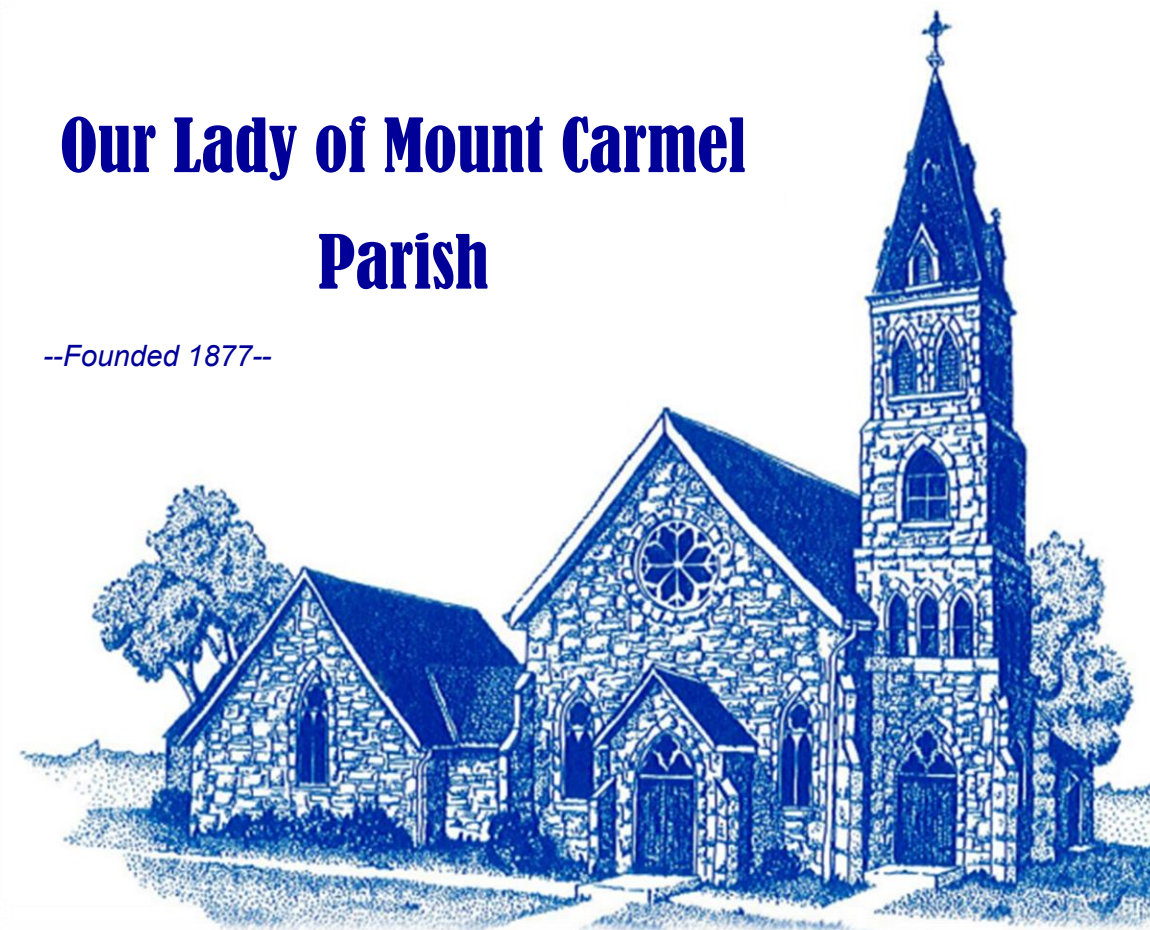


Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish

--Founded 1877--



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Pastor: Fr. Arpee Urquico

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Sunday Mass:

(Saturday) 5 p.m.
Sunday 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.

Confession Times: Please email Fr. Arpee or call the office to arrange an appointment.

Weekday Mass:

Tuesday: 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday & Thursday: 9 a.m.
Friday:

Hospital Visits:
Please email or call the office.

