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*Established as a Parish in the
Diocese of Hamilton in 1956*

OFFICE HOURS

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

PARISH STAFF

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SUNDAY MASSES
(Saturday) 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
& 12:00 noon**
(**12:00 noon September to June)

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 - Visit the Diocesan Vocations website www.HamiltonVocations.com

Catholic Women's League

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SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Date	Time	Holy Mass	Parish Meetings
SUNDAY, February 16 Ordinary 6	9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:00 noon	Sunday Eucharist - (I) Holy Cross Parish (Sirach 15.15-20; 1 Corinthians 2.6-10; Matthew 5.17-37)	
MONDAY, February 17		No Mass	
TUESDAY, February 18	6:00 p.m.	Holy Hour	
	6 - 6:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	7:00 p.m.	Daily Mass (James 1.12-18; Mark 8.14-21) † Nunzio Varricchio	
	7:30 p.m.		9am Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia
	7:30 p.m.		CWL General Meeting - Cote Hall
WEDNESDAY February 19	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (James 1.19-27; Mark 8.22-26) † Christine Biggs	
	7:00 p.m.		5pm Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia
THURSDAY, February 20	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (James 2.1-9; Mark 8.27-33) † Tony & Manuela Silva	
	7:00 p.m.		10:30am Choir Rhrl - St. Cecilia
FRIDAY, February 21	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (James 2.14-24, 26; Mark 8.34-38 - 9.1) † Silvano Guidotti & deceased family members † Jean Falzon † Souls in Purgatory † Irma Avalos	
	7:00 p.m.		Youth Group - Sr. & Jr. - Cote Hall
SATURDAY, February 22	4 - 4:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	5:00 p.m.	Vigil Mass - Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>Offered for the Intentions of the Deceased Faithful:</i> George Miehms; Verginio Sousa; Amanda Tavares; Wilfred Dsouza; Gladys Smyth. Intentions of Carol Andrews	This week's Sanctuary Lamp is in memory of the Holy Family.

COLLECTION REPORT

Regular Collection • February 2	\$ 7,248.00
Total number of regular envelopes – 349	
Average envelope donation – \$17.39	
Building Fund	\$ 465.00
TOTAL COLLECTIONS	\$ 7,713.00

NEXT SUNDAY IS COFFEE SUNDAY

Next Sunday is Coffee Sunday after all Sunday Masses. Please join us in the parish hall for fellowship and refreshments. There will also be religious articles for sale and the monthly blood pressure clinic.

CWL NEWS

Our meeting on February 18 is open to everyone, as we host a presentation by the Townsend Smith Hospice Foundation. Invite a friend or neighbour to join us to learn the details of the proposed new hospice for

Halton Hills. Please note: there will be NO general meeting on this evening.

February 18 will be the last chance to register for the CWL retreat happening on February 29! Don't miss out! Tickets are \$45.

Do you have a child, grandchild, niece or nephew graduating from high school this year? Graduating high school students who are members of Holy Cross Parish may qualify for the CWL/Knights of Columbus bursary for \$1000. Check out the church website for more information.

CALLING ALL HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

The Catholic Women's League and the Knights of Columbus will **each** be offering one (1) \$1,000 bursary for a graduating high school student who will be entering post-secondary education in the Fall of 2020-2021 school year. The Catholic Women's League will

support a female candidate from Holy Cross Parish, and the Knights of Columbus will support a male candidate either from Holy Cross Parish or from Sacre Coeur Parish. Students interested in applying for this bursary can obtain information about the process from the Holy Cross Parish Website. *The final deadline for submissions is March 31, 2020.*

NEW HOSPICE FOR HALTON HILLS

The CWL will be hosting a presentation by the Townsend Smith Hospice Foundation on **February 18** in Cote Hall at 7:30 p.m. following the 7:00 p.m. Mass. **All are welcome to attend.** Invite your neighbours and friends to join us and learn the details of the proposed hospice.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER SERVICE

The 2020 World Day of Prayer Service will be held on Friday, March 6th at 7:30 p.m. at Knox Presbyterian Church, 116 Main Street South, Georgetown. This year, the prayer service has been written by the women of Zimbabwe with the theme "Rise! Take your mat and walk!" At the core of their message is an invitation to listen to God's word while continuing to pray. The World Day of Prayer service has been held by Christians around the world since 1920 on the first Friday of March each year. It is sponsored by the Women's Inter-Church Council of Canada and is celebrated in more than 170 countries around the world and over 2000 communities across Canada. All are invited to join us in this ecumenical service of prayer.

HOLY CROSS HELPS

Members of Holy Cross HELPS will be at the doors of the church after all Masses next weekend to accept your donation towards their corporal works of mercy in the community. The January collection was \$1,456.50 and we helped 14 clients. We would like to thank parishioners for their continued support and generosity.

HALTON ALIVE

Life Talks Conference: Halton Alive presents Life Talks, a conference packed with learning, development, fellowship, and forward thinking. Don't miss this incredible conference featuring a film screening of Unplanned on Friday night and a full Saturday of Canadian speakers who are leaders, experts, and advocates in the pro-life movement. Youth and adult appropriate content. Equip yourself with the knowledge and perspective to be an ambassador for life in your daily interactions. Full conference details online. March 27/28, 2020 at St. George's Church, 4691 Palladium Way, Burlington. Tickets are \$75/person; early bird \$50 (before Feb. 29); Group rate \$35 (5 or more); Friday night movie only \$5/person. Details & registration www.haltonalive.ca/lifetalks or call/text 365-366-3232.

GEORGETOWN HOSPITAL & SICK VISITS

Father David Walter and our hospital visitors make regular visits to the sick in the Georgetown Hospital. Kindly be sure to identify yourself as a Catholic so that your name can be given to us when we visit.



Capital Campaign Survey Results

Thank you for your participation in the *One Heart, One Soul Capital Campaign* survey. The results have come in as follows:

1st Choice Votes:

- Lay Pastoral Associate – 46.5%
- Debt Reduction – 32.4%
- Lighting Retrofit – 9.9%
- Air Conditioning Replacement – 5.7%
- Sound System – 5.6%

Taking into account the ranking of choices (how you selected priorities 2-5), the order remained the same, but showing a strong support for Debt Reduction. Other results worth highlighting are 'Replacing or Fixing the AC' had a strong showing as a number 2 vote, accounting for 24.3% of 2nd vote selection. Also of note, Lighting Retrofit had a strong 3rd choice showing at 40.85%.

Our Capital Campaign Committee will be meeting again soon to discuss these results, as well as to discuss some other ideas that were put forth. We will be settling on our project priorities soon, and will continue to update the parish on the Campaign planning. Thank you for your participation!

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