

# Saint Dominic Parish Newsletter / Bulletin FOURTH SUNDAY of Easter – April 25, 2021



#### SAINT DOMINIC PARISH LITURGIES

During the current Ontario Lockdown, there are no public Masses celebrated at Saint Dominic Church.

Sunday, April 25

Fourth Sunday of Easter

10 a.m. online <a href="http://saintdominic.ca">http://saintdominic.ca</a>
Intentions of Parishioners

On weekdays, Fr. Ranjan celebrates
private daily Masses.
Intentions for these Masses include:

Tuesday, April 27 + Ernie & Lucy Grande

Wednesday, April 28 + Maria do Ramos Aguiar

Thursday, April 29 Int. D'Souza family

Friday, April 30 + Guido Bardara Saturday, May 1 Int. Joji Dijamco

+ Tony Jelenic

+ Mr. Martone

+ Arturo Perlini

Sunday, May 2

Fifth Sunday of Easter

10 a.m. online http://saintdominic.ca

**Intentions of Parishioners** 

### St. Dominic Currently Closed

Saint Dominic Church, along with all parishes in the Hamilton Diocese, remains closed for the duration of the current Ontario lockdown.

- The Parish Office is closed but will be open for emergencies. Queries? Leave a telephone message.
- Conquest and Challenge and other regular meetings are cancelled until further notice.
- No public Masses will be celebrated at St. Dominic Church during the lockdown.

Mass from Saint Dominic's will be broadcast live at 10 a.m. each Sunday. To participate online, visit our website https://saintdominic.ca/

Also, please make sure to subscribe to our Youtube channel. It really helps us to unlock extra features. https://www.youtube.com/saintdominicparishoakville

Congratulations Luciano & Nicholas – Baptized Last Sunday



Luciano Aniello Arianna with his parents, Nello & Charlene Arianna and Godparents: Branimir Klapiric & Evelin Klapiric.



Nicholas Elias Roman with his parents Christian & Andrea Roman and Godparents: Luigi LoFaso & Susan Roman.

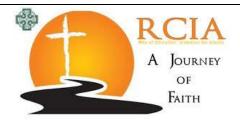


Confirmations, scheduled for next week, and First Communions slated for May 8 – June 13 are postponed indefinitely due to the current pandemic Lockdown. In your prayers, please remember the children preparing for these important sacraments.



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### **RCIA - Is it over?**

The 2021 RCIA group wound up with a celebratory meeting last week. Three of the group were baptised at the Easter Vigil. All four of them were confirmed and welcomed into the Catholic Church. So the RCIA is over for this year but everyone in the group knows very well that it is not really over. The four new Catholics now begin their journey toward the salvation promised them. They, like all of us, have to live their lives in a Christian fashion in the world which God gave us. No, it is not over; it is only just beginning!



# Fare Share Food Bank Oakville Inc.

I am writing on behalf of the volunteers and clients of Fare Share Food Bank to thank St. Dominic parishioners very much for your donation of a cart full of food. Over the past few months, we have been challenged as we found the price of groceries have skyrocketed while the community need for our support also has risen. Therefore, donations such as yours are very much appreciated.

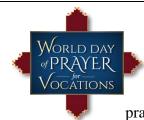
Fare Share is operated entirely by approximately 60 volunteers, and we have been serving those in need for more than 30 years. This past year we provided, on average, for more than 450 families per month, a total of more than 1300 people; many of whom were children.

Thank you so much for continuing to support us and the less fortunate families in our community.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Russell Director

**Conquest & Challenge** will continue to meet online. however, packages won't be available to pick up at the parish. Members will be notified of delivery arrangements.



The Fourth Sunday of Easter,
April 25, Christians are
invited to reflet on the
meaning of God's call and to
pray for vocations. Christ, the

Good Shepherd, continues to lead His people through His Bishops, Priests and Deacons, and calls many to follow Him this way. Priestly, deaconal and religious vocations should be a constant concern in the hearts of God's people. The greatest love story that ever happened is God's continuing love for His people. All God asks is "Love one another as I have loved you". The world really needs to see people who are trying to love others with all their hearts. Priests, religious and deacons can be excellent examples of this love. If God is calling you, contact Very Reverend Wayne Lobsinger, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton at (905) 528-7988 email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com



Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

*Please remember:* **Michael Charette,** son of Eve Charette. Michael's funeral was celebrated April 24.

In your prayers, remember those who are facing health challenges...especially Lucas Dias and Karl Clunies.



The newsletter is posted weekly on our website. Please email submissions, requests and/or suggestions to: office@saintdominic.ca

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Parish Office Hours: Currently closed except for emergencies. Please call.

or consult our website for additional information.

Mass schedule: 10 a.m. Sundays - online at www.saintdominic.ca