Holy Cross Catholic Parish

Established as a Parish of the Diocese of Hamilton in 1956

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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

Catholic Schools Holy Cross (905) 877-4451 St. Francis (905) 877-6928 St. Brigid (905) 877-1779 St. Catherine (905) 702-8001 Christ the King Secondary (905) 702-8838

Outreach Information

Parish Nurse Theresa Scholz (905) 873-1887

Catholic Women's League Zenaida Van Klink (905) 877-0439

Knights of Columbus Gerry Cole (905) 873-9636

Prayer Network Gladys (905) 877-6389 Marie (519) 853-2018

Natural Family Planning 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.; 12:00 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. 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: <u>www.vocationinfo.ca</u>

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"... be yourselves like living stones, built into a spiritual house ..."

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER	LITURGY	INTENTION	PLEASE PRAY FOR
SUNDAY, May 9 Acts 15:1-2, 22-29 • Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23 • John 14:23-29	8:30 a.m. Mass 10:00 a.m. Mass 12:00 Noon Mass	(I) Holy Cross Parishioners	
MONDAY, May 10 Acts 16:11-15 • John 15:26 - 16:4a	No Mass	No Mass	Father David Wiese
TUESDAY, May 11 Acts 16:22-34 • John 16:5-11	7:00 p.m. Mass	∜ Alice Campbell	Father Joseph Durkacz
WEDNESDAY, May 12 All Day Eucharistic Adoration Acts 17:15, 22 - 18:1 • John 16:12-15	8:00 a.m. Mass	∜ Ilda & Jose De Melo	Sisters of Social Service, SSS
THURSDAY, May 13 Acts 18:1-8 • John 16:16-20	8:00 a.m. Mass	ੇ Judith Marcela Barsallo	Father Edward Sheridan
FRIDAY, May 14 • St. Matthias, apostle Acts 1:15-17, 20-26 • John 15:9-17	8:00 a.m. Mass	∜ Grace Almeida ∜ Janet Tellier (I) Barb Egan	Father Rafal Tomon
SATURDAY, May 15 Acts 18:23-28 • John 16:23b-28	4:00 p.m.	Reconciliation	Father Piotr Machnacki, SAC
	5:00 p.m. Mass	ជិ Cleofe Funtanilla ជិ Barry Page ជិ Bill Finnigan ជិ Donato Tanieri ជិ Angelina & Manuel Medeiros	

PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

MONDAY, May 10

6:30 p.m. Children's Choir Rehearsal - church8:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - church

TUESDAY, May 11

7:30 p.m. Knights of Columbus General Meeting - hall **WEDNESDAY, May 12**

6:30 p.m. Parish Group Sacramental Prep - church hall7:30 p.m. Children's Liturgy Leaders - Mtg. Room #18:00 p.m. Prayer Group Meeting - church hall

THURSDAY, May 13

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

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORTS

Regular Collection • April 25	\$ 8,746.00
Total number of regular envelopes – 417	
Average envelope donation – \$14.60	
New Church Building Fund	\$ 5,102.00
Holy Cross HELPS	\$1,811.00
TOTAL WEEKLY COLLECTION	\$ 15,659.00

FATHER JOSEPH DURKACZ'S ANNIVERSARY

A Mass of Thanksgiving at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish in Waterdown on **Sunday**, **May 16th at 11:30 a.m.** for Father's 25 Anniversary. Following the Mass, there will be an "Open House" in the parish hall until 3:00 p.m. All are welcome.

50s/60s DANCE - CANCELLED

Those who purchased tickets for the 50's/60's Dance (May 8) can contact Gerry Cole (number on front cover) for a refund.

HEALTH AGING WORKSHOP

Perfect health is not required for healthy aging. Saturday, May 15th starting at 10:00 a.m. Location is Holy Cross Church hall. Come listen to speakers including Dr. Paul Zeni, General Practitioner (keynote); Kara McDonald, Registered Dietitian; Kathleen McAulay, Certified Laughter Leader; Martin Hughes, Chartered Accountant (retired). Come learn strategies that will help you maintain a healthy physical, mental and emotional life. A light lunch will be available to purchase. A Silent Auction and resource materials too. See our bulletin board for more details. Hope to see everyone there. Brought to you by the Holy Cross Parish Health & Wellness committee and Theresa Scholz, Parish Nurse.

