

Holy Cross Catholic Parish

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*Established as a Parish in the
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Monday 12 noon ~ 4 p.m.
Tuesday - Thursday 9 a.m. ~ 4 p.m.
Friday 9 a.m. ~ 12 noon

Parish Staff

Father David Wynen, Pastor
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SUNDAY EUCHARIST

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

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

WEEKDAY EUCHARIST

Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday - Friday 8:00 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 David Wynen or visit the Diocesan Vocations website www.vocationinfo.ca

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SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THE SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	LITURGY	INTENTION	PLEASE PRAY FOR
SUNDAY, February 13 Sirach 15:15-20 • 1 Corinthians 2:6-10 • Matthew 5:17-37	9:00 a.m. Mass 11:00 a.m. Mass	(I) Holy Cross Parishioners	
MONDAY, February 14 Genesis 4:1-15, 25 • Mark 8:11-13	No Mass	No Mass	Monsignor Vincent Kerr
TUESDAY, February 15 Genesis 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10 • Mark 8:14-21	7:00 p.m. Mass	† Mary Kirkpatrick	Father Edward Hughes
WEDNESDAY, February 16 Genesis 8:6-13, 20-22 • Mark 8:22-26	8:00 a.m. Mass	† Maria dos Anjos Vieira	Sisters of the Precious Blood, R.P.B.
THURSDAY, February 17 Genesis 9:1-13 • Mark 8:27-33	8:00 a.m. Mass	† Louise & Franc Lescak & Mary & Danny Lolic	Father Adam Voisin
FRIDAY, February 18 Genesis 11:1-9 • Mark 8:34-38 — 9:1	8:00 a.m. Mass	† John & Jeremiah de Oliveria † Barbara & Marko Babic & Magdica Marecic † Karen Rogers	Father Jack Hurley, CSB
SATURDAY, February 19 Hebrews 11:1-7 • Mark 9:2-13	4:00 - 4:30 p.m.	Reconciliation	Father Philip Cook
	No Mass	† Kritopher Kajfasz † Manuel Vieira † Gilindo Marcocchio † Bernie Smith † George Miehm † All Souls in Purgatory	

PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

MONDAY, February 14th

6:30 p.m. Youth Choir Practice - St. Cecilia Room

TUESDAY, February 15th

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

WEDNESDAY, February 16th

6:30 p.m. Parish Group Confirmation - Sacred Heart Room

7:00 p.m. Atrium Blessing

THURSDAY, February 17th

4:00 p.m. Altar Servers Workshop - church

SATURDAY, February 19th

10:00 a.m. Altar Servers Workshop - church

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2011? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, May 15, 2011 at the Cathedral of Christ the King at 2:00 p.m. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest.) Please refer to the poster in the front foyer of the church for information on how to register for the celebration.

ALTAR SERVERS WORKSHOP

Altar Servers Workshop - mandatory meeting for all servers on Thursday, February 17th at 4:00 p.m. OR Saturday, February 19th at 10:00 a.m. in the new Church - to review changes to our serving routines.

PARISH OPEN HOUSE & TOURS

We will offer a "Parish Open House" and tours of the new Church for the Georgetown community on Sunday, February 20th from 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children's Liturgy of the Word will resume on Sunday, February 27th. The Children's Liturgy of the Word celebration will take place at 9:00 a.m. Mass beginning that weekend. The children will be dismissed at the beginning of Mass and will rejoin their parents at the time of the preparation of the gifts. Thanks to the dedicated catechists who make this program possible in our parish. Thanks also to the parents and children for their participation.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

The new Atrium will open with a special celebration and blessing on Wednesday, February 16th.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday, February 15th (following the 7:00 p.m. Mass) the C.W.L. monthly meeting will begin with a tour of our new facility followed by a brief business meeting. All C.W.L. members are welcome.

NEW MASS SCHEDULE

Our Sunday Masses will be celebrated on Saturday at 5:00 p.m. and Sunday at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. beginning next weekend.

From Father Dave ...

Our parish's building project has been planned for many years. The design phase began in September 2007 and construction started in August 2009. Thank you to all who have helped to make the celebration of the Blessing and Dedication of our New Parish Church a reality.

