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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

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*Bishop of Hamilton*

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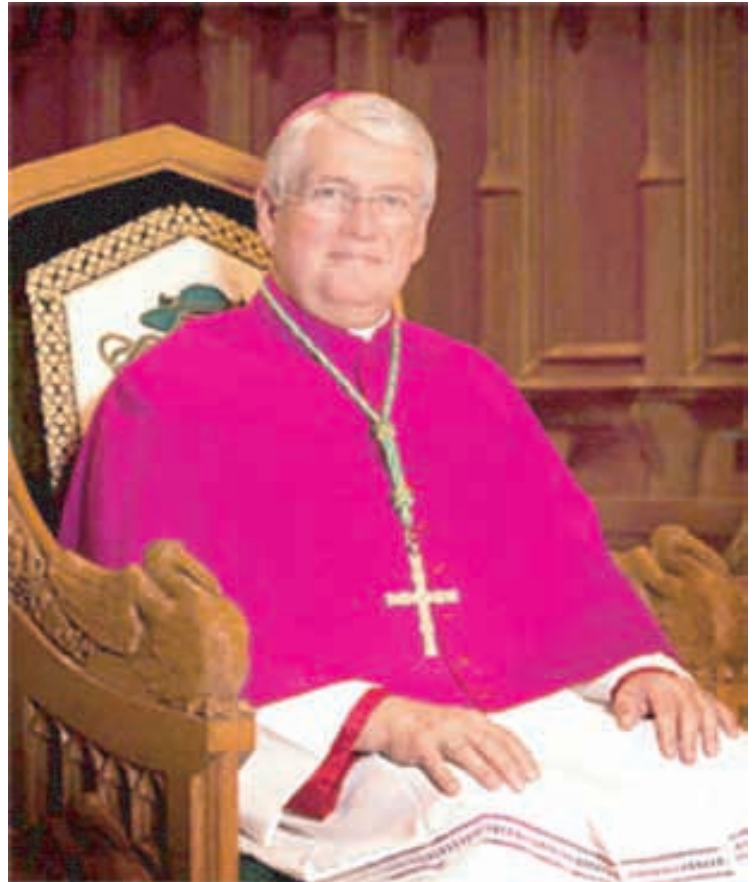
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Tuesday through Thursday

9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

## Care of the Sick

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



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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*.

<b>Sunday, April 20, 2014</b> <i>Resurrection of the Lord</i>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Announced Mass Intention or Celebration</b>	<b>Vocation Prayer Intention</b>
<b>Monday, April 21st, 2014</b> <i>Acts 2.14, 22-33; Matthew 28.8-15</i>			Father Adrian Lee
<b>Tuesday, April 22nd, 2014</b> <i>Acts 2.36-41; John 20.11-18</i>	No Mass		Father Ronald Voisin
<b>Wednesday, April 23rd, 2014</b> <i>Acts 3.1-10; Luke 24.13-35</i>	8:00 a.m.	+ Carolina Infanti Sivilotti	Seminarians of the Diocese
<b>Thursday, April 24th, 2014</b> <i>Acts 3.11-26; Luke 24.35-48</i>	8:00 a.m.	+ Father Robert Walz	Father Duy Nguyen
<b>Friday, April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2014</b> <i>Acts 4.1-12; John 21.1-14</i>	8:00 a.m.	+ Sam Misale	Father Peter Tuyen Nguyen
<b>Saturday, April 26th, 2014</b> Vigil – Second Sunday of Easter <i>Acts 2.42-47; 1 Peter 1.3-9; John 20.19-31</i>	3:30 p.m.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Father Allen Varlaki
	4:00 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
	5:00 p.m.	Parishioners of the Cathedral Basilica	

#### **This week in our Parish ...**

Tuesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2014

6:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus Dinner

Wednesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2014

7:30 p.m. RCIA

Thursday, April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2014

7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

#### **WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT**

*Sunday, April 6<sup>th</sup>, 2014*

Sunday Offering	\$6,287.85
ShareLent Offering	\$4,754.00
Loose Offering	\$1,803.15
Other deposits	\$ 563.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$13,408.00</b>

If you have not yet made your ShareLent contribution you may do so next Sunday. Thank you for your generous support of our Parish community and its mission.

#### **RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS**

Congratulations to our newly Baptized and newly Received members of the Catholic Church. On Sunday, April 27<sup>th</sup> the *Mass for New Catholics* will be celebrated by Bishop Miehm at 4:00 p.m. in the Cathedral Basilica.

#### **SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION**

Our Parish will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation for Grade 7 students enrolled at Canadian Martyrs School and for any other Grade 7 (or 8) students who are parishioners here. The Confirmation celebration will take place on **Sunday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2014** at the **4:00 p.m.** Mass. Bishop Crosby will confer the Sacrament.

#### **THANK YOU!**

Thanks to all who helped make our celebrations of Holy Week and Easter so beautiful and meaningful here. Special thanks to our Choirs under the direction of Robert Corso; the Altar Servers; Ministers of the Word and Holy Communion; Ministers of Hospitality; our RCIA Team; and Sandra Gould and Sister Lena for decorating the Cathedral. Thanks also to Sandor Kollarich and Lukas Lamanes for their hard work this past week.

