

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 4-5, 2026

Sacrament of Baptism
The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated at 11:00 am on Saturdays, for registered parishioners.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Every Thursday, 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm, or by appointment.

Sacrament of Marriage
For registered parishioners. Please contact the office at least one year in advance of your preferred date.

RCIA is the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
The RCIA provides spiritual and catechetical formation for those seeking entry into the catholic church. Please contact the office for further information.

Anointing and Pastoral Care
Available for our faith community. Please contact the office to arrange for anointing of the sick, or to receive Holy Communion outside of church.

Adoration
Every Thursday, 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm.

The Church Offering Report
Published weekly, in the bulletin. Offertory envelopes can be dropped off in the parish mailbox. Please call the office to pick up your Church envelopes.

Pre-Authorized Giving
The withdrawal is on the 15th of every month.

Parish School
St Anne Elementary School: 519-745-7847

Mass Times

Monday	8:00 am
Tuesday	8:00 am
Wednesday	8:00 am
Thursday	8:00 am
	6:00 pm – 7:00 pm *Confession & Adoration*
Friday	8:00 am
Saturday	4:00 pm
Sunday	9:30 am
	2:00 pm *Vietnamese Martyrs Community*

Welcome to
St. Anne Parish

We hope you will find prayerful and spiritual support during your time with us. If you plan to attend regularly, we encourage you to register with our parish.

Registration forms are available at the church entrances and will help simplify processes for pastoral references and sacramental preparations.

If you are just visiting, thank you for joining us. We look forward to seeing you again!

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THIS WEEK WE CELEBRATE

The 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Your praise, O God, like your Name, reaches the ends of the earth

Liturgical Readings

1) Zechariah 9:9-10 *He shall command peace to the nations.*
2) Romans 8:9, 11-13 *You are in the Spirit, since the Spirit of God dwells in you.*
3) Matthew 11:25-30 *Come to me, all you that are weary, and I will give you rest."*

FOCUS: Our rest comes in walking side-by-side with Christ.

The God who defeated death – this mighty one whose dominion shall be from sea to sea – promises to carry our burdens with us, to never leave us alone in our struggles, to humble himself to walk beside us in our smallness and our need. Our rest comes in walking side-by-side with Christ.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

In the first reading, the prophet Zechariah tells of the king who will come riding on an ass to proclaim peace to the nations. In the epistle, we are told that the Spirit of the one who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in us. In the Gospel, Jesus praises the Father for revealing the hidden things to little ones. He invites those who labor to rest in him.

VOCATION CORNER



"You are in the spirit, since the Spirit of God dwells in you." Is the Spirit leading you or someone you know to ministerial service? If God is calling you, to the priesthood, diaconate, or consecrated life, contact:
Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations / Email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 / Visit: hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

The stewardship report for June 27-28, 2026, will be shared next weekend. We are grateful to all who contribute their time, their talents, and their treasures to support our parish community and our mission. **Thank you!**

ST ANNE FEAST DAY JULY 26



We will celebrate our patron Saint, Saint Anne, as well as St Joachim, her husband, on **Sunday, July 26**, and after Mass, we invite everyone to come down to the hall for coffee and fellowship. The fourth Sunday in July is also World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly. Pope Leo XIV has chosen "I will never forget you" (Isaiah 49:15) as the theme. The World Day, instituted by the late Pope Francis in 2021, is celebrated every fourth Sunday of July and is presented as an opportunity to bring the closeness of the Church to the elderly and to enhance their contribution within families and communities. This year, the date coincides with the feast of Saints Joachim and Anne, and the Holy Father invites everyone to celebrate. Taken from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah, the chosen verse is meant to be a message of consolation and hope for all grandparents and elderly people, especially those who live in loneliness or feel forgotten. At the same time, it is a reminder to families and ecclesial communities not to forget them, recognizing in them a precious presence and a blessing. We hope that all within our parish community will invite their families to join us for Mass, and afterwards, in the hall.

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL MASS

All are invited to attend a special Mass in honour of Our Lady of Mount Carmel on **Sunday, July 12** at 2:00 pm at the Carmel Monastery, 1127 Carmel-Koch Road, St Agatha.

