Holy Cross Catholic Parish

Established as a Parish of the Diocese of Hamilton in 1956

Worship Place:

224 Maple Avenue Georgetown, Ontario L7G 1X2

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 12:00 noon on Mondays

Parish Staff

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

Catholic Schools

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Outreach Information

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Joanne & Daryll Hillier (905) 873-0262 Melissa Atlee (289) 891-9162 Sunday Eucharist (Saturday) 5:00 p.m. 8:30 a.m.; 10 a.m.; 12 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.

Parish Office:

(as of Monday, January 3, 2011)

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Ministry to the Sick

Please call the parish office to arrange for visits, Communion or the Sacrament of the Sick. If you are admitted to Hospital, kindly identify yourself as a "Catholic" at the time of admission.

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

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	LITURGY	Intention	PLEASE PRAY FOR
SUNDAY, January 30 Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13 • 1 Corinthians 1:26-31 • Matthew 5:1-12	8:30 a.m. Mass 10:00 a.m. Mass 12 Noon Mass	(I) Holy Cross Parishioners	
MONDAY, January 31 Hebrews 11:32-40 • Mark 5:1-20	No Mass	No Mass	Father Martin Vallely
TUESDAY, February 1 Hebrews 12:1-4 • Mark 5:21-43	8:00 a.m. Mass	ी Danny Jackman	Father Stephen Crowley
WEDNESDAY, February 2 Presentation of the Lord World Day for Consecrated Life Malachi 3:1-4 • Luke 2:22-40	8:00 a.m. Mass	ी Barbara & Marko Babic & Magdica Marecic	Lay Parish Ministers
THURSDAY, February 3 Hebrews 12:18-29, 21-24 • Mark 6:7-13	8:00 a.m. Mass	(I) John Bonello	Father David Weise
FRIDAY, February 4 Hebrews 13:1-8 • Mark 6:14-29	8:00 a.m. Mass	ਪੈ John Halovanic ਪੈ Siena van Hoekelen ਪੈ Jennifer Muller	Father Joseph Durkacz
SATURDAY, February 5 Hebrews 13:15-17, 20-21 • Mark 6:30-34	4:00 - 4:30 p.m.	Reconciliation	Father Edward Sheridan
	5:00 p.m. Mass	† Kristopher Kajfasz † Antonio Rodrigues † Manfred Raasch † Joan Sovran † Laurenio & Maria Pontes	

PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

MONDAY, January 31

6:30 p.m. 10:00 a.m. Youth Choir Rehearsal - cancelled

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

TUESDAY, February 2

7:30 p.m. Dedication Choir Rehearsal

WEDNESDAY, February 2

7:30 p.m. CWL Executive Meeting -Sacred Heart Room

THURSDAY, February 4

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

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORTS

Regular Collection • Jan. 9th, 16th & Pre-Auth. \$ 16,598.00 Total number of Christmas envelopes -862

Average envelope donation — \$14.70

New Church Building Fund \$6,910.00

TOTAL WEEKLY COLLECTION \$ 23,508.00

PARISH OFFICE OPEN

Our parish office is open at the new Church. Please note that the contractor is still working in parts of the building and so it is not yet fully open to receive visitors. To access the office, please come to the main entrance which is marked "Parish Office" to the left of the main entrance to the church.

TRANSITION

The transition process to our new parish church now begins in earnest. Please note the following dates:

<u>Dedication Choir</u> - The February 1st & 8th rehearsals will take place in the new Church. A final rehearsal will take place on Saturday, February 12th.

<u>Children's Liturgy Leaders & Atrium Catechists</u> - Workshop on Thursday, February 3rd at 7:00 p.m. at new Church.

 $\underline{\text{Ministers of the Word}}$ - mandatory workshop on Monday, February 7^{th} at 7:00 p.m. in the new Church.

Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - mandatory workshop on Thursday, February 10th at 7:00 p.m. in the new Church.

<u>Dedication ministries rehearsal</u> - Saturday, February 12th at 9:30 a.m. in the new Church.

<u>Dedication Servers rehearsal</u> - Saturday, February 12th at 11:00 a.m. in the new Church.

<u>Altar Servers Workshop</u> - mandatory meeting for <u>all</u> servers on Saturday, February 19th at 11:00 a.m. in the new Church - to review changes to our serving routines.

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY (Ushers)

All those who serve our parish as Ministers of Hospitality (Ushers) and those who assist with the collection, and anyone who would like to be part of this ministry is invited to a brief meeting on Wednesday, February 9th at 7:00 p.m. in the new Church.

FAREWELL SUNDAY

Our closing celebrations will take place at each of the Masses on the weekend of February 5th & 6th. Parishioners will be invited to participate in *signs of farewell* at each of the Masses that weekend. A fuller expression of this will be observed at the 12:00 Noon Mass that day.

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

The Sunday 10:00 a.m. Children's Liturgy of the Word is now on hiatus until 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 *Atrium* will make its final move to our new facility on February 3rd. The new Atrium will open with a special celebration and blessing on Wednesday, February 16th.

PARISH HALL

Please note that the parish hall is officially closed as of Monday, January 17th. This will allow for final cleaning and moving of items to our new church location. The new parish hall and meeting rooms will be open for use after the church is dedicated on February 13th.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday, February 8th - 7:00 p.m. - the Knights General Meeting will take place at the new parish church. It will begin with a tour of our new facility and conclude with the KofC business meeting. All Knights are welcome.

CATHOLIC WOMENS LEAGUE GENERAL MEETING

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

The Most Reverend
Douglas Crosby, OMI
Bishop of Hamilton
will solemnly bless and dedicate
the new Holy Cross Catholic
Church

on

Sunday, February 13th, 2011 at 3:00 p.m.

All parishioners are welcome to come celebrate this historic event in the life of our parish.

DEDICATION DAY SCHEDULE

For the convenience of those who are unable to attend the Dedication Celebration on Sunday, February 13th please note the following Mass schedule for that weekend:

NO Saturday 5:00 p.m. Mass

9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Brigid School (Gym)

11:00 a.m. Mass at St. Brigid School (Gym)

3:00 p.m. Solemn Dedication Mass (Church)

The Dedication Mass will be an opportunity for our parish to welcome the entire Diocesan community of bishops, priests and faithful from across the length and breadth of the Diocese. We will also welcome elected officials and representatives of the Catholic School Board.

A reception will follow the celebration. Thanks to the CWL and K of C for hosting the reception. Thanks also to Father Ted Hughes for assisting with the two morning Masses at St. Brigid School.

NEW MASS SCHEDULE

Please note that our new Sunday Mass schedule - Saturday 5:00 p.m.; Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. will take effect on the weekend of February 20th.

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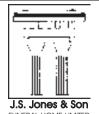
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