



# 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  
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Mr. ROBERT CORSO, Director of Music  
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Sister LENA PETRUCELLI, CSJB, Sacristan

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday Closed  
Tuesday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
Friday 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

## SUNDAY MASS

Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 9:00 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.  
4:00 p.m.

## RECONCILIATION

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

## DAILY MASS

Tuesday through Friday  
8:00 a.m. (Marian Chapel)

## 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 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.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Christmas Season

Tuesday, January 7, 2020

*St. Andre Bessette, Religious*

*1 John 4.7-10; Mark 6.34-44*

8:00 a.m. +Eleanor Battenchuk

Wednesday, January 8, 2020

*1 John 4.11-18; Mark 6.45-52*

8:00 a.m. (I) Denis Keane

Thursday, January 9, 2020

*1 John 4.19-5.4; Luke 4.14-22*

8:00 a.m. +William Baxter

Friday, January 10, 2020

*1 John 5.5-13; Luke 5.12-16*

8:00 a.m. (I) Jill Spencer-Phillips

Saturday, January 11, 2020

3:30 p.m. Holy Hour for Vocations

3:30 p.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Sunday Mass - Baptism of the Lord

*Isaiah 42.1-7; Acts 10.34-38; Matthew 3.13-17*

+Joe Raso, +Dorothy Walker-Hartley, +Christopher John Lisson, +Gerry Beavis, +Joan Paxton, +Nello Serafini, +Rosemary Mule, +Jerry Creedon,

## COLLECTION REPORT

*Sunday, December 22, 2019*

|                     |                   |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| Offertory Envelopes | \$9,189.00        |
| Loose Offerings     | 3,211.00          |
| Christmas           | 1,645.00          |
| Stained Glass       | 116.00            |
| Cathedral Charities | 25.00             |
| Total               | <hr/> \$14,186.00 |

*Wednesday, December 25, 2019 - Christmas Collection*

|                     |                   |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| Offertory Envelopes | \$22,044.00       |
| Loose Offerings     | 6,687.00          |
| Total               | <hr/> \$28,731.00 |

Thank you for your generous support of the Cathedral Parish. Your weekly and monthly donations assist the Parish in its mission and maintenance. If you are not using envelopes or Pre-Authorized Debits and would like to offer your sacrificial gift to the Cathedral Parish please complete a *Parish Registration Form*. Forms can be found at the entrances of the Church and online at [www.ctkbasilica.ca](http://www.ctkbasilica.ca)

## BOXED SETS OF OFFERING ENVELOPES

The 2020 sets of envelopes are available for pick-up at the King street entrance. If you haven't picked your envelopes up yet, please do so. **Please discard any unused 2019 envelopes in January.** In some cases, numbers have been reassigned so proper credit for donations may not be allotted. It is a good idea to write your last name on the envelope for the first few weeks you use them. Income Tax receipts for 2019 will be prepared and mailed to donors' homes before the end of February 2020. Donations to *One Heart, One Soul* are receipted through the Chancery Office and will arrive as a separate mailing. Thanks to all our supporters! If you haven't had a chance to contribute to *One Heart, One Soul* - it's not too late! See Father Dave for a pledge card after Mass.

## RCIA

Our journey with adults preparing to become members of the Catholic Church continues as our sessions resume on Tuesday, January 7<sup>th</sup>. On Sunday, January 12<sup>th</sup> we will celebrate the *Rite of Becoming a Catechumen* with those who preparing for Baptism at Easter. Please pray for those preparing for Baptism and for Reception into the full communion of the Catholic Church.

## THANK YOU!

Thank you to all who have helped us celebrate Christmas with great joy at the Cathedral Basilica. To our Parish Staff for their extra hours and skill in preparing the Cathedral. Thanks also to those who have assisted in our Parish ministries. Thanks to the Parish Choirs, musicians and cantors all under the very capable direction of Robert Corso the Cathedral Basilica Director of Music. Thank you to Bishop Crosby for his presence, preaching and presiding at our Christmas celebrations. May the celebration of this great feast inspire us to follow after the new-born King as his faithful disciples!

## EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Today is the liturgical celebration of the Feast of the Epiphany of the Lord – the day when He is revealed as a light to the nations. The new-born King is a gift to us for our life and our salvation. May His light shine on our lives and fill us with His presence.

## NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS

It's common for many of us to make resolutions for the coming year to improve our life – diet, exercise, greater engagement with family and friends – we might also consider *spiritual resolutions*:

*Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament* – Holy Hour – each Saturday 3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

*Sacrament of Reconciliation* – Saturdays 4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. (Advent & Lent – 3:30 – 4:30)

*Daily Mass* – 8:00 a.m. Tuesday through Friday each week.



## ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE PASTORAL OFFICES DIOCESE OF HAMILTON

### DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2020? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 14, 2020 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if you require assistance). Register online at [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com).

### RETRouvaille

Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, frustrated or angry in their marriage. This program has helped countless couples experiencing marital difficulty. For confidential information

about, or to register for the program being offered on the weekend of March 13, 2020, call 905-664-5212 or email [hamiltonretrouvaille1@cogeco.ca](mailto:hamiltonretrouvaille1@cogeco.ca) or visit the website at [www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org).

### THE BIBLE & THE SACRAMENTS

A deeper look at the mystery of the sacraments as illuminated by Sacred Scripture. Examining the rich relationship between the Old & New Testaments, the sacraments are more than mere earthly rituals! This DVD presentation & discussion format is based on the work of Dr. Scott Hahn. David Dayler, Director for the Office of Discipleship & Parish Life will facilitate this 10 session program on Wednesday afternoons, beginning January 22, 2020 from 1 – 3:00 p.m. at the Chancery Office in Hamilton. The cost is \$50 and includes the book, “Swear to God” by Dr. Scott Hahn. Please register by Jan. 13<sup>th</sup> with Monica by email, [mverin@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:mverin@hamiltondiocese.com) or telephone, 905-528-7988 ext. 2238.

### BIBLE SUNDAY

Pope Francis has established the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time as Bible Sunday. This year it will be observed on Sunday, January 26, 2020. Prayer Cards have been sent to each Parish and will be distributed at Mass on the weekend of January 25-26<sup>th</sup>. Parishioners are invited to offer this prayer together at the conclusion of the General Intercessions in thanksgiving for the gift of God's Word. Order forms for Bibles will also be available in each Parish on that weekend for parishioners who wish to purchase a Bible. We pray that our observance of Bible Sunday will deepen our gratitude for the Word of God and inspire us to root our lives more firmly in the Word of God.



### CATHEDRAL CAMPAIGN REPORT

Thanks to all our donors for their ongoing support of the Campaign in our Parish. Our Parish is second in the “Pilot Wave” Parishes. The Campaign has been a great success here. We look forward to the completion of our projects in the near future.

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