

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

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday Closed Tuesday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Friday 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

4:00 a.m.

Seating is limited to 30% capacity. Masks are recommended during Mass.

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 11 - 11:30 a.m.

Marian Chapel

DAILY MASS

Tuesday through Friday 11:45 a.m. (Cathedral Basilica)

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 preauthorized 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 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

MASS INTENTIONS

Daily Masses are celebrated in the Cathedral Basilica which will open <u>**30** minutes before</u> the announced time of the Mass.

23rd Week in Ordinary Time

Tuesday, September 8, 2020 Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Romans 8.28-30; Matthew 1.1-23 +Glasira Aguilera Hernandez 8:30 a.m.

Wednesday, September 9, 2020 1 Corinthians 7.1-31; Luke 6.20-26 8:30 a.m. +Alberta Gabriele

Thursday, September 10, 2020 1 Corinthians 8.1-13; Luke 6.27-38 8:30 a.m. +Frank Miranda

Friday, September 11, 2020 1 Corinthians 9.16-27; Luke 6.39-42 8:30 a.m. +Cathy Lennon

Saturday, September 12, 2020

11:00 a.m. Reconciliation (Marian Chapel)

5 p.m. Vigil - Ordinary 24-

+Julio Cacoilo, +Michael & Marta Gallo, +Domenico Zoccoli, +Giovanni Parlato, +Filomena DelVecchio

Sunday, September 13, 2020 Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sirach 27.30-28.7; Romans 14.7-9; Matthew 18.21-35

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, August 16, 2020

Regular Collection	114@\$44.93	\$	5,121.50
Loose Offerings		\$	810.25
Stained Glass		\$	170.00
	Total	\$	6,101.75
Sunday, August 23, 2 Regular Collection Loose Offerings Stained Glass Other	2020 123@\$38.79	\$ \$ \$	4,771.00 680.00 80.00 10.00

\$ 5.541.00

Thank you for your ongoing support of the Cathedral Basilica with your weekly offerings. If you would like have a set of Sunday Offering

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envelopes or sign up for pre-authorized giving - please contact our Parish Office. You may wish to consider making your offering using pre-authorized debits. Monthly debits are made from your bank account. No more searching for cash for the envelope & it provides steady income for the parish. All donations are receipted in the usual manner.

RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults will begin its catechetical sessions in January 2021 - rather than September this year. Interested adults who desire to be full initiated into the Catholic Church should contact our Parish Office for an appointment with Father Wynen.

MASS ETIQUETTE DURING PANDEMIC

If you are sick, or if you have a cough, sniffles, or other symptoms, please stay home and recover. Please practice good hand hygiene and physical distancing. Note that we are asked to leave Church immediately at the end of the Mass so that our volunteers can begin disinfecting the pews. Anyone who would like to assist in this task, please speak with the ministers of hospitality.

Thank you for wearing a facemask/covering during Mass.

PARISH & DIOCESAN WEBSITES

Be sure to visit our Parish Website www.ctkbasilica.ca and the Diocesan Website www.hamiltondiocese.com for the latest news and updates. A great way to stay up to date.

PRAYERS FOR THE START OF SCHOOL

In normal years, the start of a new school year is greeted with some excitement. This year, our prayers are with the children, parents, teachers, administrators and support staff for a safe start of school. Our Lady, Help of Christians, pray for us! Please visit our website for the Diocesan Novena for the start of school.



the Church. The Stewardship and Development Office asked for examples, and parishes provided a wealth of them! See the previous fliers at hamiltondiocese.com/news.

CANADIAN MARTYRS, HAMILTON

A report from Sister Mary McIntyre, coordinator of liturgical ministries:

When the doors of the church were closed, the work of discipleship began in a whole new way! A year ago our church communication had already gone digital, so it was a natural transition for us, even as we expanded our outreach; contentheavy weekly emails, updating and optimising our website experience, and daily inspiring messages on social media. Many video updates and initiatives were posted and sent, including "living our faith" testimonies from community members, Senior Leadership Team updates, weekly introductions of community organizations in need, and virtual walkthroughs of our exciting "Cornerstone" building project oh, and weekly Mass and Father's Musings!

Small- and large-group "gatherings" took on a new life within our university Chaplaincy: online faith studies, student leadership formation, lectio divina, social gatherings and spiritual direction. We are especially proud of how generously our community responded to our weekly outreach through which all donations to the church were tithed at 10% and distributed among seven local organizations. Even as the church doors were closed, many more were opened. The work of discipleship continues!

HOLY ROSARY IN BURLINGTON KEEPS ITS CONNECTIONS WITH PARISHIONERS

here was never a lull at Holy Rosary in Burlington because of COVID-19! The parish found numerous ways to keep parishioners in touch with the parish and one another. Here's a sampling:

- Holy Rosary's pastor, Fr. Martin Vallely, was touched by the loving outpouring he received in May for the 40th anniversary of his ordination. On the anniversary day, a "drive-through" celebration took place outside the rectory door, organized by old friends from Stoney Creek and by other priests. For more than a half-hour, cars kept coming, with families – and even Bishop Douglas Crosby – bringing their greetings. The well-wishes brought "great comfort and reassurance," Fr. Vallely said.
- A Web-based bulletin, "Holy Rosary Newsletter 2020," was conceived as a way to keep parishioners connected and to take note of the many wonderful things taking place behind the scenes during challenging times.
- During the isolation, the parish reached out to parishioners who are older, live alone or have chronic and serious health issues. "The purpose of our calls," Pastoral Minister Mary Edmondstone said, "was to let people know that they are missed, to have a chat, to listen to their experience of social isolation, and to see if they had any concerns or needs."
- Cards and drawings created by children of the parish and Holy Rosary School were sent to the Catholic residents of area retirement and longterm care homes.
- A committee was set up to shop and perform errands for seniors who are not able to get out.
- The parish regularly supports the neighbourhood food bank, and Mail Chimp emails have helped inform the church community of its essential

requirements and dropoff and pick-up times.

 Members of the Catholic Women's League have been collecting unsold bread from a bakery each Sunday evening for delivery to non-profit organizations.



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