



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 David Wynen, Pastor
Father Joseph Pezhathumkal, Associate Pastor
Mrs. Eileen Anderson, Secretary
Mr. Robert Ramage, Maintenance
Mrs. Barbara Boulanger, Sacramental Assistant
Mrs. Theresa Scholz, Parish Nurse

SUNDAY EUCHARIST
(Saturday) 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

RECONCILIATION
Saturdays 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

WEEKDAY EUCHARIST
Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday - Friday 8:00 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 David Wynen or visit the Diocesan Vocations website www.vocationinfo.ca

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THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THE THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	LITURGY	INTENTION	PLEASE PRAY FOR
SUNDAY, October 30 Malachi 1:14 - 2:2, 8-10 • 1 Thessalonians 2:7-9, 13 • Matthew 23:1-12	9:00 a.m. Mass 11:00 a.m. Mass 7:00 p.m. Mass	(I) Holy Cross Parishioners	
MONDAY, October 31 Romans 11:29-36 • Luke 14:12-14	No Mass	No Mass	Father James Petrie
TUESDAY, November 1 <i>All Saints</i> Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14 • 1 John 3:1-3 • Matthew 5:1-12a	7:00 p.m. Mass	† Stella, Tom & Jackie Alward	Father Martin Valley
WEDNESDAY, November 2 <i>Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed</i> Job 19:1, 23-27 • 1 Corinthians 15:20-23 • John 12:23-26	8:00 a.m. Mass	† Jocelyn McArthur	Felician Sisters, C.S.S.F.
	7:00 p.m. Mass	(I) Holy Cross Parishioners	
	3:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Eucharistic Adoration	
THURSDAY, November 3 Romans 14:7-12 • Luke 15:1-10	8:00 a.m. Mass	† Deceased Members of the DeMelo Family	Father Stephen Crowley
FRIDAY, November 4 Romans 15:14-21 • Luke 16:1-8	8:00 a.m. Mass	† Manuel & Angelina Medeiros † Olinda Oliveira † Deceased Members of the McElroy & Curley Families	Father David Weise
SATURDAY, November 5 Romans 16:3-9, 16, 22-27 • Luke 16:9-15	4:00 - 4:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation	Father Joseph Durkacz
	5:00 p.m. Mass	† John Araujo † Lorraine Robotham † Bernie Smith † Don Bannon † Souls in Purgatory	

SANCTUARY LAMP

This week the Sanctuary Lamp is in memory of Maria Lourdes Piques.

PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

MONDAY, October 31

6:30 p.m. 9:00 a.m. Choir Rehearsal - Adult Members

TUESDAY, November 1

7:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia Room

7:30 p.m. C.W.L. Executive Meeting - Marian Room

7:30 p.m. Atrium Parent Meeting - Cote Hall

WEDNESDAY, November 2

7:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia Room

7:30 p.m. Minister of the Word Workshop - Church

THURSDAY, November 3

7:00 p.m. 11:00 a.m. Choir Rehearsal - St. Cecilia Room

7:30 p.m. New Missal Workshop - Cote Hall

SATURDAY, November 5

9:00 a.m. New Missal Workshop - Cote Hall

PARISH FAMILY PHOTO DIRECTORY

We have arranged for additional photography sittings for those who have children away at school and those who have not yet had an opportunity to "sign up." The additional days are - *Thursday, December 22; Tuesday, January 3rd - Saturday, January 7th* (inclusive). You may contact the parish office to arrange an appointment for these days or sign up after Masses on the weekend of Sunday, November 13.

PRAYERS AT GREENWOOD CEMETERY

Our parish prayers at Greenwood Cemetery will take place today (Sunday) at 3:00 p.m. Please join us as we pray for our faithful dead.

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORTS

Regular Collection • October 16 \$ 7,853.00

Total number of regular envelopes — 459

Average envelope donation — \$15.43

New Church Building Fund \$ 1,270.00

TOTAL WEEKLY COLLECTION **\$ 9,123.00**

ALL SOULS' DAY MASSES

The celebration of the Eucharist for the *Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed* will take place on Wednesday, November 2nd at 8:00 a.m. and at the 7:00 p.m. Mass we will remember all our parishioners who have died since last All Souls' Day. Let us not forget those who have been faithful in this life and let us pray that they enjoy the banquet of Eternal Life.