Our thanks to the many parishioners who, for the past 10 years, have contributed their time, talent, treasure and patience to this endeavour. Holy Cross Church stands as a testimony to the faith of our parish community. Its brick and mortar is only a shadow of the beauty of the people of God who gather here each week to offer thanks and praise to Almighty God - the Source of every gift.

We are pleased to welcome Bishop Douglas Crosby, OMI our new Diocesan Bishop who presides over the blessing and dedication of our Church. Bishop, welcome to Hamilton Diocese and to our parish!

Thanks to the architects and staff of the *Walter Fedy Partnership*, Kitchener. These dedicated individuals worked as a team with our parish building committee. They interpreted our parish's project proposal and came up with a unique and functional design. Special thanks to Roger Farwell, Sebastian Giovanazzo, Sanja Mrsa, Rudy Jansen and Don Kudoba.

The *Melloul-Blamey Construction Company*, Waterloo have built us a beautiful, quality building that should serve our community for generations to come. Their professionalism, integrity and expertise have been a great service to our parish community. Particular thanks to the Site Supervisors - Henry Vanderhoef (til April 2010); and Rob Bodendistle; thanks also to our project manager Mark Rintoul and the entire team at MB. A legion of sub-trades have helped to make our building a reality and we express our thanks to all of them.

We also appreciate the efforts of the Diocesan Building Commission, its chair *Father Edward Sheridan*, secretary *Vince Varga*, and the Diocesan Business Administrator *John O'Brien*. The Commission has worked in partnership with our parish building committee and has provided helpful guidance in our discussions dating back to the Spring of 2007.

Thanks to our Parish Building Committee and its chair, Bill Kent for all their contributions along the way. Thanks to our Parish Transition Committee and the Dedication Committee for all their planning and thoughtful preparation of the transition. Thanks also to the Catholic

Women's League and the Knights of Columbus for their continuing support and their hosting of the post Mass reception. Thanks to Metro for their generous donation for the reception.

Today's liturgy has been planned for some time with the assistance of Monsignor Murray Kroetsch - Diocesan Director of Liturgy - and our Parish Liturgy Committee. Thanks also to all who through their participation will make this celebration a truly memorable event. Thanks to the servers, readers, Knights of Columbus Honour Guard, hospitality ministers and many others for their time and cooperation.

A particular word of thanks to the *Dedication Choir* which formed this past Fall and has been working hard to rehearse the music for the celebration. They have been ably directed by Gerri Schaljo who has devoted much time and energy to this important part of today's festivities. Thanks also to the Diocesan Organist - Stillman Matheson and to our own Winston Robinson for sharing their talents with us.

Thanks to all the members of the choir : *Germaine Bagot, Chris & Katrina Beeney (trumpets), Gabriela Britton, Amanda Bruder, Fatima & Julia Cabral, Sarah Calvert (flute), Bill & Rochelle Crawford, Jeannine d'Entremont-Farrar, Domenic DiFilippo (guitar & timpani), Oonagh Duff, Kim Duke, Anne Egan, Zorina Fisher, Linda Forcier, Toni Freeman, Theresa Gregory, Caitlin & Deborah Harries, Elizabeth Hughes, Gael Knowles, Mirra Lefort, Guy Lema, Frans Lescak, Paul Litster, John & Sue Luciani (guitar), Angus MacDonald, Doug MacDougall, Paul MacDougall (guitar), Mary Mlodozenec, Claire O'Gorman, Christine Otto, Margaret Palmer, Tom Pettingill, Brigid Poyner, Maureen Praturlon, Lynn Purdy, Donna Rodrigues (guitar) Leslie Rutherford, Marie Simpson, Robert Smith, Gladys Smyth, Tony Smyth, Anne & Brittany Stewart, Fran Walton and Edward Wintjes.*

It has been a great privilege to work on this project and to work with the many, many fine people associated with it. I pray that our parish community will be strengthened in holiness and unity as a new phase of our parish life begins with our new parish Church. Please pray for all the members of our parish, those who have supported us and all those who have gone before us and now await the Kingdom.

Yours in the Risen Lord,

Father David Wynen

Pastor

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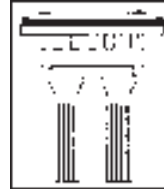


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