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

Monsignor Edward Sheridan, Administrator email: esheridan@hamiltondiocese.com Mrs. Eileen Anderson, Secretary Mr. Dino Arsenault, Maintenance Mrs. Theresa Scholz, Parish Nurse Ms. Rachael de Souza, Youth Minister

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

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

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 <u>www.HamiltonVocations.com</u>

Catholic Women's League Leslie Rutherford, President 905-877-1176 Michele Meitz, Co-President 416-505-4354

Knights of Columbus Francis St. Pierre, Grand Knight 905-873-6455 **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

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Date	Time	Holy Mass	Parish Meetings
SUNDAY, November 4 Ordinary 31	9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:00 noon	Sunday Eucharist - (I) Holy Cross Parish (Jeremiah 31.7-9; Hebrews 516; Mark 10.46-52)	
MONDAY, November 5		No Mass	
TUESDAY, November 6	6:00 p.m.	Holy Hour	
	6 - 6:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	7:00 p.m.	Daily Mass (Ephesians 5.21-33; Luke 13.18-21) ় Joan Rutherford	
	7:30 p.m.		9am Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia
	7:30 p.m.		4 th Degree Meeting - Cote Hall
	7:30 p.m.		CWL Executive - Sacred Heart Rm
WEDNESDAY November 7	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Ephesians 6.1-9; Luke 13.22-30) ∛ Jocelyn McArthur	
	7:00 p.m.		5pm Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia
	7:00 p.m.		RCIA - Sacred Heart Room
	7:00 p.m.	St. Brigid Confirmation Meeting - Parents & Candidates	Cote Hall
THURSDAY, November 8	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Revelation 7.2-4, 9-14; 1 John 3.1-3; Matt. 5.1-12a) ∛ Antonio & Vincenza Forestieri & Rocco & Loretta Paradisi	
	7:00 p.m.		10:30am Choir Rehearsal - St. Cec.
	7:00 p.m.	St. Catherine Confirmation Meeting - Parents & Candidates	Cote Hall
FRIDAY, November 9	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Wisdom 3.1-9; John 6.37-40)	
	7:30 p.m.		Crosspoint - Cote Hall
SATURDAY, November 10	4 - 4:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	5:00 p.m.	Vigil Mass - Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time	
		<i>Offered for the Intentions of the Deceased Faithful:</i> Deceased Sebastian Aguiar; Jose Maria Vieira; George & Nina Busuttil; Giuseppe & Rosina Tassone; Manuel & John Araujo & deceased family members; Guilhermo & Victoria Raposo & deceased family members; Deceased members of the Cosentino & Varricchio families; Souls in Purgatory.	This week's Sanctuary Lamp is in memory of Mary Stone.
	6:15 p.m.		JR. Crosspoint - Cote Hall

COLLECTION REPORT

Regular Collection • October 21	\$ 5 <i>,</i> 796.50
Total number of regular envelopes – 347	
Average envelope donation – \$14.92	
Building Fund	\$ 170.00
TOTAL WEEKLY COLLECTIONS	\$ 5,966.50

for all those buried there on Sunday, November 4th at 3:30 p.m. Any parishioners who have family buried in cemeteries overseas or in other communities are welcome to join us for this opportunity to pray for the deceased.

REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE

A Remembrance Day Service, "Sing Out a Song for Peace," will be held on Sunday, November 11th at the Georgetown Christian Reformed Church, 1161 Trafalgar Road, 7:30 p.m.

PRAYERS AT GREENWOOD CEMETERY

Parish prayers will be offered at the Greenwood Cemetery

- 8:30 p.m. The Georgetown Choral Society, the Georgetown Children's Chorus Alumni Choir and the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 120 will be participating. Free admission. Refreshments will be served following the service.

CONFIRMATION PARENT/CANDIDATE MEETINGS

Parents and students in Grade 7 in Catholic School who will be receiving the sacrament of Confirmation are reminded of the upcoming Parent & Candidate Meetings: St. Brigid School - Wednesday, November 7th at 7:00 p.m.; St. Catherine School - Thursday, November 8th at 7:00 p.m.; Holy Cross & St. Francis Schools - Thursday, November 15th 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.

