

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.

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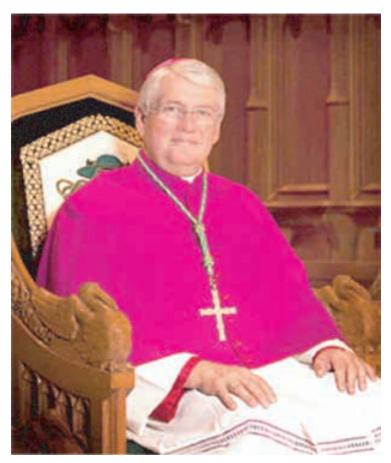
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Cathedral Basilica Office Hours

Monday and Friday 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Care of the Sick

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



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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*.

33rd Week in Ordinary Time November 17, 2013	Time	Announced Mass Intention or Celebration	Vocation Prayer Intention
Monday, November 18 2 Maccabees 1.10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-64; Luke 18.35-43	No daily Mass		Father David Lewis
Tuesday, November 19 2 Maccabees 6.18-31; Luke 19.1-10	8:00 a.m.	+ Joe Lico & Michele Spadafora	Father Rafal Tomon
Wednesday, November 20 2 Maccabees 7.1, 20-31; Luke 19.11-28	8:00 a.m.	+ Trevor Harris	Eudiste Fathers
Thursday, November 21 Presentation of Blessed Virgin Mary 1 Maccabees 2.15-29; Luke 19.41-44	8:00 a.m.	+ Rita Scott	Father Joe Kelly
Friday, November 22 St. Cecilia 1 Maccabees 4.36-37, 52-59; Luke 19.45-48	8:00 a.m.	Intentions of Pope Francis	Father Ken Miskiewicz
Saturday, November 23 Vigil of 24th Sunday – C –	4:00 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)	Father Terence Sehl
2 Samuel 5.1-3; Colossians 1.12-20; Luke 23.35-43	5:00 p.m.	+ Georgio Cotroneo + Pavao Family + Vittorio and Vera Monaco + Lorenzo Sepe +Teresa & Giasone Italiano + Maria Di Tommaso	

COLLECTION REPORT – NOVEMBER 10

Total Sunday Offerings \$4,558.95
Total # of Envelopes Used 264
Average Donation \$17.27
Loose Collection \$1,443.05
Other \$266.00
Total \$6,268.00

Thank you to all who contribute regular financial support to the parish. If you have offering envelopes, please use them; alternately if you would like to sign up for pre-authorized debits, call the parish office.

PARISH MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, November 18

7:00 p.m. Catholic Bible Study (Mtg. Room)

Tuesday, November 19

7:00 p.m. Deacon Workshop (Marian Chapel)

7:00 p.m. Tenor/Bass Choir Rehearsal 7:30 p.m. RCIA (Cathedral Auditorium)

Wednesday, November 20

7:00 p.m. St. Vincent De Paul

Thursday, November 21

7:00 p.m. Cathedral Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. Ministers of the Word Workshop

Saturday, November 23

11:00 a.m. Pastoral Council Mtg. (Mtg. Room)

MINISTERS OF THE WORD WORKSHOP

New and returning Ministers of the Word are invited to a workshop on Thursday, November 21 at 7:00 p.m. in the Cathedral Basilica.

"YEAR OF FAITH"

The "Year of Faith" promulgated by Pope Benedict XVI draws to a conclusion on the Feast of Christ the King. The various Diocesan and parish events of the past year have invited us to reflect on the gift of faith and to ask the Lord's grace to deepen this gift in our lives and the life of the Church.

SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING

Our parish feast day – Christ the King – will be observed on **Sunday, November 24** at all of our regular Masses. His Excellency Bishop Crosby will preside and preach at the 11:00 a.m. Mass that morning.

We will also host one of the Diocesan Masses for the close of the *Year of Faith* on **Sunday, November 24**th **at 4:00 p.m.** Bishop Crosby, together with priests and parishioners from Brant, Hamilton and Halton, will gather for the celebration of Mass in the Cathedral Basilica.

