

CATHEDRAL BASILICA of CHRIST *the* KING

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WELCOME!

The Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King is the principal church of the Diocese of Hamilton and home to the Bishop of Hamilton. The word "cathedral" comes from "cathedra" or Bishop's chair located in the church. On February 25th, 2013, in recognition of the significance of its design, and its importance in the Diocese, the Cathedral was given the status of a *Minor Basilica* by Pope Benedict XVI. The Cathedral Basilica was completed in 1933, and is a very beautiful structure that is reflective of the lively faith of its parishioners and the entire Diocese of Hamilton.

The Cathedral Basilica's *Coat of Arms* presents a shield sheltered by the *ombrellino*, and with crossed keys representing the papal designation of basilica status. The shield has a symbol for Christ with the crown of thorns and the crown of glory. The motto in Latin - *every eye shall see him*.

PASTORAL STAFF

The Most Reverend D. DOUGLAS CROSBY, OMI
Bishop of Hamilton

Reverend DAVID A. WYNEN, Rector
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday Closed
Tuesday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Friday 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m.
11:00 a.m.
4:00 p.m.

RECONCILIATION

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

DAILY MASS

Tuesday through Friday
8:00 a.m. (Marian Chapel)

CARE OF THE SICK

To arrange pastoral visits to the sick in hospital or at home, please call the parish office.

PARISH REGISTRATION

To register with the Parish and to request Sunday Offering envelopes or information about pre-authorized giving ... please complete a *Registration Form* - either online (parish website) or using a form found in the Tower entrance.

VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

For information contact Father King at the Office of Vocations 905-528-7988.

CATHOLIC BURIAL NEEDS

Please contact The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton 905-527-7727.

HOLY WEEK	Time	Announced Mass Intention or Celebration
Sunday, March 25, 2018 <i>Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion</i> <i>Isaiah 50.4-7 Phil. 2.6-11; Mark 14.1-15.47</i>	9:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist
	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist
	4:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist
Monday, March 26, 2018	7:00 p.m.	Mass of Chrism <i>Bishop Crosby will bless and consecrate the Oils used for the Sacraments. He will lead the Priests in a renewal of their commitment.</i>
Tuesday, March 27, 2018 <i>Isaiah 49.1-6; John 13.21-38</i>	No Mass	
Wednesday, March 28, 2018 <i>Isaiah 50.4-9; Matthew 26.14-26</i>	8:00 a.m. (Cathedral)	Mass of Thanksgiving
	12:00 p.m. (Cathedral)	Mass with the intentions of +Manuel & Maria Cordeiro +Joan Muldoon
	7:00 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)
SACRED TRIDUUM		
HOLY THURSDAY, March 29, 2018 <i>Exodus 12.1-14 1 Cor. 11.23-26; John 13.1-15</i>	7:30 p.m.	Mass of the Lord's Supper <i>The institution of the Eucharist and the Priesthood are recalled at this first liturgy of the Sacred Triduum.</i>
GOOD FRIDAY, March 30, 2018 <i>Isai. 52.13-53.12; Heb. 4.14-5.7-9; John 18.1-19.42</i>	3:00 p.m.	Solemn Celebration of the Lord's Passion & Death <i>We listen to the Passion from John's Gospel and venerate the Cross on this solemn day.</i>
	7:00 p.m.	Stations of the Cross
HOLY SATURDAY, March 31, 2018 <i>Genesis 1.1-2.2</i> <i>Genesis 22.1-18</i> <i>Exodus 14.15-31; 15.20</i> <i>Isaiah 54.5-14</i> <i>Isaiah 55.1-11</i> <i>Baruch 3.9-15, 32-4.4</i> <i>Ezekiel 36.16-17, 18-28</i> <i>Romans 6.3-11</i> <i>Matthew 28.1-10</i>	12:00 p.m.	Blessing of Easter Food <i>You are welcome to bring foods prepared for the Easter feast to be blessed in McNally Hall.</i>
	8:00 p.m. (Note: No 5 p.m. Mass today)	Solemn Easter Vigil <i>The "mother of all vigils" begins in darkness – to prepare us for the dawn of new life as we celebrate Christ's Resurrection from the dead.</i>
EASTER SUNDAY, April 1, 2018 <i>Acts 10.34-43; Col. 3.1-4; John 20.1-18</i>	9:00 a.m.	Easter Sunday Mass
	11:00 a.m.	Easter Sunday Mass
	4:00 p.m.	Easter Sunday Mass

Collection Report

Sunday, March 11, 2018

Regular (275 env. @ (\$21.59 avg)	\$6,453.20
Loose Offerings	\$2,821.80
Cathedral Charities	\$110.00
Stained glass window collection	\$1,692.00
Share Lent	\$1,200.00
Total	\$12,277.00

The Needs of the Holy Land Collection will be taken up on Good Friday at the Solemn Celebration of the Lord's Passion.



