

CATHEDRAL BASILICA of CHRIST THE KING

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Lord's Day Eucharist

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

4:00 p.m.

Daily Eucharist

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

Weekly schedule in the Bulletin

Reconciliation

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

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturdays 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Pastoral Staff

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Cathedral Basilica Office Hours

Monday Office is closed

Tuesday through Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Care of the Sick

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

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*.

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 provided in the Tower entrance.

Vocations to the Priesthood or Religious Life

For information contact Father Kuzma at the Office of Vocations (905) 528-7988.

Catholic Burial Needs

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

28th Week in Ordinary Time	Time	Announced Mass Intention or Celebration	Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, October 11, 2015 <i>28th Sunday Ordinary Time</i> <i>Wisdom 7.7-11; Heb 4.12-13; Mark 10.17-30</i>	9:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
	4:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist	
Monday, October 12, 2015 <i>Romans 1.1-7; Luke 11.29-32</i>	10:00 a.m.	Thanksgiving Day Mass with Bishop Crosby	Father Lapinski, C.R.
Tuesday, October 13, 2015 <i>Romans 1.16-25; Luke 11.37-41;</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +David Pavao	Father Liddy, C.R.
	7:00 p.m.	Tenor/Bass Reh. (Choir Room)	
Wednesday, October 14, 2015 <i>Romans 2.1-11; Luke 11.42-46</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Gillis Family and Frank Bedek	Chaplains
	7:00 p.m.	RCIA/Symbolon (McNally Hall)	
Thursday, October 15, 2015 <i>St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin, Doctor</i> <i>Romans 3.21-30; Luke 11.47-54</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of John Miszuk	Father McGuire, C.R.
	7:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal (Choir room)	
Friday, October 16, 2015 <i>St. Marguerite D'Youville, Religious</i> <i>Romans 4.1-8; Luke 12.1-7</i>	8:00 a.m.	Mass with the intentions of +John Cutillo	Father McKelvie, C.R.
Saturday, October 17, 2015 <i>Vigil-29th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Isaiah 53.10-11; Heb. 4.14-16; Mark 10.35-45</i>	3:30-4:30p.m.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Father Mowat, C.R.
	4:00-4:30 pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
	5:00 p.m.	Mass with the intentions of +Manuel and Maria Cordeiro +Daniel and Marie Shield +Robert Bell +Angela Cappelli +Margaret Perle Cochrane	

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, September 20, 2015

Regular Offerings (255 env. @ 17.88 avg)	\$4,952.45
Loose Offerings	\$2,066.55
Other	\$60.00
Total	\$7,090.00

Sunday, September 27, 2015

Regular Offerings (277 env. @ 19.36 avg)	\$5,131.15
Loose Offerings	\$1,283.35
Needs of Canadian Church	\$1,574.00
Total	\$7,988.50

Thank you to all who support the Cathedral Basilica with your weekly or monthly offerings. New boxes of offering envelopes for 2016 will be available at the end of November. If you would like to become an envelope user, or to sign up for pre-authorized bank debits, please use a Parish Registration form found in the Tower entrance.

THANKSGIVING DAY

A very happy Thanksgiving Day to all! This civic holiday reminds us that all is gift. As we offer thanks this weekend we also remember those who go without – thank you for your support of the Good Shepherd food drive to assist the needy in our community.

THE MYSTERY OF GOD

The Mystery of God is a new study series by Bishop Robert Barron and will be offered at the Cathedral this Fall beginning on Monday, October 19, at 7:00 p.m. for six weeks. This program is an excellent reflection on our Catholic beliefs about God. For more information, contact Sandra Gould in the parish office.

SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION FOR CHILDREN

Parents of children in Grade 2 and in Grade 7 may wish to note that we will celebrate the Sacraments of 1st Eucharist & 1st Reconciliation and the Sacrament of Confirmation in the Cathedral Basilica Parish in 2015-2016. Please contact Sandra Gould in our Parish Office for more information.

CATHEDRAL IS OPEN

During the month of **October** the Cathedral Basilica will be open to receive visitors who wish to view it or who wish to take time to pray. We will open from **11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.** on Wednesdays. Greeters will be available in the Cathedral to assist those who are visiting and to answer questions about the Cathedral Basilica.

THANKSGIVING TABLE PRAYER

Blessed are you, Lord our God,
creator of heaven and earth
and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ:
we praise you for your glory,
and thank you for your goodness to us.

We praise you for your generous gifts
and for bringing fruitful results to our labours.

As we rejoice in your kindness,
we pray also for those who are in need.
Open our hearts to them
and teach us to be as generous to others
as you are to us.

Heavenly Father,
help us all to follow Jesus our Lord,
and so bear eternal fruit for you.

Blessed are you, Lord our God,
for ever and ever.

MAKING OUR VOICES HEARD

Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishop's 2015 Federal Election Guide

The Canadian Federal Election is on Monday, October 19th. All Canadians with the right to vote should exercise their democratic responsibility. Here is an example of the application of Catholic moral and social teaching to consider as the election nears:

5. A healthy country in a healthy environment

Protecting the environment means, among other things:

- *Implementing responsible stewardship practices for the environment;
- *Honouring international agreements to reduce greenhouse gas emissions;
- *Reducing our dependence on fossil fuels;
- *Taking steps to control urban pollution;
- *Introducing forms of transportation that are less harmful to the health of citizens and the environment;
- *Encouraging companies to invest in renewable energy and energy efficiency;
- *Developing natural resources without harming the quality of life in communities;
- *Protecting water as an essential resource;
- *Bequeathing a sustainable and healthy environment to future generations.

**What do political parties say about these issues?
What positions are the candidates taking?**

RELIEF FOR SYRIA

The Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace is collecting funds to assist Syrian refugees. We will dedicate the *Cathedral Charities* collection on Sunday, October 25. Envelopes are in the Sunday offering envelope boxes. Those who do not use envelopes and would like to contribute may do so by using a "visitor's envelope" and marking it "Syria Relief". Please include your name on the envelope.

RETROUVAILLE WEEKEND

Married Singles Lifestyle- The married Singles Lifestyle describes couples that may have lost a sense of closeness they once had as married partners and are living more like roommates. Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long "i") teaches couples how to survive times like these in their marriages. This program has helped thousands of couples experiencing difficulty at all levels of marital distress. For confidential information about or to register for the Hamilton Diocesan program which begins with a weekend on October 23-25, 2015 in Niagara Falls, please call 905-664-5212 or email: hamiltonretrovaille1@cogeco.ca

FOSTER PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT

If you have ever considered Fostering or would like to know more, Join the Catholic Children's Aid Society on Wednesday, October 7, 2015, 735 King Street East. To register call Katrina at 905-525-2012 ext. 3280

RESPECT LIFE FUNDRAISER DINNER

The Hamilton Right to Life *Respect Life Fundraiser Dinner* will be held Wednesday, October 28, 2015 at Michelangelo's Banquet Centre, in Hamilton. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Dinner at 6:30. The Guest Speaker is Alex Schadenberg from the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition. The topic is "How the Supreme Court's ruling on assisted suicide will affect you and your loved ones. Tickets are \$50 for Adults and \$35 for students. For more information or to purchase your tickets please contact the Hamilton Right to Life office at 905-528-3065.

ST CHARLES SCHOOL REUNION

St. Charles Catholic Elementary School Reunion for all former staff and students will be held October 25, 2015 with Mass beginning at 10:00 a.m. at St. Charles Garnier Church and followed by a Brunch Reception at the Waterfront Banquet and Conference Centre.

For details call Tony Tigani at 1-905-628-4352 or email stcharlesreunion@gmail.com

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