Holy Cross Catholic Parish

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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 Noon

PARISH STAFF

Father David Walter, Pastor email: dwalter@hamiltondiocese.com Twitter: @HCParish Facebook: @HCParishGeorgetown

Mrs. Eileen Anderson, Secretary Mr. Dino Arsenault, Maintenance Mrs. Theresa Scholz, Parish Nurse

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

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)

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 <u>www.HamiltonVocations.com</u>

Catholic Women's League Leslie Rutherford, President 905-877-1176 Michele Meitz, Co-President 416-505-4354

Knights of Columbus Francis St. Pierre, Grand Knight 905-873-6455 **Prayer Network** Chris 905-877-0462 Frans 905-877-6369

Christ the King Secondary 905-702-8838

Holy Cross School 905-877-4451 Saint Francis School 905-877-6928

Saint Brigid School 905-877-1779

Saint Catherine School 905-702-8001

FIFTEENTH & SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

| Date | Time | Holy Mass | Parish Meetings |
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| SUNDAY, July 14 Ordinary 15 | 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. | Sunday Eucharist - (I) Holy Cross Parish (Deuteronomy 30.10-14; Colossians 1.15-20; Luke 10.25-37) | *** 12 Noon Mass Resumes September 8 th *** |
| MONDAY, July 15 | | No Mass | |
| TUESDAY, July 16 | 6:00 p.m. | Holy Hour | |
| | 6 - 6:30 p.m. | Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) | |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Daily Mass (Exodus 2.1-15a; Matthew 11.20-24) ∜ Maria Amelia Silva | |
| | 7:30 p.m. | | KofC Executive - St. Joseph |
| WEDNESDAY July 17 | 9:00 a.m. | Daily Mass (Exodus 3.1-6, 9-12; Matthew 11.25-27) (I) In thanksgiving | |
| | 7:00 p.m. | | 5pm Choir Rhrsl St. Cecilia |
| THURSDAY, July 18 | 9:00 a.m. | Daily Mass (Exodus 3.13-20; Matthew 11.28-30) ∜ Mary Beth Brown & Intentions of Msgr. Edward Sheridan | |
| FRIDAY, July 19 | 9:00 a.m. | Daily Mass (Exodus 11.10 - 12.14; Matthew 12.1-8) | |
| SATURDAY, July 20 | 4 - 4:30 p.m. | Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) | |
| | 5:00 p.m. | Vigil Mass - Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>Offered for the Intentions of the Deceased Faithful:</i> Lourdes & Joao Sousa; Ljubica Babic; Rosa & John Chora; Elisa & Filippo Mendaglio; Marie Cini; Tom Ellard & Hugh MacLean; Eliodoro Oliveira; Maria & Oreste De Vincenzo & Michelina Purchio. | This week's Sanctuary Lamp is in memory of George & Nina Busuttil. |

COLLECTION REPORT

| Regular Collection • June 23 | \$ 6,900.00 | |
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| Total number of regular envelopes – 295 | | |
| Average envelope donation – \$18.58 | | |
| Building Fund | \$ | 240.00 |
| TOTAL COLLECTIONS | \$ 7 | 7,140.00 |

TORONTO BLUE JAYS BASEBALL

Holy Cross Parish is "GOING OUT TO THE BALL GAME." We have booked buses to go see the Toronto Blue Jays vs Cleveland Indians on Wednesday, July 24th leaving Holy Cross Church parking lot at 4:45 p.m. for a game start time of 7:07 p.m. Tickets are \$35.00 each which includes your transportation to and from the game. There is no charge for Altar Servers or Youth from the 9am Choir to attend, just let us know you are coming. Tickets on sale after all Masses or contact the office.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Registration for VBS will be available **after all Masses on July 27/28.** This year's theme is "Roar! Life is Wild, God is Good!" Our VBS will run at the church from August 12th to 16th. We are accepting registrations for campers heading into SK up to Grade 3. The registration is \$50 and includes the music CD. The second camper in a family is \$40 and all additional campers in the family are \$30. Volunteers are needed! If you are in Grade 8 or older we need you. Please see us at the Registration table or contact Patti Birk at <u>birk@cogeco.ca</u>

WE WELCOME MSGR. SHERIDAN BACK

Fr. Dave will be away on vacation from July 15-22. In his absence, we welcome Msgr. Sheridan back to the parish. Thank you Monsignor for your willingness to fill in to celebrate Mass with us!

