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## **WELCOME!**

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*.

## **PASTORAL STAFF**

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

Very Reverend DAVID A. WYNEN, Rector, VF  
Monsignor EDWARD D. SHERIDAN, In Residence  
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## **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday - Closed  
Tuesday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
Friday - 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

## **SUNDAY MASS**

(Saturday) 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

## **RECONCILIATION**

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

## **DAILY MASS**

Tuesday - Friday at 12:00 Noon

## **CARE OF THE SICK**

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

## **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 found in the Tower entrance.

## **VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD**

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

## **CATHOLIC BURIAL NEEDS**

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

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Fourth Week of Easter

*Daily Mass in McNally Hall*

Tuesday, May 2, 2023

Saint Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor

*Acts 11.19-26; John 10.22-30*

8:00 a.m. +John Kowal

Wednesday, May 3, 2023

Saint Philip & Saint James, Apostles

*1 Corinthians 15.1-8; John 14.6-14*

**12:00 Noon** +Helen Osmena

+Rod Yotingco

Thursday, May 4, 2023

*Acts 13.13-25; John 13.16-20*

8:00 a.m. +Hilary Komar

Friday, May 5, 2023

*Acts 13.26-33; John 14.1-6*

8:00 a.m. +Manuel & Maria Cordeiro

Saturday, May 6, 2023

11:00 a.m. Ordination of Priests

4 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Vigil - Fifth Sunday of Easter

Intentions of the Deceased: Elisabeth Hartmann,  
Angela Cappelli, Felix & Bozena Cech, Joe  
Miranda, Santa Romeo, Nicola Evangelista

Sunday, May 7, 2023

Fifth Sunday of Easter

*Acts 6.1-7, 1 Peter 2.4-9; John 14.1-12*

9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. - Intentions of the People

### PRIESTS DON'T GROW ON TREES!

...but, they do grow in families. This Sunday is the *World Day of Prayer for Vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Religious Life*. The world, our Diocese, our Parish needs more Priests! Pray to the Lord of the Harvest that the seeds of vocations may be sown among our young people. These seeds are sown through the prayers, good example of Christian life, and encouragement of **parents, priests, teachers, relatives and friends**. Men and women who feel called to a vocation of ministry and service in the Church are encouraged to reach out to our Diocesan Vocation Director - Father Mark Morley. He can be contacted through our Diocesan website - [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com)

## COLLECTION REPORT

*Sunday, April 9, 2023 - Easter Sunday*

Regular Collection	\$6,840.00
Loose Offerings	\$4,735.50
Easter	\$8,478.50
Good Friday	\$2,328.00
Earthquake Relief	\$100.00
Stained Glass	\$140.00
ShareLent	\$545.00
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	\$ 23,167.00

*Sunday, April 16, 2023*

Regular Collection	\$4,285.00
Loose Offerings	\$1,133.00
Easter	\$410.00
Stained Glass	\$65.00
Other	\$77.00
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	\$ 5,970.00

Thank you for your sacrificial giving which supports the mission of the Cathedral Parish and the upkeep of the Parish complex. If you would like to become an offering envelope user or sign up for *pre-authorized debits* please contact our Parish Office.

## ORDINATION OF PRIESTS

His Excellency, Bishop Crosby will celebrate the Ordination of four new Priests for service in the Diocese of Hamilton on Saturday, May 6, 2023 at 11:00 a.m. All are welcome. Congratulations to the Ordinandi and blessings on their ministry. Ad multos annos!

## CLERGY ASSIGNMENTS

Bishop Crosby recently announced the annual Priest assignments which can be found on the Diocesan website - [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com) Congratulations to the Pastors and Associates who have accepted new assignments which take effect on Wednesday, June 28, 2023.

## RENOVATION UPDATE

Pew re-finishing is nearing completion and once the tile and new broadloom arrive work will begin in the Cathedral ... likely by the end of May.

## MASS INTENTIONS

We offer Masses for specific intentions on weekdays and Saturday 5:00 p.m. You may request a Mass Intention for a minimum offering of \$10. The intention of our Sunday morning Mass is *Missa pro populo* – Mass for the People which the Rector is required by Church law to offer each week. To arrange for a Mass intention, contact our Parish Office. Our weekly Wednesday (12 Noon) and Saturday (5 p.m.) Masses are *multi-intentional* meaning that several intentions can be remembered at these liturgies.

## YOUNG ADULTS

Young Adults Night – May 6, 2023 – Hamilton-Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and early 30s) of our diocese to attend a night of Adoration, Fellowship and Praise Music. Arrival and Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), Social with Food (7:30pm-8:30pm), Praise Night and Vocation Testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on Saturday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, at Canadian Martyrs Catholic Church and Chaplaincy, 1349 Main Street West, Hamilton Ontario. Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. Contact: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com).

## GRIEF RELIEF

Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Join us on Thursdays from 7 – 8:30 p.m. from April 13<sup>th</sup> - May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023 to learn more about what you are feeling and how to gently move forward. You are not alone! This program will be offered online using Zoom. To register, go to [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com) and look under Upcoming Events. For information, call Teresa at 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

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CATHOLIC EDUCATION:

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MANY,  
WE ARE  
ONE**



"We, who are many, are one body  
in Christ, and individually we are  
members, one of another."  
(Romans 12:5)

**Catholic Education: *We are Many, We are One***  
**L'éducation catholique: *À plusieurs, nous sommes un***

The theme for Catholic Education Week 2023 was inspired by the following considerations:

The Church worldwide has embarked on a synodal process, "a synod on synodality," which centres on intentional listening: listening to each other and listening to the Holy Spirit. We have each been asked to actively reach out and listen to the voices and experiences of people where they are at and consider what steps the Holy Spirit is inviting us to take as we walk together. As the Catholic Bishops of Ontario highlighted in *Renewing the Promise*, "It is about taking the time to walk alongside one another, to listen and to teach, and in doing so, to transform."

Ongoing recognition of the Truth & Reconciliation Commission and the importance of Indigenous culture and spirituality as we move forward together.

The Ministry of Education's focus on Inclusion and Equity resonates with all educators and administrators as we desire to serve all of God's children and Pope Francis' encyclical entitled, *Fratelli Tutti*, will guide us in this good work.

The challenges to personal and spiritual well-being posed by the uncertainty of the current global crisis makes the timing and the concerns of Mental Health Week, which takes place during the same week as Catholic Education Week, all the more relevant.



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