

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

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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 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.

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5th Week Ordinary Time	Time	Announced Mass Intention or Celebration	Vocation Prayer Intention	
Sunday, February 7, 2016	9:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist		
5th Sunday Ordinary Time	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist		
Isaiah 6.1-8; 1 Corinth 15.1-14; Luke 5.1-11	4:00 p.m	Sunday Eucharist		
Monday, February 8, 2016 1 Kings 8.1-13; Mark 6.53-56	No Mass		Father Bergsma	
Tuesday, February 9, 2016	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of		
1 Kings 8.22-30; Mark 7.1-13		+Joan Purkiss	Father Boucher	
	7:00 p.m.	Tenor/Bass Rehearsal (Choir Room)		
Wednesday, February 10, 2016	8:00 a.m.		D 11: E 41	
ASH WEDNESDAY	12:00 p.m.		Basilian Fathers (C.S.B.)	
Joel 2.12-18; 2 Cor. 5.20-6.2; Matt. 6.1-18	7:00 p.m.			
Thursday, February 11, 2016	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of	Father Nwatu	
Deuteronomy 30.15-20; Luke 9.22-25	8:00 a.m.	+Elena Rao		
World Day of Prayer for the Sick	7:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal		
Friday, February 12, 2016	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of		
Isaiah 58.1-9; Matthew 9.14-15	8:00 a.m.	+Teresa Morena	Msgr. Sheridan	
	7:00 p.m.	Stations of the Cross		
Saturday, February 13, 2016	3:30 p.m.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Father O'Dell, O.M.I.	
Vigil- First Sunday of Lent	4:00 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation		
Deuter. 26.4-10; Rom. 10.8-13; Luke 4.1-13	5:00 p.m.	Mass with the intentions of		
		+Des O'Neil		
		+Varna Lucchesi		
		+Frank Battaglia		
		+Sarah Allen		
		+Albino Lopes and Mason Shaw		
		+Sam Di Tomaso		

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, January 24, 2016

Regular Offerings (309 env. @ \$17.73 avg) \$5,479.41 Loose Offerings \$3,066.59 **Total** \$8,546.00

Thank you for your generous contributions of time, talent and treasure which all help to build up our Parish community.

DAILY MASS IN LENT

During the Season of Lent we will be adjusting our Daily Mass schedule ... join us for Mass through the week ...

Tuesday 8:00 a.m. Marian Chapel
Wednesday 8:00 a.m. Marian Chapel
12 Noon Cathedral Basilica
Thursday 8:00 a.m. Marian Chapel
Friday 8:00 a.m. Marian Chapel

Note: The Monday 8:00 a.m. and Wednesday 12 Noon Masses will be celebrated during the Season of Lent ... the Wednesday 12 Noon will be a "multi-intentional Mass."

ASH WEDNESDAY

Wednesday, February 10th, 2016

The Season of Lent begins with the mark of ashes – from last year's Palm Sunday – a reminder to us of our mortality and an invitiation to respond to the call of the Gospel.

On Ash Wednesday three Masses will be offered with the imposition of ashes:

> 8:00 a.m. 12:00 Noon (Bishop Miehm) 7:00 p.m. (Bishop Crosby)

The Masses will be celebrated in the Cathedral Basilica. Ash Wednesday is a day of abstinence from meat for all Catholics, and a day of fasting for those in good health who are between the ages of 14 and 59 years.

LENTEN RETREAT 2016

Join us for our Lenten Reflection Series on the *Return* of the *Prodigal*, a book by the late Father Henri Nouwen. Father Joseph de Viveiros will facilitate these sessions in McNally Hall beginning on

Wednesday, February 17th and continuing through Lent.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

We will pray the Stations of the Cross publicly on the Fridays of the Season of Lent at 7:00 p.m.

160th ANNIVERSARY OF THE DIOCESE

Archbishop Luigi Bonazzi, Apotolic Nuncio to Canada, will join us on Sunday, February 28th for the celebration of our Diocese's 160th Anniversary. He will preach at the 11:00 a.m. Mass that day. All are welcome.



YEAR OF MERCY PILGRIM SUNDAY

We will welcome pilgrims who wish to enter the *Door of Mercy* on **Sunday**, **February 21** at 2:00 p.m. we will begin with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament; the *Divine Mercy Chaplet* will be prayed at 3:00 p.m. concluding with Benediction. Pilgrims may wish to stay for the 4 p.m. Mass that day.

The Name of God is Mercy - Parish Book Club

Pope Francis has published a new book for the Year of Mercy entitled *The Name of God is Mercy*. We are planning a "book club" to meet, read and reflect on this book. Sessions will be held on Mondays, April 4, 11, 18, and 25 at 7:00 p.m. Registration will be required and will take place in March. The Pope's book will be available for \$20.

SACRAMENT OF FIRST EUCHARIST

Parents of children in Grade 2 or older, who attend the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, and would like their child to celebrate First Eucharist here in the parish, should contact Sandra Gould in the Parish office. Catechetical sessions will be held following the 9:00 a.m. Mass on April 17, 24, May 1 and May 8th. The celebration of First Eucharist will take place on Saturday May 14th at the 5:00 p.m. Mass.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Young people in Grade 7, who attend the Cathedral Basilica Parish, are most welcome to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation in our Parish Community. Bishop Crosby will confer the Sacrament on *Pentecost Sunday* – May 15, 2016. Please contact the Parish Office for an information form and details.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Couples celebrating 25, 40, 50, 60 or 60+ years of marriage in 2016 are welcome to join Bishop Crosby for the *Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass* on **Sunday, May 29, 2016** at **1:30 p.m.** Seating is limited so sign up soon by registering online at www.hamiltondiocese.com or visit the Parish Office for a registration form.

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in March 2016 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

IS GOD CALLING YOU?

Do not be afraid. If the Lord is calling you to the priesthood or consecrated life, do not be afraid. Jesus calls and will give you the grace to respond wholeheartedly. If you feel God's call to the priesthood or consecrated life. Visit www.HamiltonVocations.com

SERRA CLUB DINNER

Join the Serra Club of Hamilton, on Tuesday April 26, at Liuna Station, as we celebrate 50 years of service by men and women in the Consecrated Life and anniversaries of Priestly Ordination. For details contact Margaret Carreiro 905-628-5682 or visit: celebrationprl.wix.com/dinner

ILLUMINATING HEARTS AND MINDS

Join us on Friday February 12, for the next St. Jerome's University 150th Anniversary Lecture, "Laudato Si': A New Call for Catholic Social Action." Having been present at the COP21 talks in Paris, Dr. Margaret Archer, President of the Pontifical Academy of Social Sciences, will examine the impact of Pope Francis' call to all members of the church, including those working at the Vatican, to become more directly involved with, and for, the poorest in our world. The location is C.L. Siegfried Hall, St. Jerome's University, beginning at 7:30 with doors opening at 6:45. The event is free of charge. No registration required. The Hall is wheelchair accessible. Refreshments will be served.

C.Y.O. CELEBRITY DINNER FUNDRAISER

The Catholic Youth Organization of the Diocese of Hamilton is hosting our 31st Annual Children's Fundraiser on Thursday February 25, 2016. At the Hamilton Convention Centre. Tickets \$125.00. Contact Mel Leggat at 905-528-0011 ext. 3608

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