

CATHEDRAL BASILICA of CHRIST the KING

714 King Street West Hamilton, Ontario L8P 1C7 905-522-5744 www.ctkbasilica.ca Welcome to the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King - the "mother" church of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Hamilton. The Cathedral is the Bishop's Church as it is home to the *cathedra*, or Bishop's Chair. Pope Benedict XVI bestowed the title "basilica" on February 25th, 2013 in recognition of the architectural significance and importance of the Cathedral.

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.

RECONCILIATION

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

DAILY MASS

Tuesday through Friday 8:00 a.m. (Marian Chapel)

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday Closed
Tuesday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Friday 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
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PARISH REGISTRATION

To register with the Parish and to request Sunday Offering envelopes, or for information about pre-authorized giving, please complete a *Registration Form* which can be found in the Tower entrance, or on our Parish website.

VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

For information contact Father King at the Office of Vocations 905-528-7988.

CATHOLIC BURIAL NEEDS

Please contact The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton 905-527-7727.

CARE OF THE SICK

To arrange a pastoral visit to the sick in hospital, or at home, please call the parish office.

RCIA

Adults who desire becoming members of the Roman Catholic Church may inquire about the *Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults*. The Rite prepares adults who wish to celebrate Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. Please contact the Parish Office.

BAPTISM OF CHILDREN

Please visit our website of call the Parish office for information regarding the baptism of infants or young children.

MARRIAGE

Engaged couples may visit our Parish website for information on getting married at the Cathedral Basilica. We ask for one year's notice of marriage in order to accommodate the necessary steps in preparation.

MASS INTENTIONS

THIRD WEEK OF EASTER

Intentions for each Daily Mass are noted below. (+) denotes an intention for a deceased loved one or parishioner.

Tuesday, May 7, 2019 8:00 a.m. *Acts 7.51-8.1, John 6.30-35*

+ John Tvo Sr.

Wednesday, May 8, 2019 8:00 a.m. *Acts 8.1-8; John 6.35-40*

Rozalia Biatoskorska

Thursday, May 9, 2019 8:00 a.m.

Acts 8.26-40; John 6.44-51 Iudith & +David Carreiro

Friday, May 10, 2019 8:00 a.m. *Acts* 9.1-20; *John* 6.52-59

+Stefano Cimino

Saturday, May 11, 2019

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 3:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation 4:00 p.m.

Mass – Vigil – 4th Sunday of Easter 5:00 p.m.

Acts 13.14-52; Revelation 7.9-17; John 10.27-30 +Joe Raso, +Jerry Mariani, +Antoinette Campanelli,

+Robert & Patricia Bell, +Daniel & Marie Shields, +Jose Graca, +Anna & Michele Sorbara, +Felix & Bozena Cech, +Vincenzo Lofaro, +Angela Cappeli

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, April 21, 2019

Easter (490 Envelopes/\$38.35 avg)	\$18,793.00
Loose Offerings	\$4,549.20
Stained Glass Window	3,375.00
ShareLent	1,084.44
Good Friday (Care of the Holy Land)	\$3,878.35
Total	\$31,679.99

Thanks to all who support our Parish with gifts of time, talent and treasure. If you are new to the Cathedral Parish or would like to begin supporting the Parish by using Sunday Offering envelopes or montly pre-authorized bank debits, please complete a Parish Registration form. Thank you for your great support support. If you have received your *One Heart, One Soul* pledge card – please complete it and send it in with your donation in support of the campaign. Every donation helps us reach our goal!



A Campaign for the Diocese of Hamilton

Have you made your pledge or donation to the *One Heart, One Soul Campaign* yet? To donate please complete the donation card or visit the campaign website – www.onheartonesoul.ca

Our goals and proposed projects are outlined in the mailing you have received in the mail. Please consider supporting the campaign with your sacrificial gift. Donations can be in the form of monthly debits from your bank account or credit card; post-dated cheque; lump sum donations or transfer of stocks or shares. For more information visit www.oneheartonesoul.ca

CAMPAIGN PRAYER

Almighty and eternal God, you alone are the source of every good gift. We thank you for the blessings you pour out on us, signs of your infinite goodness, given freely out of love.

