



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 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 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.

Sixth Week in Ordinary Time	Time	Announced Mass Intention or Celebration	Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday February 12, 2017 <i>Sixth Sunday Ordinary Time</i> <i>Sirach 15.15-20; 1 Cor. 2.6-10; Matt. 5.17-37</i>	9:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	4:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
Monday, February 13, 2017 <i>Genesis 4.1-25; Mark 8.11-13</i>	No Mass		Father Zaryczny, C.R.
Tuesday, February 14, 2017 <i>St. Cyril, Monk & St. Methodius, Bishop</i> <i>Genesis 6.5-10; Mark 8.14-21</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Maria Ubaldi	Father McGrath
Wednesday, February 15, 2017 <i>Genesis 8.6-22; Mark 8.22-26</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of + Milovan Milijasevic	Eudiste Fathers (C.J.M.)
Thursday, February 16, 2017 <i>Genesis 9.1-13; Mark 8.27-33</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Toni Giammicheli	Father Grubisic, O.F.M.
Friday, February 17, 2017 <i>Genesis 11.1-9; Mark 8.34-9.1</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Vincenzo Carbone	Father Perrin
Saturday, February 18, 2017 <i>Vigil- Seventh Sunday Ordinary Time</i> <i>Levit. 19.1-18; 1 Cor. 3.16-23; Matt. 5.38-48</i>	3:30 p.m.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Father de Viveiros, C.R.
	4:00 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
	5:00 p.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Frank Giovinazzo +Maria Teresa Silvestro + Deceased Tropiano Family +Kimberly Anne Sergi Tedesco +David Arnott +Dee Thornton +Josef Leuser	

COLLECTION REPORTS

Sunday, January 29, 2017

Regular (242 env. @ \$19.01 avg)	\$4,601.00
Loose Offerings	\$1,685.50
Others	\$35.00
Total	\$6,321.50

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.

STAINED GLASS COLLECTION

The Stained Glass Restoration Collection will be taken up today.

A MIGHTY BIG THANKS!

Our Parish Pasta Supper was held on Saturday evening. Thanks to all who came out to support this wonderful annual event. Thanks also to the *Parish Social Committee* for organizing the evening, the volunteers for the set up and serving, the cooks who prepared a scrumptious meal. Thanks also to the various businesses and individuals who donated prizes for raffles and auctions – it was a grand night!

COUNTDOWN TO LENT

The *Season of Lent* begins March 1. Lent is annual Season of self-denial and renewal. Through our sacrifices of fasting, almsgiving and prayer we seek to grow more deeply in our relationship with the Lord and with one another. What are you giving up for Lent, and what are you taking on? We fast so that we might hunger for the Lord; we are charitable so that we might spend ourselves for God; we pray to unite ourselves with Him each day.

CATHOLIC UPDATE

Adults who would like to learn more about their Catholic faith are welcome to join us on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in McNally Hall. This week we will reflect on living a moral life. The sessions are 90 minutes and have the added benefit of journeying with those who are preparing to become Catholics at the Easter Vigil.

BUY A PIECE OF THE CATHEDRAL!

A limited number of 4x6 pieces of copper from the original 1933 roof are available for sale. Each piece is embossed with an image of the Cathedral. Each framed piece is \$100.00 – order forms are available in the Tower entrance of the Cathedral or on our Parish's website.

COUNCIL MEETINGS

The *Pastoral Council* and the *Finance Council* met these past couple of weeks. Both Councils offer sound advice and assistance to the Pastoral Team. The Finance Council approved the 2016 Financial Report and 2017 Budget. The annual Spiritual & Financial Report for 2016 will be available for Parishioners in the coming weeks.

PARISH WINE TOUR

Join us on Sunday, April 23rd for a fun day exploring two of Ontario's finest wineries. We will have a full tour and tasting at Peller Estates Winery and a visit to Inniskillin Winery, followed by some free time in Niagara Falls, where you can enjoy a walk, have some dinner or try your luck at the Casino. The day is open to Parishioners only, who are 19 years of age or older. The cost is \$40 per person, and includes a bagged lunch, wine tour, and bus fee. We will leave the Cathedral at Noon and return at 8:00 p.m. Sign up and payment will take place after all the Masses on the weekends of March 5th and 12th. For more information, please contact Sandra in the parish office or email basilicaassociate@hamiltondiocese.com



CWL AT THE CATHEDRAL

We had a very good session on Sunday, January 22nd. Thanks to all for supporting the potluck lunch.

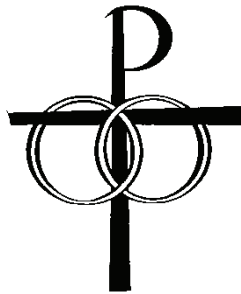
Our next session on **Sunday, February 26** (following the 11 a.m. Mass) will focus on the Executive's "job descriptions." Our hope is to have a new Executive functioning by June 2017. Join us!

ST JOHN'S BIBLE – *Book of Revelation*

His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto will join us on **Sunday, February 26 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King for the reception of the Book of Revelation volume. Evening Prayer will begin at 7 p.m. followed by the Cardinal's talk. All are welcome!

VOCATIONS

"You are the light of the world". Are you willing to let your light shine as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 or email mking@hamiltondiocese.com



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.

PERSONS SEPARATED AND DIVORCED

Learning to Cope (Level 1) is a ten week support program starting February 28(7:00 to 9:30 p.m.) at the Chancery Office, 700 King Street West. The program is for persons experiencing difficulties as a result of a separation or divorce. For more information please contact the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249. Cost: \$35. Past participants are welcome to inquire about further Levels programs starting the same week.

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

This past week our contractors have been busy removing the scaffold around the North face of the Cathedral Basilica and they have begun the West side. Roofing on the lower East side and most of the lower West side is nearly completed. The upper roof is complete, except for the area around the tower scaffold. Newly installed lightning protection and heat tracing is completed. At the beginning of March work will begin on scaffolding the South face (main entrance of the Cathedral Basilica). Stone work on the tower and South face commence at the beginning of April. Thanks to all for your patience as this work continues. We anticipate completion later this Fall.

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