

# 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  
*Bishop of Hamilton*

Reverend DAVID A. WYNEN, *Rector*  
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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.

31st Week in Ordinary Time	Time	Announced Mass Intention or Celebration	Vocation Prayer Intention
<b>Sunday, November 1, 2015</b> <i>Solemnity of All Saints</i> <i>Rev. 7.2-14; 1 John 3.1-3; Matt. 5.1-12</i>	9:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	4:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
<b>Monday, November 2, 2015</b> <i>All Souls Day</i> <i>Job 19.1-27; 1 Cor. 15.20-23; John 12.23-26</i>	12:00 Noon	Mass with the intentions of all deceased Parishioners	Father Sullivan
	7:00 p.m.	Mystery of God series (McNally Hall)	
<b>Tuesday, November 3, 2015</b> <i>Romans 12.5-16; Luke 14.15-24</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Antoinette Campanelli	Father Schefter
	7:00 p.m.	Tenor/Bass Rehearsal (Choir Room)	
<b>Wednesday, November 4, 2015</b> <i>St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop</i> <i>Romans 13.8-10; Luke 14.25-33</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Helen Dillon	Deceased Religious Brothers & Sisters
	7:00 p.m.	RCIA/Symbolon (McNally Hall)	
<b>Thursday, November 5, 2015</b> <i>Romans 14.7-12; Luke 15.1-10</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Elinio Labasan	Father Stortz
	7:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal (Choir room)	
<b>Friday, November 6, 2015</b> <i>Romans 15.14-21; Luke 16.1-8</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Elena Raso	Father Wilhelm
<b>Saturday, November 7, 2015</b> <i>Vigil- 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Ordinary Time</i> <i>1 Kings 17.10-16; Hebrews 9.24-28; Mark 12.38-44</i>	3:30-4:30p.m.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Father McHugh
	4:00-4:30 pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
	5:00 p.m.	Mass with the intentions of our parishioners	

## COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, October 18, 2015

Regular Offerings (288 env. @ 25.48 avg)	\$7,337.00
Loose Offerings	\$1,503.05
Evangelization of the Nation	\$1,910.95
Other	\$115.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$10,866.00</b>

## ALL SOULS' DAY

Mass will be offered in the Cathedral Basilica on **Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>** at **12:00 Noon** for our deceased Parishioners ... especially those who have died in the past year. All are welcome.

## BOOK OF REMEMBERING THE DEAD

You may inscribe the names of your family and friends who have died in the *Book of Remembering the Dead* located near the image of Our Lady of Perpetual Help. These names will be remembered in our Masses during the month of November.

## RECTORY ROOF REPLACEMENT

Work has begun on the replacement of the Rectory roof, flashings and downspouts. The exterior stone will also be repointed and repaired in many areas around the Rectory. The work will continue for the next couple of months and resume in the Spring as we turn our attention to the Cathedral Basilica.

## PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING UPDATE

Our Pastoral Council met last Saturday, October 24<sup>th</sup>. Dino LeDonne was elected to serve as Chair for the coming year, and Tony Davey the Vice-Chair. The Council discussed a range of issues including our new *Children's Liturgy Program* at the 9:00 a.m.; the possible sponsorship of a refugee family; plans for the upcoming Holy Year of Mercy and the important role that the Cathedral Basilica will play in that year. We also considered ongoing adult faith formation programs, youth & young adult ministry and the social life of our Parish community.

## DAY OF REFLECTION FOR WOMEN

All women of the parish are invited to attend this day of reflection on prayer, **Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup>** beginning at 10:00 a.m. and concluding with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 3:30. For more information please contact Sandra Gould in our parish office.

## INSTALLATION OF NEW CWL EXECUTIVE

Our new Catholic Women's League Executive committee will be installed at the 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup>. Thanks to these women for their willingness to serve. A successful strategy meeting was recently held. The new Executive has some good plans for the coming year as they seek to enliven the work of the League in the Parish.

