



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 PETRUCELLI, CSJB, Sacristan

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
[4:00 p.m. Mass resumes on September 12, 2021]

RECONCILIATION

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

DAILY MASS

Tuesday - Friday at 8:30 a.m.

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

Our Daily Masses will be celebrated in McNally Hall as the sound & video improvements are completed in the Cathedral Basilica.

TWELFTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Tuesday, June 22, 2021

Genesis 13.2-18; Matthew 7.6-14

8:30 a.m. (I) Sally Chandler

Wednesday, June 23, 2021

Genesis 15.1-18; Matthew 7.15-20

8:30 a.m. +Jerry Sorbara

Thursday, June 24, 2021

Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

Isaiah 49.1-6; Acts 13.22-26; Luke 1.57-80

8:30 a.m. +Jaime & Maria Pavao Medeiros

Friday, June 25, 2021

Genesis 17.1-22; Matthew 8.1-4

8:30 a.m. +Raymond Minh Nguyen

Saturday, June 26, 2021

4:00 p.m. Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. +Paul Marratto, +Jane Donaldson,
+Salvatore Castiglione; +Clementina Filice

Sunday, June 27, 2021

Thirteenth Sunday Ordinary Time

Wisdom 1.13-24; 2 Corinthians 8.7-15; Mark 5.21-43

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, June 6, 2021 -

Provincial Lockdown - No public Masses

Sunday Offering	\$ 750.00
Monthly P.A.D.	\$ 11,348.33
Stained Glass	\$ 405.00
Diocesan Collections	\$ 40.00
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	\$ 12,543.33

Thank you to all our parishioners who continue to offer their financial support of the Parish - particularly during the lockdown. You may drop your offering envelope in the collection vault as you arrive or leave Sunday Mass. To begin supporting the Parish with Sunday Offering envelopes or monthly *pre-authorized debits* please contact our Parish Office.

ORDINATION OF PRIESTS

His Excellency, Bishop Crosby, will ordain two new Priests for the Diocese of Hamilton on Saturday, June 26, 2021. Attendance is by invitation only. Congratulations to Deacon Peter Robinson and Deacon Patrick Ohl. We pray for God's blessings as they begin their Priestly service in this local Church. Newly ordained Father Robinson will be the Associate Pastor of Saint Francis Xavier, Stoney Creek; newly ordained Father Patrick Ohl will be the Associate at Saint Matthew Parish, Oakville. These appointments take effect on June 30, 2021.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Adults who have not been baptized, or baptized in another Christian church, who wish to become members of the Catholic Church are invited to contact our Parish Office regarding the RCIA process. We anticipate a return to weekly in-person catechetical sessions in late September.

CATHEDRAL SOUND & VIDEO UPGRADES

We are in the final stage of the completion of the upgrades to our sound and video systems. Once commissioned, we'll have the ability to livestream and record celebrations in the Cathedral Basilica. This will be especially helpful for weddings and funerals when invited guests are not able to travel for the liturgy.

PARISH MINISTRIES

As we re-open, we will slowly and deliberately re-introduce the various Sunday ministries. Initially, we will have two Ministers of the Word and one extra-Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion at each Mass. During the summer and early Fall, we will call back our Altar Servers and ushers. The Diocese will offer direction for return of choirs. The Fall will also see opportunities for parishioners to volunteer for these ministries. Training for each ministry will be offered for each group in the Fall. Please prayerfully consider participating in one of these ministries. Thanks to those who serve our Parish in these ways - thank you for your help and co-operation.

COVID LOCKDOWN & STAY HOME ORDERS

The Province of Ontario has announced that Churches can open to the public in Step 1 with 15% capacity. We anticipate those capacity restrictions to rise as we move toward Step 3. This last lockdown has been difficult, however, now we have an opportunity to begin again as the Sacred Assembly gathers to offer its praise and worship to God. Please note the re-opening plans related to our Parish and its Mass times.

RE-OPENING SCHEDULE

Opening at 15% capacity (150 persons). Masks must be worn inside the Cathedral Basilica at all times.

Sunday Mass

Saturday (Vigil) Mass **5:00 p.m.**

Sunday Masses **9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.**

No Sunday 4:00 p.m. for the Summer

Daily Mass

Tuesday – Friday **8:30 a.m.**

Celebrated in the Cathedral Basilica

Reconciliation

Saturdays **4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.**

Masks must be worn, screen not in use at this time.

Baptisms

Contact the Parish Office for dates – Summer baptisms will be scheduled for Sunday afternoons at either 12 Noon or 12:30 p.m.

Office Hours (Now open with summer hours)

Tuesday – Friday **8:30 a.m. – 12 Noon**

Regular hours to resume in September.

Thank you for your understanding and co-operation as our re-opening efforts continue.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

Happy Father's Day to all our dads, prayers for those who have gone home to heaven.

RESIDENTIAL SCHOOLS

Bishop Crosby writes in his June 11th *Heart to Heart*: The call for the Catholic Church to “apologize” for our involvement in government sponsored Indigenous Residential Schools is loud and clear. The apologies actually began 30 years ago, when the Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate offered an apology at the annual Lac Ste. Anne (Alberta) pilgrimage – a long-time sacred pilgrimage site for thousands of Indigenous Peoples from North America. The Oblates were marking their 150th anniversary of presence and ministry in Canada, and chose to make the apology an important part of the anniversary year.

And just yesterday the CCCB announced a long-in-the planning initiative to send a delegation of Indigenous Elders, Knowledge Keepers, residential school survivors, and young people to meet with Pope Francis in a “meaningful encounter of dialogue and healing”. The event will be a rich conversation between a diverse group of Indigenous peoples and the Pope. The pandemic and subsequent travel restrictions stalled the project; however, as these restrictions ease, the delegation has resumed its planning for the visit.

Both statements can be found on our Parish website – www.ctkbasilica.ca

NOVENA TO SAINT JOSEPH

Canadian Catholics are invited to join in the national Novena to Saint Joseph and the Act of Entrustment to Saint Joseph on July 1st. The Novena begins on **June 22**. The Novena prayers for each day can be found on our Parish website – www.ctkbasilica.ca – His Excellency, Bishop Crosby will offer the prayers for entrustment to Saint Joseph at Mass on **Thursday, July 1st at 11:00 a.m.** all are welcome! Saint Joseph is the Patron of Canada and the Patron of the Universal Church. He is a powerful intercessor for us in this time of uncertainty.

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