

CATHEDRAL BASILICA

^{of} CHRIST ^{the} KING

714 King Street West Hamilton, Ontario L8P 1C7 905-522-5744 www.ctkbasilica.ca 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

MondayClosedTuesday - Thursday8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.Friday8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.Office email: basilica@hamiltondiocese.com

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PASTORAL STAFF

Most Reverend D. DOUGLAS CROSBY, OMI Bishop of Hamilton

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

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 of 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 26th Week in Ordinary Time

Tuesday, October 1, 2019 Saint Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin & Doctor *Zechariah 8.20-23; Luke 9.51-56* 8:00 a.m. (I) Maja Milijasevic

Wednesday, October 2, 2019 Guardian Angels *Exodus 23.20-23; Matthew 18.1-10* 8:00 a.m. +Tessie Martin

 Thursday, October 3, 2019

 Nehemiah 8.1-12; Luke 10.1-12

 8:00 a.m.
 + John Windus

Friday, October 4, 2019 Saint Francis of Assisi *Baruch 1.15-22; Luke 10.13-16* 8:00 a.m. + Joe Valvasori

Saturday, October 5, 2019 3:30 p.m. Holy Hour for Vocations 4:00 p.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation 5:00 p.m. Sunday Mass – Ordinary 23 *Habakkuk 1.2-2.4; 2 Timothy 1.6-14; Luke 17.5-10* +Sam Attardo

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, September 15, 2019		
Offertory Envelopes	256@\$27.79	\$7,114.50
Loose Offerings		1,594.75
Stained Glass		1,841.50
Total		\$10,550.75

Thank you for your generous support of the Cathedral Parish. Your weekly and monthly donations assist the Parish in its mission and maintenance. If you are not using envelopes or Pre-Authorized Debits and would like to offer your sacrificial gift to the Cathedral Parish please complete a *Parish Registration Form*. Forms can be found at the entrances of the Church and online at <u>www.ctkbasilica.ca</u>

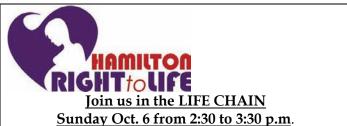
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NEW PARISHIONERS

If you are new to the Cathedral Parish – welcome! We are glad you have chosen to make this your "Parish home." Please take a moment to complete a *Parish Registration Form*. This allows us to get to know you better. Please don't hesitate to introduce yourself and consider some involvement in the Parish. It is good to be here!

CATHEDRAL OPEN HOURS

The Cathedral Basilica is open Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday each week from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. for visits and tours. A *docent* is available to offer brief guided tours and to answer questions from visitors.



Will you show others that you hold to the preciousness of all human life? As people see you and the pro-life signs, hearts are touched. Together with hundreds of pro-life people in the Hamilton area, and with hundreds of thousands internationally, we simply hold a pro-life sign, praying silently for an end to abortions. Please meet for instructions ten minutes before 2:30 p.m. at any of these locations:

Upper James & Mohawk, Hamilton McMaster Hospital on Main St. West, Hamilton (Meet at Canadian Martyrs Church); Highway 8 & Centennial Parkway, Stoney Creek; Highway 8 & Grays Road, Stoney Creek.

BAPTISM AT THE CATHEDRAL

The Baptism of infants usually takes place during Sunday Mass on the first Sunday of each month (except in the Season of Lent). Parents requesting baptism for their child should visit our website <u>www.ctkbasilica.ca</u> for upcoming dates and complete a *Baptism Request Form*.

MULTI-CULTURAL MASS

His Excellency, Bishop Crosby, will celebrate the annual Diocesan Multi-cultural Mass with parishioners from the Diocese's National Parishes participating. The celebration will take place on **Sunday**, **October 6**th at our **4:00 p.m.** Mass – to avoid crowds, regular attendees may want to come to Mass earlier that day.

RCIA

The *Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults* is the process by which unbaptized adults can become fully initiated members of the Catholic Church. The Rites are celebrated at intervals that lead up to the celebration of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist at the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday. Interested individuals should contact Father Wynen at the Parish Office for more information. Our sessions began on Tuesday, September 17th. Please pray for those embarking on this journey with us.

TRAINING FOR MINISTRIES

Sessions for new *Ministers of the Word, Extra*-*Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion,* and *Altar Servers* will take place at the beginning of October. Parishioners who wish to serve in any of these Sunday liturgical ministries should contact Father Wynen or Sandra Gould at our Parish Office.

Ministers of the Word training session on Wednesday, October 2 at 7:00 p.m.

New *Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion* will meet on Thursday, October 3 at 7:00 p.m.

New *Altar Servers* will meet on Saturday, October 5 at 11:00 a.m. Parents are welcome to join us.

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING

The Parish Finance Council will meet on Saturday, October 5, 2019 at 9:30 a.m. The Council meets during the year to assist the Rector in the administration of the Parish and stewardship of its resources.

PIVOTAL PLAYERS

Join us for this four-week video reflection series featuring Bishop Robert Barron. Sessions begin on Monday, September 30 (7:00 p.m.).

Monday, September 30th St. Augustine Monday, October 7th St. Benedict Monday, October 21st Flannery O'Connor

Monday, October 28th Fulton J. Sheen Registration is required – please contact Sandra Gould in our Parish Office for more information.

SERVERS' VESTMENTS

The well-worn soutanes and surplices will be replaced in the coming weeks with liturgical albs. The new robes have been prepared by the Sister Servants of the Divine Master (Toronto). This community operates the Liturgical Apostolate providing vestments, religious objects and prayerful support for Parishes.

THANKSGIVING WEEKEND FOOD DRIVE

Paper bags will be distributed next Sunday. You are invited to return the bag to Mass on Thanksgiving weekend (Saturday & Sunday Masses). The collected food will assist the Good Shepherd Centre in their work with those who less than us.

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

Join His Excellency, Bishop Crosby, for the celebration of the Eucharist on Thanksgiving Day – Monday, October 14 – at 10:00 a.m. in the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King.

PARKING REMINDER

Please be mindful of where you park. Note that the "fire route" is a **no stopping** area. This is by-law enforceable which means that City by-law officers can freely ticket cars parked along the fire route. Note that we have use of the parking area behind the Cathedral at the Nicolas Mancini Centre. Also, valuables should not be left in plain view in your car – even if it is locked. Most come to pray, some few come to *prey*.



