



# CATHEDRAL BASILICA of CHRIST *the* KING

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## WELCOME!

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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 25<sup>th</sup>, 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

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

Very Reverend DAVID A. WYNEN, Rector, VF  
Monsignor EDWARD D. SHERIDAN, In Residence  
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Sister LENA PETRUCCELLI, CSJB, Sacristan

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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Parish Office is closed due to Provincial lockdown.

## SUNDAY MASS

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No public Masses due to lockdown

## RECONCILIATION

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By appointment only

## DAILY MASS

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No public Masses due to lockdown

## CARE OF THE SICK

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

## PARISH REGISTRATION

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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

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

## CATHOLIC BURIAL NEEDS

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

## MASS INTENTIONS

*During this period of "lockdown" Masses are celebrated without the participation of the faithful.*

### THIRD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Tuesday, January 26, 2021

Saint Timothy & Saint Titus, Bishops

Hebrews 10.1-10; Mark 3.31-35

+ Angelo Bellio, +Leanne Thompson

Wednesday, January 27, 2021

Hebrews 10.11-18; Mark 4.1-20

Covid 19 Patients, +Jane Donaldson

Thursday, January 28, 2021

Saint Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Doctor

Hebrews 10.19-25; Mark 4.21-25

Vincenzo Marchesano, +Lawrence Cotton

Friday, January 29, 2021

Hebrews 10.32-39; Mark 4.26-34

+ Alfredo Pallone, +Margaret Travers, + Frank Perri

Sunday, January 31, 2021

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Deut. 18.15-20; 1 Corinthians 7.32-35; Mark 1.21-28

## COLLECTION REPORT

**Sunday, January 10, 2021**

*Provincial lockdown in effect.*

Regular Offerings	19x\$120.78	\$ 2,295.00
Christmas		\$ 40.00
New Years Day		\$ 110.00
Stained Glass		\$ 855.00
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		\$ 3,300.00

Thanks to those who continue to support our Parish – even during this time of provincial lockdown. You may send your envelope (with cheque) to the Parish by regular mail. You may also drop off your envelope at the Rectory – please call first to arrange drop-off. You may want to consider signing up for *pre-Authorized Debits* which are withdrawn on the first of each month. Nearly 100 parishioners support our community this way. It provides regular and stable funding for the Parish. All donations are appreciated!

## WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

This annual observance is an invitation to all Christians to promote unity through actions and mutual respect. During this week we are called to pray for the unity of the Church ... just as Christ did the night before he died.

## PAPAL HONOURS

The celebration of Papal Honours originally scheduled for January 3<sup>rd</sup>, has now been postponed until **Sunday, June 27<sup>th</sup>, 2021 at 1:30 p.m.** His Holiness, Pope Francis has honoured a number of parishioners from across the Diocese of Hamilton. Our own Barb Dollak – former co-ordinator of the Office of Refugees for the Diocese – has been awarded the *Bene Merenti* medal. Also, Father Martin Vallely – pastor at Holy Rosary Parish, Burlington – has been named a *Chaplain of His Holiness* with the title “Monsignor.” These, and the other honours, will be bestowed in June. Congratulations and thank you for your work for the Lord and His Church!

## EPISCOPAL ORDINATION

The Episcopal Ordination of our new Auxiliary Bishop Wayne Lobsinger has been postponed to **Tuesday, June 29<sup>th</sup>, 2021 at 2:00 p.m.** in the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King.

## PASTORAL REFERENCES

Pastoral references for teacher applicants, and those applying for other positions with Catholic School Boards, are willingly offered for *registered parishioners* who are *involved* in the life of our Parish and who actively *support the Parish* through their **time, talent and treasure**. The Pastoral Reference is the Pastor’s recommendation to the Catholic School Board that the applicant is not only a Catholic, but also someone whose active faith will be a positive influence in our school communities. Applicants may contact the Rector of the Cathedral through our Parish Office.

## PARISH & DIOCESAN WEBSITES

For updates visit our Parish website [www.ctkbasilica.ca](http://www.ctkbasilica.ca) and the Diocesan website [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com)

## PARISH OFFICE

In light of the Province's "stay home" orders, and as our Parish staff cannot work from home, we have placed them on a temporary lay-off. Our staff will return to work once the "stay home" order is lifted by the Province. During the Provincial lockdown, our Parish Office is closed. Parishioners who require the services of the Parish Office should email [basilica@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:basilica@hamiltondiocese.com) or telephone (905)522-5744 and leave a message. The Office is closed for "in-person" appointments for the duration of the lockdown. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

## TELEVISED MASS WITH BISHOP CROSBY

Thanks to Cable14 the celebration of Sunday Mass from the Cathedral Basilica will be televised (and available on their website) beginning Sunday, January 10<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. As in the previous lockdown, the liturgy will be tailored to meet the 30 minute requirement of the production. Thanks to the crew of Cable14 for their great assistance.

## CELEBRATIONS OF CONFIRMATION

The Cathedral Basilica was to host some Confirmation celebrations in the month of February - these have been rescheduled for early June.

## ASH WEDNESDAY

We hope that our churches will be open for Ash Wednesday - depending on Provincial restrictions being lifted by that time. The *Congregation for Divine Worship and Discipline of the Sacraments* has specified that in light of COVID concerns, Ashes are to be imposed by sprinkling them upon the head rather than tracing a cross on the recipient's forehead.

## CHANGE TO THE ROMAN MISSAL

The *Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops* has advised that following a request from the *Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments* a change will be made to the conclusion of prayers at Mass and in the celebration of the Sacraments. As of Ash Wednesday, February 17, 2021 the word "one" is to be omitted from the conclusion of the Collect, and likewise of similar prayers in the liturgy (for example, the Blessing of Water at the Easter Vigil). Instead of ending "*one God for ever and ever*", the Collect will now end "*God for ever and ever*."

Until now, the word "one" has been used in the conclusion to the Collect in both the earlier and the current English-language translations of the Roman Missal. However, in consultation with the *International Commission for English in the Liturgy*, the Bishops of English-speaking countries are in the process of deciding when and how each country will implement this change. The reason for it is to avoid possible misunderstandings about the identity of the Son within the Blessed Trinity, or even the misconception that Our Lord Jesus Christ is "one God" among others.

With this change, the English will now be consistent with the Latin text, as well as conform with translations into other European languages including French. The new wording, which amends the English-language translations of #54 of the *General Instruction of the Roman Missal*, will be incorporated into all future editions of liturgical books approved for use in Canada.

The celebrant at liturgical celebrations will simply omit the word where needed.

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