



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 K. Cull, Pastor
Mrs. Eileen Anderson, Secretary
Mrs. Barb Boulanger, Sacramental Assistant
Mr. Dino Arsenault, Maintenance
Mrs. Theresa Scholz, Parish Nurse

SUNDAY MASSES
(Saturday) 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m.; 10:30 a.m.; & 12:00 Noon

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 - Contact Father Cull or visit the Diocesan Vocations website www.vocationinfo.ca

Catholic Women's League

Jane Santaluce, President
(905) 877-7226

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Leo Santaluce, Grand Knight
(905) 877-7226

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Gladys (905) 877-6389
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Saint Brigid School

(905) 877-1779

Saint Catherine School

(905) 702-8001

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Date	Time	Holy Mass	Parish Meetings
SUNDAY, May 17 <i>Ascension of the Lord</i>	9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:00 noon	Sunday Mass - (I) Holy Cross Parish (Acts 1.1-11; Ephesians 1.17-23; Mark 16.15-20)	
MONDAY, May 18 <i>Victoria Day</i>		No Mass	
	6:30 p.m.		9am Choir Rehearsal - Cancelled
TUESDAY, May 19	6:00 p.m.	Holy Hour	
	6 - 6:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	7:00 p.m.	Daily Mass (Acts 20.17-27; John 17.1-11a) † Gerald Fitzpatrick	
	7:30 p.m.		CWL General Meeting - Cote Hall
WEDNESDAY May 20	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Acts. 20.28-38; John 17.11b-19) † Deceased Members of the Lescak Family	
	7:00 p.m.		5pm Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia Room
	7:30 p.m.		4 th Degree General Meeting - Cote Hall
THURSDAY, May 21	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Acts 22.30, 23.6-11; John 17-20-26) † Edward Johnson	
	7:00 p.m.		10:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal -St. Cecilia Room
FRIDAY, May 22	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Acts 24.27, 25.13b-21; John 21.15-19) † Robert Brown † Mara & Jure Sebalj (I) Cecile Buck (I) Barb Egan	
SATURDAY, May 23	4 - 4:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	5:00 p.m.	Vigil Mass - Pentecost Sunday <i>Offered for the Intentions of the Deceased Faithful:</i> Francesco Vallecoccia; Doug Christensen; Marina M. Funtera; Estela S. Rondilla; Roger Voyer	
This week's Sanctuary Lamp is for the intentions of Holy Cross Parish.			

MOTHER'S DAY FOOD DRIVE THANK YOU!

The Georgetown Bread Basket would like to thank all parishioners for their generous response to our 5th Annual Mother's Day Food Drive. Holy Cross Parish collected 8,625 lbs. of food which will go a long way to help feed the families in our community.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS

Just a friendly reminder of our May Potluck/General meeting to take place on Tuesday, May 19th at 7:30 p.m. (following the 7:00 p.m. Mass). Our invited guests will be our Grade 8 and Grade 12 Essay Contest Winners who will present their essays that evening. We will also be collecting canned salmon and tuna for the Georgetown Bread Basket. All ladies of the parish are welcome. Remember to invite a friend!

ALTAR SERVER AWARDS

On Wednesday, May 13th, several Altar Servers received the Bishop's Award for Service during the 32nd Annual Altar Servers Awards Ceremony at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King. We congratulate Johnny Boulanger, Benjamin Conrad, Noah Continenza, Cybele Galindez, Marie Galindez, Olivia Santaluce, Justin Siriska, Damiano Viola and Jack Waddick from our parish for the honour they received. The Altar Server Awards program is sponsored by the Serra Club of Hamilton, an organization whose purpose is to foster and promote vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - August 17 to 21

Please mark your calendars and join us for this year's VBS "Everest," *Conquering Challenges with God's Mighty*

Power! Registration will take place after all Masses this weekend. Children currently in Junior Kindergarten and up to grade 3 are welcome to join us for mornings filled with crafts, games, snacks, bible stories and songs. The program runs Monday, August 17th to Friday, August 21st from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Cost is \$35 per child. A music CD with the program songs will be available for \$10 each and can be pre-ordered and picked up on the first day of camp. We need volunteers to help make our VBS a success. If you are interested in helping out please contact the parish office.