CtK GRADE 8 PARENT INFORMATION EVENING

Attention: Parents/Guardians of Grade 8 Students - Christ the King Catholic Secondary School's *Grade 8 Parent Information Evening* which will be held on Thursday, November 8 beginning at 6:30 p.m. Parents will have an opportunity to experience all that Christ the King has to offer through interactive displays and demonstrations, and visits with course teachers. Come and discover the range of programs, as well as, the different pathways available to students as they prepare for high school. The evening promises to be exciting and informative!

CWL NEWS

• First of all, thank you to all those members who volunteered their help to make Coffee Saturday/Sunday last weekend a huge success.

• The CWL Christmas Social is planned for Friday, December 7th at Eagle Ridge Golf Club. The price for members is \$40. You can buy your tickets after every weekend Mass starting this weekend at the table in the Narthex, and through to November 25th. Tickets will also be available at the November General Council meeting. Get your tickets early as this event usually sells out quickly.

• 2019 membership fees are now due. You can pay your fees at the table where you purchase your Christmas Social tickets, or at the November General meeting.

• As in the past, we are marching in the Remembrance Day Parade here in Georgetown on Sunday, November 11th at 10:30 a.m. All ladies are welcome to march in the Parade (wear your CWL scarf). We have once again purchased a Wreath and some of our members will be placing the Wreath at the Cenotaph on behalf of the League. The meeting spot is behind the Legion.

• And finally, a retreat has been planned for Saturday, February 16th, at Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre in Mississauga. Additional information will be coming out in the near future, but mark your calendars now!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus Council 6026 will be holding their annual Christmas Dinner Get Together on Sunday, December 2nd at 5:30 p.m. in Cote Hall. Tickets are \$40 each or \$75 for a couple and they will be on sale through November after weekend Masses or contact Keith Fraser (647-261-5095) or Joe Crane (647-232-6630) for tickets.

SACRE COEUR PARISH FUNDRAISING DINNER

Please join Sacre Coeur Parish as they hold a fundraising Christmas Dinner on Friday, November 30th from 6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. in Cote Hall of our parish. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$15 for 2-14 yrs. (Children under 2 are free) and will be sold after the 12 noon Mass on November 4, 11, and 18. Contact Monica at 416-388-4619 for tickets or more information.

UNITED WAY HOLIDAY HALTON HILLS

United Way Holiday House and Art Studio Tour 2018 Saturday, November 17th from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Eight local artists from The Artisans' Attic located at Dini and Co. in downtown Georgetown will show their decorated homes, creative artworks and art studio. Enjoy a morning snack or light lunch, the Christmas market with vendors, bake sale and gift basket raffle in the hall at Knox Presbyterian Church. Georgetown KIA will be collecting toys at Knox Church. For tickets (\$35) call United Way 905-877-3066.

CROSSPOINT High School Ministry Grades 9-12

THE DOCTOR - Friday, November 9th from 7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. in Cote Hall. Doctor Seuss, Doctor Watson, the Good Doctor, Doctor Strange...people and characters that captivate our attention because they all reveal something about our needs as human beings. We will talk about this at Crosspoint on Friday ... where we will also eat food, play games, and be crazy. See you there!

JR. CROSSPOING Middle School Ministry Gr. 6-8

THE INVITATION! Saturday, November 10th from 6:15 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. in Cote Hall. You're invited!!! And that's all we're going to say about it – except come join us for food, games, fun and faith – and find out what the invitation is all about!

HOLY CROSS YOUNG ADULTS!

All university/college students and young professionals between the ages of 18 to 35-ish are invited to join our first *Food* + *Fellowship* group. It's a chance to meet other young adults, share life and eat food! At each meeting we will dig into dinner while watching and discussing an episode of the *Catholicism Series* – a film series that dives into our faith from every angle. If you are interested, c o n t a c t R a c h a e 1 d e Souza a t <u>hcgeorgetownyouth@gmail.com</u> by Monday, November 12th. Both your brain and your taste buds will thank you!

