

Cathedral of Christ the King

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**Most Reverend D. D. Crosby, OMI, D.D.
Ninth Bishop of Hamilton**

Rector

Reverend Monsignor Edward House

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Thursday: 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

Our Lord's Day Liturgies

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.

Confession

Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

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New Parishioners - Welcome! Please introduce Yourself to the Rector and complete a Registration Form found in the book rack.

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YEAR OF FAITH 2012
2013

In his Apostolic Letter, *"Porta Fidei"*, Pope Benedict XVI announced a *YEAR OF FAITH* which began on October 11, 2012, the fiftieth anniversary of the opening of the Second Vatican Council. The Year of Faith will end on the Solemnity of Christ the King, November 24, 2013. Pope Benedict hopes that the Year of Faith will "help Catholics appreciate the gift of Faith, deepen their relationship with God and strengthen their common faith with others." This year of Faith is meant to turn us once again to our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, to rediscover our faith and to encourage us to inspire others. Catholics throughout the world and in the Diocese of Hamilton are being given a special opportunity to be renewed in faith, hope and love.

"Rediscovering the Joy" is the underlying theme of the year of Faith. There are six themes that will be promoted in the Year of Faith: The Faith We Believe (Focus on the Creed) October-November; The Faith we Live (Focus on Faith in Action), December-January; The Faith We profess (Focus on Easter) February-March, 2013; The Faith We Celebrate (Focus on Sacraments) April-June, 2013; The Faith We Savor (Focus on Rest & Reflection) July-August, The Faith We Share (Focus on Evangelization) September-November, 2013.

Be sure to get a copy of the Diocesan Booklet "The Faith We Believe - Unpacking the Creed".



WELCOME TO THE CATHEDRAL OF CHRIST THE KING

We welcome our parishioners and visitors of the Cathedral of Christ the King.



(8:00 a.m. in the Marian Chapel)

Tuesday, February 5	Intention Msgr. Bill O'Brien
Wednesday, February 6	Rosaria Scibetta
Thursday, February 7	Intention Ruth Chisholm
Friday, February 8	Helen Dillon Intention Fr. Myroniuk Maruge – Teresa Sergi Angela Morena
Saturday – 5:00 p.m.	Francesco Cotroneo Rocco Romeo - Teresa Romeo Dominic Musitano - Joe Spano

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Bishop Douglas Crosby will celebrate the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 2, 2013 at 1:30 p.m. in the Cathedral of Christ the King. Attached to the poster on our bulletin board is a tear-off sheet which a couple must complete and mail to the Family Ministry Office, 700 King Street West, Hamilton, Ontario, L8P 1C7. You also have the option to register on-line at www.hamiltondiocese.com.

PANCAKE DINNER AND AUCTION!

Once again the Catholic Women's League will be hosting its Pancake Dinner and Auction. There will be lots of food: pancakes, eggs, sausages, fresh fruit and pies! **Advance tickets only** (\$8 – Adult - \$5 – children 8 yrs. and under). **Don't miss it – Tuesday, February 12 in the Cathedral Auditorium – doors open at 5:30 p.m.** Tickets are available after weekend Mass.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Monday	Rev. Archange Kebe
Tuesday	Rev. Michael King
Wednesday	Soeurs de Sacre-Coeur de Jesus (S.S.C.J.)
Thursday	Rev. Brendan McGrath
Friday	Rev. Audrius Sarka
Saturday	Rev. Hanh Tran (O.M.I.)

HAMILTON BULLDOGS

The Hamilton Bulldogs AHL Hockey Club are hosting a Faith Day game on February 18, 2013 vs. the Rochester Americans at 3:00 p.m. at Copps Coliseum. Individuals are invited to attend the game at a discounted price of \$14.00. There will be a group prayer following the game, as well as a representative from Hockey Ministries International on hand. Please contact Garrett Chisholme at (905) 546-8182 or by e-mail at garett.chisholme@hamiltonbulldogs.com for further details.

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 3, 2013

Jeremiah 1:4-5; 1 Corinthians 12:31; Luke 4:21



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In his hometown synagogue, Jesus' neighbors are amazed by his words. Nevertheless, they remind each other, "Is this not Joseph's son?" Surely the people know who he is. The carpenter's son? The young man who had learned in this very synagogue. The boy down the street? Conflict arises as Jesus begins to define himself in a new way. When he compares himself to the ancient prophets Elijah and Elisha the tensions grow. The tensions multiply when Jesus begins to tell of a new mission for God's people: the good news of the scriptures is intended for all. In his famous passage from the First Letter to the Corinthians, St. Paul reminds us of the eternal nature of love. Love does not come to an end. In today's readings, we are reminded that, like love, Jesus' mission cannot be contained. Jesus slips through the crowd of persecutors and moves on to new challenges. We are called to this same perseverance in the name of love.

