



# CATHEDRAL BASILICA of CHRIST THE KING

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## Lord's Day Eucharist

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

4:00 p.m.

## Daily Eucharist

Tuesday through Friday  
8:00 a.m. (Marian Chapel)

*Weekly schedule in the Bulletin*

## Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturdays 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

## Pastoral Staff

The Most Reverend D. DOUGLAS CROSBY, OMI, DD  
*Bishop of Hamilton*

Reverend DAVID A. WYNEN, *Rector*

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## Cathedral Basilica Office Hours

*Monday* Office is closed

*Tuesday through Thursday* 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

*Friday* 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

## Care of the Sick

To arrange pastoral visits to the sick in hospital or at home, please call the parish office.

The Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King is the principal church of the Diocese of Hamilton and home to the Bishop of Hamilton. The word "cathedral" comes from "cathedra" or Bishop's chair located in the church. On February 25th, 2013, in recognition of the significance of its design, and its importance in the Diocese, the Cathedral was given the status of a *Minor Basilica* by Pope Benedict XVI. The Cathedral Basilica was completed in 1933, and is a very beautiful structure that is reflective of the lively faith of its parishioners and the entire Diocese of Hamilton.

The Cathedral Basilica's *Coat of Arms* presents a shield sheltered by the *ombrellino*, and with crossed keys representing the papal designation of basilica status. The shield has a symbol for Christ with the crown of thorns and the crown of glory. The motto in Latin - *every eye shall see him*.

## Parish Registration

To register with the Parish and to request Sunday Offering envelopes or information about pre-authorized giving ... please complete a *Registration Form* - either online (parish website) or using a form provided in the Tower entrance.

## Vocations to the Priesthood or Religious Life

For information contact Father Kuzma at the Office of Vocations (905) 528-7988.

## Catholic Burial Needs

Please contact The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton (905) 527-7727.

	<i>Time</i>	<i>Announced Mass Intention or Celebration</i>	<i>Vocation Prayer Intention</i>
<b>Sunday, April 12, 2015</b> <i>Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)</i> <i>Acts 4.32-35; 1 John 5.1-6; John 20.19-31</i>	9:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	4:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
<b>Monday, April 13, 2015</b> <i>Acts 4.23-31; John 3.1-8</i>		No Mass	Father Ruzza, C.R.S.P.
<b>Tuesday, April 14, 2015</b> <i>Acts 4.32-37; John 3.7-15</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of + Members of Gillis family & Frank Bedek	Father Pinto, C.S.Sp.
<b>Wednesday, April 15, 2015</b> <i>Acts 5.17-26; John 3.16-21</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Jamie and Maria Medeiros	Congregation of the Missionaries of St. Charles (Scalabrinians) (C.S.)
<b>Thursday, April 16, 2015</b> <i>Acts 5.27-33; John 3.31-36</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of Rev. Mark Pisarek	Father Gatto
<b>Friday, April 17, 2015</b> <i>Acts 5.34-42; John 6.1-15</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass of with the intentions of +Ivy Ellis	Father Walter
<b>Saturday, April 18, 2015</b> <i>Vigil- Third Sunday of Easter</i> <i>Acts 3.13-19; 1 John 2.1-5; Luke 24.35-48</i>	3:30-4:30 pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Father Kuntz
	4:00-4:30 pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
	5:00 p.m.	Mass with the intentions of + Domenico and Rosa Sergi +Maria Cech +Carolyn Lundy +Manuel and Maria Cordeiro +Tony Spano & Giuseppe Spano +Luigiana LaSala	

#### STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

*Sunday, March 29, 2015*

Regular Offerings (263 env; \$18.94 avg)	\$ 7,515.25
Share Lent (47 env; \$80.74 avg.)	\$ 3,795.00
Other	\$ 175.00
Loose Offerings	\$ 1,710.75
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$13,196.00</b>

Thank you for your generosity to the Parish.

#### STEWARDSHIP OF TIME

Tues, April 7	7:30 p.m.	Tenor Bass Choir Rehearsal
Thurs, April 9	7:30 p.m.	Cathedral Choir Rehearsal

#### WELCOME NEW CATHOLICS!

We rejoice in the Baptism and Reception of the new members of the Catholic Church who celebrated the Sacraments of Initiation with Bishop Crosby at the Easter Vigil. Today new Catholics from across the Diocese of Hamilton will join Bishop Crosby at our 11:00 a.m. Mass to offer thanks for the gift of faith.

