



CATHEDRAL BASILICA of CHRIST ^{the} KING

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WELCOME!

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*.

PASTORAL STAFF

The Most Reverend D. DOUGLAS CROSBY, OMI
Bishop of Hamilton

Very Reverend DAVID A. WYNEN, Rector, VF
Monsignor EDWARD D. SHERIDAN, In Residence
Mrs. LISA TUCK, Parish Secretary
Mrs. SANDRA GOULD, Pastoral Minister
Mr. ROBERT CORSO, Director of Music
Mr. SANDOR KOLLARICH, Maintenance
Sister LENA PETRUCCELLI, CSJB, Sacristan

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Closed
Tuesday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Friday - 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

SUNDAY MASS

(Saturday) 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

DAILY MASS

Tuesday - Friday at 12:00 Noon

CARE OF THE SICK

To arrange pastoral visits to the sick in hospital or at home, please call the parish office.

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 found in the Tower entrance.

VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

For information contact the Office of Vocations (905) 528-7988.

CATHOLIC BURIAL NEEDS

Please contact The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton (905) 527-7727.

MASS INTENTIONS

Third Week in Ordinary Time

Tuesday, January 24, 2023

Saint Francis De Sales, bishop, doctor

Hebrews 10.1-10; Mark 3.31-35

12:00 Noon +Gloria Sdao

Wednesday, January 25, 2023

The Conversion of Saint Paul the Apostle

Acts 22.3-16; Mark 16.15-18

12:00 Noon +Elsie Lamanes

+Msgr. Raymond Modeski

+Edward Kroetsch

Thursday, January 19, 2023

Saint Timothy and Saint Titus, bishops

2 Timothy 1.1-8; Luke 10.1-9

12:00 Noon +Jeffrey & Vincent Osmena

Friday, January 27, 2023

Hebrews 10.32-39; Mark 4.26-34

12:00 Noon (I)Ciara Flavin

Saturday, January 28, 2023

5:00 p.m. Vigil – Ordinary 4

Intentions of the Deceased: Lillian Misale; Walter Kocemba; Mary Bittner; Martin Family; Concetta Tam

Sunday, January 29, 2023

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Zep 2.3; 3.12-13; 1 Corinthians 1.26-31; Matthew 5.1-12

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, January 8, 2023

Regular Offerings	179x\$38.80	\$ 6,946.04
Loose Offerings		\$ 1,150.96
Stained Glass		\$ 1,098.00
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		\$ 9,195.00

Thank you for your continuing and generous support of the Cathedral Basilica. New boxes of 2023 offering envelopes have been distributed. If you would like to become a weekly offering envelope user, or support the Parish with pre-authorized debits, please contact our Parish Office. Receipts for donations made in 2022 will be mailed soon.

CATHEDRAL CHOIR

Thank you to the members of the Cathedral Choir, under the direction of Robert Corso, for their liturgical leadership at the 11 a.m. Sunday Mass. The choir is now on "hiatus" until Lent. Rehearsals will resume in February ... new members are welcome. Saint Augustine reminds us ... *when we sing, we pray twice.*"

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

We will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation with young people (Grade 7 or older) on Saturday, May 6th at our 5:00 p.m. Mass. Parents may visit our website for information and registration – ctkbasilica.ca

FIRST EUCHARIST

Parents of Children in Grade 2 should contact Sandra Gould for information relating to the reception of 1st Eucharist this Spring. Dates are scheduled at the mutual convenience of the family and the Parish.

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

His Excellency, Bishop Crosby, will celebrate the *Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass* with couples celebrating 25, 40, 50, 60 & 60+ years of Catholic Marriage in 2023. To register, visit the Diocesan website – www.hamiltondiocese.com

COUNTDOWN TO LENT

It's not too early to begin thinking about Lent! Ash Wednesday is February 22. Lent is a 40-day period of prayer, fasting, and works of charity to prepare for the joy of Easter. It might be a good idea to have a plan for Lent. What do I plan to give up or take on in Lent? Will I participate in the Stations of the Cross? Can I fit weekday Mass into my daily schedule for Lent? How about some family prayer? How can I support the *ShareLent* annual collection? All these actions and more will help us journey through Lent and grow in our spiritual life. May this year's Lent prepare us to renew the promises of our baptism at Easter and strengthen us to live as missionary disciples.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY



January 18 – 25 is the annual observance of the *Week of Prayer for Christian Unity*. Each year we pray for the unity of Christ's Church and seek ways to work together. We pray that Christians may recognize the great grace of proclaiming Jesus is Lord and that He is the way, the truth, and the life.

FLOOR RESTORATION IN McNALLY HALL

The terrazzo flooring in McNally Hall has been undergoing a restoration for the past few weeks ... work continues. When complete the formerly carpeted areas will look shiny and new. We have retained the wood "dance floor" in the centre of the Hall.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE DIOCESE

WORLD YOUTH DAY FUNDRAISING DINNER:

A Taste of Portugal - The Diocesan WYD Planning Team warmly invites you to join us for A Taste of Portugal, a fundraising dinner in support of the Diocesan Pilgrimage to WYD Lisbon this coming summer. Hosted at St. Mary's Parish Hall on

Saturday, February 04, 2023 at 6:30pm, this dinner promises to be a feast for the senses, with Portuguese food, dancing and music to enjoy! Tickets are on sale for \$75.00 each and can be purchased by emailing us at: wyd@hamiltondiocese.com. Looking forward to having you join us!

JOIN THE REEL JUSTICE FILM FESTIVAL for a special discussion and film screening to raise awareness and understanding of Indigenous Reconciliation, January 26, 2023 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM. The film *Doctrine of Discovery, Stolen Lands, Strong Hearts* is a challenging, truthful documentary, meant to educate people about the historic policy, which established a justification for colonization and seizure of land. The legacy of the Doctrine and the impact on the current state of Indigenous affairs is discussed. Understanding the Doctrine of Discovery and its manifestations are important as we strive for reconciliation. Special discussion following the screening with Rev. Val Kerr, Indigenous Elder, and former Archdeacon for Truth, Reconciliation, and Indigenous Ministry for the Anglican Diocese of Niagara, Sarah Guinta, Coordinator Office of Justice and Peace, Roman Catholic Diocese of Hamilton, and Christina Mines, Director of Evangelization and Catechesis, Diocese of Hamilton. The screening and discussion will be hosted online. R.S.V.P. and view our full schedule of events at:

<https://reeljusticefilmfestival.wordpress.com/> A partnership between the Bishop Farrell Library & Archives and Development and Peace, the Reel Justice Film Festival shines a spotlight on issues of social, political, and economic injustice.

YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT - FEBRUARY 4TH -

GUELPH - Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and early 30s) of our diocese to attend a night of Adoration, Fellowship and Praise Music. Arrival and Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), Social with Food (7:30pm-8:30pm), Praise Night and Vocation Testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on Saturday, February 4th at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate (28 Norfolk Street, Guelph). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

Visit hamiltondiocese.com for more information and updates.

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