



CATHEDRAL BASILICA of CHRIST *the* KING

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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

Monday Closed
Tuesday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Friday 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
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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 or 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
25th Week in Ordinary Time

Tuesday, September 24, 2019

Ezra 6.7-8,12,14-20; Luke 8.19-21

8:00 a.m. + Monsignor House

Wednesday, September 25, 2019

Ezra 9.5-9; Luke 9.1-6

8:00 a.m. (I) Ana Marija Jedryk

Thursday, September 26, 2019

Saint John de Brebeuf & Canadian Martyrs

Haggai 1.1-8; Luke 9.7-9

8:00 a.m. + Guy Contestabile

Friday, September 27, 2019

Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest

Haggai 2.1-9; Luke 9.18-22

8:00 a.m. + Maureen Walsh

Saturday, September 28, 2019

2:00 p.m. Cammisoli & Mesih Wedding

3:30 p.m. Holy Hour for Vocations

4:00 p.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Sunday Mass - Ordinary 23

Amos 6.1,4-7; 1 Timothy 6.11-16; Luke 16.19-31

+George Cotroneo; Manuel & Maria Cordeiro; Joe Raso; Giuseppe Reis; Maria Capone; Antonietta Valente; Edna Hargreave

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, September 8, 2019

Offertory Envelopes	255@\\$20.28	\$5,170.75
Loose Offerings		1,862.25
Stained Glass		1,247.00
Total		\$8,280.00

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 www.ctkbasilica.ca

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.



Join us in the LIFE CHAIN

Sunday Oct. 6 from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

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 www.ctkbasilica.ca for upcoming dates and complete a *Baptism Request Form*.

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.

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. Registration is required – please contact Sandra Gould in our Parish Office for more information.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR 2020

Please note that the Mass book for 2020 will be opened on November 1st. We will not be taking requests for 2020 Masses until November 1st. A single intention may be remembered at **one** Saturday 5 p.m. Mass and/or **one** Daily Mass **each** month. Additional intentions will be shared with the Missions.

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.

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.

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 6th** at our **4:00 p.m.** Mass – to avoid crowds regular attendees may want to attend Mass earlier that day.

PLENARY MEETING OF THE CCCB

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) will hold its annual Plenary Assembly at the NAV Centre in Cornwall, Ontario, 23-27 September, 2019. The Plenary Assembly is a gathering of approximately 90 Bishops from across Canada. The Most Reverend Lionel Gendron, P.S.S., Bishop of Saint-Jean-Longueuil and CCCB President, will preside over the meeting.

The 2019 Plenary keynote address will be delivered by Archbishop Giampietro Dal Toso, President of the Pontifical Mission Societies. Established in 1922, the Pontifical Mission Societies are the official missionary arm of the Catholic Church responsible for evangelization and charitable works throughout the world. As part of his address, Archbishop Dal Toso will speak to the Bishops of Canada on the upcoming Extraordinary Missionary Month (October 2019) and its chosen theme "*Baptized and Sent: The Church of Christ on a Mission in the World*".

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