

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

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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.

26th Week in Ordinary Time	Time	Announced Mass Intention or Celebration	Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, September 27, 2015 <i>26th Sunday Ordinary Time</i> <i>Num. 11.25-29; James 5.1-6; Mark 9.38-48</i>	9:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	4:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
Monday, September 28, 2015 <i>Zechariah 8.1-8; Luke 9.46-50;</i>	No Mass		Father Myroniuk
Tuesday, September 29, 2015 <i>Sts. Michael, Gabriel, Raphael, Archangels</i> <i>Rev. 12.7-12a; John 1.47-51</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Piera Palombi	Father O'Brien
	7:00 p.m.	Tenor Bass Rehearsal (Choir room)	
Wednesday, September 30, 2015 <i>St. Jerome, Priest & Doctor</i> <i>Nehemiah 2.1-8; Luke 9.57-62</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of the donor	Pallottine Fathers (S.A.C.)
	7:00 p.m.	RCIA/Symbolon (McNally Hall)	
Thursday, October 1, 2015 <i>St. Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin</i> <i>Nehemiah 8.1-12; Luke 10.1-12</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of Fr. Neil Haight	Father Fedy
	7:00 p.m.	Cathedral Choir Reh (Choir room)	
Friday, October 2, 2015 <i>Holy Guardian Angels</i> <i>Exodus 23.20-23; Matthew 18.1-10</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of Margaret and Leo Snell	Father Palangio, C.R.
Saturday, October 3, 2015 <i>Vigil-27th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Gen. 2.7-24; Hebrews 2.9-11; Mark 10.2-16</i>	3:30-4:30p.m.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Father Giordat, C.R.
	4:00-4:30 pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
	5:00 p.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Cipolla & Leone Family members +Leonardo Angemi + Marija & Marijan Gaspic +Angela Cappelli +Giuseppe Palombi +Michele Sorbara	

SUNDAY COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, September 13, 2015

Regular Offerings (279 env. @ 20.72 avg)	\$5,781.05
Loose Offerings	\$1,449.95
Total	\$7,231.00

Thank you to all who regularly support our Parish with your financial gifts. New Parishioners of those who would like to support us through the use of Sunday envelopes or pre-authorized giving please complete a "registration form" found in the Tower entrance.

CO-OP MISSION APPEAL

Welcome to Father Paul Varuvel of the Diocese of Kottar, India who will offer the Co-op Mission Appeal this weekend at all the Masses. Please pray for all missionaries and for the work of the Co-op Mission Appeal program in our Diocese. You may use the attached envelope for the collection which will be received next weekend. All cheques to be payable to the **Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King**. If you are an envelope user please indicate your envelope number on the Co-op Mission envelope.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

We will be offering an opportunity for young children to participate in the Liturgy of the Word at the 9:00 a.m. Mass on the 3rd Sunday of each month. The children will be invited forward at the beginning of Mass and then follow their leaders to the celebration. They will return to the Assembly (and their parents) at the time of the Presentation of the Gifts. All volunteers participate in the Diocesan volunteer screening process which includes criminal background checks.

PLANETARY POPE: THE ECOLOGY ENCYCLICAL

Please join us **Sunday October 4th**, 7:00 p.m. at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, for Evening Prayer with Bishop Douglas Crosby followed by a talk by internationally renowned speaker Father John McCarthy. This evening will be filmed and shown live by Salt and Light TV. We hope that you can join us for this evening of prayer and Fr. John's talk which will help us to see the importance of Pope Francis' encyclical, "*Laudato Si*". Copies of the encyclical will be available for purchase that evening.

CATHEDRAL IS OPEN

During the months of **September and October** the Cathedral Basilica will be open to receive visitors who wish to view it or who wish to take time to pray. We will open from **11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.** on Wednesdays. Greeters will be available in the Cathedral to assist those who are visiting and to answer questions about the Cathedral Basilica.

MAKING OUR VOICES HEARD

Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishop's 2015 Federal Election Guide

Examples of the application of Catholic moral and social teaching

The following are examples of how Catholic moral and social teaching is to be applied. They do not constitute a political platform but a magnifying glass by which to analyze and evaluate public policies and programs.

3. The person and the family

Promoting the integrity of the person and family includes:

- *Promoting a better balance between familial and professional responsibilities;
- *Ensuring pay equity between men and women;
- *Guaranteeing sufficient basic income for an adequate quality of life;
- *Providing access to quality hospital care for all;
- *Supporting the reunification of immigrant and refugee families;
- *Taking actions against human trafficking;
- *Promoting the rehabilitation of criminals through restorative justice and ensuring support for their victims;
- *Protecting people from addictions to drugs and gambling.

**What do political parties say about these issues?
What positions are the candidates taking?**

HAMILTON RIGHT TO LIFE: LIFE-CHAIN

Today in Canada there are at least a million fewer people than there could be because that is the approximate number of people lost to abortion in the last 40 years. And the fact is there would probably be another one or two million people if those who were aborted had lived, married and started families of their own. It is hard to wrap your head around the loss of so many potential citizens, contributors, and friends. Please join the Life-Chain at **Main Street West** across from McMaster Hospital (parking at Canadian Martyrs), for one hour of silent witness from 2:30-3:30 on **Sunday, October 4th**. If you have questions, please contact 905-528-3065.

SUNDAY MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

Have you ever thought of volunteering as a *Minister of the Word*, *Extra-Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion*, or *Altar Server*? Our Sunday celebrations are in need of more volunteers in these positions ... training is provided.

Ministers of the Word are individuals who are comfortable and competent in speaking publicly and who can proclaim the Word of God with credibility. Volunteers are fully initiated Catholics who are members of the Cathedral Basilica Parish.

Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are people who are willing to bring the Lord to His people in our Sunday celebrations. Volunteers are fully initiated Catholics, of good reputation, who are members of the Cathedral Basilica Parish.

Altar Servers are young people in Grade 4, or older, who want to assist the Priest at Mass and help lead people in prayer. Volunteers are motivated young people who have been Baptized and received First Eucharist, and who are members of the Cathedral Basilica Parish.

If you would like to volunteer please fill out the form below and return it next Sunday ...

Ministry Volunteers (please print)

Name: _____

Telephone or email: _____

- Minister of the Word
- Extra-Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion
- Altar Server (Grade 4 or older)

RETROUVAILLE WEEKEND

Married Singles Lifestyle- The married Singles Lifestyle describes couples that may have lost a sense of closeness they once had as married partners and are living more like roommates. Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long "i") teaches couples how to survive times like these in their marriages. This program has helped thousands of couples experiencing difficulty at all levels of marital distress. For confidential information about or to register for the Hamilton Diocesan program which begins with a weekend on October 23-25, 2015 in Niagara Falls, please call 905-664-5212 or hamiltonretrovaille1@cogeco.ca

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"But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you." --- Matthew 6:33

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