BLESSED SACRAMENT: THE HEART OF PRAYER

Do you desire a deeper prayer life? Have you ever wondered how God speaks to us in prayer? Join us for The Heart of Prayer, an 8-part series exploring the ancient Christian tradition of interior prayer. You will discover how prayer becomes more than words—a living relationship with God who dwells within us. "According to Scripture, it is the heart that prays." (CCC 2562) Through reflection, discussion, and prayer, we will learn to listen with the heart and become more aware of God's presence in our daily lives. **Tuesdays, September 15 – November 3**, 7:30–9:00 pm (following the 7:00 pm Mass) at Blessed Sacrament Parish, Kitchener. All are welcome. Advance registration is encouraged so that study materials can be prepared. For information or to register: bonniegschroth@gmail.com

ST AGATHA SHRINE OF THE SORROWFUL MOTHER

The Shrine of the Sorrowful Mother, located in the historic St Agatha Cemetery Chapel in St Agatha and built in 1857, welcomes visitors for prayer and reflection throughout the summer season. The shrine features a beautiful collection of relics of the saints, along with sacred paintings, statues, and religious artwork that inspire devotion and peace. The chapel will be open **every Sunday, from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm, until September 27th**. All are warmly invited to come for a spiritual visit and to experience the beauty, history, and prayerful atmosphere of this special place of devotion.

Mass Intentions and Diocesan Prayer Calendar for July 6 - 12, 2026

Mass Intentions are a great treasure of the Church and have immense spiritual value. If you would like to request a Mass Intention for someone (living or deceased), please contact the parish office.

	Mass Intentions	Liturgical calendar	Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar
Monday, July 6 8:00 am	† Darlene Campbell	**St Maria Goretti** Hosea 2:14, 15b-16, 19-20 Matthew 9:18-26	Rev. Mariusz Durbajlo
Tuesday, July 7 8:00 am	† Frank Frankovic † Souls in Purgatory	Hosea 8:4-7, 11-13 Matthew 9:32-38	Rev. Ireneusz H. Koziak, S.A.C.
Wednesday, July 8 8:00 am	**Int of** those living with cancer **Int of** Patricia Maton	Hosea 10:1-3, 7-8, 12 Matthew 10:1-7	Society of Christ, S.Chr.
Thursday, July 9 8:00 am	† Nancy Ehiorobo † Eliseu De Sousa	**St Augustine Zhao Rong & Companions** Hosea 11:1, 3-5b, 8c-9 Matthew 10:7-15	Very Rev. Tim Uniac, C. R.
Friday, July 10 8:00 am	† Kathie Archer † Richard Carson	Hosea 14:1-9 Matthew 10:16-23	Rev. Yonas Okubit Ghebru
Saturday, July 11 4:00 pm	† Erika Kompter † Jose De Sousa † Joshua Fonseca † Adelino Fonseca	**Saturday: Memorial of St Benedict** Isaiah 55:10-11 Romans 8:18-23 Matthew 13:1-23	Most Rev. Anthony Tonnos
Sunday, July 12 9:30 am	**Intention of All Parishioners**		**15th Sunday Ordinary Time**

Please consider volunteering your talents! The following Ministries and Parish Organizations would warmly welcome you! Please contact the office for more information.

- Altar Serving
- A.R. Goudie visitor
- St Vincent de Paul
- Social Committee
- Ministers of the Word
- Music Ministry
- Ministers of the Eucharist
- Hospitality Ministers
- Children's Liturgy
- Rosary Prayer Group
- Funeral Lunch Committee

St Anne Parish is entrusted to the pastoral care of the Comboni Missionaries of the Heart of Jesus.
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For 150 years, the Comboni Missionaries have traveled to nearly every corner of the world, sharing the good news of Christ and working to protect the dignity of all people. Founded in 1867 by St. Daniel Comboni, the Comboni Missionaries are an international Catholic organization dedicated to ministering to the world's poorest and most marginalized people, often working in unstable political climates amid extreme poverty. Despite these challenges, our missionaries are dedicated to their mission of serving God's people.

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