



CATHEDRAL BASILICA of CHRIST *the* KING

714 King Street West
Hamilton, Ontario L8P 1C7
905-522-5744
www.ctkbasilica.ca



WELCOME!

The Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King is the mother-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 is *every eye shall see him*.

PASTORAL STAFF

The Most Reverend JOSEPH DABROWSKI, CSMA
Bishop of Hamilton

Very Reverend DAVID A. WYNEN, Rector, VF
Mrs. DEBRA ROCHE, Parish Secretary
Mrs. SANDRA GOULD, Pastoral Minister
Mr. ROBERT CORSO, Director of Music
Mr. SANDOR KOLLARICH, Maintenance
Sister LENA PETRUCCELLI, CSJB, Sacristan

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Closed
Tuesday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Friday 8:30 a.m. - 12 Noon

SUNDAY MASS

(Saturday) 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

(3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. in Advent & Lent)

DAILY MASS

Please refer to the schedule in this bulletin for
times and intentions.

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.

CARE OF THE SICK

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

VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

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

CATHOLIC BURIAL NEEDS

Please contact The Catholic Cemeteries of the
Diocese of Hamilton 905-522-7727.

Fifth Week in Ordinary Time		Mass Intention
Tuesday, February 10, 2026 <i>Saint Scholastica, Virgin</i> <i>1 Kings 8.22-23, 27-30, Mark 7.1-13</i>	No Mass	
Wednesday, February 11, 2026 <i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i> <i>1 Kings 10.1-10, Mark 7.14-23</i>	12:00 p.m. (Cathedral)	(I) Ebubechi Okeabia (I) Bishop Dabrowski +Larry Lobsinger +Mark Hobson +Bert Wynen
Thursday, February 12, 2026 <i>1 Kings 11.4-13, Mark 7.24-30</i>	8:00 a.m. Mass	+George Dolak
Friday, February 13, 2026 <i>1 Kings 11.29-32, 12.19, Mark 7.31-37</i>	8:00 a.m. Mass	+Nicodemo & Ardea Piccini
Saturday, February 14, 2026 <i>1 Kings 12.26-32, 13.33-34, Mark 8.1-10</i>	4:00 – 4:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation
	5:00 p.m.	George & Jaromir Dolak, Leonarda & Domenico Fazari, Rocco Romeo, David & Judith Carreiro, Calvin Eckert, Charles Muli, Robert & Patricia Bell, Jane Bell
Sunday, February 15, 2026 <i>Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Sirach 15.15-20, 1 Corinthians 2.6-10, Matthew 5.17-37</i>	9:00 a.m.	Sunday Mass
	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Mass

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, January 25, 2026

Sunday Collection	\$3,195.00
Seminary Education	55.00
Initial Offering	90.00
Stained Glass	225.00
Loose Collection	<u>3,139.76</u>
Total	\$6,704.76

Thank you for your ongoing support of the Cathedral Basilica Parish through your gifts of *time, talent, and treasure*. New Parishioners, and those returning after an absence, are welcome to request Sunday Offering envelopes, or sign up for *pre-authorized debits*, as ways to support the Parish. Annual income tax receipts are issued for recorded donations given through the weekly envelopes or monthly PAD.



THANK YOU

Thanks to all who assisted in the celebration of Bishop Dabrowski's installation on February 2nd. Special thanks to the Knights of Columbus for parking assistance, our choir members who sang with the Diocesan Choir, our volunteer hospitality ministers and all who helped in any way.

COUNTDOWN TO LENT

The Season of Lent begins on *Ash Wednesday*, February 18. This holy time calls us to a change of heart through *prayer, fasting and almsgiving*.

Prayer – consider committing yourself to a time of prayer each day in Lent. Perhaps a few moments in the morning or evening; maybe reflect on the Daily readings found in our bulletin each week; or the daily Rosary.

Fasting – regular fasting not only has health benefits, but it also has spiritual benefits. The hunger we feel can remind us of our hunger for

God. One way to fast is to skip one meal in the day or to give up having some food or drink that we particularly like for the Season of Lent.