Continue to form each of us into faithful stewards of your abundant blessings.

Help us to cultivate our gifts with care and love, to share them generously with those in need, and to return them with increase to you, our heavenly Father.

As you renew all things in Christ, grant to our parishes and Diocese a fresh outpouring of your Holy Spirit.

May this community of faith be of one heart and soul as we work together in your name.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

MONTH OF MARY

The month of May is traditionally a month of particular devotion to the blessed Mother. Catholics are invited to pray the Rosary and to mediate on the mysteries of our salvation in Christ.

SUMMER APPOINTMENT

Bishop Crosby has assigned **Paul Edmondstone** – a Seminarian for the Diocese of Hamilton – to the Cathedral Basilica for the coming summer months. Paul is from Holy Rosary Parish, Burlington and is currently enrolled at St. Peter Seminary, London. He has been called to the Order of Deacons and will be ordained a Deacon by Bishop Crosby on **Thursday**, **June 20**, **2019**. We are very hapy to welcome Paul and look forward to his ministry here.

David Lugo – a Jesuit Seminarian – will live in residence in the Cathedral Rectory for the summer months while he completes a CPE unit with St. Joseph Healthcare. David will be ordained a Deacon in September.

MARCH FOR LIFE - OTTAWA

The annual March for Life on Thursday May 9th takes place at Parliament Hill in Ottawa. demonstrate the importance and dignity of all human life. Hamilton Right to Life has a bus going to Ottawa, no charge, but please email or phone to reserve your place on the coach: 905-528-3065 hamiltonrighttolife@outlook.com. Bus leaves St. Cyril and Methodius Church, 204 Park St,. North in Hamilton at 6:00 a.m. sharp May 9th .. Presentations at 12:30, march on streets of Ottawa at 1:30, presentations at 2:30. The bus leaves Ottawa at 4:00 p.m. to return home about 10:00 p.m.



BABY BOTTLES FOR LIFE

Our Knights of Columbus Council is sponsoring this year's campaign – *Baby Bottles for* Life – on behalf of Hamilton Right to Life. Baby

Bottles will be available for pick up after Mass (next week) Sunday, May 12th, *Mothers' Day*, and you are asked to return them on Sunday, June 16th, *Fathers' Day*. Please take a bottle and fill it up with your paper money, coins or cheque. Hamilton Right to Life needs your support to raise money to educate, advertise, and get the message out about the devastating effects of attacks on human life from conception to natural death. You can learn more about Hamilton Right to Life at www.hamiltonrighttolife.org or by calling 905-528-3065.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC?

Adults who would like to become members of the Catholic Church are welcome to make an appointment to meet with Fr. Wynen. We can assist adults who have never been baptized, those baptized in other Christian denomintations, and baptized – but not catechized – Catholics. The process of reflection, adult learning and celebration usually begins in the Fall – but it is helpful to begin the conversation early on. Please feel free to contact the Parish Office to arrange a meeting with Fr. Wynen.

EASTER SEASON

You may recall that the Lenten Season was a period of 40 days of prayer, fasting and almsqiving. Now the penance of Lent has given way to the joy of new life in the Risen Lord. The Easter Season is a period of 50 days of celebrating the Lord Jesus' victory over sin and death. It culminates with the Feast of Pentecost (June 9). During this time we hear at Mass from the Acts of the Apostles - the continuation of the Gospel of Luke in the New Testament. This book tells the story of the early Church through the preaching and travels of the first witnesses to Jesus rising from the dead - the Apostles. Although we do not emphasize the Penance of Lent - we do ask the help of God to deepen the spirit of conversion in our hearts. We are meant to continually turn toward God - who is always turned toward us! May these Easter days of joy strengthen each of us in living our vocation to Christian service.

2020 WEDDINGS

As we have outlined in the *One Heart, One Soul* Campaign information it is our intention to do some interior work at the Cathedral. We anticipate that this work would begin in mid-June 2020 and continue through the Summer and early Fall. As a result, we will not "book" weddings during these months – to avoid disappointment with the condition of the interior during the renovation work. Spring and Fall dates for 2020 are still available – couples should contact the Parish Office to arrange a meeting with Father Wynen.

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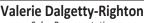
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