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RETRouvaille

Married Singles Lifestyle – The Married Singles Lifestyle describes couples that may have lost a sense of closeness they once had as marriage partners and are living more like roommates. Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) teaches couples how to survive times like these in their marriages. This program has helped thousands of couples experiencing difficulty at all levels of marital distress. For confidential information about, or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on **March 15 – 17, 2013**, in **Niagara Falls**, please call (905)664-5212 or e-mail retrouvaille.hamilton@cogeco.ca or visit the web site at www.retrouvaille.org.

DR. MOIRA MCQUEEN, LLB., MDiv, PhD

As part of our Year of Faith, Dr. Moira McQueen, Executive Director, Canadian Catholic Bioethics Institute, will make a presentation on "Some Current Topics in Bioethics from a Catholic Perspective" at the **Cathedral of Christ The King on Monday, February 25 at 7:00 p.m. in the Cathedral Auditorium.** Dr. McQueen graduated in Law from the University of Glasgow, Scotland, and worked as a lawyer for several years, specializing in family law and juvenile court. After her Master of Divinity Degree from the Faculty of Theology, University of St. Michael's College, she earned a PhD in moral theology. She has been a professor of moral theology at the Faculty of Theology since 1994 and has written and co-authored several articles and book chapters in bioethics, fundamental ethics, sexual ethics and other areas. Her book, *Bioethics Matters*, was published by Novalis in 2008. Dr. McQueen was appointed Executive Director of the Canadian Catholic Bioethics Institute in 2004. She is consulted regularly by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops.

TIME FOR TWO: GROWING IN LOVE

Do you ever wish you had more time as a couple? Are you surprised at how fast the days and months fly by? Do you wish you could take some time as a couple? ***Then this is the weekend for you!*** Rediscover the spark that was there on your wedding day! Rediscover the best friend you have had since you were married? Give yourselves a private weekend away and discover each other anew. This may well be the most valuable two days you will spend together as a couple – enrich your love and knowledge of each other! For information about the Marriage Encounter/Enrichment weekend on **March 23/24 at Canterbury Hills in Ancaster**, call the Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988, ext. 2249, fax us at (905) 528-1088, or send an e-mail to familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com.

FRENCH IMMERSION

Register your child for French Immersion in the Hamilton-Wentworth Catholic District School Board at Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Elementary, 49 Fennell Avenue East (905) 383-4911. Parent Information Night will be Monday, February 4 at 6:00 p.m. Registration by appt. February 19-22 and February 25-28. Please contact the school for further details.

VALENTINE DINNER DANCE

Canadian Martyrs (38 Emerson) will be hosting a Valentine Dinner Dance on Saturday, February 9 at 6:30 p.m. in the parish hall. Hot/cold buffet, silent auction - \$30.00 per person. Call (905) 626-6023 for further details.

Birthright

Giving hope at Birthright means finding a way to bridge the gap between the fear people feel when they face an unplanned pregnancy and the hope they find when their needs are met. Offering free pregnancy tests, counseling and many other services, they help those facing a pregnancy say "yes" to life. Can you help them reach out to them in their time of need by becoming a volunteer? If so, please call Birthright at (905) 527-3677 and ask for Eva.

C.Y.O. CHILDREN'S FUNDRAISER



On Thursday, February 28, 2013, the C.Y.O. will be celebrating another wonderful milestone – the 50th Anniversary of Camp Marydale. Since 1963, Camp Marydale and its mission to serve inner city children, has evolved to meet the changing needs of our community and the children we serve. For subsidized camp registration fees, no charge bus transportation, to accessible programs and services for children with special needs, Camp Marydale has been a leader in breaking down barriers – whether they are physical, behavioural, or even financial – because every child deserves to play! Please help us celebrate another wonderful milestone in our agency's 54 year history by purchasing tickets to an evening of good food, good friends and great entertainment – all for a great cause. We are also pleased to announce that Bishop Douglas Crosby, Diocese of Hamilton, will be in attendance to bring greetings from the Diocese and to say grace. For tickets, or if you would like to sponsor a "One-to-One" child, please contact Mel Leggat at (905) 528-0011, ext. 3608 or visit mel.leggat@cyo.on.ca or www.cyo.on.ca. Thank you for your kind support on behalf of all the children this fundraiser supports.

PILGRIMAGE TO HOLY LAND & JORDAN

Celebrate the Year of Faith in the Land of the Bible – join us where it all began! St. Joseph's Parish (Hamilton) is organizing a pilgrimage to Israel and Jordan from April 27 to May 7, 2013. For further details, please contact Fr. Michal Kruszewski, CR at: fr.michal.cr@gmail.com, or Melanie (Boreal Tours) at: mel@borealtours.com or call 1-877-271-1230, ext. 27 (toll free). Cost \$3,100. Deadline to register is February 15, 2013. Hope you can join us on this inspiring journey of faith!

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