



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 PETRUCCELLI, CSJB, Sacristan

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 8:00 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.

THIRD WEEK OF EASTER
Daily Mass Celebrated in the Cathedral

Tuesday, May 3, 2022

Saints Philip & James, Apostles

1 Corinthians 15.1-8; John 14.6-14

8:00 a.m. (I)Ciara Flavin

Wednesday, May 4, 2022

Acts 8.1-8; John 6.35-40

8:00 a.m. +Ramon Monzon

Thursday, May 5, 2022

Acts 8.26-40; John 6.44-51

8:00 a.m. (I)Natalie Erazo

Friday, May 6, 2022

Saint Francois De Laval, Bishop

2 Timothy 4.1-5; John 10.11-16

8:00 a.m. +Robert & Georgina Fogarty

Saturday, May 7, 2022

11:00 a.m. Ordination to the Priesthood

4:00 p.m. Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Vigil-4th Sunday Easter

+Angela Cappelli; +Felix & Bozena Cech;

+Nicodemo & Ardea Piccini; +Antoinette

Campanelli; +Giuseppe Altomare

Sunday, May 8, 2022

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts 13.14, 43-52; Revelation 7.9, 14-17; John 10.27-30

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, April 17, 2022

Regular Offerings \$ 3,291.00

Easter 9,062.20

Loose 4,269.80

Good Friday 2,636.00

ShareLent 165.00

Stained Glass 185.00

\$ 19,609.00

Thanks to all for your continuing support of the Parish with your gifts of *time, talent, and treasure*. All our efforts serve to build up the Body of Christ – the Church – to which we belong. Parish Offering envelopes for weekly use are available through our Parish Office. Monthly donations – using *pre-authorized debits* – may also be arranged by contact our Parish Office or completing an updated *registration form* found in the Tower entrance.

PRIESTHOOD & RELIGIOUS LIFE MASS

Join members of the Serra Club of Hamilton as they honour Priest and Religious Jubilarians celebrating 25 and 50 years in ministry. Bishop Crosby will offer Mass with the Jubilarians and Serrans on Tuesday, May 3, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. in the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton. All are welcome. Those who have celebrated significant anniversaries in 2020 and 2021 will also be honoured as the annual celebrations were curtailed by COVID.

MINISTERS OF THE ALTAR

Urgently needed! We need to restore and build up our ranks of those who serve at the celebration of Sunday Mass and other special celebrations at the Cathedral Basilica.

Are you in High School? The Cathedral Basilica has had a long tradition of High School Students serving at Sunday Mass. We currently have openings at each of our liturgies ... volunteer hour attestations are available. Also, the rewards of serving at Mass are out of this world!

Are you in Grade 3 or 4? Now is a great time to become an Altar Server to assist at our Sunday Masses with your parents' permission.

Are you an adult? Maybe you never had the opportunity to serve at Mass growing up? Now is your chance! Adult servers assist us with Funeral Masses and other celebrations through the year.

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

The COVID pandemic with its lockdowns, has severely depleted our ranks of Ministers of Hospitality. These Cathedral greeters are often the first "face" of the Cathedral and provide a warm welcome to those arriving for Mass. Training and volunteer screening are provided. We have openings at the Saturday 5 p.m. and Sunday morning 9 a.m. Masses. Speak to Father Dave or Sandra Gould if you are interested in assisting with this ministry.

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Do you like to share good news? We need people to proclaim the Word of God at Sunday Mass with faith and conviction. You would be joining a superb group of proclaimers of the Word. Training is provided. Ministers of the Word are scheduled on a rotational schedule for their preferred Mass. Please speak with Father Dave or Sandra if you are interested in becoming a Minister of the Word.

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

Extra-Ordinary Ministers have the great privilege of sharing the gift of the Eucharist with their brothers and sisters at Sunday Mass. After some instruction and training they are scheduled on a rotational schedule for their preferred Mass. We have openings at each of our Sunday Masses. For more information, please contact Father Dave or Sandra Gould.

GIFT BEARERS AT SUNDAY MASS

Our scheduled Ministers of the Word and extra-Ordinary Ministers will present the gifts of bread and wine at Sunday Mass. This is an additional responsibility for them as we reinstate this ministry at Sunday Mass.

TO VOLUNTEER ...

Contact our Parish Office for more information on these ministries.



ASSUMPTION H.S. REUNION

The first graduating class of Assumption High School (1981) is planning a 40+1 Reunion on September 17, 2022 beginning at 10:00 a.m. at the school - 3230 Woodward Avenue, Burlington. For details of the events planned for the day email assumptionclassof81@gmail.com



PRIEST ORDINATION ANNIVERSARIES

Many of our Hamilton Diocesan Priests observe their anniversary of Ordination during the first weeks of the month of May. Please pray for all our Priests, for those in Seminary formation, and for vocations to the Priesthood for service in the Diocese of Hamilton.

CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK (May 1 - 6)

This year's observance of Catholic Education Week has as its theme: **Rebuild, Restore, Renew Together**. In his Pastoral Message for Catholic Education Week, His Excellency, Bishop Crosby, says:

"The Catholic Education community in the Diocese of Hamilton is an architect, working to lay a strong foundation for the promise of tomorrow. From the kindergarten classrooms to our university lecture halls, we have witnessed throughout the pandemic the resiliency of our school communities in adapting and cultivating joy despite countless obstacles. We have surmounted challenge after challenge even in the darkest of days, and now we look forward to reclaiming that which we have lost, while renewing our experience of Catholic Education to do better, be better and serve better than ever before."

This work is well on its way through the incredible creativity of our educators and all those who serve and care for young people in our Catholic Schools. Teachers, educational assistants and all resource personnel have truly worked magic within the limitations of pandemic classrooms. I am heartened by the lengths our educators will go to inspire a love for God and a love for learning. Educators, I know this past year has been difficult, and certainly not what you signed up for when you committed to a vocation to teach, but know that you are seen, heard and valued for your dedication and I profoundly thank you for your ongoing commitment to Catholic Education."

Bishop Crosby concludes, "I am thankful for all labourers in education, working tirelessly in the service of students and families. Priests of our diocese, pastoral workers, chaplaincy leaders, trustees, administrators, teachers, and parents have truly given their all to advocate for this great gift and nurture the goodness that is fostered within our classrooms each day."

The full text of the Bishop's letter, a video presentation and other resources for the week can be found on our Diocesan website - www.hamiltondiocese.com

Let us pray for all involved in the work of Catholic Education in our Diocese and in the Province.

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