



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
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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 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
Eighth Week of Ordinary
Daily Mass in McNally Hall

Monday, May 29, 2023

Mary, Mother of the Church

Acts 1.12-14; John 19.25-27

12:00 Noon Intention of Donor

Tuesday, May 30, 2023

Sirach 35.1-15; Mark 10.28-31

8:00 a.m. +Jeno Hersics

Wednesday, May 31, 2023

Visitation of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary

Zephaniah 3.14-18; Luke 1.39-56

12:00 Noon + Antonina Komar

Thursday, June 1, 2023

Saint Justin, Martyr

Sirach 42.15-25; Mark 10.46-52

8:00 a.m. + Frank Miranda

Friday, June 2, 2023

Sirach 44.1-13; Mark 11.11-25

8:00 a.m. +Anna Sorbara

Saturday, June 3, 2023 – **Mass in McNally Hall**

4 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Vigil – Most Holy Trinity

Intentions of the Deceased: Musitano Family,
Leonardo & Giuseppe Fazari, Frank Pere, Charlie
Leitis, Maria Varao, Elisabeth Hartmann

Sunday, June 4, 2023 – **Masses in McNally Hall**

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

Exodus 34.4-9; 2 Corinthians 13.11-13; John 3.16-18

9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. – Intentions of the People

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, May 14, 2023

Sunday Offerings	158x\$32.45	\$ 5,127.30
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Stained Glass		\$ 1,512.00
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Loose Offerings		\$ 927.70
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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.

FOOD AND WINE PAIRING

Join us on Wednesday, June 14th, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. at Claudio's Restaurant, 191 James St. North. Enjoy a four- course seminar with Chef Kristine and Andrew from Masi Wines. They will guide you through tasting of wine and food while discussing how each dish and wine selection brings out the best flavors. Tickets are \$60 per person. There will be a cash bar for any additional cocktails. Space is limited to 46 people. Contact Sandra Gould at sgould@hamiltondiocese.com or by calling the Parish Office at (905) 522-5744. Please let us know if you have any food allergies and we will do our best to accommodate.

Parish Outdoor Mass & BBQ

Sunday, June 25th, 2023

11:00 a.m.

Mt. Mary Ancaster

*Join us for outdoor Mass at 11:00 a.m.
on Sunday, June 25th with Bishop
Wayne Lobsinger as we "kick off" our
90th Anniversary Year.*

*Mass will be followed by BBQ &
desert.*

Bring your own chair.

**NOTE: There will be no 11:00 a.m. Mass in
the Cathedral Basilica on June 25th – Saturday
5:00 p.m. and Sunday 9 a.m. Masses at the
Cathedral as usual.**

FLOORING REPLACEMENT

The carpet in the Cathedral Basilica was installed in 1982 as part of the renovations after a 1981 fire nearly devastated the building. It has held up well all these years. Due to the age of the carpet and the risk of the colours fading, the carpet has not been properly cleaned in more than 15 years. It is also beginning to fray in areas which poses a tripping hazard. We also know that carpet deadens the acoustic of our worship space. In view of all this, Bishop Crosby has approved the replacement of the carpet in the Cathedral. We are currently working with consultants and the PJ Daly Construction company – who oversaw the 1982 renovations – to replace the carpet in the aisles with tile, while retaining broadloom under the pews. The colours of the tile are inspired by the colours of the Sanctuary floor. The tile will have a matte finish to reduce slippage. The new floor will be laid out in a herringbone pattern up the centre aisle, and a simple pattern in the side aisles. The broadloom under the pews will be a rust colour – matching the accent tile and Sanctuary steps. We expect work to begin in June. The Cathedral church will not be open during the renovation. Our Sunday and Daily Masses will be celebrated in McNally Hall. We anticipate completion sometime in August or September – of course, we will return to the Cathedral as soon as we are able. Thanks to all for your co-operation during this disruption. No doubt the result will be pleasing and will serve the Cathedral for many, many years to come. Thanks to the Diocese of Hamilton and the support of some generous donations, the cost to the Parish for this work is very manageable. This project should bring interior renovation work to a conclusion. The restoration of the stained-glass windows, and the repainting of the interior of the Cathedral will be left for the future!

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FEAST OF MARY, MOTHER OF THE CHURCH

On **Monday, May 29** (day after Pentecost) the Church celebrates the Blessed Virgin Mary under the title "Mother of the Church." All are welcome to join us for Mass at **12:00 Noon** in McNally Hall. The title "Mother of the Church" was used by the Second Vatican Council in its Sacred Constitution on the Church – *Lumen Gentium* – it recalls the presence of Mary in the Upper Room, with the gathered Apostles, on the first Pentecost. We invoke Mary's intercession for the Church and her maternal protection for the whole People of God on pilgrimage to the Kingdom.

ORDINARY TIME

Today's Feast of Pentecost marks the end of the Easter Season. For 50 days we have celebrated the Lord's rising from the dead and his continued presence in the Church through the Holy Spirit. The liturgical season of *Ordinary Time* resumes on Monday with the Eighth Week. Ordinary Time will continue until the *Solemnity of Christ the King* (November 26) with the 34th week in Ordinary Time. There's nothing ordinary about Ordinary Time ... it simply refers to the numbering of the Sundays. Each week is an opportunity to renew the grace of the Paschal Mystery – the suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus – at the celebration of the Eucharist.

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