Holy Cross Catholic Parish

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Office hours -

Monday • 12 noon to 4 p.m.

Tuesday - Thursday • 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Friday • 9 a.m. to 12 noon

Bulletin announcements accepted until 12 Noon on Mondays

Parish Staff

Father David Wynen, Pastor Mrs. Eileen Anderson, Secretary Mr. Robert Ramage, Maintenance

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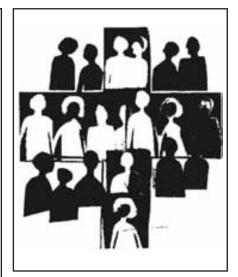
Weekday Eucharist Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. Wednesday - Friday 8:00 a.m.

(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

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	LITURGY	Intention	PLEASE PRAY FOR
SUNDAY, February 7 Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8 • 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 • Luke 5:1-11	8:30 a.m. Mass 10:00 a.m. Mass 12:00 Noon Mass	(I) Holy Cross Parishioners	
MONDAY, February 8 1 Kings 8:1-7, 9-13 • Mark 6:53-56	No Mass	No Mass	Father Ron Cote
TUESDAY, February 9 1 Kings 8:22-23, 27-30 • Mark 7:1-13	7:00 p.m. Mass	ੈ Jackie Labine	Father Florian Stasinksi, CR
WEDNESDAY, February 10 All Day Eucharistic Adoration 1 Kings 10:1-10 • Mark 7:14-23	8:00 a.m. Mass	ੀ Barbara & Marko Babic & Madgica Marečic	Permanent Deacons
THURSDAY, February 11 1 Kings 11:4-13 • Mark 7:24-30	8:00 a.m. Mass	ी John & Jeremiah deOliveira	Father Henryk Krajewski, CR
FRIDAY, February 12 1 Kings 11:29-32; 12:19 • Mark 7:31-37	8:00 a.m. Mass	ੳ Joan Sovran ੳ Bart Ford ੳ All Souls in Purgatory	Father Lech Wycichowski, CR
	7:00 p.m.	Taize Prayer - join us for prayer & silence	
SATURDAY, February 13 1 Kings 12:26-32; 13:33-34 • Mark 8:1-10	4:00 - 4:30 p.m	Reconciliation	Father Said Bello
	5:00 p.m. Mass	ੳ Mark Pilarski ੳ Maria Vieira ੳ Giuseppe Reda ੳ Rita Flynn ੳ Jo ž e & Melonia Govednik	

PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

MONDAY, February 8

6:30 p.m. Youth Choir Rehearsal - church 8:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - church

TUESDAY, February 9

7:30 p.m. Knights of Columbus General Meeting - hall

WEDNESDAY, February 10

7:00 p.m. Confirmation Enrollment (SFA & SC) - church 7:30 p.m. Children's Liturgy Leaders Meeting - Room #2 8:00 p.m. Prayer Group Meeting - Meeting Room #1

THURSDAY, February 11

7:00 p.m. R.CI.A. Meeting - rectory

CONFIRMATION COMMITMENT CELEBRATION

In preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation our candidates and their parents are reminded of the **final** *Commitment Celebration* on Wednesday, February 10th. Candidates and parents must attend a Commitment Celebration. Details about the celebration of Confirmation will be distributed that evening. Please pray for our Confirmation Candidates. His Excellency, Bishop Bergie, the Auxiliary Bishop of Hamilton will confer the Sacrament during the celebration of Mass on Saturday, February 27th and Saturday, March 6th at 10:00 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60th anniversary of marriage in 2010? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for one of two Wedding Anniversary Masses with Bishop Tonnos. Please choose either Sunday, April 11, 2010 at Church of Our Lady, Guelph or Sunday, April 18, 2010 at the Cathedral of Christ the King, Hamilton. Each Mass will begin at 2:00 p.m. Please refer to the poster at the main entrance of the Church for registration information.

PARISH WEBSITE

Our parish website (<u>www.holycrossrc.com</u>) has undergone some changes - check it out.

