



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

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

Reverend DAVID A. WYNEN, *Rector*
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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 pre-authorized 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.

Sixteenth Week of Ordinary Time	Time	Announced Mass Intention or Celebration	Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, July 23, 2017 <i>Sixteenth Sunday Ordinary Time</i> <i>Wis. 12.13-19; Rom. 8.26-27; Matt. 13.24-43</i>	9:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	4:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
Monday, July 24, 2017 <i>Exodus 14.5-18; Matthew 12.38-42</i>	No Mass		Father Downey
Tuesday, July 25, 2017 <i>St. James, Apostle</i> <i>2 Cor. 4.7-15; Matthew 20.20-28</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of Rosaline Beech	Father Valley
Wednesday, July 26, 2017 <i>St. Anne & St. Joachim</i> <i>Sirach 44.1-15; Matthew 13.16-17</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of John Albert Patterson	Barnabite Fathers (C.R.S.P.)
Thursday, July 27, 2017 <i>Exodus 19.1-20; Matthew. 13.10-17</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Mario Nicolazzo	Father Michel
Friday, July 28, 2017 <i>Exodus 20.1-17; Matthew 13.18-23</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of Anna Carolina Patterson	Father Isabelle
Saturday, July 29, 2017 <i>Vigil- Seventeenth Sunday Ordinary Time</i> <i>1 Kings 3.5-12; Rom. 8.28-30; Matt. 13.44-52</i>	4 pm - 4:30 pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation	Father Link, C.R.
	5:00 p.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Attilio DeArcangelis +Domenico & Rosa Sergi +Angelo Musitano +Vittorio Cozzi +Aida Labuanan +Nick Dowhaniuk	

Collection Report

Sunday, July 9, 2017

Regular (262 env. @ \$24.66 avg)	\$6,462.00
Loose Offerings	\$1,195.00
Stained Glass Windows	\$2,658.00
Mission Co-Op	\$235.00
Total	\$10,550.00

Thank you to those who support our Parish with your *time, talent* and *treasure*. To begin using offering envelopes or pre-authorized donations, please contact our Parish Office.

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

If you, or someone you know, is interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Church, please contact Father Wynen at the Parish Office. The RCIA process to assist adults preparing for Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist will begin in September.

Sunday Ministries

Thanks to all who assist us with our Sunday liturgical ministries please arrange a replacement if you are unable to fulfill your scheduled Mass.

Catholic Women's League

Our Parish CWL is preparing for the installation of its new Executive on September 10th. The installation will take place during the 11:00 a.m. Mass and it will be followed with a wine & cheese reception for members. All CWL members who have not yet paid their 2017 membership dues are gently reminded that they are payable at any time. You may wish to bring your membership dues with you on September 10th. Kindly do not use the Sunday Offering for your membership dues - rather pay them directly to the CWL. We hope to see all our members on September 10th! Any women in the Parish who wish to join the CWL, or find out more about it, are welcome to this event on September 10th.

Getting Married in 2018?

Couples who are planning to celebrate the Sacrament of Matrimony at the Cathedral Basilica in 2018 should now be in contact with our Parish Office. Our website has the "Application for Marriage" and other helpful information for couples. Priority is given to couples who are supportive parishioners of the Cathedral Basilica Parish and who regularly attend Sunday Mass here. Visit online - www.ctkbasilica.ca

New Parish Website

Have you visited our new online home yet? Our Parish's new website is www.ctkbasilica.ca It is an attractive and interactive site for information about our Parish community.

Looking ahead to the Fall

With the support of Bishop Crosby, we are looking to implement *communion from the chalice* at each of our Sunday Masses. The coming weeks will bring more details and some instruction. As we prepare to implement this option we will need some more extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. If you have been an extra-Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion in the past - either in this Parish or elsewhere - or if you would like to serve in this ministry, please contact Father Wynen at the Parish Office.

Knights of Columbus

Members of our Cathedral Basilica Council 12143 have received a questionnaire regarding the future of the Council in the Parish. Members are invited to complete the questionnaire and return it to the Parish Office before July 31st. Your input will be a great help in this discernment process.

Construction Update

Gold-coloured cladding was recently installed on the Cross atop the Cathedral Basilica bell tower. This new cladding replaces the original copper cladding - which had been painted gold at some point in our history. The new cladding is a combination of metals similar to the composition of the Canadian \$1 coin. Like a "loonie" it may dull over time, but will retain a golden colour. The contractor is in the process of removing the top four levels of scaffolding from the bell tower. Work continues on the lower sections of the tower and the South façade of the Cathedral Basilica. We are still on track for completion by this Fall! We anticipate beginning work on the front doors of the Cathedral Basilica sometime in the coming weeks. This work will involve the closure of each set of doors during the process - we'll advise of any changes in door openings as the work proceeds. Decorative pinnacles - replacements for the originals - have been completed by the stonemasons and are being installed on the South façade. Similar work is already completed on the bell tower.

Diocese of Hamilton

SYMPOSIUM ON FAMILY

What supports do families need from the Church? What are the pressures they face in their day to day lives? What are the challenges, joys, highs and lows in families today? The Diocese of Hamilton, through the Family Ministry Office, wants to hear from you on these topics. You can do this in two ways: (1.) Attend our Symposium for Families being held on September 23rd, 2017 beginning with Mass with Bishop Crosby 9:30 and ending at 4 p.m. (2.) Do the survey at <http://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/symposium-on-family> beginning June 28th.

VOCATIONS

"The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought..." For five minutes today rest with Jesus and ask Him what He requires of you. If God is calling you, to the priesthood, diaconate or, consecrated life, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 or email: mking@hamiltondiocese.com

CATECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE

Programs are available for children from Kindergarten through to High School not currently receiving religious instruction. Preparation for First Communion and Confirmation for children not in Catholic Schools also available. Families work through the programs at home. Contact Monica in the Catechesis Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2238 or visit the website at www.hamiltondiocese.com and click on the Catechesis Office for more information, on-line registration or printable registration forms.

Pastoral References for Teachers

Catholics seeking employment with Catholic School Boards - teachers, administrators, EA's - are usually asked to obtain a "Pastoral Reference" from their Parish Priest. Please know that we are happy to provide such references for individuals who are registered and supportive members of the Cathedral Parish with their time, talent and treasure. The Pastoral Reference is given following a personal interview with the Rector.

Celebrating Baptism

Fall dates for the celebration of Baptism are beginning to fill up. Parents who wish to celebrate Baptism in the coming months are encouraged to contact our Parish Office or visit us online at www.ctkbasilica.ca

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