## OUR RCIA CANDIDATES

This year we have a wonderful group of individuals who are discerning the Lord's call to live their lives as members of the Catholic Church. We gather for instructional sessions on Wednesday evenings and the candidates join our community for the celebration of Sunday Eucharist on the Lord's Day. Please pray for them on this journey of faith. The *Rite of Becoming a Catechumen* will be celebrated with those preparing to be baptized on **Sunday, November 29<sup>th</sup>** at the 11:00 a.m.

## PARISH CHOIRS

Our Parish has two choirs – a *Tenor Bass* choir on Sundays at 9:00 a.m. Mass and a *SATB* choir on Sundays at 11:00 a.m. Mass. New members are always welcome – please speak with our choir director, Rob Corso. The *Tenor Bass* choir rehearses on Tuesday evenings, and the Cathedral choir on Thursday evenings. Thanks to all our choir members for their commitment and hard work.

## POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR NOVEMBER

*Universal Intention* – That we may be open to personal encounter and dialogue with all, even those whose convictions differ from our own.

*Evangelization* – That pastors of the Church, with profound love for their flocks, may accompany them and enliven their hope.

## WELCOME ARCHBISHOP LÉPINE

At the invitation of His Excellency, Bishop Crosby, Archbishop Christian Lépine, Archbishop of Montreal, will visit the Cathedral Basilica Parish on the Feast of Christ the King, Sunday November 22. He will preach at the 11:00 a.m. We are very happy to host the Archbishop and pray that his visit to our Diocese will be an occasion of blessing for all.

## MISSALS

2016 *Living With Christ* Sunday Missals will be placed in the pews in time for the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent (November 29<sup>th</sup>). Limited numbers of Sunday Missals will be available for purchase on that day. They will be available on a *first come, first served* basis for a cost of \$2.00.

## CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

A reminder to parents of young children that we offer *Children's Liturgy of the Word* at the **9:00 a.m.** Mass on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of each month. Thanks to our volunteers who make this service possible.

## BIBLICAL ROOTS OF MERCY

Join us for an evening of prayer with Bishop Douglas Crosby and a presentation on the Biblical Roots of Mercy by world renowned biblical scholar, Sister Eileen Schuller. The event takes place at the Basilica of our Lady Immaculate, 28 Norfolk Street, Guelph on **Sunday November 15<sup>th</sup>** at 7:00 p.m.

## COME AND SEE RETREAT

Men interested in the vocation to the priesthood are invited to the Come and See Retreat at St. Augustine's seminary in Toronto on the weekend of November 6-8<sup>th</sup>. This is an opportunity to spend time with those studying for the priesthood, hear their stories, and pray for your vocation. More details and online registration at [www.hamiltonvocations.com](http://www.hamiltonvocations.com)

## DISCERNMENT GATHERING

If you are interested in learning more about vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life please join our monthly Discernment Gatherings: Mass, Holy Hour, Discussion and Lunch. Next gathering is on Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup> at Canadian Martyr's Church in Hamilton from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon. More details [www.hamiltonvocations.com](http://www.hamiltonvocations.com)

## POPE'S CLOSING REMARKS AT THE SYNOD

*The following are excerpts from Pope Francis' address to the Synod of Bishops on Saturday, October 24, 2015:*

“Certainly, the Synod was not about settling all the issues having to do with the family, but rather attempting to see them in the light of the Gospel and the Church's tradition and two-thousand-year history, bringing the joy of hope without falling into a facile repetition of what is obvious or has already been said.”

“It was about trying to open up broader horizons, rising above conspiracy theories and blinkered viewpoints, so as to defend and spread the freedom of the children of God, and to transmit the beauty of Christian Newness, at times encrusted in a language which is archaic or simply incomprehensible.”

*The Pope has received the final document of the Synod and will – at some point in the future – possibly issue an Apostolic Exhortation. Synods of Bishops are intended to be consultative not legislative. We look forward to learning more about the Synod and await the Holy Father's Apostolic Exhortation.*



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