



CATHEDRAL BASILICA of CHRIST *the* KING

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WELCOME!

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*.

PASTORAL STAFF

The Most Reverend D. DOUGLAS CROSBY, OMI
Bishop of Hamilton

Very Reverend DAVID A. WYNEN, Rector, VF
Monsignor EDWARD D. SHERIDAN, In Residence
Mrs. LISA TUCK, Parish Secretary
Mrs. SANDRA GOULD, Pastoral Minister
Mr. ROBERT CORSO, Director of Music
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Sister LENA PETRUCELLI, CSJB, Sacristan

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Closed
Tuesday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Friday 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

SUNDAY MASS

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

RECONCILIATION

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

DAILY MASS

Tuesday - Friday at 8:00 a.m.

CARE OF THE SICK

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

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 found in the Tower entrance.

VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

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

CATHOLIC BURIAL NEEDS

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

MASS INTENTIONS27TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME*Daily Mass Celebrated in McNally Hall.*

Tuesday, October 5, 2021

Jonah 3.1-10; Luke 10.38-42

8:00 a.m. + Phil Robson

Wednesday, October 6, 2021

Jonah 4.1-11; Luke 10.38-42

8:00 a.m. + David Bruton

Thursday, October 7, 2021

Our Lady of The Rosary

Malachi 3.13-4.2; Luke 11.5-13

8:00 a.m. (I)Bernie Pataracchia

Friday, October 8, 2021

Joel 1.13-15; 2.1-2; Luke 11.27-28

8:00 a.m. +Reverend John Redmond

Saturday, October 9, 2021

4:00 p.m. Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Vigil 28th Sunday -

+Mike Colameco; +Acacio Soares;

+Federico Facchioni; +Linda Gould

Sunday, October 10, 2021

28th Sunday Ordinary Time

Wisdom 7.7-11; Hebrews 4.12-13; Mark 10.17-30

COLLECTION REPORT*Sunday, September 19, 2021*

Sunday Offerings	\$4,646.50
Loose Offerings	1,003.50
Stained Glass	280.00
Evangelization	50.00
Nds of Cdn Church	1,535.00
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	\$7,515.00

Thank you to our parishioners and visitors for your generous donations. Your contributions assist with the upkeep and operation of the Cathedral Basilica. If you are new to the Parish and wish to begin using envelopes or pre-authorized giving, please visit our parish website www.ctkbasilica.ca If you haven't picked up your 2021 box of offering envelopes you may find it between the King Street doors - waiting patiently.

COVID VACCINES

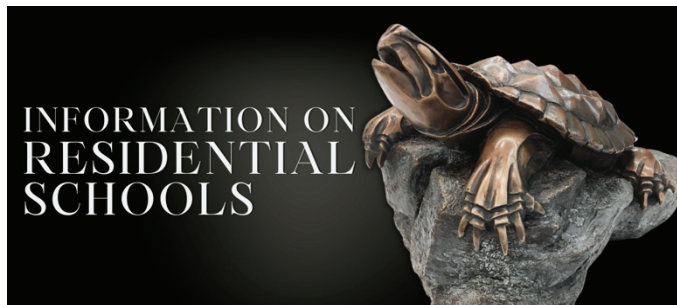
The official position of the Catholic Church is that all available COVID vaccines are ethical and all Catholics who are able are encouraged to receive the vaccine. All employees serving in the Diocese of Hamilton are encouraged to be fully vaccinated or to submit to a COVID rapid test every Monday and Thursday in order to carry out their responsibilities. Volunteer liturgical ministers are required to be fully vaccinated. Bishop Douglas Crosby, OMI, encourages every member of the Catholic Church within our Diocese of Hamilton to be fully vaccinated.

PROOF OF VACCINATION

The Province of Ontario does not require Churches to check for proof of vaccination for those attending Sunday Mass, Daily Mass, Weddings or Funerals, or any other act of worship. There is a requirement to check in order to attend a social gathering. Until further notice, our Parish Hall remains closed for social events, gatherings and receptions.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES AT 4:00 P.M. MASS

We require volunteers (fully vaccinated) to assist with the Sunday 4:00 p.m. Mass as *Ministers of the Word* and *extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion*. Without sufficient numbers of volunteers to sustain these ministries at the 4:00 p.m. Mass we will be *unable* to continue that Mass which is offered at a convenient time on Sunday afternoon. The ministries are open to fully initiated Roman Catholics. Please speak with Father Wynen if you are interested, and able, to volunteer. Training will be provided.



RESIDENTIAL SCHOOLS' RESPONSE

At the end of their annual Plenary Meeting in September, the Bishops of Canada offered an apology for the involvement of Catholics in residential schools. The text of the apology can be found on the website of the CCCB at www.cccb.ca

Visit the Hamilton Diocesan website hamiltondiocese.com for a very comprehensive and well-presented section on Residential Schools. Materials include Bishop Crosby's recent Pastoral Letter; texts of the apologies offered by Catholic entities and a history of the responses of the Diocese and the CCCB to the *Truth and Reconciliation Commission*. The facts presented here will help to inform us in the midst of much misinformation.

WALK TOWARDS TRUTH

The *Walk Towards Truth* is a 21 km reflective walk, organized by a group which is eager to work on awareness and healing with our Indigenous brothers and sisters. The Walk, on Sunday, October 17th, passes by the Woodland Cultural Centre in Brantford (the former Mohawk Institute Residential School) towards the Six Nations of the Grand River reserve, a journey many of the children would have taken. We mourn the loss, and fundraise for the Woodland Cultural Centre, to support the community and to keep the memory of the children alive. For further information, and to donate, please visit: <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/m/64711/donation>

THANKSGIVING DAY

Join us for Thanksgiving Day Mass on **Monday, October 11, 2021 at 10:00 a.m.** As Canadians we have much to be thankful for on this national holiday. As difficult as the past year has been, as much as there is discontent and disunity, let us count our blessings and offer thanks to God.

CONFIRMATION

On Friday, October 15 and Saturday, October 16 we will welcome young people from *Our Lady of the Assumption Parish, Stoney Creek* as they celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation with His Excellency, Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Auxiliary Bishop of Hamilton. The four ceremonies here will see more than 200 young people Confirmed. The celebration had to be deferred from last Spring due to the COVID lockdown.



OPENING CELEBRATION OF THE SYNOD

The opening celebration of the Synod of Bishops will be observed in the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King on Sunday, October 17. Bishop Crosby will preside at the 4:00 p.m. Mass that day to usher in this process of consultation which begins at the Diocesan level and progresses through the national and universal levels by 2023. In the coming weeks we will learn more about our Parish's involvement in the Synodal process of consultation.

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