# Holy Cross Catholic Parish

Established as a Parish of the Diocese of Hamilton in 1956

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Office hours -Monday • 12 noon to 4 p.m. Tuesday - Thursday • 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday • 9 a.m. to 12 noon

Bulletin announcements accepted until 12 Noon on Mondays

Parish Staff Father David Wynen, Pastor Mrs. Eileen Anderson, Secretary Mr. Robert Ramage, Maintenance

Catholic Schools Holy Cross (905) 877-4451 St. Francis (905) 877-6928 St. Brigid (905) 877-1779 St. Catherine (905) 702-8001 Christ the King Secondary (905) 702-8838

## Outreach Information

*Parish Nurse* Theresa Scholz (905) 873-1887

*Catholic Women's League* Zenaida Van Klink (905) 877-0439

*Knights of Columbus* Gerry Cole (905) 873-9636

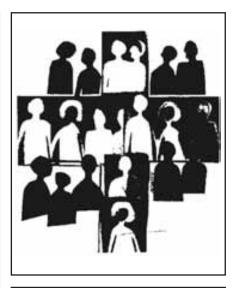
**Prayer Network** Gladys (905) 877-6389 Marie (519) 853-2018

*Natural Family Planning* Joanne & Daryll Hillier (905) 873-0262 Melissa Atlee (289) 891-9162 Sunday Eucharist (Saturday) 5:00 p.m. 8:30 a.m.; 10 a.m.; 12:00 noon

Weekday Eucharist Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. Wednesday - Friday 8:00 a.m. (Bulletin has weekly schedule)

Reconciliation Saturdays 4:00 - 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration Every Wednesday 8:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.



Ministry to the Sick Please call the parish office to arrange for visits, Communion or the Sacrament of the Sick.

## Parish Membership

New parishioners are encouraged to register with the parish by completing a *parish registration form*, available at the main doors of the Church. You may wish to consider offering financial support to the parish by using *Sunday Offering Envelopes* or *pre-authorized withdrawals*. For more information please contact the parish office.

## Sacramental Information

*Baptism* - Infants and young children of parishioners are baptized on the 2<sup>nd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of each month (except during the Season of Lent). Adults needing baptism or reception into the Catholic church should inquire about the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults).

*Marriage* - Weddings for parishioners are generally celebrated on Saturday afternoons. Please contact the pastor a minimum of one year before the planned marriage date.

*Priesthood & Religious Life* - contact Father Dave Wynen or visit the Diocesan Vocations website: <u>www.vocationinfo.ca</u>

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"... be yourselves like living stones, built into a spiritual house ..."

## SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER	LITURGY	INTENTION	PLEASE PRAY FOR
<b>SUNDAY, April 11</b> Acts 5:12-16 • Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17- 19 • John 20:19-31	8:30 a.m. Mass 10:00 a.m. Mass 12:00 Noon Mass	(I) Holy Cross Parishioners	
<b>MONDAY, April 12</b> Acts 4:23-31 • John 3:1-8	No Mass	No Mass	Father Frank Ruzza, CRSP
<b>TUESDAY, April 13</b> Acts 4:32-37 • John 3:7b-15	7:00 p.m. Mass	री Anne Dwyer	Father Louis Lenssen, CRSP
WEDNESDAY, April 14 All Day Eucharistic Adoration Acts 5:17-26 • John 3:16-21	8:00 a.m. Mass	∜ Ilda & Jose De Melo	Salesians of Don Bosco, SDB
<b>THURSDAY, April 15</b> Acts 5:27-33 • John 3:31-36	8:00 a.m. Mass	✤ Paolo Muia & Deceased Family Members	Father Fernando Pinto, CSSp
<b>FRIDAY, April 16</b> Acts 5:34-42 • John 6:1-15	8:00 a.m. Mass	∜ Bill Buck ♥ Dorice Douglas ♥ Gary Hunt	Father Mark Gatto
SATURDAY, April 17 Acts 6:1-7 • John 6:16-21	1:00 p.m.	Holy Cross - 1 <sup>st</sup> Eucharist Celebration	Father Tim Hingston
	4:00 p.m.	Reconciliation	
	5:00 p.m. Mass	<ul> <li>(I) Douglas MacDougall</li> <li>(I) Marge Willis</li> <li>(I) Antonine Landry</li> <li>(I) Diane &amp; Frank Lanouette</li> <li>(I) James Murphy</li> </ul>	

# PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

MONDAY, April 12

6:30 p.m. Children's Choir Rehearsal - church
8:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - church **TUESDAY, April 13**7:30 p.m. Knights of Columbus General Meeting - hall **WEDNESDAY, April 14**7:30 p.m. CWL Executive Meeting -Rectory
8:00 p.m. Prayer Group Meeting - Meeting Room #1

THURSDAY, April 15

7:00 p.m. 12 Noon Choir Rehearsal - church

# WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORTS

Regular Collection • March 28	\$ 9,933.00
Total number of regular envelopes — 573 Average envelope donation — \$15.26	
New Church Building Fund	\$ 3,070.00
Share Lent	\$ 3,085.00
St. Joseph Health System	\$ 195.00
TOTAL WEEKLY COLLECTION	\$ 16,283.00

## FIRST EUCHARIST CELEBRATIONS

Next week we will celebrate first Eucharist with children and families from Holy Cross and Saint Catherine Schools.

