

Holy Cross Catholic Parish

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Monday • 12 noon to 4 p.m.
Tuesday - Thursday • 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
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Bulletin announcements accepted until
12 Noon on Mondays

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Father David Wynen, Pastor
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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 2nd or 4th 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: www.vocationinfo.ca

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

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER	LITURGY	INTENTION	PLEASE PRAY FOR
SUNDAY, April 18 Acts 5:28-32, 40b-41 • Revelation 5:11-14 • John 21:1-19	8:30 a.m. Mass 10:00 a.m. Mass 12:00 Noon Mass	(I) Holy Cross Parishioners	
MONDAY, April 19 Acts 6:8-15 • John 6:32-29	No Mass	No Mass	Father Robert Dunn
TUESDAY, April 20 Acts 7:51 - 8:1a • John 6:30-35	7:00 p.m. Mass	† Joy Khan	Father Cesar Giraldo
WEDNESDAY, April 21 All Day Eucharistic Adoration Acts 8:1b-8 • John 6:35-40	10:00 a.m. Mass	St. Catherine of Alexandria School Mass † John Halovanic	Augustians O.S.A.
THURSDAY, April 22 Acts 8:26-40 • John 6:44-51	10:00 a.m. Mass	Holy Cross School Mass † Jane Giffin	Father Joe Selvanayagam
FRIDAY, April 23 Acts 9:1-20 • John 6:52-59	8:00 a.m. Mass	† Clarence & Madeline Varey † Filippo & Michael Mendaglio † Cleofe & Consuelo Funtanilla	Father David Reilander
SATURDAY, April 24 Acts 9:31-42 • John 6:53, 60-69	1:00 p.m.	St. Francis - 1 st Eucharist Celebration	Father Anthony Anh
	4:00 p.m.	Reconciliation	
	5:00 p.m. Mass	(I) Marge Willis (I) Robert Brown (I) Gerard Aranha (I) Muriel Page (I) Bartolini Family	

PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

MONDAY, April 19

6:30 p.m. Children's Choir Rehearsal - church

8:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - church

TUESDAY, April 20

7:30 p.m. C.W.L. General Meeting - hall

WEDNESDAY, April 21

8:00 p.m. Prayer Group Meeting - Meeting Room #1

THURSDAY, April 22

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

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORTS

Regular Collection • April 11 \$ 9,3.00

Total number of regular envelopes – 5

Average envelope donation – \$15.

New Church Building Fund \$ 3,00

TOTAL WEEKLY COLLECTION \$ 163.00

FIRST COMMUNION

Congratulations to the children who have received Our Lord in Holy Communion for the first time. Next weekend we will conclude our celebrations with children from Saint Francis of Assisi and Saint Brigid Schools.

STAINED GLASS WINDOWS

Thanks to all who have donated windows for our new parish church. Phase 1 (28 Nave windows is now fully funded). Phase 2 includes the two large windows which will flank the Crucifix in the Sanctuary. We are now taking donations toward these windows. An acknowledgement plaque will be placed near the windows recalling those who have made donations. We expect Phase 1 to be installed in time for the opening of the church. Phase 2 will follow shortly after.

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 8th 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.

FATHER TIMOTHY RADCLIFFE, OP

Today's bulletin has an excellent article by Father Timothy Radcliffe a well-respected theologian and author of many books on spirituality and faith. It is well worth reading.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS

The C.W.L. will be holding their annual Birthright Baby Shower on Tuesday, April 20th. 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.

ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

On Saturday, May 1st, His Excellency Bishop Tonnos will ordain four men to the Holy Priesthood for service in the Diocese of Hamilton. The Ordination will take place at the Cathedral of Christ the King, Hamilton at 11 a.m. The new priests are:

Reverend Mark Morley
Reverend Michael Anderson
Reverend Jeffrey Oehring
Reverend Stephen Crowley

Friday, June 18th, His Excellency Bishop Bergie, our Auxiliary Bishop, will ordain two seminarians to the "transitional" Diaconate (this means that they will, God-willing, be ordained to the Holy Priesthood next Spring). The Ordination of Deacons will take place at Blessed Sacrament Parish, Kitchener at 7:00 p.m. The two candidates are:

Mr. Bradley Markus
Mr. Paul Hryncyszyn

Please pray for those who are to be ordained deacons and priests in the next couple of months - that God might keep them faithful to their vocation and that they will be ardent, but gentle, servants of the Gospel.

Sunday, May 2nd is the *World Day of Prayer for Vocations to the Priesthood* and is commonly called Good Shepherd Sunday. Please pray for an increase in genuine vocations to the Holy Priesthood for the service of God's People.

CATHOLIC CEMETERY IN GEORGETOWN

A representative of the Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton will be present at our workshop on May 26th to answer questions about the new Holy Redeemer Catholic Cemetery, Georgetown, which is expected to open in the Fall of this year.

RELAY FOR LIFE

Join the Canadian Cancer Society Relay for Life on June 4th at the Gellert Community Centre for 12 hours of fun, friendship and fundraising to beat cancer. Take turns walking or running around the track in a non-competitive relay and be inspired by cancer survivors and their loved ones. Experience the excitement of being a part of a nationwide event raising funds in over 480 locations across Canada. You've never felt better staying up all night! Register today as a volunteer, as a cancer survivor or by creating a Team of 10 participants and camp out. You can also purchase a luminary on-line in memory or in honour of a loved one. Luminaries are lit along the track during a special ceremony at dusk. Their light provides inspiration to participants all night long. Funds raised support the Canadian Cancer Society's mission to eradicate cancer and enhance the quality of life of people living with cancer. To join this year's Relay for Life, please visit www.relayforlife.ca



Planning a funeral can be challenging.

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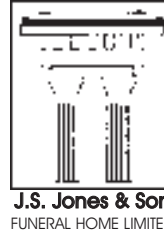
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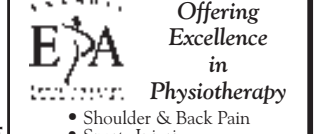
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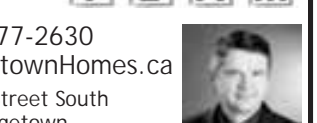
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