



# 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](http://www.vocationinfo.ca)

## Catholic Women's League

Jane Santaluce, President  
(905) 877-7226

## Knights of Columbus

Leo Santaluce, Grand Knight  
(905) 877-7226

## Prayer Network

Gladys (905) 877-6389  
Cecile (416) 356-3777

## 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

## FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Date	Time	Holy Mass	Parish Meetings
SUNDAY, May 3 Easter 5	9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:00 noon	Sunday Mass - (I) Holy Cross Parish (Acts 9.26-31; 1 John 3.18-24; John 15.1-8)	
MONDAY, May 4		No Mass	
	6:30 p.m.		9am Choir Rehearsal - <i>CANCELLED</i>
TUESDAY, May 5	6:00 p.m.	Holy Hour - <i>CANCELLED</i>	
	6 - 6:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) - <i>CANCELLED</i>	
	7:00 p.m.	Daily Mass - <i>CANCELLED</i>	
	7:30 p.m.		CWL Executive Meeting - Marian Room
WEDNESDAY May 6	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass - <i>CANCELLED</i>	
	7:00 p.m.		5pm Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia
THURSDAY, May 7	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass - <i>CANCELLED</i>	
	7:00 p.m.		10:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal - <i>CANCELLED</i>
FRIDAY, May 8	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass - <i>CANCELLED</i>	
SATURDAY, May 9	4 - 4:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	5:00 p.m.	Vigil Mass - Sixth Sunday of Easter <i>Offered for the Intentions of the Deceased Faithful:</i> Lillian Kent & Elizabeth Griffin; Manuel & Piadade Lema; Eduarda Frias & Luis Torres; Cecilia McCuish; Eduardo Tarasca; Frans Scholz	
This week's Sanctuary Lamp is in memory of George & Nina Busuttill.			

### MESSAGE FROM FATHER CULL

I will be away on holidays for 10 days beginning Monday, April 27. I am grateful to Father Adam Voisin, Judicial Vicar of the Diocese of Hamilton, who will be preaching at all the Masses this weekend. Please note that Holy Mass will not be offered during the weekdays that I am away.

### 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 on May 2/3 and May 9/10. 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 17<sup>th</sup> to Friday, August 21<sup>st</sup> 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.

### MASS WITH THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

On Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup> 2:00 p.m. we will offer the *Anointing of the Sick* during the celebration of Mass. This is open to anyone in the parish who is ill, homebound, or facing major surgery. The *Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick* may be received at any time one is ill - it is not only offered when death is imminent. This Sacrament allows us to experience the healing strength of the Lord. Contact Theresa Scholz if you wish to help out. A reception will follow in Cote Hall. All are welcome!

### HEALTH & WELLNESS COMMITTEE

*Ecumenical Prayer Shawl Ministry Gathering and Reflection* - Tuesday, May 5, 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. (doors open at noon) for all who are involved in prayer shawl ministry or would like to learn about it. Hosted by the St. Louis and St. Michael Prayer Shawl Ministries, at St. Louis Church, 53 Allen Street, Waterloo. Bring your shawls, patterns and resources to share. There will be a free-will offering. Prayer Shawl knitting and crochet books will be available for sale. Please register by April 28 by contacting Linda Guacci at 519-888-6954 or [prayershawlgathering2015@gmail.com](mailto:prayershawlgathering2015@gmail.com)

### **MOTHER'S DAY PARISH FOOD DRIVE**

Our 5<sup>th</sup> Annual *Mother's Day Parish Food Drive* will take place on Sunday, May 10<sup>th</sup>. Members of Holy Cross HELPS, Catholic Women's League, and Knights of Columbus are supporting this food drive for the Georgetown food bank. Bags will be distributed this weekend after Mass. Please return them filled after Mass May 9<sup>th</sup> or May 10<sup>th</sup>. Thanks for your support!

### **DRAYTON FESTIVAL THEATRE**

*Outing to the Drayton Festival Theatre for The Music Man.* On Wednesday August 5<sup>th</sup> 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.

### **WALK WITH JESUS**

The Halton Catholic District School Board is pleased to announce our sixth annual **Walk With Jesus**, student walkathon in support of Catholic Education Week on Thursday, May 7<sup>th</sup>. Twenty student representatives from each of our 54 schools will participate in this event. Students will exhibit a sense of community and solidarity in support of their Catholicity and social justice as they walk from Bronte Provincial Park to Corpus Christi Catholic Secondary School, at which point they will participate in Mass led by His Excellency Bishop Crosby. An important social justice focus of our Walk With Jesus is to provide students with fundraising opportunities in support of Catholic charitable commitments. This year the charitable funds will support the Halton Catholic Children's Education Foundation, which is committed to enhancing the educational experience and enriching the lives of students within our Catholic school communities. The participation of students from throughout the HCDSB community in our annual **Walk With Jesus** will demonstrate that "children helping children" is an important and achievable goal of this board-wide initiative in support of Catholic Education Week. Please keep us in your prayers on Thursday May 7.

### **CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING**

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in June 2015 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

### **KofC 31<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT**

Everyone is invited to join in the 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Charity Golf Tournament in aid of charities, including Cancer Assistance Services of Halton Hills (CASHh). Monday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> 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 25<sup>th</sup> qualify for a special draw. Contact Jim McDonald at 905-873-2519 or Jim Pickett at 289-891-8984 for tickets or more information.

### **GEORGETOWN CANDLELIGHT TRIBUTES**

*Georgetown Candlelight Tributes* honour our Veterans by bringing acknowledgement and recognition that are so richly deserved. The Tributes allow the students, our youngest generation to meet and greet the Veterans to express thanks for the peace and freedom they enjoy as Canadians. On Thursday, May 7<sup>th</sup> during the day, approximately 1175 school children from 18 schools in Georgetown and surrounding area will participate by laying candles at Remembrance Park in Georgetown at 10:00 a.m. The students from Glen Williams Public School will lay their candles at the Cenotaph in Glen Williams at 1:00 p.m. In the evening you are invited to gather at 6:30 p.m. at the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 120 on Mill Street to participate in the "Silent Walk" starting at 7:00 p.m. The silent procession to lay candles at the Cenotaph will follow along Market Street to Church Street then north on Main Street to James Street and ending at Remembrance Park. Participants can join the procession along the way or meet at the pavilion in Remembrance Park. Candles will be available at the sites for \$5 each (free to children). Following the walk there will be a reception to meet veterans at the Legion. For more information contact Tom Schenk at 905-877-6839.


### **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.

### **GEORGETOWN HOSPITAL**

Father Cull 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.

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