WELCOME

We welcome to the Catholic Church those who have been reborn in the waters of Baptism ... *Emma Jing Yee Tong*, daughter of James & Frieda; and *Mason Robert Christopher Saunders*, son of Bradley & Sharlene.

Welcome also to our new parishioners who have decided to join us at the Cathedral Basilica Parish. We are happy you are here!

BOOK OF REMEMBERING THE DEAD

The Book of Life, in which the names of your deceased relatives and friends may be inscribed, is located near the Marian Altar. These names are remembered in our Masses during the month of November.

CATHOLIC BIBLE STUDY

We continue to reflect on the *Gospel of Matthew* aided by the "Little Rock Catholic Bible Study" series **Mondays** at **7:00 p.m.** in the Rectory basement meeting room.

MOVEMBER DINNER DANCE

The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring "Movember" at the Cathedral ... a fund and awareness raising campaign related to prostate cancer. All men are welcome to sign up and grow a moustache in November. A dinner dance will conclude the month on **Saturday, November 30** at **6:00 p.m.** Tickets are \$35 (children 10 & under \$25). Contact Tony (905) 527-6889; Ron (905) 549-4605 or Mike (289) 768-3737.

NOVEMBER AT THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA

Here are some highlights of events and celebrations in the coming month:

Saturday, November 23 Pastoral Council Mtg. Sunday, November 24 Parish Feast Day Saturday, November 30 KofC Dinner/Dance

Join us for Daily Mass in the Marian Chapel at 8:00 a.m. Tuesday through Friday each week.

ADVENT MAILING

The office has prepared an Advent mailing which will include a brochure with the times of Masses; an offering envelope for Christmas and an offering envelope for flowers. The mailing should be received at your home by the first week of December. If you wish to make an offering for flowers, mark the name of those whom you wish to be remembered on the blank side of the envelope. Please remember to mark both envelopes with your envelope number so that you may be properly credited for your donations. Thank you for your generosity.

OFFERING ENVELOPES

Boxes of 2014 offering envelopes will be available for pick up in the Narthex beginning the First Sunday of Advent. If you are currently using envelopes, a boxed set has been prepared for you. If you wish to begin using envelopes or if you would prefer donating to the parish through pre-authorized debits, please contact the Parish Office.

2014 SUNDAY MISSALS

New missals for the coming liturgical year will be placed in the pews for the First Sunday of Advent. A limited number of missals will be available for purchase at \$4.00 per missal. Missals are best used as preparation before Mass ... we should be listening to the Word of God and other prayers as they are proclaimed at Mass.

CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

Make Christmas dreams come true for children, teens and families in the care of the Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton. Be a part of the C.C.A.S. Christmas Hamper and Toy Drive. With your support this year, many children, teens and families in our community will experience a Christmas full of hope, joy and peace. If you are interested in sponsoring a family or teen living independently this Christmas, please contact Lisa Holstein at (905) 525-2012 ext. 3256.

ST. JOSEPH PARISH CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

St. Joseph's Parish (Herkimer and Locke) will be hosting their Christmas Bazaar on **Saturday**, **November 23** and **Sunday**, **November 24**. Call (905) 528-0019 for further details.

CATHOLIC EDUCATION AWARDS

The Hamilton-Wentworth Catholic District School Board will honour Sylvia Fletcher, Retired School Secretary: John Irvine, Retired Computer Consultant: Peter Rogers, Retired Secondary School Teacher, and Assistant Custodians, Custodians Maintenance Staff who have been selected for the Board's 2013 Award for Distinguished Service to Catholic Education. To acknowledge and express appreciation to the award recipients, a Mass of Thanksgiving and Reception will be held on Tuesday, November 26, 2013, at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, 714 King Street West, Hamilton, at 7:00 p.m. Friends, former associates and students are welcome to attend.

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH

November is the month when we remember soldiers who have died for our country and provided us with our freedom. This is a great time to talk to our children about the true meaning of freedom and how it allows us to participate in our faith – both within the parish and at school. Authentic freedom means knowing how to live in a world that offers so many choices, many not good for us. The Catholic faith can provide a rich road map for our life journey; help your children to navigate life using their faith as a GPS, knowing it holds a promise for salvation.

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