

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

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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 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 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.

Third Week in Ordinary Time	Time	Announced Mass Intention or Celebration	Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, January 22, 2017	9:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
Third Sunday Ordinary Time Isaiah 9.1-4; 1 Cor. 1.10-18; Matt. 4.12-23	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	4:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
Monday, January 23, 2017 Hebrews 9.15-28; Mark 3.22-30	No Mass		Father D'Souza, O.C.D.
Tuesday, January 24, 2017 St. Francis DeSales, Bishop, Doctor Hebrews 10.1-10; Mark 3.31-35	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Fr. Neil Haight	Father Parent, O.F.M.
Wednesday, January 25, 2017 Conversion of St. Paul Acts 22.3-16; Mark 16.15-18	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of + Emily Cussen	Order of Preachers (Dominicans)
Thursday, January 26, 2017 St. Timothy & St. Titus, Bishops 2 Timothy 1.1-8; Luke 10.1-9	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Joseph Nguyen	Father Baranowski
Friday, January 27, 2017 Hebrews 10.32-39; Mark 4.26-34	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of Hilary Komar	Father Quigley, M.C.C.J.
Saturday, January 28, 2017	3:30 p.m.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	
Vigil- Fourth Sunday Ordinary Time	4:00 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation	Father Degblor, M.C.C.J.
Zeph. 2.3-3.13; 1 Cor. 1.26-31; Matt. 5.1-12	5:00 p.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Geraldine Copps +Raffaele Del Monaco +Isabel Scozzaro +Domenico & Rosa Sergi +Norma Shivak	

COLLECTION REPORTS

Sunday, January 8, 2017

Regular (316 env. @ \$26.82 avg)	\$8,476.15
Loose Offerings	\$1,942.85
Stained Glass	\$3,841.00
Total	\$14,260,00

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.

OFFERING ENVELOPES

If you haven't picked up your box of 2017 Sunday Offering envelopes you'll find it between the King Street doors. If you'd like to become an Offering Envelope user please complete a Parish Registration form found in the Tower entrance.

PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBITS

Pre-authorized bank debits provide consistent monthly offerings to the Parish. If you'd like to sign up – brochures are in the Tower entrance.

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 watch Father Barron's excellent video on *the Eucharist*. 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.

GIFT BEARERS AT SUNDAY MASS

If you and your family would like to present the gifts of bread and wine at Mass, please let one of the ushers know and they will assist you.

DAILY MASS

Want to journey more closely with the Lord? Daily Mass is a wonderful way to begin the journey each day. Mass is celebrated at 8 a.m. in the Marian Chapel – Tuesday through Friday each week.

EUTHANASIA & ASSISTED DEATH ...

Did you know? The Government of Canada passed legislation in June 2016, legalizing euthanasia/assisted suicide. Despite wording intended to protect doctors and facilities, Ontario is forcing health care workers to arrange for the killing of their patients. No other country does this. Provinces across Canada do not do this. Yet, Ontario refuses to protect doctors and facilities that object to ending the life of their patients. Please visit www.canadiansforconscience.ca to learn more and write directly to the Ontario Government.

Dr. Moira McQueen, of the Canadian Catholic Bioethics Institute (and member of the Cathedral Parish) will offer a presentation and Q&A on this matter on **Sunday**, **January 29** following the 11 a.m. Mass – in McNally Hall – light lunch provided.

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS

Our Parish's extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion met for a workshop last week as part of their mandate renewal process. Ministers are mandated by the Bishop for a three year term (January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2019). The workshop reviewed the basics of serving in this ministry of charity and love. A clarification - you may notice - is that extra-Ordinary Ministers are asked to come directly to the Altar after the Sign of Peace, rather than stopping to rinse their hands. The rinsing of hands is problematic prior to the distribution of Holy Communion as it is more likely to spread germs from wet/damp hands onto dry hosts. The rinsing water is refreshed for the weekend and a common towel is used to dry hands. The rinsing water is meant for the ministers to use after distributing Holy Communion for any particles of the Sacred Host that may be on their fingers. Thanks to all who assist us in this Sunday Ministry and welcome to our new extra-Ordinary Ministers.

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in March 2017 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.



PASTA SUPPER

Join us for our Pasta Supper on **Saturday**, **February 11**, **2017** after 5:00 p.m. Mass in

McNally Hall. Tickets for the supper will be on sale after the Masses next weekend. Tickets are \$15 and children under 6 are free! Let's make this event a great success.

VOCATIONS

"Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near". Are you willing to proclaim the coming of the kingdom as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If Godis calling you, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 or email mking@hamiltondiocese.com

C.Y.O. CHILDRENS FUNDRAISER

On Thursday, March 2nd, 2017, the C.Y.O. will be celebrating our 32nd annual Children's Fundraiser. Proceeds from this annual event enable children with special needs and those in financial need the opportunity to attend our C.Y.O. Camp Marydale and Camp Brébeuf camping programs. It is an evening of good food, great friends and fun entertainment - all for a great cause. Our evening's presentations include His Excellency, the Most Reverend Bishop Douglas Crosby, Diocese of Hamilton, our 2017 Honourary Camper Family, the 2016 Hamilton Sports Hall of Fame inductees presentation and the 2016 Golden Horseshoe Athlete of the Year Award presentation. For more information please contact Mel Leggat at 905-528-001, ext. 3608 or mel.leggat@cyo.on.ca

WEDDINGS AT THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA

Couples who plan to be married at the Cathedral Basilica in 2018 should contact the Parish Office – we require one year's notice of marriage. Registered and regularly attending members of our Parish may be married here, and by exception (and with good reason) couples from outside the Cathedral Basilica Parish may request the celebration of Marriage here. More information, and an application for marriage, can be found on our Parish's website www.christthekingcathedral.org

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