

Holy Cross Catholic Parish

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SUMMER SCHEDULE

Sunday Eucharist

(Saturday) 5:00 p.m.
9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

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 ..."

NINETEENTH & TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

19 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	LITURGY	INTENTION	PLEASE PRAY FOR
SUNDAY, August 9 1 Kings 19:4-8 • Ephesians 4:30 - 5:2 • John 6:41-51	9:00 a.m. Mass 11:00 a.m. Mass	(I) Holy Cross Parishioners	
MONDAY, August 10 <i>St. Lawrence, deacon, martyr</i> 2 Corinthians 9:6-10 • John 12:24-26	No Mass	No Mass	Father Charles Fedy, CR
TUESDAY, August 11 Deuteronomy 31:1-8 • Matthew 18:1-5, 10, 12-14	7:00 p.m. Mass	† Joanne Daquano	Father Edward Mahony
WEDNESDAY, August 12 Deuteronomy 34:1-12 • Matthew 18:15-20	8:00 a.m. Mass	(I) Robert Brown	Sisters of St. Joseph, C.S.J.
THURSDAY, August 13 Joshua 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17 • Matthew 18:21 - 19:1	8:00 a.m. Mass	† Olive Rawlinson † Lorraine Pollock † Maria de Luz Araujo	Father James Petrie
FRIDAY, August 14 Joshua 24:1-13 • Matthew 19:3-12	8:00 a.m. Mass	† Maria de Fatima Rego	Father Martin Vallely
SATURDAY, August 15 <i>Assumption of Mary</i> Revelation 11:19a; 12:1-6a; 10ab • 1 Corinthians 15:20-26 • Luke 1:39-56	12:00 Noon	Loconte / Montone-Lyon Wedding	Fr. Jeff Bergsma
	2:00 p.m.	Genoway / Cuning Wedding	
	4:00 - 4:30 p.m	Reconciliation	
	5:00 p.m. Mass	† Kaitlyn Fox † Grace Almeida & Amador Martins † Frank Maddigan † Giuseppi Falcicchio † Ernesto Tactacan	
20 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	LITURGY	INTENTION	PLEASE PRAY FOR
SUNDAY, August 16 Proverbs 9:1-6 • Ephesians 5:15-20 • John 6:51-58	9:00 a.m. Mass 11:00 a.m. Mass	(I) Holy Cross Parishioners	
MONDAY, August 17 Judges 2:11-19 • Matthew 19:16-22	No Mass	No Mass	Father John Van Hees
TUESDAY, August 18 Judges 6:11-24a • Matthew 19:23-30	7:00 p.m. Mass	(I) Jan & Ed Tellier - 62 nd Wedding Anniversary	Father Joseph Durkacz
WEDNESDAY, August 19 Judges 9:6-15 • Matthew 20:1-16a	8:00 a.m. Mass	† Maria Almeida	School Sisters of Notre Dame, S.S.N.D.
THURSDAY, August 20 Judges 11:29-39a • Matthew 22:1-14	8:00 a.m. Mass	† Lauro Bumanlag	Father Edward Sheridan
FRIDAY, August 21 Ruth 1:1-2ab, 3-6, 14b-16, 22 • Matthew 22:34-40	8:00 a.m. Mass	† Consuelo Funtanilla † Joseph Kelly † Antonietta Tanel	Father Rafal Tomon
SATURDAY, August 22 Ruth 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17 • Matthew 23:1-12	4:00 - 4:30 p.m	Reconciliation	Father Piotr Machnacki, SAC
	5:00 p.m. Mass	† Jela Stefan † In Thanksgiving † Donald Martin † Robert Jackson † Jane Giffin	

UPCOMING WEDDINGS

These couples are preparing to celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage in our parish in the coming weeks:

<i>Ambrogio Loconte & Gillian Montone-Lyon</i>	Aug. 15
<i>Michael Genoway & Cheryl Cunning</i>	Aug. 15
<i>Ben MacDonald & Sarah Manson</i>	Aug. 29
<i>Melissa Sinnaeve & Graeme Rassenti</i>	Sept. 5
<i>Todd Fuller & Carrie Bridges</i>	Sept. 12
<i>Scott Connolly & Shannon Emerson</i>	Sept. 26

Please keep these couples and their families in prayer as their wedding day approaches. Couples planning to marry in the Summer and Fall of 2010 should contact the parish office one year before the desired date of marriage.

