



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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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Closed
Tuesday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Friday - 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

SUNDAY MASS

(Saturday) 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

RECONCILIATION

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

DAILY MASS

Tuesday - Friday at 12:00 Noon

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

Third Week of Lent

Tuesday, March 14, 2023

Daniel 3.25, 34-43; Matthew 18.21-35

12:00 Noon +Walter Best

Wednesday, March 15, 2023

Deuteronomy 4.1, 5-9; Matthew 5.17-19

12:00 Noon +Terri Pez

Thursday, March 16, 2023

Jeremiah 7.23-28; Luke 11.14-23

12:00 Noon +Dawn Sluski

Friday, March 17, 2023

Hosea 14.1-9; Mark 12.28-34

12:00 Noon +Michele & Annunziata Raso

7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 18, 2023

3:30 p.m. Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Vigil – Lent 4

Intentions of the Deceased: Leonardo Fazari; Fiore D'Amato; Concetta Tam; Jenny Martin; Frank Nicolazzo

Sunday, March 19, 2023

Fourth Sunday of Lent

1 Samuel 16.1, 6-7, 10-13; Ephesians 5.8-14; John 9.1-41

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, February 26, 2023

Regular Offerings	167x\$34.15	\$5,703.00
Loose Offerings		\$991.00
Seminary Collection		\$120.00
Turkey & Syria		\$155.00
Cathedral Charities		\$315.00
Stained Glass		\$195.00
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		\$7,479.00

Thank you for your sacrificial giving which supports the mission of the Cathedral Parish and the upkeep of the Parish complex. If you would like to become an offering envelope user or sign up for *pre-authorized debits* please contact our Parish Office.

THE SEASON OF LENT

Stations of the Cross

Traditional Lenten devotion marks the 14 steps (stations) taken by Christ on the road to Calvary. **Fridays in Lent at 7:00 p.m.**

Daily Mass in Lent

Tuesday through Friday at **12:00 Noon** in the Cathedral Basilica.

ShareLent Collection

Consider supporting the *Canadian Catholic Organization for Development & Peace* annual ShareLent collection on Sunday, March 26 with an offering of \$1/day of Lent (\$40) for those who are able to make such an offering.

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2023? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, April 16, 2023 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton 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 at www.hamiltondiocese.com, or call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.



CWL MONTHLY MEETING

All members of the CWL are invited to the next monthly meeting of our Council on Sunday, March 19 following the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Your presence is important as three significant issues and instructed votes will be considered.

BULLETIN ADVERTISERS

Thanks to those who advertise on our weekly bulletin and make this publication possible. Please consider patronizing these businesses in appreciation for their support.

HOLY WEEK 2023

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)

Saturday, April 1, 2023 1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

Sunday, April 2, 2023

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

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

Mass of Chrism

Monday, April 3, 2023 **2:00 p.m.**

HOLY THURSDAY

Thursday, April 6, 2023

7:00 p.m. Mass of the Lord's Supper

The great three days, Triduum, begins tonight as we recall the institution of the Eucharist and the Priesthood. A time of silent prayer with the Blessed Sacrament in McNally Hall will conclude around 9:30 p.m.

GOOD FRIDAY

Friday, April 7, 2023

3:00 p.m. Solemn Celebration of the Passion

Today we gather to hear the passion taken from the Gospel of John and then we venerate the wood of the Cross recalling the saving sacrifice of Calvary.

7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

HOLY SATURDAY

Saturday, April 8, 2023

8:00 p.m. Solemn Easter Vigil

The liturgy begins with the blessing of new fire which is shared among the Assembly; we listen to the story of salvation as the Word of God is opened for us through seven passages from the Old Testament, then we hear the first Gospel of Easter. In the light of the Paschal Candle the Easter Sacraments of celebrated and our baptismal promises renewed. With joy we offer the first Eucharist of Easter. This is the "mother of all vigils."

EASTER SUNDAY

Sunday, April 9, 2023

9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Baptismal promises renewed and the Eucharist celebrated with joy in the Risen Lord.



DIOCESAN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Reel Justice Film Festival

Join the **Reel Justice Film Festival** for our fun family screening of **Coco March 23,**

2023 at 6:30 PM! This delightful film follows young Miguel as he dreams of becoming an accomplished musician, despite his family's generations-old ban on music. Themes of Family and Community, Dignity of the Human Person, Forgiveness, and Cultural Diversity are explored. The screening will be hosted online. R.S.V.P. and view our full schedule of events at www.reeljusticefilmfestival.wordpress.com/.

A partnership between the Bishop Farrell Library & Archives and Development and Peace, the Reel Justice Film Festival shines a spotlight on issues of social, political, and economic injustice.

Grief Relief

Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Join us on Thursdays from 7 – 8:30 p.m. from April 13th - May 18th, 2023 to learn more about what you are feeling and how to gently move forward. You are not alone! The Diocese of Hamilton program will be offered online using Zoom. To register, go to hamiltondiocese.com and look for April 13th under Upcoming Events. To find out more, please call Teresa at 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

RITEs OF SCRUTINY

Significant moments in the *Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults* include the Lenten Rites of Scrutiny. These ancient rites take place on the 3rd, 4th, and 5th Sundays of Lent. Having heard the proclamation of John's Gospel stories of the woman at the well; the man born blind; and the raising of Lazarus, those preparing for the Easter Sacraments examine their lives in the light of Christ's mercy. These rites are a further sign of their desire to leave behind their former life and to embrace life in Christ in the Catholic Church. The Rites will be celebrated at the 11 a.m. Mass.


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