



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
Mrs. Eileen Anderson, Secretary
Mrs. Barb Boulanger, Sacramental Assistant
Mrs. Theresa Scholz, Parish Nurse

SUNDAY MASSES
(Saturday) 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m.; 11:00 a.m.

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.vocationinfo.ca

Catholic Women's League

Jane Santaluce, President
(905) 877-7226

Knights of Columbus

Leo Santaluce, Grand Knight
(905) 877-7226

Prayer Network

Gladys (905) 877-6389
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Christ the King Secondary

(905) 702-8838

Holy Cross School

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Saint Francis School

(905) 877-6928

Saint Brigid School

(905) 877-1779

Saint Catherine School

(905) 702-8001

SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING

Date	Time	Holy Mass	Parish Meetings
SUNDAY, November 23 <i>Christ the King</i>	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist - (I) Holy Cross Parish (34.11-12, 15-17; 1 Corinthians 15.20-26, 28; Matthew 25.31-46)	
MONDAY, November 24		No Mass	
	6:30 p.m.		9am Choir Rehearsal - Adult Members
TUESDAY, November 25	10:00 a.m.	St. Catherine School Mass † Manuel Correia	
	11:00 a.m.		Fr. Robert Barron Session #4
	6:00 p.m.	Holy Hour	
	6 - 6:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	7:00 p.m.	Daily Mass (Revelation 14.14-19; Luke 21.5-11) † Antonio & Vincenza Forestieri & Rocco & Loretta Paradis	
	7:30 p.m.		KofC Executive Meeting - St. Joseph Rm
	7:30 p.m.		Pastoral Advisory Cmt. - Sacred Heart
WEDNESDAY, November 26	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Revelation 15.1-4; Luke 21.12-19) (I) Brian & Melissa	
	7:00 p.m.		5pm Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia Room
	7:00 p.m.		Fr. Robert Barron Session #4
THURSDAY, November 27	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Rev. 18.1-2, 21-23, 19.1-3, 9a; Luke 21.20-28) † Sante Testa & Deceased Family Members	
	7:00 p.m.		11am Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia Room
FRIDAY, November 28	9:00 a.m.	Daily Mass (Rev. 20.1-4, 11-15, 21.1-2; Luke 21.29-33) † Mr. & Mrs. James Garvey † Deceased Members of the Babic Family † Ivan Arsenaault	
	7:00 p.m.		Parish Euchre Night - Cote Hall
SATURDAY, November 29	4 - 4:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	
	5:00 p.m.	Vigil Mass - The First Sunday of Advent <i>Offered for the Intentions of the Deceased Faithful:</i> John & Jeremiah deOliveira; Joao Caetano Costa, Manuel Francisco Costa & Gilberto Luis; Danica Radicevic; Mable Moore; Mrs. Crawley; Nikalesh Nanantunga; Alfons Gidaszewski	

This week's Sanctuary Lamp is in memory of Joseph & Josephine Attard.

HOLY MASS TIME CHANGES

Beginning on the first weekend of Advent (November 29/30) and the start of a new church year, there will be a change in the times for Holy Mass. Weekend Masses will be Saturday at 5:00 p.m., Sunday at 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and Noon.

HOLY CROSS HELPS

Next weekend, November 29/30, there will be a special collection for Holy Cross HELPS. This collection allows HELPS to provide extra assistance to clients for Christmas. This weekend we have attached a Holy Cross HELPS

envelope to the bulletin and we ask that this envelope, with your contribution, be returned next weekend. Through the generous donations of parishioners in last year's special collection, Holy Cross HELPS was able to provide assistance to 27 families, 53 client children, 16 singles, 23 school children and 12 families from our schools to give them a little extra joy at Christmas time. On behalf of clients, Holy Cross HELPS expresses sincere gratitude to all those who respond to this need in our community.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS

We have booked Eagle Ridge Golf Club for Thursday, December 4th once again for our Christmas Social. Our theme this year is "A Celtic Christmas." Tickets for \$40 each will be available after all Masses on the weekends of November 22/23 and 29/30. The deadline for purchase of tickets will be on Sunday, November 30th. Get your tickets early as this is always a sold out event!

