

Holy Cross Catholic Parish

Established as a Parish of the Diocese of Hamilton in 1956

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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
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Outreach Information

Parish Nurse

Theresa Scholz (905) 873-1887

Catholic Women's League

Agnes Lawrence (905) 873-2434

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

Natural Family Planning

Joanne & Daryll Hillier (905) 873-0262
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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: www.vocationinfo.ca

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

ALL SAINTS

31 ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	LITURGY	INTENTION	PLEASE PRAY FOR
SUNDAY, November 1 • All Saints Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14 • 1 John 3:1-3 • Matthew 5:1-12a	8:30 a.m. Mass 10:00 a.m. Mass 12:00 Noon Mass	(I) Holy Cross Parishioners	
MONDAY, November 2 • Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed Job 19:1, 23-27 • 1 Corinthians 15:20-23 • John 12:23-26	8:00 a.m. Mass	(I) Holy Cross Parishioners	Father Robert Sims
TUESDAY, November 3 Romans 12:5-16a • Luke 14:15-24	7:00 p.m. Mass	† Rocco, Loretta, Stella & Pasqualino Paradisi	Father Frank Freitas
WEDNESDAY, November 4 All Day Eucharistic Adoration Romans 13:8-10 • Luke 14:25-33	8:00 a.m. Mass	(I) Gerard Aranha	Felician Sisters, C.S.S.F.
THURSDAY, November 5 Romans 14:7-12 • Luke 15:1-10	8:00 a.m. Mass	† Souls in Purgatory	Father Franjo Sprajc
FRIDAY, November 6 Romans 15:14-21 • Luke 16:1-8	8:00 a.m. Mass	† Margaret Schrieber † Olinda Oliveira (I) Iva Waters	Father Harry Schmuck
SATURDAY, November 7 Romans 16:3-9, 16, 22-27 • Luke 16:9-15	12:00 noon	Pozzobon / Edwards Wedding	Father Thomas Moisan
	4:00 - 4:30 p.m	Reconciliation	
	5:00 p.m. Mass	† Jose Tavares & Constantino & Deolinda † Jocelyn McArthur † Manuel & Angelina Medeiros † Maria de Lourdes Piques † Antonietta Dalimonte	

PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

MONDAY, November 2

- 6:30 p.m. Youth Choir Rehearsal - church
- 7:30 p.m. Atrium Catechists' Meeting - church hall
- 8:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - church

TUESDAY, November 3

- 6:30 p.m. Atrium Sacramental Prep - Atrium
- 7:30 p.m. Pastoral Council Meeting - rectory

WEDNESDAY, November 4

- 7:00 p.m. Parish Catechesis Parent Meeting - church
- 8:00 p.m. Prayer Group Meeting - church hall

THURSDAY, November 5

- 10:00 a.m. Low Impact Exercise - church hall
- 7:00 p.m. 12 Noon Choir Rehearsal - church
- 7:30 p.m. R.C.I.A. - rectory

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORTS

Regular Collection • October 18	\$ 7,356.00
Total number of regular envelopes — 431	
Average envelope donation — \$15.43	
Building Fund	\$1,022.00
TOTAL WEEKLY COLLECTION	\$ 8,378.00

MONTH OF REMEMBERING THE DEAD

The month of November is traditionally a time to remember those who have died. A special *Book of Remembering the Dead* will be placed in the sanctuary during November - in it you may inscribe the names of your relative and friends who have died. Today at the 12:00 Noon Mass we will remember those have died in our parish this past year. Prayers at Greenwood Cemetery will be offered this afternoon at 3:00 p.m. All are welcome.

CATECHESIS FOR CHILDREN IN PUBLIC SCHOOL

An information meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 4th at 7:00 p.m. Call the office to RSVP.

NEW CHURCH BUILDING FUND

Retired/semi retired parishioner in the Heating & Air Conditioning business is willing to give 10% towards the building fund (for the new church) for any work performed for Holy Cross parishioners. Company is fully licensed and insured. Please contact Tony or Judy at A & J Heating & Air Conditioning 905-877-4938.

Wedding Anniversary in 2009

If you have celebrated (or will celebrate) a wedding anniversary in 2009 - your 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th, 55th, 60th or more - come celebrate with us on **Saturday, November 21st, 2009** at the 5:00 p.m. Mass. A dinner for anniversary couples will follow in the Church Hall. **To register for this special event**, please complete the information below and return it to the parish by Sunday, November 15th.

Names: _____

Telephone: _____

Date of marriage: _____

Church of Marriage: _____

Place: _____

Only anniversary couples will be able to attend the dinner following Mass.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

All C.W.L. members and ladies of the parish are invited to our annual Christmas Social to be held at Eagle Ridge Golf Club on **Wednesday, December 2nd**. Cocktails at 6:30 p.m. and dinner to follow at 7:15 p.m. Tickets are \$30. There is a cash bar. Tickets are available from Mary Jo (905-873-4151) or Marie (905-873-9480).

ATRIUM CATECHISTS' Day of Reflection

On Saturday, November 14th there will be a Catechists' *Day of Reflection* at Immaculate Conception Parish in Markham. For more information contact Deb Zeni.

REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

There will be a Remembrance Service on Sunday, November 8th at The Georgetown Christian Reformed Church, 11611 Trafalgar Road, starting at 7:30 p.m. The theme will be "*Sing Out a Song for Peace.*" The program will be with the participation of the Georgetown Ministerial Association, the Georgetown Choral Society, the Georgetown Children's Chorus and the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 120. World War II veteran, Mr. Bill Tindall will be sharing his story. A special welcome is extended to our veterans and their families. Refreshments will be served after the service and admission is free.

HALTON CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

Fulfilling the Promise – Strategic Planning & Renewal Process Commences At the October 6, 2009 Regular Board Meeting, Board staff presented the Halton Catholic District School Board's five year Strategic Planning and Renewal Process to trustees. This process will initiate the engagement and active participation of all of the Board's community partners, as we, as a system, renew our collective commitment to the Board's Mission and Vision of Catholic education.

The Board's new "Vision Statement," which was approved at the September 15, 2009 Regular Board Meeting, will serve as the foundation in providing direction and purpose for the development and implementation of the Strategic Plan. For more information, please visit www.hcdsb.org/sprp

NEW BEGINNINGS

Are you grieving the loss of a relationship through death, divorce, or separation? Do you want a new beginning? NEW BEGINNINGS helps people of all faiths to discover the deeper meaning in their lives and in their changed circumstances with the help of a trained team of men and women who are divorced, separated and widowed as well. Friday, November 27th to Sunday, November 29th at Mount Mary in Ancaster. Contact Anne at the Diocesan Office for Ministry, Family and Religious Education at 905-528-7988 x 2251.

"For people in the pews ..."

A Series on Ethical & Life Issues from a Catholic perspective

This four part Series presented by the *Canadian Catholic Bioethics Institute* will help us reflect on the Church's teaching in the area of reproductive issues, end of life issues, euthanasia & assisted dying.

The cost of the program is \$40.00 which covers the cost of the presenters and materials. (*Payable to Holy Cross Parish Account*). Please register by **Sunday, November 8th** using this cut out form.

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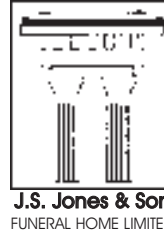
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