Extra-Ordinary

Bishop Crosby will preside at the annual Mass of Chrism in the Cathedral Basilica and spend Holy Week with us. Join us for these beautiful celebrations with our Bishop. The Bishop has published a Pastoral Letter on the Sacred Liturgy – *Gathered into One* – available on the Diocesan website. Printed copies have been given to our Priests, Deacons, Pastoral Assistants, Liturgical Ministers, Choirs, and musicians. It is an important effort to promote the Vatican Council's call for the full, conscious and active participation of all in the Mass.

Parish Photo-Directory

In December 2018 we will observe the 85th anniversary of the opening of the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King. As part of this anniversary year, we will produce a photo-directory of families and individuals in the Parish. It has been some time since a directory was published ... so may be a good time to update those family portraits! Each family/individual who participates receives a **free** 8x10 and a **free** copy of the completed Directory. Additional packages may be purchased. Photography sessions will take place the week of April 16th, to the 21st, 2018. Additional dates added, Saturday, April 28th, Thursday, May 10, Friday, May 11, and Saturday May 12th. Sign up for photography appointments will take place after all Masses this weekend.

Parish Wine Tour

Join us on Sunday, April 22nd for an amazing day of beer and wine tasting! Our first stop will be at Oast House Brewery for a three beer tasting, followed by a full tour and tasting at Konzelmann Estate Winery. We will then be dropped off at Niagara Falls for some free time. This day is open to **Parishioners only**, who are 19 years of age and older. The cost is \$50 per person, and includes a bagged lunch, beer tasting, wine tour with tasting and bus fee. We will leave the Cathedral at Noon (after the 11:00 a.m. Mass) and return by 8:30 p.m. ***Space is limited and is based on a first come basis.*** For more information please contact Sandra Gould in the Parish office.

Construction ... continued

The remaining work on the Cathedral bell tower will begin shortly after Easter. Work includes the replacement of tracery stone and windows in the bell tower. Exterior scaffolding to the level of the windows will be required and installed beginning the week of April 2nd. We anticipate completion of this phase by the end of summer.

Exterior Lighting of the Cathedral

In the coming weeks the exterior lights which shine on the Cathedral during the evening hours will be switched to LED bulbs. We anticipate this move will offer considerable savings in energy and costs in the long run. Additionally, the exterior lights shining on the Rosary windows (Sanctuary) will be onverted to LED and will be timed to come on in the evening.

Diocesan Anniversary

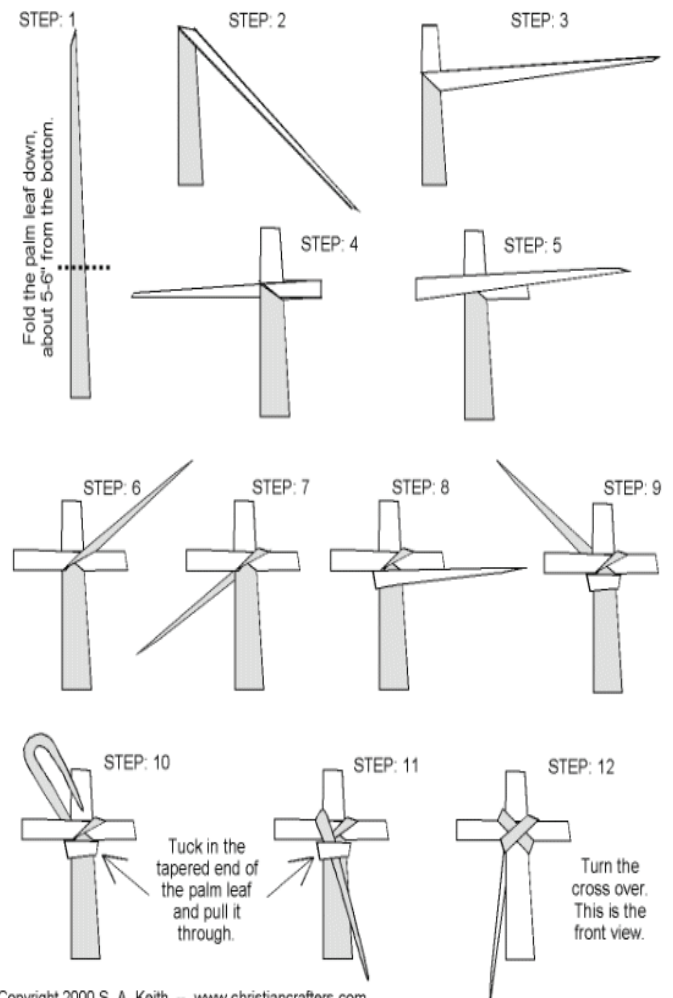
Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2018? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 10, 2018 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if you require assistance). Please refer to the poster in the narthex of the church for information on how to register for the celebration, or go to www.hamiltondiocese.com.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Join us for the celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation on **Wednesday, March 28 at 7:00 p.m.** Bishop Crosby and Father Wynen will be joined by a couple of other Priests to celebrate God's mercy in this wonderful Sacrament.

Making a Palm Cross

Supplies: One palm leaf strip about 24-26" in length, 1/2" in width, tapering to the end.



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