Adoration & Benediction: 5:30 p.m.
Mass: 6:30 p.m.

For emergencies: (text preferably)
289 609 4677

Parish Registration:

Welcome to Our Lady of Mount Carmel: Please fill this out to register and place in the collection basket:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

Would you like envelopes? Yes NO

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Sign-up sheets for all ministries for Holy Week and Easter are available in the annex this weekend.

We want to take this opportunity to thank each of you for your ongoing support. Your dedication makes a huge difference, and we are grateful for all you do!

ADOREMUS

Saturday, April 5th, 3:30 PM

Time for Adoration, Sacred Scripture, Sacred Hymns, & Confessions.

Benediction at 4:45 PM.

Different priests are invited to hear confessions.



Spring cleanup! We wish to remind everyone that all winter decorations, including wreaths on stands, must be removed from gravesites by March 31. We understand the importance of honouring loved ones throughout the year, and appreciate your assistance in keeping our cemeteries beautiful for all to enjoy. Please note that any winter decorations remaining on graves after March 31 will be removed and discarded.

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CWL PRESENTS

Afternoon Tea

\$40 per person includes tea, lunch & entertainment. Fascinators are encouraged. Ticket sales to follow all Masses in April.

SUNDAY, MAY 4, 2025, 12:15PM
THE MARIAN HALL

THE DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

SAVE THE DATE!

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2025? You are cordially invited to join Bishop Crosby and couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 1, 2025, 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 www.hamiltondiocese.com

Sunday, March 30th, 2025



Demanding fairer policies in Tunisia

Resource mismanagement and unfair international conditions trap Tunisia in debt. Development and Peace — Caritas Canada's partner, the Tunisian Economic Observatory (OTE), analyzes the country's debt policies, and informs Tunisians about economic issues, enabling them to demand fairer and more equitable policies to promote sustainable development that benefits everyone.

This Lent, discover the work of OTE by reading our [Mini-magazine](http://devp.org/lent/resources) at devp.org/lent/resources.

SENIORS TALK & LUNCH - Wed., Apr. 9th at 11:30 am

Freelton Strabane United Church, 1565 Brock Rd., Strabane

Guest Speaker, Judy Rickey from Clutter Relief Services will offer tips on de-cluttering, whether you're downsizing or to do a swift spring cleaning! Free Will offering for lunch.

Pre-register by Mon., Apr. 7th by calling 905-659-3314

VOCATIONS RECOGNITION DINNER 2025 The Serra Club of Hamilton invites you to gather on Wednesday, April 30, 2025, at Liuna Station in Hamilton to celebrate the service of our Priests, Religious Brothers and Sisters, Permanent Deacons, and Consecrated Virgins Living in the World. Doors open at 6:00 pm. Tickets are \$90 per person. To order tickets or for information, send an email to serrahamilton1965@gmail.com. You can pay for your ticket through e-transfer using the same email or you can also pay by credit card using the following link: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/events/>. This event is co-sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton.

Mass Intentions March 31—April 6		Diocesan Prayer Calendar
Monday	NO Mass	Rev. Piotr Jurzyk
Tuesday: 6:30 pm	For the intentions of all struggling with addiction	Rev. Bernard (Mike) Francis
Wednesday: 9:00 am	Special Intentions	Franciscan Fathers, O.F.M.
Thursday: 9:00 am		Grandparents & the Elderly
Friday: 5:30 pm Adoration 6:30 pm	Stations of the Cross-following Mass	Rev. Patras Samuel Masih
Saturday: 5:00 pm	Jim Donald—Nell Ollmann & family Betty Anderson—Barbara & Camilla Laking	Rev. Tony O'Dell, O.M.I.
Sunday: 9:00 am 11:00 am	Our Parishioners	Fifth Sunday of Lent

Fourth Sunday of Lent - March 30, 2025

Like the forgiving father of Luke's Gospel, God welcomes us home in spite of our sinfulness, and calls us to a life of holiness. Where are you at home? Are you being called to a life as an ordained or a consecrated person? If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.