ST. VALENTINE'S SPAGHETTI SUPPER

Our annual Parish St. Valentine's Spaghetti Supper will be held on Saturday, February 13th after the 5:00 p.m. Mass. (Dinner will be served at about 6:30 p.m.) To purchase tickets, please call the parish office. Tickets will be available after all Masses this weekend. Tickets are \$7 per person or \$20 per family (parents and young children). Tickets must be picked up in the week they are ordered or they will be put back for sale.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS

Our February General Meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 16th after the 7:00 p.m. Mass. We will be having a DVD presentation about "Human Trafficking and the 2010 Olympics." Pancakes will be served after as it is Shrove Tuesday. All ladies of the Parish are welcome.

SEMINARY EDUCATION COLLECTION - February 7th

"Every generous act of giving, with every perfect gift, is from above." (James 1:17) The annual Diocesan collection in support of the seminarians of the Diocese of Hamilton takes place this weekend. A seminarian is someone who is studying and preparing to be a priest. Please remember in your prayers the 19 seminarians who are preparing for priestly service in the Diocese of Hamilton. A diocesan priest commits himself to serve the people of God in loving imitation of Christ who came not to be served but to serve. For personal profiles of the seminarians, for more information about seminary formation and any other questions concerning priestly and religious vocations within the Diocese of Hamilton, please contact Father Kevin Cull at 905-528-7988, etc. 2240 or visit the website for the Vocation Office of the Diocese of Hamilton at www.vocationinfo.ca

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR CONSECRATED LIFE

On this Sunday, February 7th, Catholics throughout the world are invited to celebrate the World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life. We give thanks to God for the men and women who live out their baptismal commitment by professing the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience. We pray for those who have dedicated their lives to God through these vows, especially for those living and serving in the Diocese of Hamilton. We also pray for the men and women from the Diocese who are currently in formation in religious communities. For more information on consecrated life visit the Dicoesan website at www.vocationinfo.ca

SCARBORO MISSIONS

What does it mean to be a missionary priest or lay missioner? Is this something that has crossed your mind or something you may be curious about? If so, please join us for our *Weekend Retreat "Call to Mission"* Friday evening 6:45 p.m. to Sunday lunch February 26-28 at Scarboro Missions, 2685 Kingston Road, Scarborough. Come, pray and reflect on the challenges of today's missionaries, and listen to our Scarboro priests and lay missioners as they share their stories. Walk with us . . . it may change your life forever! To register please contact us at 416-261-7135, etc. 265 or 213 or email us at lmo@scarboromissions.ca

TOWN HALL MEETING

All our parishioners are invited to a *Town Hall Meeting* on <u>Sunday, March 21st, 2010</u> at 3:00 p.m. in the Church Hall. Our architects will make presentations and update us on the final design choices for our new parish church. Specific information regarding the interior of the Church and the arrangement of the Sanctuary will be presented.

PARISH REGISTRATION

It is important to register as a member (or family) in the parish as a sign of your belonging to our Catholic community. If you would like to register please complete the "Registration Form" found at the front entrance of the church. Also, if you have moved kindly inform the parish office by telephone or email (holycrossgeorgetown@bellnet.ca) so that we can update our parish records. Registration at Catholic school does not register the family as parishioners.

SEASON OF LENT

The Season of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, February 17th - join us for the following celebrations and events which lead us through Lent to the joy of Easter.

Ash Wednesday Masses

8:00 a.m. Mass with the Imposition of Ashes 7:00 p.m. Mass with the Imposition of Ashes

School Liturgies with the Imposition of Ashes

9:30 a.m. Holy Cross School (Church)
10:45 a.m. St. Brigid School (Gym)
1:30 p.m. St. Francis School (Gym)
2:30 p.m. St. Catherine School (Gym)

Stations of the Cross - Fridays in Lent at 7:00 p.m.

Adult Faith Education for Lent

Join us for this informative series, "Living our Baptismal Vocation" on the following Thursdays (7:30 p.m. - 9):

Thursday, February 18th - *Baptism & Confirmation* Theresa Hartnett (OMFRE), presenter

Thursday, February 25th - *Sacraments of Healing* Father James Petrie, presenter

Thursday, March 4th - *The Eucharist* David Dayler (OMFRE), presenter

Thursday, March 11th - *Marriage & Holy Orders* Father David Wynen, presenter

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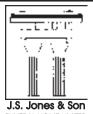
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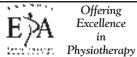
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