BOOK OF REMEMBERING THE DEAD

Our *Book of Remembering the Dead* will be on display during the month of November. If you have inscribed the names of deceased relatives and friends in the past their names remain in the Book and are remembered in our Masses offered in the month of November. If you have any family or friends who have died in the past year please feel free to inscribe their names in the Book so they too may be remembered.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION & BRUNCH

Couples celebrating 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th, 55th, 60th and 60+ years of marriage are invited to celebrate with us on **Sunday, November 6th** at the 11:00 a.m. Mass - followed by Brunch at Capina's Family Eatery on Main Street. Please contact the parish office if you are planning to attend the Mass. Tickets for the Brunch will be \$25 each. For information and tickets please contact Marie at 905-873-9480. Please plan to join us for the Mass and the Brunch.

MINISTRY WORKSHOPS

As we prepare for the new Roman Missal and to assist current and new members of our Sunday ministries - kindly note the following workshops for the various ministries:

MINISTERS OF THE WORD (Lectors)

Wednesday, November 2nd at 7:30 p.m. (Church)

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

Wednesday, November 16th at 7:30 p.m. (Church)

To assist with any of these roles contact Fr. Dave.

AT THE SUPPER OF THE LAMB

Join us for our parish study of the new Roman Missal which begins on Thursday, November 3rd or Saturday, November 5th. This is a five-week study series. Cost of the book is \$15. For registration information contact the parish office.

SUNG ACCLAMATIONS

Did you know that the sung acclamations we are introducing at Mass were written by a priest of the Archdiocese of Winnipeg? Our entire Diocese will be singing these acclamations at Mass for the coming year or two. It is a great sign of our unity to offer, with one voice, a hymn of praise to God the source of all that is good.

COME & SEE WEEKEND

"Ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest." (Matthew 9:38)

Hosted by St. Augustine Seminary in Toronto and St. Peter Seminary in London, a *Come and See Weekend* offers a special opportunity for men considering a vocation to diocesan priesthood to reflect on the call of God in their lives, immerse themselves in Seminary life and interact with seminarians who can share and witness from personal experience. Two dates are being offered: November 4th to 6th at St. Augustine Seminary and November 25th to 27th at St. Peter Seminary beginning with registration on the Friday evening between 7:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. and concluding with lunch on Sunday afternoon at about 2:00 p.m. The weekend is open to men who are in grade twelve and older. Please feel free to contact the Vocation Office of the Diocese of Hamilton at www.vocationinfo.ca for further information or to register as a participant. A registration form may also be obtained from Father Dave Wynen.

CWL CHRISTMAS SOCIAL

The Catholic Women's League is having their annual Christmas social on **THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1ST** at Eagle Ridge Golf Course. Tickets are on sale now! Get yours early so you will not be disappointed. This year we are having a Neil Diamond impersonator. The cost for the evening will be \$38.00. Tickets can be purchased after all Masses the weekend of Sunday, November 13, and at our November General meeting. You may contact Mary Jo Jans at 905-873-4151 or Marie Simpson at 905-873-9480 for more information or to purchase tickets outside those dates. Hope to See You All There!!!!

BISHOP CROSBY

Our Bishop's first anniversary of Installation as Bishop of Hamilton is Tuesday, November 8th. Our parish offers its prayers to His Excellency as he celebrates this milestone!

Outside our parish ...

Halton Pro-Life Annual Respect Life Banquet

Friday, November 11, 2011, 6:00 p.m. for 7:00 p.m. dinner, The Oakville Conference and Banquet, Centre 2515 Wycroft Rd, Oakville. Speaker: Scott Klusendorf, President, Life Training Institute, author of *The Case for Life: Equipping Christians to Engage the Culture*. Please support the life-saving work of Halton Pro-Life. Tickets: \$75 each purchased in advance: 905-632-3232; email haltonprolife@cogeco.net; www.haltonprolife.com

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