Holy Cross Catholic Parish

Established as a Parish of the Diocese of Hamilton in 1956

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Office hours -

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 12:00 noon on Mondays

Parish Staff Father David Wynen, Pastor

Mrs. Eileen Anderson, Secretary Mr. Robert Ramage, Maintenance

Catholic Schools

Holy Cross (905) 877-4451 St. Francis (905) 877-6928 St. Brigid (905) 877-1779 St. Catherine (905) 702-8001 Christ the King Secondary (905) 702-8838

Outreach Information

Parish Nurse

Theresa Scholz (905) 873-1887

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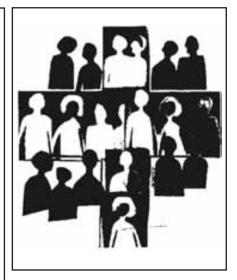
Prayer NetworkGladys (905) 877-6389
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Natural Family Planning Joanne & Daryll Hillier (905) 873-0262 Melissa Atlee (289) 891-9162 Sunday Eucharist (Saturday) 5:00 p.m. 8:30 a.m.; 10 a.m.; 12 Noon

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 2^{nd} or 4^{th} 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

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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SUNDAY, October 10 2 Kings 5:14-17 • 2 Timothy 2:8-13 • Luke 17:11-19	8:30 a.m. Mass 10:00 a.m. Mass 12 Noon Mass	(I) Holy Cross Parishioners	
MONDAY, October 11 • Thanksgiving Day Galatians 4:22-24, 26-27, 31 - 5:1 • Luke 11:29-32	9:00 a.m. Mass	In Thanksgiving	Father Michael Isabelle
TUESDAY, October 12 Galatians 5:1-6 • Luke 11:37-41	7:00 p.m. Mass	ी Gina Uliana	Father Janusz Roginski, SAC
WEDNESDAY, October 13 All Day Eucharistic Adoration - cancelled Galatians 5:18-25 • Luke 11:42-46	No Mass	No Mass	Servants of Mary Immaculate, SSMI
THURSDAY, October 14 Ephesians 1:1-10 • Luke 11:47-54	No Mass	No Mass	Father Andrew Lopatniuk
FRIDAY, October 15 Ephesians 1:11-14 • Luke 12:1-7	No Mass	No Mass	Father Arthur Scidmore
SATURDAY, October 16 Ephesians 1:15-23 • Luke 12:8-12	4:00 p.m.	Reconciliation	Father Joseph Vano
	5:00 p.m. Mass	† Cecilia Gibson† Peter Hrkac† Slavko Romic† Rick Barber† Joao & Maria & Francisco Caetano& Rosalina dos Anjos	

PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

MONDAY, October 11

6:30 p.m. 10:00 a.m. Youth Choir Rehearsal - cancelled

8:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - cancelled

TUESDAY, October 12

7:30 p.m. Dedication Choir Rehearsal - church

7:30 p.m. Knights of Columbus General Meeting - hall

WEDNESDAY, October 13

8:00 p.m. Prayer Group Meeting - church hall

THURSDAY, October 14

7:00 p.m. 12 Noon Choir Rehearsal - church

7:30 p.m. Health Committee Meeting - hall mtg. room

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORTS

Regular Collection • September 12 \$8,978.00

Total number of regular envelopes — 434

Average envelope donation — \$16.85

New Church Building Fund \$ 2,691.00

Regular Collection • Sept. 19 & Pre-Authorized \$11,728.00

Total number of regular envelopes — 515 Average envelope donation — \$13.85

New Church Building Fund \$6,214.00 Regular Collection • September 26 \$6,462.00

Total number of regular envelopes — 393 Average envelope donation — \$14.65

New Church Building Fund \$ 1,780.00 Needs of the Canadian Church \$ 2,200.00

TOTAL COLLECTION September 12, 19 & 26 \$40,053.00

CANDIDATES' MEETING

Come and meet the candidates for the position of Catholic School Trustee for Halton Hills. The meeting will take place on Monday, October 18th at 7:00 p.m. in the *Irene McCauley Auditorium* at **Christ the King Catholic Secondary School**. All Catholic rate payers are eligible to vote for the Catholic School Trustee in the municipal election which takes place on Monday, October 25th. Be sure to vote!

