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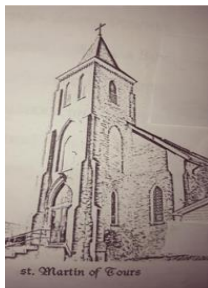
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The Most Holy Trinity - June 3rd to 9th



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

In the month of June, the Church celebrates many wonderful martyrs. Some - like St. John the Baptist - are ancient. Others - like St. Charles Llwanga and the Ugandan martyrs - gave witness to Christ in a time closer to our own.

Whether or not we are called to martyrdom, we are all called to imitate the martyrs in loving God - the Most Holy Trinity - above all else. May the prayers of the martyrs obtain for us all a growth in charity!

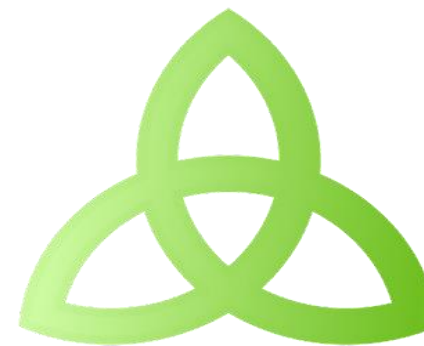
In Christ,

Fr. Hayden Starczala

VOCATION SEEDS

“God so loved the world that he gave his only-begotten Son...” How can you best serve God in a response to that love? If God is calling you to the priesthood, diaconate religious or consecrated life, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988.

vocations@hamiltondiocese.com hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/



<u>Saturday</u>	5:00 p.m.	+Eunice Drumm (St. Mary's Parish)
<u>Sunday</u> St. Martin of Tours	9:00 a.m.	Deceased Members of the Family (Anne & Albert Runstedler)
St. Mary Immaculate	11:00 a.m.	Missa Pro Populo
<u>Tuesday</u> St. Norbert (OM)	7:00 p.m.	For the Penitents of Fr Starczala
<u>Wednesday</u>	9:00 a.m.	+Sr. Alfreda Mary Kimpel (Joe & Joan Walser & Family)
<u>Thursday</u>	6:15 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Eucharistic Exposition & Adoration +Louis Lussier (Louise & Mike)
<u>Friday</u> St Ephrem (OM)	9:00 a.m.	+Doug Kimpel (St. Mary's CWL)

“I vow and consecrate to God all that is in me: My memory and my actions to God the Father; My understanding and my words to God the Son; My will and my thoughts to God the Holy Spirit.”

- St. Francis de Sales (from a consecration prayer to the Trinity)

OFFERINGS

May 27 th & 28 th	<u>St. Mary's</u>	<u>St. Martin's</u>
Offerings	\$ 980.00	\$ 315.00
Loose	125.00	10.00
Building	255.00	20.00
Pope's Pastoral Works	215.00	
Total:	\$ 1,575.00	\$ 345.00

Monthly EFT for May	<u>St. Mary's</u>	<u>St. Martin's</u>
Weekly Offerings	\$ 3,911.50	\$ 170.00
Building Maintenance	545.50	30.00
	\$ 4,457.00	\$ 200.00

Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

HAMILTON DIOCESAN MARIAN DAYS

These days will be celebrated from June to October 2023 at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph. The day will start with Confessions at 9:00 a.m. followed by Mass at 10:00 a.m., Rosary Procession at 11:00 a.m. and lunch at 12:00 p.m., Holy Hour and Marian Catechesis at 1:00 p.m. The day will close with Benediction at 2:00 p.m. Please bring your own lunch. Coffee and Tea will be available. Presiders will be, **Bishop Matthew Ustrzycki:** Saturday, June 3; **Bishop Douglas Crosby:** Saturday, July 1; **Bishop Gerard Bergie:** Saturday, August 5; **Bishop Wayne Lobsinger:** Saturday, September 2; **Thomas Cardinal Collins:** Saturday, October 7.

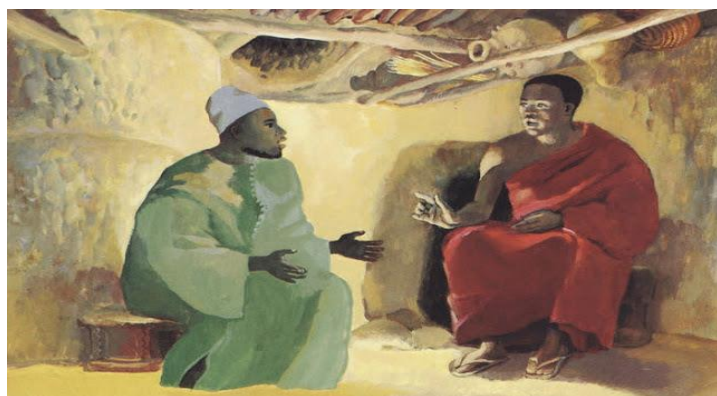
THE RETURN OF THE SUNDAY OBLIGATION

As of June 11, the Feast of Corpus Christi, His Excellency Bishop Crosby has removed the dispensation from the obligation of attendance at Sunday Mass. All those in good health and physically able are once again obliged to attend Sunday Mass.

WORKSHOP: ELDER ABUSE: A CLOSER LOOK

This workshop is being offered on Thursday, June 8th and will look at how to gain a better understanding of what constitutes elder abuse, how to recognize the risk factors and signs of abuse, how to report it and how best to support an older adult experiencing or at-risk of abuse. The event is free and limited to 100 participants. Those who are interested can register here: <https://tinyurl.com/ytn9ee5k>

Anyone who was unable to attend the previous workshop, *Elder Abuse and The Modern Family: What You Need to Look Out for and to Know* can still view the presentation on YouTube: <https://tinyurl.com/2txhn4b9>



Nicodemus – Jesus Mafa Project



Holy Trinity, Andrei Rublev (d. ca. 1430)

FRASSATI LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Young people entering grade 10 in September are invited to register for the Frassati leadership program. This year long program is designed for young Catholic leaders who want to expand their Catholic leadership skills and grow in their relationship with Christ and their communities.

For registration and more information please visit: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/youth-ministry/frassati>.



DID YOU KNOW?

Children in our parishes benefit from the Catechetical Correspondence Program each year for ongoing religious education and preparation for the Sacraments. We need volunteers to support the program! If you are willing to accompany these children in their learning journey, please contact Office for Evangelization & Catechesis at catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com. To learn more about the program, please visit: <https://bit.ly/DOHCCC>.

UPCOMING EVENTS

June 21

St. Mary's School Grade 8 Graduation Liturgy – 6:00 p.m.