Vision TV broadcasts Mass on Sunday at 8:00 am.”

Daily and Sunday Mass is also available on

EWTN: <https://www.ewtn.com/tv>.

(Sunday 8:00 am; Monday – Friday 8:00 am & 12:00 pm; Saturday 8:00 am & 9:30 am.)

Those who are elderly or whose immune system is compromised, and those who are hesitant to return to church at this time, please know that the obligation to participate at Sunday Mass is suspended until further notice.

Weddings and Funerals

Restrictions on weddings and funerals have been eased. The number of people allowed to attend indoor weddings and funerals is restricted to 30% of the church capacity – at Saint Dominic that’s a maximum of 120.

However, wedding and funeral receptions are still limited to 10 persons. These events pose more opportunities for socialization and activities that may reduce proper social distancing.

Baptisms are celebrated on prearranged dates. Preparation is provided. Kindly contact the Parish office at least two months before a desired date.

In lieu of our weekly printed bulletins, the Saint Dominic Parish Newsletter/Bulletin is an online update on parish and diocesan activities, ministries and parishioners. The newsletter is posted weekly on our website. Please email submissions, requests and/or suggestions to: office@saintdominic.ca

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Custodian: Mr. Peter Coffey

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Mass schedule: Tuesday-Friday 8:30 a.m.

Saturday 5 p.m.

Sunday 9 a.m. and 11 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 4-4:30 p.m.