PRIESTS' SEMINAR

The annual priests' seminar will take place from Wednesday, October 13th to Friday, October 15th in Hamilton. Please note that there are no daily Masses at 8:00 a.m. on Wednesday, Thursday or Friday that week and no Eucharistic Adoration on Wednesday.

This year's seminar is about the family and priestly ministry. It is a "lead in" to the Diocesan Conference on the Family which takes place in Hamilton from October 15th to 17th.

During the Seminar the priests will also have an opportunity to thank Bishop Tonnos and Bishop Bergie for their service to the Diocese at a special Mass and dinner at the Cathedral of Christ the King, Hamilton. Please pray for us during these days of study & reflection.

SUNDAY MINISTERS FOR OCTOBER 16/17

October 16/17	Extra- Ordinary Ministers	Ministers of the Word	ALTAR SERVERS
5:00 p.m.	M Canavan J Kelly M Kelly M Praturlon K Woodrow	S Dwyer N Garvey J Grando	B Praturlon C Praturlon M Woodrow
8:30 a.m.	B Boulanger M Boulanger R Carter P D'Amico S Wilson	C Hawes D O'Callaghan S O'Callaghan	J Boulanger K Boulanger B Siriska E Wilson
10:00 a.m.	F Moore J Moore J Rutherford L Rutherford G Truyens D Zeni P Zeni	A Absalom A Jans F Truyens	B Craig N Craig M Jans K MacKinnon M MacKinnon
12:00 noon	G Bagot C Benson B Clough A D'Amore T D'Amore S Forster C Macewan	G Adam L Bruce A Macewan	M Hunkeler J Lobo C Truyens P Truyens

If you are unable to serve your appointed Mass, kindly find a replacement.

PARENT MEETINGS

Parents of children in Grade 2 and Grade 8 in <u>Catholic</u> schools are reminded of their upcoming "Parent Meeting." There are three remaining dates to choose from. Parental attendance at one of the Parent Meetings is an expected requirement in order for the Sacraments of First Reception of the Eucharist and Confirmation at Holy Cross Parish. All meetings will take place in the Church. If you are unable to attend the meeting designated for your child's school you may attend one of the other three meetings.

St. Brigid parents Wednesday, October 20 (7 p.m.) St. Francis parents Thursday, October 21 (7 p.m.) St. Catherine parents Wednesday, October 27 (7 p.m.)

WELCOME FATHER DUFFY

Father Ian Duffy, former associate pastor at Holy Cross, will preach at the Masses next weekend as part of our farewell celebrations. Next weekend we will offer thanks to God for the gifts of healing and forgiveness experienced here over the past 45 years.

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION PROGRAM

Parents of children enrolled in Public or Private schools are invited to have them participate in our parish's religious instruction program. This program is run through the Diocese of Hamilton and administered by our parish. All levels of the program are required in order for the Sacraments of Initiation to be celebrated. For example, a child in public or private school, who wishes to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in Grade 8 must have completed all previous seven (7) levels of the religious instruction program, before beginning preparation for Confirmation. *There will be a parent meeting on Sunday, October* 31st *following the* 12:00 noon Mass. For more information and for course material, please contact the parish office.

POP CANS

Due to the falling price of metal and our upcoming move, the Knights of Columbus will discontinue the collection of pop cans at the end of October. Please do not bring collected pop cans to the church after that date. We thank the Knights of Columbus for taking on this project and for their generous support of our parish's Building Fund with the proceeds.

DONATIONS TO DOCTOR SIMONE

Please note that donations for Doctor Simone will only be accepted until the end of October. We will be packing and moving during the month of November and do not want to have more stuff to deal with than we already have. Donations will resume after Christmas. Thanks to our parishioners who generously support this work.

CHURCH KEYS

Calling all church keys! If you have a key to the church and you do not need it - kindly return it to the parish office.

PARISH OFFICE

Please note that the parish office is still located in the old rectory (224 Maple Avenue) until our new parish offices are opened at the new church.

THANK YOU

Thanks to all who participated in the food drive for the Daily Bread Food bank here in town. More than 200 bags of groceries were received from Holy Cross parishioners last weekend. Anyone who wants to make a donation of food may do so directly to the food bank. Your assistance will be a great help to those who use the services provided by the food bank.

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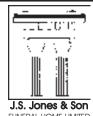
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