

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

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SUNDAY MASSES

(Saturday) 5:00 p.m. Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. & 12:00 noon**

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(**12:00 noon September to June)

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 - Visit the Diocesan Vocations website www.HamiltonVocations.com

Catholic Women's League

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THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Date	Time	Holy Mass	Parish Meetings
SUNDAY, November 10 Ordinary 32	9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:00 noon	Sunday Eucharist - (I) Holy Cross Parish (2 Maccabees 7.1-2, 7, 9-14; 2 Thessalonians 2.16 - 3.5; Luke 20.27-38)	
MONDAY, November 11		No Mass	
TUESDAY, November 12	6:00 p.m.	Holy Hour	
	6 - 6:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	7:00 p.m.	Daily Mass (Wisdom 2.23 - 3.9; Luke 17.7-10) 약 Phyllis Pickett	
	7:30 p.m.		KofC General Meeting - Cote Hall
	7:30 p.m.		9am Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia
WEDNESDAY November 13	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Wisdom 6.1-11; Luke 17.11-19) † Deceased Members of the Green Family	
	7:00 p.m.		5pm Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia
	7:00 p.m.	Confirmation Parent Meeting - St. Brigid School	Registration begins at 7:00 p.m.
THURSDAY, November 14	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Wisdom 7.22 - 8.1; Luke 17.20-25 → Mufalda & Lewis Morello	
	7:00 p.m.		10:30 a.m. Choir Rhrsl St. Cecilia
	7:00 p.m.		Grief Matters - Marian/St. Joseph
	7:00 p.m.	Confirmation Parent Meeting - St. Catherine School	Registration begins at 7:00 p.m.
FRIDAY, November 15	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Wisdom 13.1-9; Luke 17.26-37) Î Emerine de Souza Î Penny Douaud Î Michele Graziani Î Jean Falzon	
	7:00 p.m.		Youth Group - both - Cote Hall
SATURDAY, November 16	2:00 p.m.	Annual Memorial Mass	Light reception in Cote Hall
	4 - 4:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	5:00 p.m.	Vigil Mass - Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time Offered for the Intentions of the Deceased Faithful: Bill Kent; Bernie Smith; Deolinda Tavares, Souls in Purgatory; Conceicao Sousa & Jose Tavares; Elisa & Filippo Mendaglio; Armindo Jesus; Cornelius Green; Eugenio Albano Jr. & Sr., & Maria F. Albano.	This week's Sanctuary Lamp is in memory of All Souls in Purgatory.

COLLECTION REPORT

Regular Collection • October 13, 15, 20, 27 \$30,973.05

Total number of regular envelopes — 1,477

Average envelope donation — \$17.91

Building Fund \$6,070.00

TOTAL COLLECTIONS \$37,043.05

FREE PARISH FAMILY CHRISTMAS MOVIE DAY

We hope you join us to kick off the Christmas season as we watch the fun-filled family Christmas classic "The Muppet Christmas Carol" in Cote Hall Sunday, December 1, from 2:00 to 4:00 pm. Come and enjoy this wonderful movie, fresh baked goods, hot chocolate, coffee and tea all at no cost. Feel free to bring a blanket & pillow to snuggle up in if you like. Please be sure to sign up in the Narthex after Mass.

MAMA MIA at John Elliot Theatre <u>Ticket Pick Up</u>

The tickets for the Globe Theatre's live presentation of the smash hit musical "Mama Mia" at the John Elliot Theatre in Georgetown are available for pick up after all Masses this weekend. Please contact the parish office if you are unable to pick up your pre-paid tickets this weekend.

CONFIRMATION PARENT MEETINGS

Parents of students in Grade 7 in Catholic School who will be receiving the sacrament of Confirmation are reminded of the upcoming Parent Meetings: St. Brigid School - Wednesday, November 13th at 7:00 p.m.; St. Catherine School - Thursday, November 14th at 7:00 p.m. Holy Cross & St. Francis Schools - Wednesday, November 20th at 7:00 p.m. If you cannot attend the meeting night for your child's school please attend one of the other parent meetings.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GENERAL MEETING

The next Knights of Columbus General Meeting will take place on Tuesday, November 12th immediately after the 7:00 p.m. Mass.