CWL Membership - Please note that there will be a membership drive at all Masses the weekend of November 29/30. We are always looking for new members to join the Catholic Women's League. If you are not a member, please feel free to come to a meeting and check it out! Members will be available to answer questions at all the Masses during the membership drive. For existing members, we will be collecting membership dues at the General meeting on November 18th, the weekend of November 29/30 during the membership drive and at the Christmas Social on December 4th. All members who pay their dues before December 5th will be entered into an "early bird" draw. The winner will receive their CWL membership free for the 2015 calendar year.

Mini Bazaar - After all Masses on Sunday, November 30th, the Catholic Women's League will be holding a Mini Bazaar, with a Bake Sale, a Book Sale and 50/50 Draw. We are asking for donations of gently used books and baked goods including pies, squares, cookies, loaves, cakes, etc. All donated items should be delivered to the church hall on Saturday, November 29 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Please avoid the use of nuts and/or indicate ingredients in baked goods. Arrangements for pick up of baked goods can be made by contacting Mary Blackmore at 905-873-9588 or blackmod@sympatico.ca. For information about books contact Maura at 905-702-0282.

CWL & Birthright Milton: Baby Bottle Fundraiser - The Catholic Women's League and Birthright Milton remind you to pick up your Birthright Baby Bottle today. Please remember to return your bottle with your donation of coins, cash or cheques (made out to "Birthright Milton") at any Mass on December 20/21. Donations of \$20.00 or more will be issued an income tax receipt. If you would like to pick up a baby bottle at the Birthright Milton Office, please call 905-875-1245 or email milton@birthright.org. We thank you for your support.

PARISH EUCHRE NIGHT

Please join us for a Parish Euchre Night on Friday, November 28th in Cote Hall any time between 7:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. It will be very casual - arrive anytime after 7:00 p.m., find a chair, and start playing. It's just a fun

night of euchre and a chance to get to know some of your fellow parishioners. Don't know how to play? No worries, we'll teach you how. For more information please contact Daryll Hillier at 905-873-0262.

SUNDAY (Novalis) MISSALS

2015 Sunday Missals, published by Novalis, are available for purchase after all Masses this weekend. The Knights of Columbus sell the Missals for \$5 each. Quantities are limited. The Sunday Missal is useful for reflecting on the Scripture readings before Mass.

PARISH MEMORIAL MASS

Our Parish Memorial Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, December 6th at 11:00 a.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. There will be a reception in Cote Hall after the Mass. Plan to join us for this special Mass of remembrance.

UPCOMING YOUTH EVENT

ON THE WAY TO BETHLEHEM • This outdoor Christmas Nativity pageant is again being put on at the Country Heritage Park in Milton. If you would like to join the youth group for this wonderful evening please let me know. We will meet at church at 6:00 and carpool to Milton. Please r.s.v.p. by Monday November 24th so that I am sure we have enough drivers. If you are not familiar with the "Walk to Bethlehem" check out their website www.onthewaytobethlehem.ca Feel free to contact Barb Boulanger at bboulanger@live.ca with any questions about the event.

CAMPAIGN LIFE COALITION CHRISTMAS CAKES

Christmas Cakes will be sold at all Masses on November 29/30, and December 6/7 & 13/14. This is an annual fundraiser in support of Campaign Life Coalition's pro-life/respect life work to have no abortions allowed in Canada. Knights of Columbus will be at each Mass to assist you.

FATHER ROBERT BARRON SERIES

The Father Robert Barron series "Priest, Prophet, King" began the last week of October. This six-part series presents the Old Testament foreshadowing of each of Jesus' three offices as priest, prophet and king and describing how Jesus is the fulfillment of each as seen in the New Testament. We will offer the same sessions on Tuesday mornings at 11:00 a.m. OR on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. Session 4 is on Tuesday, November 25th or Wednesday, November 26th.

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