

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 15th, 2026

Murder and adultery are born in the heart. Jesus reinterprets the fifth commandment so that it embraces those angry feelings and emotions which may lead up to murder. And He reinterprets the sixth commandment so that it embraces lustful thoughts and desires which may lead to sexual sin and infidelity. As for oaths: Jesus encourages people to behave in such a way that oaths are superfluous. The disciples are simply to be truthful.

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, February 15 th <i>6th Sunday in OT</i>	9 am 11 am	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i> <i>Missa Pro Populo (Linwood)</i>	
Monday, February 16 th <i>Ordinary Time</i>	-	-	-
Tuesday, February 17 th <i>Ordinary Time</i>	9 am	<i>Intentions of Carole-Ann Barrett</i>	By the Family
Wednesday, February 18 th <i>Ash Wednesday</i>	12 pm 4 pm 7 pm	<i>Intentions of Carol Awrey</i> <i>Intentions of Juan Pablo Baldizon (Linwood)</i> <i>+ Leonard Hergott</i>	By Patty & Janet By the Family By Murray & Sharon Runstedler
Thursday, February 19 th <i>Lent</i>	9 am	<i>+ John Druar</i>	By the Family
Friday, February 20 th <i>Lent</i>	9 am 7 pm	<i>Intentions of Karen Doyle</i> <i>Stations of the Cross</i>	By Murray & Sharon Runstedler
Saturday, February 21 st <i>St. Peter Damian</i>	5 pm	<i>+ Bernard Miller</i> <i>+ Gerry Grubb</i>	By John & Christine Dixon By Murray & Sharon Runstedler
Sunday, February 22 nd <i>1st Sunday of Lent</i>	9 am 11 am	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i> <i>Missa Pro Populo (Linwood)</i>	

History of the Catholic Church (#104) – At the dawn of the fourth century, Christianity was still the religion of only a minority of Roman citizens, but by the end of the century it was embraced by the majority, and Emperor Theodosius proclaimed it the official religion of the Empire in the year 380. The story of its irresistible progress constitutes one of the most dramatic chapters in the history of the early Church.

SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE BREAKFAST – Please join us this Tuesday for a pancake breakfast in the parish hall following the 9am Mass. All are welcome! Free-will offerings gratefully accepted.

SOUP LUNCHEON DURING LENT – Beginning on Wednesday, February 25th, and on every subsequent Wednesday during Lent, you are invited to a delicious soup luncheon following the noon Mass. As we enter this period of reflection and repentance, strengthen your connections to this beautiful community! Free-will offerings gratefully accepted.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS – Please join us on Fridays at 7pm during Lent for the Stations of the Cross and follow the footsteps of Jesus.

THE REEL JUSTICE FILM FESTIVAL – brings you an insightful exploration of the dangers of book banning and the loss of intellectual freedom with a screening of The Librarians on February 26, 2026 7:00 – 9:00 PM. The film is told through the personal experiences of librarians under siege as they fight for democracy alongside everyday people who join their ranks in defense of books. The screening and discussion will be hosted online via Zoom. Register and view our full schedule of events at: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/reel-justice-film-festival/> A partnership between the Bishop Farrell Library & Archives and Development and Peace, the Reel Justice Film Festival shines a spotlight on issues of social, political, and economic injustices.

LOOKING FOR SUPPORT FOR YOUR MARRIAGE – Does your marriage feel like it is more trouble than joy, does it feel stagnant, or disconnected? Is it causing you constant stress? The solution is Retrouvaille – whose one purpose is to help couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship. This is a practical program, where sharing is not required except between the couple themselves. It is designed to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect. This is for struggling couples, including those who may be considering separation or divorce. The next Retrouvaille weekend is March 13-15, 2026. For more information call 905-664-5212 or email 1013r@helpourmarriage.org

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR – Please remember the following in your prayers: Rev. Jarek Pachocki, OMI, Rev. Robert Love, Rev. Jeffery Oehring, Rev. Francesco Cucchi, & Rev. Mark Gatto.

VOCATION SEEDS – “No eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the human heart conceived, what God has prepared for those who love him.” If you feel you are being invited to spread the Good News of God's love as a priest, deacon, brother or sister, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.
Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
Website: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/>

LAST WEEK’S COLLECTION – St. Clements TBD. Thank you for your generosity!