

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 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 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

THIRTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Tuesday, June 29, 2021 Saints Peter & Paul, Apostles Acts 12.1-11; 2 Timothy 4.6-18; Matthew 16.13-19 8:30 a.m. (I) Carreiro family

Wednesday, June 30, 2021 First Martyrs of the Church of Rome Genesis 21.5-20; Matthew 8.28-34 8:30 a.m. +Patrick McMahon

Thursday, July 1, 2021 Canada Day

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

11:00 a.m. Mass with Act of Entrustment to Saint Joseph

Friday, July 2, 2021 Genesis 23.1-19; 24.1-8, 62-67; Matthew 9.9-13 8:30 a.m. +John the Baptist Dam; +Agnes Gallant

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Saturday, July 3, 2021

4:00 p.m. Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. +Jose Carlos DeOliviera, +Quinter Gordon, +Georgina Bourke; +Robert Thompson

Sunday, July 4, 2021 Fourteenth Sunday Ordinary Time Ezekiel 2.3-5; 2 Corinthians 12.7-10; Mark 6.1-6

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, June 13, 2021 -

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Sunday Offering	\$ 7,476.00
Loose	\$ 640.00
Stained Glass	\$ 1,623.00
Pope's Pastoral	\$ 435.00
Cura Pastorum	\$ 1,735.00
	\$ 11,909.00

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.

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.

SUMMER BULLETIN

This week's bulletin will be the last for the summer months of July & August. We will resume publication and distribution of printed bulletins on Sunday, September 5, 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 inpersona 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.

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.

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.

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 cooperation as our re-opening efforts continue.

RESIDENTIAL SCHOOLS' RESPONSE

Visit the Diocesan website hamiltondiocese.com for a very comprehensive and well-presented section on Residential Schools. Materials include Bishop Crosby's recent Pastoral Letter; texts of the apologies offered by Catholic entities and a history of the responses of the Diocese and the CCCB to the *Truth and Reconciliation Commission*. The facts presented here will help to inform us in the midst of much misinformation.

CURA PASTORUM ASSOCIATION

Thank you for your support of the annual collection for the Cura Pastorum Association. This is the fraternal benefit fund which provides care for our retired Priests. All Diocesan Priests are invited to be contributing members and Parishes also contribute annually. The fund was founded in 1970. In 2015 it was granted charitable status by the CRA. The Cura Pastorum Association is governed by its members, the Bishop of Hamilton is also a member of the Board. Currently 40 retired Priests are supported each month by the Association. Thank you to these shepherds who have served the Diocese of Hamilton as active Priests and now eniov freedom administrative responsibilities. Many continue to assist in Parishes by celebrating Masses and providing coverage.



CANADA DAY A happy Canada Day to all! This year as we gather in our backyards

with a few others, let us give thanks for our nation. During this time of national shame, let us seek paths of reconciliation. We cannot change history, but we can do better going forward. Let us pray that our nation will play its rightful role as the true North, strong and free! God bless Canada and all Canadians.

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