DRAYTON FESTIVAL THEATRE

Outing to the Drayton Festival Theatre for The Music Man. On Wednesday August 5th plan to join fellow parishioners for a wonderful afternoon of musical entertainment at the Drayton Theatre for a performance of *The Music Man*. The matinee performance begins at 2:00 p.m. and will be preceded by a hot lunch provided by Willing Hands Catering in Drayton. The total cost of the outing per person will be \$60 and includes theatre ticket, lunch and school bus transportation. Please contact the parish office to register.

HEALTH AND WELLNESS DAY

Saturday, May 23, 2015 from 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in Cote Hall. All parishioners, as well as your friends and neighbours (ages 18 - 80+) are warmly invited to attend an informative and fun-filled day on the theme: "Healthy in Mind, Body and Spirit: The Power for Success is Within." Teresa Hartnett, Director of Family Ministry, Hamilton Diocesan office; Dr. Don Trant, a recently retired Georgetown physician; and Lynn Himmelman, a certified Forgiveness and Laughter coach, will present practical strategies for overall good health of body, mind and spirit! There will be information and service booths from local providers of health related resources. Please call our Parish Nurse, Theresa Scholz, at 905-873-1887, ext. 5 to let her know that you plan to attend this free event sponsored by the Health and Wellness Committee of Holy Cross Parish.

KofC 31st ANNUAL CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

Everyone is invited to join in the 31st Annual Charity Golf Tournament in aid of charities, including Cancer Assistance Services of Halton Hills (CASHh). Monday, June 22nd at Eagle Ridge Golf Club. Shotgun start at 12:30 p.m. Registration fee of \$150 includes 18 holes of golf, power cart, BBQ lunch, dinner, random prizes, and an Eagle Ridge caddie towel. Early Bird registrations paid by May 25th qualify for a special draw. Contact Jim McDonald at 905-873-2519 or Jim Pickett at 289-891-8984 for tickets or more information.

HALTON ALIVE WALK FOR LIFE

Halton Alive's (formerly Halton Pro-Life) annual **Walk for Life** is on Saturday May 30th at Burlington Christian Fellowship, 2054 Mountainside Drive, Burlington. Participating in the Walk for Life creates a visible presence for life and helps raise funds to support pro-life education in our schools and communities. If we all give a little we can do a lot! Halton Alive would love to see you and your family at the walk and enjoy a BBQ afterward. Visit www.haltonalive.com/walk-for-life for more information and print your pledge form to get started! Send any questions to info@haltonalive.com or call 905-632-3232.

SOUNDS OF JOY

All are invited to the 1st Annual Talent Show "Sounds of Joy" celebrating the musical talents of high school students from the seven Catholic School Boards in the Diocese of Hamilton. Join us at the Hamilton Convention Centre on Tuesday May 26th beginning at 6:30 p.m. For tickets visit : www.hamiltondiocese.com or call the Chancery Office at 905-528-7988.

SUNDAY 12:00 NOON MASS

Our Sunday 12 noon Mass will conclude on Sunday, June 28th. Thanks to all who have helped us celebrate this Mass each week - our lectors, extra-ordinary ministers, altar servers; and to our choir and musicians for their faithful service. The 12 noon Mass will resume in September.

PARISH OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR REQUIRED

Holy Rosary Parish in Milton is seeking an experienced office administrator. Duties will include general secretarial and bookkeeping responsibilities, with attention to scheduling, records, communication, Sunday Bulletin, and interaction with parishioners. Familiarity with Word Processing programs and QuickBooks is essential. The successful candidate will possess excellent communication skills and have experience in dealing with the public. Please forward resume and references to: Holy Rosary Parish, 139 Martin Street, Milton ON L9T 2R3, Attention: Fr. Peter Tuyen Nguyen.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

The Sacrament of the Sick can be celebrated anytime one is seriously ill or facing major surgery. It is not reserved to the time of death. We do not have "last rites" which suggest a limitation in appreciating the healing ministry of the Church's prayer. When someone is near death there are special prayers of commendation that are used. Please call the parish office if you, or a member of your family wishes to celebrate the Sacrament of the Sick.

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