

CATHEDRAL BASILICA of CHRIST THE KING

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Lord's Day Eucharist

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

4:00 p.m.

Daily Eucharist

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

Weekly schedule in the Bulletin

Reconciliation

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

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturdays 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Pastoral Staff

The Most Reverend D. DOUGLAS CROSBY, OMI, DD
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Cathedral Basilica Office Hours

Monday Office is closed

Tuesday through Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Care of the Sick

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

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*.

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 provided in the Tower entrance.

Vocations to the Priesthood or Religious Life

For information contact Father Kuzma at the Office of Vocations (905) 528-7988.

Catholic Burial Needs

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

7 th Week of Easter	Time	Announced Mass Intention or Celebration	Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, May 8, 2016 <i>Ascension of the Lord</i> <i>Acts 1.1-11; Ephesians 1.17-23; Luke 24.46-53</i>	9:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	4:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
Monday, May 9, 2016 <i>Acts 19.1-8; John 16.29-33</i>		No Mass	Father Nguyen
Tuesday, May 10, 2016 <i>Acts 20.17--27; John 17.1-11</i>	8:00a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Manuel Rocha	Father Mikulski, S.A.C.
Wednesday, May 11, 2016 <i>Acts 20.28-38; John 17.11-19</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Deceased Gillis Family & Frank Bedek	Married Couples
Thursday, May 12, 2016 <i>Acts 22.30-23.6-11; John 17.20-26</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of Maura O'Mahony	Father de Viveiros, C.R.
Friday, May 13, 2016 <i>Acts 24.27-25.21; John 21.15-19</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Austin Martin	Father Redmond
Saturday, May 14, 2016 <i>Vigil-Pentecost Sunday</i> <i>Acts 2.1-11; 1 Cor. 12.3-13; John 20.19-23</i>	3:30 p.m.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Father Cruz, L.C.
	4:00 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
	5:00 p.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Santa Vallonio +Manuel & Maria Cordeiro +Mike Gatto +Jerry Mulcahy +Helen Irving +Tony Spano	

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, April 24, 2016

Regular (276 env. @ \$19.32 avg)	\$5,333.50
Loose Offerings	\$1,411.50
Cathedral Charities	\$1,314.00
Other	\$65.00
Total	\$8,124.00



YEAR OF MERCY PILGRIMAGE SUNDAY

The next Pilgrimage Sunday at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King will take place on **Sunday, May 15th**. The Cathedral will open to pilgrims at 2:00 p.m. At 2:30 p.m. prayer in the style of Taize – Scripture and meditative

chants will be offered. You are welcome to join us for the 4:00 p.m. Mass – Monsignor Earl Talbot will preside and preach. A plenary indulgence may be gained by the faithful who enter through the *Door of Mercy*.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to new members of our Parish family and thank you for registering with the Parish. If you are new to our community please complete a registration form and consider supporting the Parish financially with offering envelopes or pre-authorized bank debits.



HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

A very happy and blessed Mother's Day to all our mothers. Thank God for your vocation and nurturing which brings life and love. Let us pray for God's blessing on our own mother – living or deceased – and for all mothers and expectant mothers.

NEW ORGAN CONSOLE

Thanks to all who have helped prepare and install the new organ console. Casavant Freres of Quebec represented by Robert Hiller, Jim Tarbutt Construction and Greenbelt Electrical. Rob Corso, or organist, and Bruce Cross our organ technician, were very much involved in the planning of the console – thank you. As always our profound thanks to Bishop Crosby for his generous support of this project.

2017 WEDDINGS

Couples planning to celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage at the Cathedral Basilica should visit our Parish Website for information and an application for marriage. We are currently arranging weddings for the Spring of 2017 and require one year's notice of marriage.

CATHEDRAL OPEN FOR VISITS

The Cathedral Basilica will be open for people to visit or pray on Wednesdays in May and June from 12:00 p.m., to 2:00p.m. beginning **May 11**. We thank our volunteers who will be staffing the Cathedral during these times.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

On Sunday, May 15th the Confirmandi will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation at the 11:00 a.m. Mass with Bishop Crosby. We congratulate these young people ask you to pray for them.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Parents of young children are reminded that we offer *Children's Liturgy of the Word* at the **9:00 a.m.** Mass on the 2nd and 3rd Sundays of each month. Thanks to our volunteers who make this service possible. For May they will meet on May 8th and 15th.

VOCATIONS

The Lord said "...you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth". Pray for an increase of vocations to the ordained and consecrated life. For more visit the priesthood or consecrated life, www.HamiltonVocations.com Pray for priests who have ministered to you throughout your life – both living and dead. Keep your parish priest in prayer through the week.

FATHER DAVID REITZEL

Congratulations to Father David Reitzel who was ordained a Priest for the Diocese of Hamilton on May 7th by Bishop Crosby. We wish Father Reitzel many happy years of service. He will be at the Cathedral to offer Mass on Sunday, May 22. He has been appointed Associate Pastor at Saint Matthew Parish, Oakville.

WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY

Today we are invited to reflect upon the media of social communications – films, radio, television, social media, etc – and how these influence our lives. We have a responsibility to support and promote worthwhile presentations on media and reject those which promote values contrary to spiritual growth.

POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS COLLECTION

This collection provides an opportunity for Catholics to make a financial offering to assist the Holy Father. Funds are used by the Holy See to assist in providing aid during times of crisis around the world and to support the Holy Father in administering the Holy See and serving the Universal Church.

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Today Hamilton Right to Life commences its Baby Bottle Campaign, "Change for Life". Bottles will be handed out at the end of Mass today and then are to be returned on June 19th, Father's Day. Please fill them with your coins, bills or cheques. The goal is to get the message out about the devastating effects of abortion. Please do your part to help those who have no voice to be heard! Please pray for all families affected by abortion. For further information call Hamilton Right to Life at 905-528-3065 or visit the website at www.hamiltonrighttolife.org

ANNUAL MARCH FOR LIFE

Hamilton Right to Life is chartering a bus for the annual March for Life in Ottawa on Thursday May 12th. The bus will leave from St. Cyril and Methodius Church, 204 Park Street North in Hamilton at 3:30 a.m. and return the same day around midnight. Please call 905-528-3065 if you would like to join or want more information.

ADOPTION AND FOSTERING NIGHT

The Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton is presenting an Adoption and Fostering Information Night. If you have ever considered building your family through adoption or fostering with the CCAS, this is a great opportunity to have all of your questions answered. The information night is being held at St. Mary's Catholic Secondary School, 200 Whitney Avenue at 7:00 p.m. Thursday May 12, 2016. For more information and to register, please call 905-525-2012 or visit www.hamiltonccas.on.ca

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