#### DAILY MASS

We celebrate Mass Tuesday through Friday at 8:00 a.m. in the Marian Chapel (basement of the Cathedral Basilica). Please join us as you begin your day.

#### ANNIVERSARY OF CANONIZATION

Our Diocese will celebrate the 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary of the Canonizations of Pope St. John XXIII and Pope St. John Paul II on **Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup>** during the 11:00 a.m. Mass at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King.

#### CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

A CWL General Meeting will take place on Tuesday April 14 at 7:00 p.m. in McNally Hall. Items to discuss will include the election of the new Diocesan Executive; and the Vocations Mass which our Parish will host in September. Please plan to attend!

#### CARILLON RENOVATION

The repair and renovation of the Cathedral Basilica's Carillon has been completed. Our 23 bell Carillon is one of only 11 Carillon instruments in Canada. The repair and renovation work was carried out by the Verdin Company and included the installation of strike clappers (rather than the bells swinging) and an automated electric strike on 5 bells. This gives us the ability to have a three or five bell peal for festive occasions. A new clavier (Carillon keyboard) was installed along with a shelter to protect the keyboard and the player from the elements. Thanks to the Diocese for their support.



## BISHOP CROSBY'S EASTER MESSAGE

Dear friends in Christ:

At the beginning of our 40 day Lenten journey, we were marked with ashes in the Sign of the Cross – a stark reminder that we are going to die, all of us, sooner or later. Now at the Easter celebrations, those ashes are washed away when we are “soaked” with the same Easter water with which The Elect are baptized! Death no longer has a claim on us. We know that God has the last word – and God’s word for each of us is the same as His word for Jesus, who was crucified, died and laid in the tomb. **LIVE!** And so we do; **WE LIVE – IN HIM!**

**WE LIVE! WE LIVE IN HIM!** And that is what we celebrate this Easter and every Easter! It is why we “pull out all the stops” – the Easter fire, the huge Easter candle (Christ our light!), the many Scripture readings that point us to LIFE, the Easter water (Baptism – new life), the incense, the bells, the flowers – all of our senses are inundated because this message is so very important! **BECAUSE HE LIVES – WE LIVE! WE LIVE FULLY NOW,** and we enjoy the blessed promise that **WE WILL LIVE ETERNALLY WITH HIM THEN!** This is the hope that keeps us focused every day.

So, how do we choose to live? Like Him, we choose to live *for others*; that is the ideal toward which we strive each day, every day, one day at a time! It is what our Lenten discipline has helped us practice. It is expressed in the many small sacrifices we accepted, culminating, perhaps, in our ShareLent offering which supports the unknown poor in faraway places, waiting, longing for, our solidarity and support!

Together now, united in Him, we set out on 50 days of joyous Easter celebration – celebrating LIFE and self-giving LOVE. During these days, our FAITH in Jesus Christ can deepen, our HOPE in the fullness of life with Him can become ever more convinced, and our LOVE for one another, especially those in particular need, can increase!

Happy Easter!

✠ *Douglas Crosby, O.M.I.*

Bishop of Hamilton

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### SUMMER SEMINARIAN ASSIGNMENTS

Bishop Crosby has appointed Mr. David Reitzel, a Seminarian of the Diocese of Hamilton, to the Cathedral Basilica Parish for the summer. David will be ordained a Deacon on June 5<sup>th</sup> at St. Agnes Parish, Waterloo in preparation for Ordination as a Priest next May. Welcome David! Jacob Quinlan has been appointed to live at the Cathedral Rectory while working at Catholic Cemeteries. He is completing his undergraduate degree at Saint Peter’s Seminary, London. Both seminarians will begin their time here in early May.

### FATHER MARTIN VALLELY

Father Martin Valley, Pastor of Saint Francis Xavier Parish in Stoney Creek, has been granted a sabbatical time of study and rest by Bishop Crosby. I have offered him a room at the Cathedral Rectory as “home-base” when he is in Hamilton. Father will move in at the end of June. The other Clergy Personnel Appointments have been announced by Bishop Crosby and take effect at the end of June. The complete list can be found on the Diocesan website – [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com) – please pray for priests taking on new assignments this year.



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