



# 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  
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Mrs. Eileen Anderson, Secretary  
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.HamiltonVocations.com](http://www.HamiltonVocations.com)

### Catholic Women's League

Jane Santaluca, President  
(905) 877-7226

### Knights of Columbus

Jim McDonald, Grand Knight  
(905) 873-2519

### Holy Cross Youth Group

[hcgeorgetownyouth@gmail.com](mailto:hcgeorgetownyouth@gmail.com)

### 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

## FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Date	Time	Holy Mass	Parish Meetings
SUNDAY, May 14, <i>Easter 5</i>	9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:00 Noon	Sunday Eucharist - (I) Holy Cross Parish (Acts 6.1-7; 1 Peter 2.4-9; John 14.1-12)	
MONDAY, May 15		No Mass	
	6:30 p.m.		9am Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia Room
TUESDAY, May 16	<b><u>10:00 a.m.</u></b> <b><u>at Church</u></b>	Holy Cross School Mass (Acts 2.42-47; John 20.19-23) (I) In thanksgiving	
	6:00 p.m.	Holy Hour	
	6 - 6:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	7:00 p.m.	Daily Mass (Acts 14.19-28; John 14.27-31a) † Ron Shore	Crowning of Mary during Mass
	7:30 p.m.		CWL General Meeting - Cote Hall
WEDNESDAY May 17	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Acts 15.1-6; John 15.1-8) † Ben McHarg	
	7:00 p.m.		5 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia Rm.
THURSDAY, May 18	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Acts 15.7-21; John 15.9-11) † Kees deGroot	
	7:00 p.m.		<b>10:30am Choir Rehearsal - Resumes in September</b>
	7:00 p.m.	Confirmation for St. Joseph School, Acton	
FRIDAY, May 19	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Acts 15.22-31; John 15.12-17) † Lisa Quinn † Cleofe & Consuelo Funtanilla † Janice Stokes (I) deOliveira, Pavao & Soares families	
	7:00 p.m.		Youth Group - Cote Hall
SATURDAY, May 20	4 - 4:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	5:00 p.m.	Vigil Mass - Sixth Sunday of Easter <b><i>Offered for the Intentions of the Deceased Faithful:</i></b> Pamela Scorgia; Artur Raposo; Robert Moss; Elizabeth Myers; Luiz Botelho; Francesco Callecoccia; Sue & Mel Luciani & Mme. Landry.	This week's Sanctuary Lamp is for special intentions.

### MOTHER'S DAY FOOD DRIVE

Our 7<sup>th</sup> Annual *Mother's Day Parish Food Drive* takes place this weekend. Members of Holy Cross HELPS, CWL, and K of C are supporting this food drive for the Georgetown food bank. Bags were distributed after Masses last weekend along with a list of the most needed items. Thanks for your support!

### PARISH PUB NIGHT

Thank you to the Social Committee and the Knights of Columbus for another Sold Out Pub Night! A good time was had by all! Lots of great music and food. The 50/50 winner was Andre Messier. Watch the bulletin for details in the fall for our next Pub Night.

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - August 21 to 25

Please mark your calendars and join us for this year's VBS "*Maker Fun Factory*," Created by GOD Built for a Purpose. Registration will take place after all Masses on May 27/28. 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 21<sup>st</sup> to Friday, August 25<sup>th</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.

## YOUTH GROUP NEWS

Are you currently in grades 8 – 12? We still have a few spots for the **Steubenville Youth Conference** in Oshawa this summer (July 28 – 30). The total cost for admission to the conference, accommodation, all meals, and transportation is \$325.00. Please contact us at [hcgeorgetownyouth@gmail.com](mailto:hcgeorgetownyouth@gmail.com) if you would like to register for the conference or if you have any questions or inquiries.

## HEALTH NEWS

CPR Workshop on Saturday May 27 from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in Cote Hall. This workshop provides the skills and confidence to respond to a cardiac arrest at home, in public or at work. It is designed for everyday Canadians who don't have medical training but who want to learn how to help someone having a cardiac arrest or a choking emergency as well as parents and families with children or infants, who want to be prepared for a choking or other health emergency. This workshop is based on the most up-to-date science from the experts at the Heart and Stroke Foundation. Upon completion of the course, participants will have online access to their Heartsaver CPR AED card. Cost of the course is \$25 per person and includes the workshop and email certification. To register contact Theresa Scholz at 905-873-1887. Coffee and tea provided. Please bring your own brown bag lunch.

## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS

Just a friendly reminder that our Annual Potluck May General Meeting will take place on Tuesday May 16<sup>th</sup> following the 7:00 p.m. Mass. Please plan to attend the Mass as we will be having a "Crowning of Mary." We have invited the Essay Contest winners from our Catholic Schools to present their paper on "The Value of Catholic Education." We hope you can come out and enjoy good food and friends. Remember that you can always invite a friend to join us at our meetings. We will be collecting cookies, crackers, personal care items (shampoo/conditioner, deodorant, toothpaste) and cash for the Georgetown Bread Basket. Thank you in advance for your support. Remember all ladies of the parish are welcome to attend.

## CHRIST THE KING SCHOOL MUSICAL

Tickets are available for the CtK musical "Into the Woods." The show is playing Thursday May 25, Friday May 26 and Saturday May 27 at 7:00 p.m. and on Sunday May 28 at 1:00 p.m. Tickets for adults are \$20 and \$15 for students/seniors. Tickets are available for purchase at the school during the day or before the show. Contact CtK at 905-702-8838.

## CENTENARY OF FATIMA

*Marian Pilgrimage Days - Five Saturdays from June through October.* Come participate in Marian Pilgrimage days in this the centenary year of the Fatima appearances of Our Lady. Each month we will fulfill the request of our Lady of Fatima to join with her in prayer, invoking blessings and graces for our families, Church and the world by gathering at St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Waterdown. In honour of this year's special 100th anniversary, a plenary indulgence is available to those who attend and perform all the obligations attached to the indulgence. Each day begins with Mass, features a Marian Procession as the rosary is prayed, Stations of the Cross, and quiet time in the Marian garden. The program is from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Pack a lunch. For further information, to check out the day's programming, visit the website [www.stthomaswaterdown.com/pilgrimage/](http://www.stthomaswaterdown.com/pilgrimage/) Dates are: Saturday, June 3; Saturday, July 1; Saturday, August 5; Saturday, September 2; Saturday, October 14 (The 100th anniversary of the final appearance of Our Lady at Fatima).

## 2018 WEDDINGS

Couples planning to marry in 2018 should contact the parish office. Kindly note that we require one year's notice of marriage to allow time for marriage preparation and the completion of the necessary documents. This requirement also applies to couples from Georgetown who are planning marriage outside the Diocese of Hamilton.

## HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

As Catholics, it is important to remember our loved ones by praying for them at Holy Mass. On Friday mornings and Saturday evenings, Holy Mass is offered for a number of intentions. In order to simplify the announcement of the intentions and not have too long a list, the names of family members may be grouped together under the last name.

## 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.

## SUNDAY OFFERING ENVELOPES FOR 2017

If you have not received your boxed sets of 2017 envelopes yet please contact the parish office. If you are not currently an envelope user but would like to start contact the parish office.



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