Almsgiving - just as fasting has spiritual benefits, so too does almsgiving. During Lent we might consider setting aside some money daily for 40 days and donate it to the ShareLent collection on Sunday, March 22. Other forms of charitable giving are also encouraged for Lent. We might do with less so that we can help others.

Ash Wednesday, February 18

Ash Wednesday is a day of fast for Catholics (aged 14 – 60) and abstinence from meat for all Catholics. At our Masses today, ashes – from last year’s Palm Sunday – are imposed on our heads a sign of our call to repent and convert. All Masses in the Cathedral:

8:00 a.m.
12:00 Noon
7:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross

This traditional prayer invites us to reflect on Our Lord’s passion along the way to His Cross on Calvary. In our parish we offer this devotion on Fridays in Lent at 7:00 p.m.

Friday, February 20 & 27

March 6, 13, 20, 27

April 3 (Good Friday)

Sundays of Lent

Sunday is always the celebration of the resurrection – the primary Christian feast – our Lenten penance continues as we focus on the Lord’s temptation in the desert, his transfiguration, and on the last three Sundays we hear from John’s Gospel the encounter with Jesus and the woman at the well, the restoration of sight to the blind man, and the raising of Lazarus. Purple vestments are worn at Mass as a sign of repentance and conversion of heart.



KOFC MEETING

All Knights are reminded of their monthly meeting on Thursday, February 12 at 7:00 p.m. in McNally Hall.



CWL MEETING

All members are welcome to the February General Meeting on Sunday, February 15 following the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Elections for our 2026 – 2028

Executive will take place during the meeting. Membership dues will also be accepted at the meeting. New members welcome too!

POPE LEO’S GENERAL AUDIENCE

Most Wednesdays, Pope Leo meets pilgrims at a *General Audience* held either in St. Peter’s Square (outdoors) or indoors in the Paul VI Audience Hall. For the coming year the Pope will speak about the teaching of the Second Vatican Council. At the January 21 General Audience, he shared his thoughts on *Dei Verbum* – the Dogmatic Constitution on the Word of God – from the Second Vatican Council:

Today we continue our Catechesis on the Dogmatic Constitution Dei Verbum of the [Second Vatican Council](#) by considering the role of the Son of God in Divine Revelation. God’s revelation of himself to his people through words and deeds over the centuries reached its fulfilment in the incarnation of the Word, when God became man. Indeed, “the most intimate truth revealed about God and human salvation shines forth in Christ, who is himself both the mediator and the fulfilment of revelation” ([Dei Verbum](#), 2). The Son, through his incarnation, life, death and resurrection, not only allows us to see the Father in him but also invites us to enter into his very own relationship with the Father, by virtue of the action of the Spirit. By accepting this invitation, we become sons and daughters through the Son and participants in God’s nature. Let us be filled with gratitude as we ponder our sublime vocation as God’s beloved children, entrusting ourselves to the Father with boundless confidence.

CATERINA SORBARA Sales Representative
289-700-0662
CaterinaSorbara@royallepage.ca
ROYAL LE PAGE STATE REALTY

Friscolanti
Funeral Chapel
Owned and Operated by the
D'Alessandro &
Friscolanti-Cameron
families since 1960
www.friscolanti.com
43 Barton St. E. 905-522-0912

PRO ACTIVE Health Advanced Orthopaedic Physiotherapy
785 Pacific Rd, Oakville | 80 Traymore Ave, Hamilton
905-338-2898 admin@ProActiveHealth.ca
 Anita Gross

DENNINGER'S
EXPERIENCE GREAT FOOD
Visit us online at www.denningers.com
or shop at one of our 5 locations in Hamilton, Burlington, Oakville

Caroline Place
Retirement Residence
A community with heart, in the heart of Hamilton
118 Market St. 905-548-7660 www.caroline-place.com

EURO-ACCOUNT-TAX Miroslaw Wasicki
Computerized Accounting Service Accountant
Income Tax Free E-File, Single \$44.99, Couple \$89.98 + HST
Most refunds in 2 weeks, Open 7 days/week
557 Upper James St. 905-387-1759

Rx King Medical Pharmacy
Compliance / Blister Packaging
Free Delivery
505 King St. W. 905-523-8388

GAUTHIER PLUMBING
Thomas M Gauthier
"RES" President-Owner
P: 905-574-7878
C: 905-541-3332
High Pressure Flushing for Main Drain and Video
Lead Water Service Replacement
Replacement & Installation of New Fixtures
thomas@gauthierplumbing.ca
www.gauthierplumbing.ca
GAUTHIER PLUMBING Tom Gauthier & Son Plumbing Limited
7 Bourbon Crt.