Thanks also to His Excellency Bishop Crosby for leading us through these days and to Monsignor Kroetsch for his presence. We have also hosted several Seminarians of the Diocese including Deacon David Walter who will be ordained a couple of weeks. Thanks to all! Happy Easter!

#### **RECEPTION OF FIRST COMMUNION**

Our Parish's 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Mass will be celebrated on **Sunday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>** at the **11:00 a.m.** Mass. On that day the Church celebrates the *Feast of Corpus Christi* – the Body and Blood of the Lord. This is for children in Grade 2 (or older) who have not yet made their 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion. Registration forms are available on our Parish's website. A series of parent/child meetings will begin in May.

#### **GETTING MARRIED?**

Couples who wish to be married at the Cathedral Basilica should contact our Parish Office or visit us online ([www.christthekingcathedral.org](http://www.christthekingcathedral.org)). Please note that we are now arranging weddings for the Spring of 2015. Our Parish requires one year's notice of marriage. Non-parishioners may only be married here with the co-operation and assistance of their own Pastor.

## From the Rector ...

Dear Friends,

On this Easter morning we have the privilege of gathering for the celebration of the Eucharist in which we hear the Good News of Jesus Christ – Risen from the dead! Our hearts swell with *Alleluia* as we sing of His triumph over sin and death. For the next 50 days we offer praise and thanks to God for the gift of new life.

Today, in union with Catholics throughout the world, we renew our *baptismal promises*. This renewal is not simply about responding to questions ... as much as it is a response to a way of life. We re-commit ourselves, through these promises, to be disciples of the Risen Lord. Our mission is to proclaim the Good News of Jesus' victory over sin and death as a life-changing reality for us and our world.

May this Easter Season be a time of renewal and joy for you and your family. Let us pray that the Risen Lord will touch the hearts of all who gather here today and strengthen them in holiness and love. Each week we gather to celebrate the Eucharist and to offer our praise and thanks to the Father of mercy through His Son Jesus Christ. Join us again and continue to experience the reality that there is nothing more beautiful than knowing Jesus Christ and living as disciple!

Next Sunday the whole Church rejoices as two very important figures are raised to the dignity of the Altar as they are canonized Saints. John XXIII (Pope from 1958 until 1963) and John Paul II (1978 – 2005) will be canonized at ceremonies in Saint Peter's Square by Pope Francis. May these new Saints, together with all the Saints, intercede for us and show us the way to holiness.

As the long winter fades into our memories, and the joy and anticipation of Spring dawns, may we also experience a new birth of the Holy Spirit's life within us and our community.

Be assured of the prayerful good wishes of the Cathedral Staff during on this Easter Sunday and throughout the year.

Christ is Risen ... Truly He is Risen!

In the Risen Lord,

*Father David Wymen*

Rector

## 25<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF BISHOP DANIEL MIEHM

Our Auxiliary Bishop, the Most Reverend Daniel J. Miehms will celebrate the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Priestly Ordination in 2014. It is our pleasure to host a Mass of Thanksgiving for him on **Sunday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2014 at 11:00 a.m.** All are welcome to join His Excellency and his family for this milestone celebration.

### UPCOMING EVENTS & CELEBRATIONS

Please note these upcoming events and celebrations at the Cathedral Basilica:

Mass for New Catholics	April 27 <sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m.
Priestly Ordination	May 3 <sup>rd</sup> at 11:00 a.m.
Bishop Miehms's 25 <sup>th</sup>	May 4 <sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m.
Mother's Day Breakfast	May 11 <sup>th</sup> after Masses
Altar Servers Awards	May 14 <sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m.
Volunteer Appreciation	May 21 <sup>st</sup> at 7:00 p.m.
Councils' BBQ	May 24 <sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.
Wedding Anniversary Mass	May 25 <sup>th</sup> at 1:30 p.m.

### MARRIAGE TIP FOR APRIL

Our marriages are supposed to reflect, through our love for each other, how much God loves each person. Showing this Godly love can sometimes be a challenge, especially when our human selves are less than perfect! When we set our minds to consciously changing how we act, we can do better. Pope Francis encourages us to, "Set your stakes on great ideals, the ideals that enlarge the heart, the ideals of service that makes your talents fruitful...do not be afraid to dream great things!" Dream great things for your marriage and your love will flourish as God intended!

(From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)

### PARENTING TIP FOR APRIL

Easter is a wonderful time to help our children understand the power of love and forgiveness, shown to us by the death and Resurrection of Christ. As children of God they too are called to love others, especially their family members, and to offer forgiveness when someone hurts or offends them. Remind them that Easter teaches us to remember that when difficulties come into our lives, as they will, we must have faith that life will get better. The message of Easter, through the Resurrection, is that with faith and prayer, life's crosses can be overcome. A wonderful message for every child to understand!

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### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Join us in the Cathedral Basilica on Saturdays 3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. for this time of quiet prayer in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.



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