

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.

Eighth Week in Ordinary Time	Time	Announced Mass Intention or Celebration	Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday February 26, 2017 <i>8th Sunday Ordinary Time</i> <i>Isaiah 49.14-15; 1 Cor. 4.1-5; Matt. 6.24-34</i>	9:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	4:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
Monday, February 27, 2017 <i>Sirach 17.24-29; Mark 10.17-27</i>	No Mass		Father Nguyen
Tuesday, February 28, 2017 <i>Sirach 35.1-12; Mark 10.28-31</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Nellie Martin	Father Hubilla
	7:00 p.m.	Confirmation for Sts Peter & Paul Parish	
Wednesday, March 1, 2017 <i>Ash Wednesday</i> <i>Joel 2.12-18; 2 Cor. 5.20-62; Matt. 6.1-18</i>	8:00 a.m.	Ashes imposed at each Mass offered for the intentions of Cathedral Parishioners	Ash Wednesday
	12:00 p.m.		
	7:00 p.m.		
Thursday, March 2, 2017 <i>Deuter. 30.15-20; Luke 9.22-25</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Delmar Buskey	Father Meyer
Friday, March 3, 2017 <i>Isaiah 58.9-14; Luke 5.27-32</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Michael Cusick	Father Petrie
	7:00 p.m.	Stations of the Cross	
Saturday, March 4, 2017 <i>Vigil- Ninth Sunday Ordinary Time</i> <i>Genesis 2.7-3.1-17; Rom. 5.12-19; Matt. 4.1-11</i>	3:30 p.m.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Father Selvanayagam
	3:30 - 4:30	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
	5:00 p.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Robert & Patricia Bell +Deceased Sergi & Ielasi Family + Vincenzo Carbone +Luciana Di Felici +Grazia Criminisi +Giuseppe Piccini	

COLLECTION REPORTS

Sunday, February 12, 2017

Regular (206 env. @ \$20.13 avg)	\$4,147.50
Loose Offerings	\$1,325.50
Seminary	\$712.00
Cathedral Charities	\$20.00
Total	\$8,395.00

CATHEDRAL CHARITIES collection will be taken up today at all the Masses. Thank you for your generosity!

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, contact Sandra in the parish office or email basilicaassociate@hamiltondiocese.com

Reserve your spot early as space is limited!

ST JOHN'S BIBLE – *Book of Revelation*

His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto will join us this **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!

LENTEN RETREAT

Join us each **Wednesday** in Lent at **7:00 p.m.**, for our Parish's Lenten Retreat with the St. John's Bible, in the **McNally Hall**. Illuminations from this extraordinary work will be used to highlight our reflection on the Gospels of this Lenten Season. Our first reflection will begin, on **Wednesday March 8**, "the Transfiguration" with Anne Jamieson, in the McNally Hall.

SEASON OF LENT

ASH WEDNESDAY – March 1st, 2017

Masses with the imposition of ashes will be celebrated in the Cathedral Basilica:

8:00 a.m. – Father Wynen
12:00 Noon – Bishop Miehm
7:00 p.m. – Bishop Crosby

FASTING & ABSTAINING IN LENT

Catholics often “give up” something they like – junk food, alcohol, TV, etc – for the 40 days of Lent – including Sundays.

ABSTAINING FROM MEAT

Catholics (14 years of age and older) are called to maintain a penitential character of Lent by abstaining from eating meat on *Ash Wednesday*, *Good Friday*, and *Fridays in Lent*.

FASTING FROM FOOD

The law of fasting includes Catholics from 18 to 59 years of age (in good health). We are bound to fast on *Ash Wednesday* and *Good Friday*. The fast may be as simple as reducing our food intake by 1/3 or 2/3 on these days.

DAILY MASS IN LENT

Tuesday through Friday at 8:00 a.m. in the Marian Chapel (Cathedral basement)
Wednesdays in Lent at 12:00 Noon in the Cathedral Basilica

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Join us for this traditional devotion each Friday in Lent at 7:00 p.m.

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION) IN LENT

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered on Saturdays from 3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. A day of Confessions is scheduled for Saturday, March 25 beginning with Mass at 8:30 a.m.; Confessions from after Mass until 4:30 p.m.

This Lent let us take on penitential actions of *prayer, fasting, and works of charity* so that we may grow in our love of God and service of neighbour. Please remember the *Development and Peace ShareLent* collection which will be taken on Sunday, April 2nd. You may wish to consider \$1/day in Lent as an offering for ShareLent which assists our brothers and sisters in the developing world.

VOLUNTEER HOURS OPPORTUNITY

We will be conducting a “count” of parishioners at Sunday Mass on weekends in April, May and June as part of a Diocesan-wide survey. High School students may wish to volunteer for this task as a way to earn some “volunteer hours”. Contact Father Wynen for more details.

WELCOME STS PETER & PAUL PARISH

For the Sacrament of Confirmation with Bishop Crosby on Tuesday evening at 7:00 p.m. in the Cathedral Basilica.

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.

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