CWL NEWS

Just a reminder that 2020 membership fees are now due. Members of the Executive will be available after all Masses in November starting this weekend to facilitate the process. You can also buy your tickets for the CWL Christmas Social being held on Friday, December 6th at Eagle Ridge Golf Club. The price for members is \$45 and \$50 for non-members. Get your tickets early as this event usually sells out quickly.

The Remembrance Day Parade and Service will be on Sunday, November 10th and the CWL will once again be participating in the walk from the Legion to the War Memorial, and the laying of a wreath. All members are encouraged to participate to honour those Canadians who paid the ultimate sacrifice in service to our country. Wear your blue CWL scarves and pins! If you are marching in the parade, the meeting place is behind the Legion on Market Street at 10:30 am. Or if you prefer, you can meet other members of the League at the Cenotaph for the commencement of the service at 11:00 am. Hope to see as many members out as possible.

The next CWL General Meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 19, 2019 at 7:30 pm, following 7:00 pm Mass, and will take place in Cote Hall. We will have the annual memorial to our deceased Sisters, and the election of new Executive Officers for the 2020-2021 term. Please give serious consideration to putting your name forward for one of the elected officer positions of President, President-Elect/Co-President, Secretary, and Treasurer. We are also looking for Chairs for the various organizational aspects of the League. The Health Challenge for November is "Celebrate Your Successes". The draw for those who participate in the monthly Health Challenge will take place at the meeting. The requested food bank donation for the meeting is Toonies to help support the purchase of turkeys for the food bank clients for Christmas. Thank you for your generosity, the

Georgetown Bread Basket greatly appreciates our ongoing support.

PARISH MEMORIAL MASS

Our Parish Memorial Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, November 16th at 2:00 p.m. We will remember in a special way those who have died during the past year, but all parishioners are invited to come to remember their own family and friends who have died over the years. Following the Mass there will be a light reception in Cote Hall. Please RSVP to Theresa Scholz at 905-873-1887, ext. 5.

COPING WITH THE HOLIDAYS

Coping with the Holidays ... when you have lost a loved one. Join us for an evening of reflection and strategies for coping at Christmas, facilitated by Mrs. Teresa Hartnett, Director of Family Ministry for the Diocese of Hamilton. Monday, November 25th from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. in Cote Hall. The event is free of charge. Please call 905-873-1887 to reserve your seat. (If you haven't registered you are still free to attend.)

YOUTH GROUP MEETING

This Friday, November 15th from 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. both Youth Groups will meet in Cote Hall. This event is for all youth in grades 6-12! Come on out and discover the 'path' to sainthood! Hope to see you there. Please RSVP your pizza preference to hcgeorgetownyouth@gmail.com.

HOLY CROSS HELPS

On November 23/24 there will be a special collection for Holy Cross HELPS. This collection allows HELPS to provide extra assistance to clients for Christmas. Next weekend an envelope will be attached to the bulletin for this special Christmas assistance. Please note there will be no HELPS collection in December.

The October HELPS collection was \$ 1,655.85 and we assisted 17 clients. On behalf of those in need in our community, we pass on their sincere gratitude and appreciation for your generosity.

UNITED WAY CHRISTMAS HOUSE TOUR

Join us on Saturday, November 16 from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. and tour beautiful homes all decked out for Christmas! This year guests can tour 6 homes in Halton Hills or do a combined Milton/Halton Hills tour and see 12 beautiful homes in North Halton. Your ticket includes the Christmas Market at Knox Presbyterian Church where there will be Vendors selling gift items, a bake table, raffles, and a soup lunch. Georgetown KIA will be collecting toys for their Toy Drive at Knox during the tour event. For more information, check out uwhh.ca or call 905 877-3066.

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