

Holy Cross Catholic Parish

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Established as a Parish in the Diocese of Hamilton in 1956

OFFICE HOURS

Monday 12 Noon \sim 4:00 p.m. Tuesday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. \sim 4:00 p.m. Friday 9:00 a.m. \sim 12 Noon

PARISH STAFF

Father K. Cull, Pastor

Mrs. Eileen Anderson, Secretary

Mrs. Barb Boulanger, Sacramental Assistant

Mr. Dino Arsenault, Maintenance Mrs. Theresa Scholz, Parish Nurse SUNDAY MASSES (Saturday) 5:00 p.m. Sunday 9:00 a.m.; 10:30 a.m.; & 12:00 Noon

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)
Tuesdays 6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Saturdays 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES
Tuesday 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday - Friday 9:00 a.m.
(Bulletin has weekly schedule of Masses)

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Welcome! New parishioners are encouraged to register with the parish by completing a *parish registration* form, available in the Narthex or the Parish Office. You may wish to consider offering financial support to the parish by using *Sunday Offering Envelopes or pre-authorized withdrawals*. For more information contact the Parish Office.

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Baptism - Infants and young children of parishioners are baptized on Sunday afternoons, except during the Season of Lent. Adults requesting baptism, or the other sacraments of initiation should inquire about the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults). Contact the Parish Office for more information.

Marriage - Weddings for parishioners are generally celebrated on Saturday afternoons. Kindly contact the Pastor a minimum of one year before the desired date of marriage. Preparation is provided in the Parish.

Sacrament of the Sick - Visits to the sick, either at home or in hospital, can be made by contacting the Parish Office. Arrangements can be made for the *Sacrament of the Sick* and for *Holy Communion*. If you are admitted to the Georgetown Hospital please be sure to identify yourself as a "Catholic" at the time of admission.

Priesthood & Religious Life - Contact Father Cull or visit the Diocesan Vocations website www.vocationinfo.ca

Catholic Women's League

Jane Santaluce, President (905) 877-7226

Knights of Columbus

Leo Santaluce, Grand Knight (905) 877-7226

Prayer Network

Gladys (905) 877-6389 Cecile (416) 356-3777

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(905) 702-8838

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Saint Francis School (905) 877-6928

Saint Brigid School (905) 877-1779

Saint Catherine School (905) 702-8001

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Date	Time	Holy Mass	Parish Meetings
SUNDAY, April 19 Easter 3	9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:00 noon	Sunday Mass - (I) Holy Cross Parish (Acts 3.13-15, 17-19; 1 John 2.1-5; Luke 24.35-48)	
MONDAY, April 20		No Mass	
	6:30 p.m.		9am Choir Rehearsal - All Members
TUESDAY, April 21	10:00 a.m. at church	St. Brigid School Mass (Acts 4.32-35; John 20.19-29) † Joao Bairos	
	6:00 p.m.	Holy Hour	
	6 - 6:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	7:00 p.m.	Daily Mass (Acts 7.51 - 8.1a; John 6.30-35) (I) the Freeman Family	
	7:30 p.m.		CWL General - Cote Hall
WEDNESDAY April 22	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Ascts 8.1b-8; John 6.35-40) † Rita Van Wouw	
	7:00 p.m.		5pm Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia
THURSDAY, April 23	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Acts 8.26-40; John 6-44.51) † George Sebalj	
	7:00 p.m.		10:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia
FRIDAY, April 24	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Acts 9.1-20; John 6.52-59)	
	7:00 p.m.		Euchre Night - Cote Hall
SATURDAY, April 25	4 - 4:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Cofession)	
	5:00 p.m.	Vigil Mass - Fourth Sunday of Easter Offered for the Intentions of the Deceased Faithful: Marcia Crossman; Irene deJesus Silva; Estrela & Manuel Lima; Bridget Syme; Ben Fernando. Int. of the Ellis Family	

DRAYTON FESTIVAL THEATRE

Outing to the Drayton Festival Theatre for The Music Man. On Wednesday August 5th plan to join fellow parishioners for a wonderful afternoon of musical entertainment at the Drayton Theatre for a performance of *The Music Man*. The matinee performance begins at 2:00 p.m. and will be preceded by a hot lunch provided by Willing Hands Catering in Drayton. The total cost of the outing per person will be \$60 and includes theatre ticket, lunch and school bus transportation. Please contact the parish office to register.

