

# 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

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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.

1:00 a.m. Masks are recommended during Mass.

## **RECONCILIATION**

Saturdays 11 - 11:30 a.m.

Marian Chapel

Seating is limited

to 30% capacity.

## **DAILY MASS**

Tuesday through Friday 11:45 a.m. (Cathedral Basilica)

## 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 preauthorized 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**

Daily Masses are open to the public. Masses will be celebrated in the Cathedral Basilica which will open <u>30 minutes</u> prior to the celebration. Note that Daily Mass will be celebrated at <u>11:45 a.m.</u>

## SIXTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Tuesday, July 21, 2020 Saint Lawrence Brindisi, Priest Micah 7.14-15,18-20; Matthew 12.46,48-50 11:45 a.m. + James Dominic Grant

Wednesday, July 22, 2020 Saint Mary Magdalene, Disciple of the Lord 2 Corinthians 5.14-17; John 20.1,11-18 11:45 a.m. + Caridad Fortich

Thursday, July 23, 2020 Saint Bridget, Religious Jeremiah 2.1-3,7-8,12-13; Matthew 13.10-17 11:45 a.m. + Jim Sutherland

Friday, July 24, 2020 Saint Sharbel Makhluf, Priest Jeremiah 3.14-17; Matthew 13.18-23 11:45 a.m. + Marie Simpson

Saturday, July 25, 2020

11:00 a.m. Confessions (Marian Chapel)

5 p.m. Vigil – Ordinary 17 –

+ Josh Wasylenko

Sunday, July 26, 2020 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Kings 3.5-12; Romans 8.28-30; Matthew 13.44-52

## COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, July 5, 2020

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Regular Collection	130 @ \$57.50	\$ 7,475.00
Pre-authorized		\$ 6,507.00
Loose Collection		\$ 545.00
Other		\$ 455.00
Total		\$ 14,982.00

Thank you for your ongoing support of the Cathedral Parish. Your sacrificial giving helps the Parish meet its obligations.

## PARISH OFFICE

Our Parish Office re-opens on Tuesday, July 7<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 a.m. Anyone wishing to visit the Parish Office must call in advance. Mass card & certificate requests will be available with curbside pick up.

## MANDATORY FACE MASKS

In the City of Hamilton, it is now mandatory to wear face masks in public indoor spaces – including churches. Non-compliant individuals risk a \$200 fine. ALL parishioners are asked to wear a face mask/covering during the celebration of Mass.

## MASS ETIQUETTE DURING PANDEMIC

If you are sick, or if you have a cough, sniffles, or other symptoms, please stay home and recover. Please practice good hand hygiene and physical distancing. Note that we are asked to leave Church immediately at the end of the Mass so that our volunteers can begin disinfecting the pews. Anyone who would like to assist in this task, please speak with the ministers of hospitality.

## RENOVATIONS TO THE SERVERS' ROOM

The "working sacristy" behind the sanctuary, where the Altar Servers vest, is getting a facelift in the coming week. New flooring, cupboards and a paint job.

## ONE HEART, ONE SOUL PROJECTS

Phase 1 of the AV upgrade of the Cathedral will be underway soon. Phase 1 is the installation of new sound system in McNally Hall. It will provide for integration with the system in the Cathedral which will be renewed in Phase 2. Also, the order for our new kneelers has been finalized. We expect installation to happen at the end of August. Thanks to all those who have supported the *One Heart, One Soul Campaign* which has made these projects possible!



#### ST. JOSEPH, ACTON

Within the first week of the church closure. St. Joseph Parish in Acton initiated a Facebook Group to live-stream Mass. The group grew to 270 members who communicate with one another. By the end of the second week, the parish had a new website: www.stjosephprayforus.ca. It has also been a wonderful communication tool.

provided a wealth of them. A few are here,

and more are to come! See the previous

fliers at hamiltondiocese.com/news.

An Easter outreach project brought "Palm Paks" to the doorsteps of 80 parishioners' homes. Enclosed were palms; a letter of encouragement; a spiritual exercise; a summary of the Pope's Easter message; spiritual medals and magazines; a Divine Mercy handout; a CD or book from the Augustine Institute; a 33 Days to Morning Glory guide (for dedicating oneself to Mary); and spiritual coloring books if the home had children. Similar packets were delivered in May, with the items focused on Our Blessed Mother. Pentecost was the focus of a June project.

#### ST. MARY OF THE VISITATION, CAMBRIDGE

The St. Vincent de Paul Society has been supported by the parish community financially and by food donations. The Society has adapted to the pandemic and continues to operate.

#### FROM A PASTOR

During April in this pastor's parish, the weekly offertory was higher than any month prior to the virus closing the churches, and parishioners continue to be generous.

## BLESSED SACRAMENT IN GUELPH A 'DESTINATION' FOR ADORERS

the Blessed Sacrament placed in the window of the Holy Rosary office in Guelph has become a "huge inspiration" to the parish and the neighbourhood, said Fr. Vernon Boyd, the parish's pastor. It has produced a hub of activity in the parking lot as parishioners and others come by at all hours of the day and night to pray in their cars before the Blessed Sacrament, which is surrounded by flowers and light. Fr. Boyd put it this way:

"I never thought in my wildest dreams that such a devotion would mean so much to people in the parish. It has also been a strong witness to people in the neighbourhood seeing the number of cars parking so people can pray (of course, in isolation). Many people make the church a destination point on their walk and pray and even kneel in front of the Blessed Sacrament. A very moving sight to see. People all the way from Toronto come to pray in front of it in their cars."

Fr. Boyd also noted these other inspirational happenings at Holy Rosary:

- The parish has a food pantry, and people have stocked it "to the ceiling"
- · A Care for Neighbours team checks on people who have called the parish for help with groceries.
- · People drop off prayer requests and Mass intentions in Fr. Boyd's mailbox. "I get letters, offerings, donations every day," he said.





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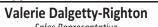
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