PARISH BBQ & OUTDOOR MASS

The parish Social Committee is planning a parish BBQ on **Sunday, August 30th** after the 11:00 a.m. Mass which will be celebrated outside on the grass. Parishioners attending Mass are invited to bring lawn chairs to sit on. Thanks to the Social Committee and the Knights of Columbus for assisting with the organization of this event.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Knights of Columbus will hold their 25th Annual Golf Tournament on Monday, September 21st at Granite Ridge Golf Club. Proceeds towards Cancer Assistance (CASHh) in Georgetown. The cost is \$130 and includes golf, power cart, great dinner, prizes for all and appropriate tax receipt. Donations are needed and hole signage is \$125. Contact Bob Smith at 905-873-6325 or Gerry Cole at 905-873-9636.

DIOCESAN INFLUENZA RECOMMENDATIONS

As you know the Diocese has offered various recommendations to all parishes in light of the concerns over the spread of H1N1 Influenza. Thanks to all our parishioners for their cooperation. The recommendations include the following:

1. At the *Sign of Peace* one may simply bow to their neighbours rather than shaking hands.
2. The reception of Holy Communion in the hand is recommended over receiving Holy Communion on the tongue.
3. Hand wash stations are available in the Usher's Room and the Sacristy. Hand sanitisers can be found at the entrances to the chapel (behind the Sanctuary).
4. Sick parishioners are not obliged to attend Mass.

BUILDING PROJECT UPDATE

The Melloul-Blamey Construction Company have begun construction of our new parish church with the necessary site preparation. During the period of construction visitors to the site must report to the Site Office. There is restricted access to the site to ensure the safety of all.

LITURGICAL REVISIONS & TRANSLATIONS

Did you know that the Vatican has been working with the English-speaking Conferences of Bishops on a new English translation of the Order of Mass? Their goal is a more consistent and accurate translation of the Latin text of the Mass (which is the official text). This work of revision is nearing an end and a new "Missal" should be published in 2010 or 2011. This year's "Priest's Seminar" in September will be devoted to study and reflection on the new Order of Mass to help prepare the priests for these changes. It is expected that resources will be prepared in the coming year to assist all of our people in adapting to these changes. You can see some of these changes to the Order of Mass by visiting the American Bishop's website www.usccb.org and follow the link "Church Life and Ministry" to "Liturgy". The texts of the Order of Mass and the Eucharistic Prayer I - IV are located there in a PDF format.

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

This process, through which adults become fully initiated members of our Catholic faith community, will begin again this Fall. If you, or someone you know, is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith and the possibility of becoming a Catholic, please contact Father Dave at the Parish Office. The process involves weekly catechetical sessions, Sunday Mass, and the associated Rites. It is open to unbaptized adults, those baptized in other Christian churches, and Catholics who desire to complete their initiation.

SEEKING HOST FAMILIES

As part of Rotary International's Youth Exchange Program, the Rotary Club of Georgetown is hosting a 16 year-old boy from Thailand for the academic year 2009-10. He will be attending Christ the King Catholic Secondary School and the Rotary Club felt it would be appropriate to give Holy Cross parishioners the opportunity to host this young man for periods of approximately 10 weeks, commencing in the last week of August upon his arrival. Interested parishioners are invited to call the Parish Office and further information will be provided by the Rotary Club on this unique and rewarding program.

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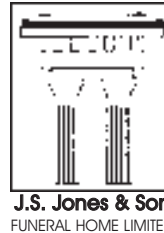
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