MISSION APPEAL SUNDAY - July 27/28

On the weekend of July 27/28 we will be welcoming Fr. Joselito Ortega, CRSP, who will be preaching at all Masses and speaking about his work. He is a priest of the Barnabite Religious Order. Envelopes will be available to support the mission of the Barnabite Fathers throughout the world.

JULY 14 & 21, 2019

| Date | Time | Holy Mass | Parish Meetings |
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| SUNDAY, July 21 Ordinary 16 | 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. | Sunday Eucharist - (I) Holy Cross Parish (Genesis 18.1-10a; Colossians 1.24-28; Luke 10.38-42) | *** 12 Noon Mass Resumes September 8 th *** |
| MONDAY, July 22 | | No Mass | |
| TUESDAY, July 23 | 6:00 p.m. | Holy Hour | |
| | 6 - 6:30 p.m. | Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) | |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Daily Mass (Exodus 14.21 - 15.1, 20-21; Matthew 12.46, 48-50) ∜ Bronislawa & Tadeusz Walczyk | |
| | 7:30 p.m. | | KofC Executive - St. Joseph |
| WEDNESDAY July 24 | 9:00 a.m. | Daily Mass (Exodus 16.1-5, 9-15; Matthew 13.1-9) ず Tomas Funtanilla | |
| THURSDAY, July 25 | 9:00 a.m. | Daily Mass (2 Corinthians 4.7-15; Matthew 20.20-28) ♥ Deceased members of the Vieira Family | |
| FRIDAY, July 26 | 9:00 a.m. | Daily Mass (Sirach 44.1, 8, 10-15; Matthew 13.16-17) [†] Luis Botelho [†] Josephena Licop Loyola [†] Germana & Amelia Silva [†] Bernard & Helen Hastings & Jack & Florence Kelly | |
| SATURDAY, | 4 - 4:30 p.m. | Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) | |
| July 27 | 5:00 p.m. | Vigil Mass - Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>Offered for the Intentions of the Deceased Faithful:</i> Eliodoro Oliveira; Adelaide Silva & Antonio Frias; Maria Venturin; Danica Radicevic; Tom Ellard Sr.; Veronica Hart; Julia Lucina Bottos. | This week's Sanctuary Lamp is in memory of Terry McGuinness. |

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO VISIT SENIORS HOME

Are you looking for a volunteer opportunity? Do you enjoy visiting with seniors? We need your help! The new Amica Seniors Residence will be opening at the end of August, and we are looking for volunteers to bring Holy Communion to the Catholic residents there. The time can be flexible. We also always welcome new volunteers for this important ministry at the hospital, as well as the other senior residences we serve in town, The Bennett Centre, Extendicare, and Mountainview Residence. If you are interested, please contact the office!

WE'RE HIRING - PARISH MAINTENANCE MANAGER

We are looking to hire a new Maintenance Manager for our parish. The role will include general maintenance and cleaning of the church and Parish Centre; set up and take down of chairs/tables for parish functions; winter snow removal and salting of sidewalks; some outside summer landscape maintenance; and communicating with outside contractors as needed. For further information, see the full job description on our website at <u>www.holycrossrc.com</u>, or contact Fr. Dave by e-mail at <u>dwalter@hamiltondiocese.com</u>, or by phone at 905-873-1887.



Campaign's Pilot Wave passes its goal

With a total of more than \$5 million raised as of early July, the 15 parishes in the Pilot Wave of the Diocese of Hamilton's One Heart, One Soul Campaign have topped their collective target of about \$4.5 million, with pledges still coming in. The campaign is aimed at strengthening parishes throughout the diocese, with a particularly strong impact on parishes in need, and several shared diocesan ministries. Eight of the 15 parishes had topped their campaign minimum target as of early July, with four others nearing the goal. Along with about \$1.8 million in gifts from other supportive donors and organizations and early gifts to later waves, the campaign has raised nearly \$7 million of the overall \$35 million goal.

SUNDAY 12:00 NOON MASS

The Sunday 12:00 noon will be resume on September 8th. Thanks to all who have helped us celebrate this Mass each week.

