

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*

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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 preauthorized 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 King at the Office of Vocations (905) 528-7988.

Catholic Burial Needs

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

Easter Season	Time	Announced Mass Intention or Celebration	Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, April 30, 2017	9:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
Third Sunday of Easter	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
Acts 2.14-28; 1 Peter 1.17-21; Luke 24.13-34	4:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
Monday, May 1, 2017 Acts 6.8-15; John 6.22-29	No Mass		Father Stainsby
Tuesday, May 2, 2017 St. Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor Acts 7.51-8.1; John 6.30-35	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Anne & Ronald Hall	Father Reilander
Wednesday, May 3, 2017 St. Philip & St. James, Apostles 1 Corinthians 15.1-8; John 14.6-14	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Antonietta Campanelli	Religious of the Sacred Heart of Jesus (R.S.J.C.)
Thursday, May 4, 2017 Acts 8.26-40; John 6.44-51	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Frank Miranda	Father Quarshie
Friday, May 5, 2017 Acts 9.1-20; John 6.52-59	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Angela Cappelli	Father Weise
Saturday, May 6, 2017	11:00 a.m.	Ordination of Priests	Bishop Miehm
Vigil- Fourth Sunday of Easter	3:30 p.m.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	
Acts 2.14-41; 1 Peter 2.20-25; John 10.1-10	4 pm-4:30 pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
	5:00 p.m.	Mass with the intentions of our parishioners	

COLLECTION REPORTS

Easter Sunday, April 16, 2017

Easter (508 env. @ \$39.19 avg)	\$19,908.00
Loose Offerings	\$4,791.00
Stained Glass Windows	\$1,811.00
Share Lent	\$620.00
Good Friday	\$3,784.00
Other	\$20.00
Total	\$30,934.00

Thanks to all who support the Parish with their financial offerings – your contributions assist in the spiritual, pastoral and practical work of the Parish and the upkeep of the Cathedral Basilica.

SEMINARIAN APPOINTMENT

Bishop Crosby has assigned Mr. Grayson Hope to live and work at the Cathedral Parish this Summer. Grayson is no stranger to us and we are very happy to welcome him back. He, and his two classmates, have been called to be ordained Deacons. The Diaconate Ordination will take place here on *Friday, June 23, 2017* at 7:00 p.m. ... all are welcome!

PARISH WEBSITE

We will soon unveil our newly refreshed Parish Website with a new address – ctkbasilica.ca – you can still use the current address as it directs you to the new site. Thanks to Chris Adamcyzk for his assistance and expertise in preparing the site which can be easily managed by our Parish Staff!

WEDDINGS

We are currently accepting weddings for the Spring of 2018. The Cathedral Basilica requires one year's notice of marriage. Please note that there are requirements for marriage preparation in order for couples to be married at the Cathedral Basilica. Couples from outside the Cathedral Parish, and those who are not regularly supporting our Parish with their weekly offerings, are asked to make a donation at the time of "booking" the wedding in lieu of weekly contributions. This donation assists with the upkeep and maintenance of the Cathedral Basilica. For more information visit our Parish website and look under "Sacraments."

BAPTISMS

We are always happy to celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism during our Masses on the first Sunday of each month. Kindly contact the Parish Office at least two months prior to the desired date of Baptism.



ORDINATION

This year 4 young men will be ordained to the priesthood in the Diocese of Hamilton. They are Deacons David Avila, Ross Campbell, Kevin D'Souza and Paul Jamroz. Ordination will take place in the Cathedral Basilica of

Christ the King, Hamilton on Saturday, May 6th at 11:00 a.m. All are welcome to attend this Ordination. We offer our best wishes and prayers to those being ordained and their families as they begin their ministry.

THANK YOU PARISH SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Thanks to our Parish Social Committee, assisted by Sandra Gould, for organizing and hosting our *Parish Wine Tour* – a great day, great fun ... and just enough "wining"!

VOCATIONS

Do you recognize Christ in your life? Does your heart burn in his presence? How are you being called-as a priest, deacon, brother, or sister? If God is calling you to serve him, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 or email mking@hamiltondiocese.com

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON YOUTH RALLY

Registration is now OPEN! Youth in grades 7 to 12 are invited to participate in the Youth Rally taking place at C.Y.O. Camp Brebeuf, Rockwood on Saturday June 3rd, 2017. The day will focus on our theme "All are Welcome". The day will consist of a keynote address, workshops, Celebration of the Eucharist, fellowship and fun! Registration is \$20.00 per person. Please visit http://hamiltondiocese.com/youthrally/ for more details. Individual and group registration will close May 1st, 2017, so register soon!

WALKING FORWARD TOGETHER

Catholic Education Week begins on Sunday April 30th. The Catholic schools in our area will engage in a series of events to celebrate the ongoing gift of publicly- funded Catholic education. You are invited to discover what celebrations are happening in your children's school and if possible attend. This year's theme is, "Walking Forward Together."

DIOCESAN ANNIVERSARY MASS

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th or 60th or more Wedding Anniversary in 2017. If you are you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for the Wedding Anniversary Mass on **Sunday**, **June 25**, **2017** at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 p.m. (*Space allows for Anniversary couples only-those married 60 years or may bring 1 guest if you require assistance*). Please refer to the poster in the tower entrance of the Cathedral Basilica for information and registration for the Mass.

SPRING CEMETERY MEMORIAL MASS

On Saturday, May 27th at 11:00 am, Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, Bishop of Hamilton, will celebrate the Spring Memorial Mass at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Burlington. All are welcome to attend. For more information, please contact the cemetery office at (905) 522-7727, (800) 661-5985, or visit our website at www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca.

CELEBRATING THE BEAUTY OF LIFE

Join St. Martin's Manor for their 6th Annual Tea Party, *Celebrating the Beauty of Life*, on Sunday May 7th at 12:30 in Michelangelo's Banquet Centre located at 1550 Upper Ottawa Street, Hamilton. Tickets cost \$40 each. For more information or to order your tickets call Jennifer at 905-527-3823 ext. 229.

CCAS INFORMATION NIGHT

Do you want to be part of a child's story? Consider Adoption or Fostering with Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton. Join us for our upcoming Adoption & Fostering information night held Thursday May 18th at St. Michael Catholic Elementary School, 135 Hester Street, Hamilton. The session will begin at 7:00 p.m. For more information and to register call megan at 905-525-2012 ext. 3330 or email megan.meredith@hamiltonccas.on.ca



Last week I had the opportunity climb up the scaffold to examine the statues on the South façade of the Cathedral Basilica. These marble statues are in very good condition. They have a very high level of detail and are carved in marble! The statues will receive a light cleaning as needed.

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