SPRING YARD CLEAN UP

The Holy Cross Youth Group will be offering to clean up the yards of any Parishioners who could use the help. Please come to the Youth Group table in the Narthex this weekend if you would like to sign up to have help cleaning your yard or if you would like to volunteer to help with the clean up. The clean up will take place on Sunday, April 26th between 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m.

PARISH EUCHRE NIGHT

Please join us for a *Parish Euchre Night* on Friday, April 24 in Cote Hall anytime between 7:00 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. It is very casual – just arrive anytime after 7:00 p.m., find a chair, and start playing. This is not a tournament, but just a fun night of euchre and a chance to get to know some of your fellow parishioners. Don't know how to play? No problem, we'll teach you how. For more information, please contact Daryll Hillier at (905) 873-0262.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE BABY SHOWER

For St. Martin's Manor, Hamilton and Birthright, Milton The Catholic Women's League will be holding its annual Baby Shower on Tuesday, April 21st at 7:30 p.m. following the 7:00 p.m. Mass. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served. While representatives from both St. Martin's Manor and Birthright Milton will present information on the wonderful work done for single mothers and pregnant women by both organizations, our feature presenter will be from St. Martin's Manor. All parishioners are welcome to participate in this annual endeavour by donating new, unwrapped baby items such as sleepers, sweater sets, diapers, crib sheets, baby blankets and toiletries. Cash donations are also greatly appreciated. (Cheques can be made to St. Martin's Manor or to Birthright, Milton. Receipts will be given for donations of \$20 or more.) CWL Members will be pleased to collect donations after all Masses on the weekend of April 17/18. If you cannot attend but would like to make a donation in cash or kind, please call Toni at 905-877-2929 or Jane at 905-877-7226. All donations will be presented to St. Martin's Manor and Birthright, Milton on April 21st. Please note we will not be taking up a collection this month for the Georgetown Bread Basket.

HEALTH & WELLNESS COMMITTEE

CPR (Cardio-pulmonary resuscitation) Class, May 2, 2015 - CPR can save lives. The Parish Health and Wellness Committee is pleased to invite people 16 years of age and older to participate in a 4 hour session to learn cardiopulmonary resuscitation/defibrillator use. The class will be led by Rosalind Stroh, RN, Certified CPR Instructor, on Saturday, May 2nd, from 11:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Class will be held at Holy Cross Church/Cote Hall. Cost \$20.00 per attendant, payable on the day of class. Bring your own lunch, coffee/water will be available. If you would like to attend, please confirm with Theresa Scholz, Parish Nurse, at 905-873-1887 ext. 5 leaving a message with your name and phone number.

Ecumenical Prayer Shawl Ministry Gathering and Reflection - Tuesday, May 5, 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. (doors open at noon) for all who are involved in prayer shawl ministry or would like to learn about it. Hosted by the St. Louis and St. Michael Prayer Shawl Ministries, at St. Louis Church, 53 Allen Street, Waterloo. Bring your shawls, patterns and resources to share. There will be a free-will offering. Prayer Shawl knitting and crochet books will be available for sale. Please register by April 28 by contacting Linda Guacci at 519-888-6954 or prayershawlgathering2015@gmail.com

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PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY

The flavours of Italy: A blend of culture, history, art and spirituality. Father David Wynen will lead a pilgrimage to Italy, October 3rd through October 14th, 2015. Participants will visit Venice, Bologna, Verona, Assisi, Florence and Rome for a taste of the spirituality, art, food and culture of Italy. The pilgrimage is being arranged through Skylink Tours. For information please contact Joanne Cothran at 1-866-296-3345.

FATHER WYNEN'S 25th ANNIVERSARY

Father David Wynen (Pastor of Holy Cross from 2006 - 2013) will celebrate his 25th Anniversary of Priestly Ordination with the celebration of the Eucharist on **Sunday, May 3rd at 4:00 p.m.** in the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King Hamilton. All are welcome to attend the Mass and reception to follow in McNally Hall (Cathedral Auditorium).

PARISH OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR REQUIRED

Holy Rosary Parish in Milton is seeking an experienced office administrator. Duties will include general secretarial and bookkeeping responsibilities, with attention to scheduling, records, communication, Sunday Bulletin, and interaction with parishioners. Familiarity with Word Processing programs and QuickBooks is essential. The successful candidate will possess excellent communication skills and have experience in dealing with the public. Please forward resume and references to: Holy Rosary Parish, 139 Martin Street, Milton ON L9T 2R3, Attention: Fr. Peter Tuyen Nguyen.

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