Working & Living in your Neighbourhood
JUDY MARSALES REAL ESTATE LTD. Brokerage
Serving Your Real Estate Needs!
 Judy Marsales Broker of Record
 Zena Dalton Broker/Manager
 Catherine Sennett Broker
 George Neil Broker/Manager
Westdale 905.522.3300 Dundas 905.628.2200 Locke Street 905.529.3300 Ancaster 905.648.6800
www.judymarsales.com

jhf 905.528.8385
Established 1988 PRINT COMMUNICATIONS
info@jhFrench.com

King Street DENTAL
Dedicated to keeping your smile healthy and beautiful
We are on the McMaster Student Network & conveniently located across from Food Basics
870 King St W 905-528-8629
www.KingStreetDental.ca

West Hamilton Denture Clinic
For the Confidence to Smile!
Lou Presutti DD
• Full & Partial Dentures • Implant Supported Dentures
• First Time Dentures • Same Day Repairs & Relines
• CDCP & All Plans Accepted
17 Paradise Rd S 905-522-7133

GLOBAL PET FOODS
eat.play.love.
50 Dundurn St S, Hamilton 905-528-2775 101 Osler Dr, Dundas 905-628-8700
globaldundurn.globalpetfoods.com globaldundas.globalpetfoods.com

Filipino Home Care
905-929-7322

Compassionate, Caring Companions & Health Care Aides for your Loved Ones
www.FilipinoHomecare.ca

Are you Downsizing?
Welcome to your new home in Downtown Hamilton!
7 & 17 Robinson Street **\$300/m DISCOUNT** for Seniors 65+
ROBINSON STREET APARTMENTS
Call Lisa to view & apply today!
905-523-8224
On-site management • CCTV Surveillance
Updated 2 Bedroom Units • Modern Appliances

Humble Bee
Add a special touch to your events with Local Honey Gifts!
601 Burlington St E, Hamilton 905-769-0388
buzz@humblebee.buzz www.humblebee.buzz


The Catholic Women's League of the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King welcomes you to join the league.
For more information contact us at cwl.cbctk1933@gmail.com

Precision Contracting
• Additions
• Renovations
• Kitchens
• Bathrooms
905.961.9019
www.precision-contracting.com
info@precision-contracting.com

THE PERFECT SPOT TO ADVERTISE

TO ADVERTISE IN THIS SPACE PLEASE CALL 1-800-268-2637

THE WELLINGTON
Hamilton's Premium Retirement Residence
BOOK A TOUR
call us at 905-385-2111 x 104
1430 Upper Wellington St, Hamilton • www.thewellington.ca

Bay Gardens Funeral Home
by Arbor Memorial
www.baygardens.ca
1010 Botanical Drive Burlington, Ontario 905-527-0405
947 Rymal Road East Hamilton, Ontario 905-574-0405

VISITORS INN
• Free Wifi • Indoor Pool and Jacuzzi
• 2 Bedroom Family Suites
• Kitchenettes, Fridges
• Lic. Restaurant, Meeting/ Banquet Room • Fully Renovated
• Walking distance to Cathedral
649 Main St. W. (at Hwy. 403) 905-529-6979
Toll Free Reservations 1-800-387-4620
www.visitorsinn.com E-Mail: reservations@visitorsinn.com
"LUXURIOUS AND AFFORDABLE"

Valentino's restaurant
authentic homemade italian cuisine since 1978
824 King St. W. 835 Paramount Dr.
905-523-4240 905-385-3284

switzer.CARTY transportation
"School bus services, going your way"
School Bus Charter Service
www.switzer-carty.com