FESTA ITALIA at Capina Family Eatery

Join us Monday, May 17th at 6:30 p.m. at Capina Family Eatery, 99 Main St. S., Georgetown. Tickets are \$25 per person (drinks extra) and will be available after Mass this weekend. Only 70 are available so get yours early. For more information contact Marie at 905-877-6928.

Income & Expenses for March 2010

Revenue

Regular Income Building Fund Income Other/Misc. Income			38,705.00 23,659.00 583.00	
Total Income		\$	62,947.00	
Expenses				
Church	Utilities	\$	3,417.00	
	Maintenance	\$	879.00	
	Sacristy	\$	300.00	
Rectory	Utilities	\$	283.00	
2	Maintenance	\$	2,091.00	
Laity & Clergy Salaries		\$1	13,412.00	
Administration		\$	4,577.00	
Retreats/Education		\$	2,087.00	
Parish Council & Committee		\$	256.00	
Other/Misc. Expenses		\$	137.00	
Total Expenses		\$ 2	27,439.00	
This month we made payments of \$29,085.09 to The Walte				

This month we made payments of \$29,085.09 to The Walter Fedy Partnership for architectural fees and \$510,141.31 to Melloul-Blamey for New Church construction costs. Thank you for your generous support of the parish.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Our May General Meeting will be held Tuesday, May 18th after Mass at 7:00 p.m. It's our Annual Potluck Dinner, with Dr. Debbie Zeni as our guest speaker. Her topic is "Women's Health" in today's society. We will have a surprise entertainment that evening. All ladies of the Parish are welcome.

HALTON PRO-LIFE • WALK FOR LIFE

Join us on Saturday, May 29th for our Walkathon Fundraiser. Starting point is St. Dominic Church, 2415 Rebecca Street, Oakville. Includes BBQ, prizes, free tshirts. Registration for the *5km Walk* is at 9:30 a.m. walk starts at 10:00 a.m. Registration for the *10km Walk* is at 8:30 a.m. walk starts at 9:00 a.m. For more information go to <u>www.haltonprolife.com</u> or call 905-632-3232.

CATHOLIC CEMETERY IN GEORGETOWN

A representative of the Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton will be present at our workshop on May 26th to answer questions about the new Holy Redeemer Catholic Cemetery, Georgetown, which is expected to open in the Fall of this year.

GOOD SHEPHERD ATRIUM

→ Thank you to all the parents and catechists who helped with the Atrium retreat for the children preparing for the reception of Communion with a special thank-you to Father Dave for his commitment and support for the Good Shepherd Atrium at Holy Cross.

→ All members of Holy Cross Church are cordially invited to Mass on Thursday May 20^{th} at 7:00 p.m. to celebrate with the children of the Atrium and their family and friends the community, work and prayer that they have enjoyed over this past year in the Atrium. There will be registration for the fall at the reception following Mass in the church hall.

→ Early registration for the Atrium for the year starting September 2010 has commenced for the children currently enrolled in the Atrium. Information regarding dates and times are available at the Atrium. Places for returning children will be reserved until the middle of June at which time all registration will occur on a first come/first serve basis. So if you want a particular time for your child please return the completed registration forms with your cheque as soon as possible to the Atrium or to the church office.



Planning a funeral can be challenging.

Together with Holy Cross Catholic Parish, J.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home presents an educational seminar to give you the information you need to PLAN AHEAD AND BE PREPARED.

Learn more about the proposed HST and how it will affect your planning

Father Dave Wynam

Father Wysen will docuts the value and importance of planning from the church perspective. With wit and candor, he will bring light to this difficult subject.

Heather Riteley - Guaranteed Funeral Deposits A licensed Funeral Director with a fresh, honest approach to the subject of Funerals, Heather will share her experience and perspective on how to make things easier for your family.

Please join us on Wednesday, May 26th, 2010 at 7:30pm at Holy Cross Catholic Parish (Hall), 224 Maple Ave, Georgetown, ON R.S.V.P. 905-877-3631 Refreshments to be served. Liturgical Publications 3171 LENWORTH DR. #12 MISSISSAUGA, ON L4X 2G6 (800) 268-2637



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