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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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## DIOCESE OF HAMILTON

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## PASTORAL STAFF

Most Reverend D. DOUGLAS CROSBY, OMI  
Bishop of Hamilton

Reverend DAVID A. WYNEN, Rector  
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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 or 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

### FOURTH WEEK OF EASTER

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

Tuesday, May 14, 2019 8:00 a.m.

St. Matthias, Apostle

Acts 1.15-26, John 15.9-17

+ Maureen Walsh

Wednesday, May 15, 2019 8:00 a.m.

Acts 12.24-13.5; John 12.44-50

+Joe Raso

Thursday, May 16, 2019 8:00 a.m.

Acts 13.13-25; John 13.16-20

Rosalia Cimino

Friday, May 17, 2019 8:00 a.m.

Acts 13.26-33; John 14.1-6

In thanksgiving

Saturday, May 18, 2019

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation 4:00 p.m.

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

Acts 14.21-27; Revelation 21.1-5; John 13.1-55

+Frank Ielasi, +Beatrice Leong Wong, +Arthur Williams, +Domenico Morabito, +Domenico & Rosa Sergi +Jerry Sorbara, +Joe Raso, +Carmela Musitano, +Florence Bedek, +Walter Ostapchuk

## COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, April 28, 2019

Regular (258 Envelopes/\$22.11 avg)	\$5,705.15
Loose Offerings	\$1,800.85
Easter	\$1,050.00
ShareLent	\$155.00
Good Friday (Care of the Holy Land)	\$185.00
Total	\$8,896.00

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 monthly pre-authorized bank debits, please complete a Parish Registration form. Thank you for your great 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.oneheartonesoul.ca](http://www.oneheartonesoul.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](http://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 meditate 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 happy 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.



## 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 this Sunday, and you are asked to return them on Sunday, June 16<sup>th</sup>, *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. Visit Hamilton Right to Life at [www.hamiltonrighttolife.org](http://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 denominations, 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.

## MOTHER'S DAY

Happy mother's day greetings to all moms! The following is the blessing of mothers from the Rite of Baptism:

God the Father,  
through his Son, the Virgin Mary's child,  
has brought joy to all Christian mothers,  
as they see the hope of eternal life  
shine on their children.

May he bless you,  
the mother of this child.

You now thank God  
for the gift of your child,  
may you be one with them  
in thanking God forever in heaven.  
Through Christ our Lord.

## 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.

## CATHEDRAL OPEN

The Cathedral Basilica is open for prayer and visits from **10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays through the spring and summer months.

## VOCATION SUNDAY

Today is the *World Day of Prayer for Vocations*. In his annual message, Pope Francis says, "*The Lord's call is not an intrusion of God in our freedom; it is not a "cage" or a burden to be borne. On the contrary, it is the loving initiative whereby God encounters us and invites us to be part of a great undertaking. He opens before our eyes the horizon of a greater sea and an abundant catch.*"



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