## STAINED GLASS WINDOWS

It is our intention to have stained glass windows installed in our new parish Church. A local artisan, Bernhard Viehweber is working on the design and fabrication of the windows. This project will likely be completed in 2 phases. Phase 1 will include placing stained glass windows in the 28 windows of the nave facing the intersection of Argyll and Mountainview. We hope to complete this first phase by the time of the dedication in November. Each window will be available for a donation of \$2,300 and a memorial inscription will be placed on the window indicating the name of the donor and the name of the one(s) remembered. Phase 2 will likely be completed after we have moved into the new Church. It will consist of the two large windows flanking the Sanctuary. The theme of the windows is the life that blooms from the cross and embraces us in our lives. A colour board mock up of the windows is on display at the back of the Church.

### **HOSPITAL & SICK CALLS**

If you or a member of your family is sick in hospital or at home, please contact us for a pastoral visit. Do not wait until death is imminent. Father is happy to come to visit anytime. The Sacrament can be celebrated whenever one is ill.

#### **DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION**

The *Divine Mercy* devotion is based on the private revelation of a Polish nun - Saint Faustina - it helps us focus on the Lord as the font of all mercy. Parishioners will begin observing this devotion on Wednesdays at 3:00 p.m. beginning on April 14<sup>th</sup> during our weekly Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

#### CATHOLIC SCHOOL BOARD TRUSTEES

On October 25, 2010, Catholic school board elections will be held throughout Ontario. In an effort to encourage members of our Catholic community to consider a vocation as a Catholic school trustee, OCSTA has produced a brochure entitled *A Call to Service*. This brochure illuminates the distinctive role of the Catholic trustee and outlines some of the legal qualifications required prior to running in the election. Anyone interested in a brochure, please see Father Dave.

#### SPRING DANCE

Join the Knights of Columbus and InterChurch Health Ministries (ICHM) for their "50's, 60's, & 70's Spring Dance" on Saturday, May 8<sup>th</sup> following the 5:00 p.m. Mass. Chicken Dinner with baked potatoes, salad and dessert. Music by D.J. Tony Soares. Door prizes and silent auction. Cash bar, 18 and over. Tickets are \$15 per person. Contact Gerry Cole at 905-873-9636 or Pat Waskalik at 905-873-3069.

#### CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS

The C.W.L. will be holding their annual Birthright Baby Shower on Tuesday, April 20<sup>th</sup>. Please join your sisters for Mass at 7:00 p.m. followed by the General Meeting at 7:30 p.m. There will be a guest speaker from St. Martin's Manor and refreshments will be served. New unwrapped baby items (sleepers, sweater sets, diapers, crib sheets, blankets, etc.) would be appreciated. Cash donations are also greatly appreciated. If you cannot attend but would like to make a donation please call Mary Blackmore at 905-873-9588. Donations will be forwarded to St. Martin's Manor and Birthright, Milton. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

#### ACTON / GEORGETOWN WALK FOR ALS 2010

The ALS Walk committee would like to welcome everyone to our family friendly walk on Saturday, June 5<sup>th</sup>. There will be a free barbecue, face painting and even a juggler! Check-in starts at 9:30 a.m. with the walk beginning at 11:00 a.m. We appreciate the overwhelming support we received from the community last year. With our 2<sup>nd</sup> annual walk, we hope to raise even more awareness about this disease. Please offer your support by participating in the walk, volunteering or making a donation. There will be a Kick Off Event at the Georgetown Superstore on Monday, April 12<sup>th</sup> 5:30 p.m.–8:00 p.m. For more information contact Melanie at 905-702-0099 or Mary Jo at 905-873-1138.



Planning a funeral can be challenging.

Together with Holy Cross Catholic Parish, J.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home presents an educational seminar to give you the information you need to PLAN AHEAD AND BE PREPARED.

Learn more about the proposed HST and how it will affect your planning

#### Father Dave Wynen

Father Wynen will discuss the value and importance of planning from the church perspective. With wit and candor, he will bring light to this difficult subject.

Heather Kiteley - Guaranteed Funeral Deposits A licensed Funeral Director with a fresh, honest approach to the subject of funerals, Heather will share her experience and perspective on how to make things easier for your family.

Please join us on Wednesday, May 26th, 2010 at 7:30pm at Holy Cross Catholic Parish (Hall), 224 Maple Ave, Georgetown, ON R.S.V.P. 905-877-3631

Refreshments to be served.

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