



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

Very Reverend DAVID A. WYNEN, Rector, VF
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Closed
Tuesday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Friday 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 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.

DAILY MASS

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday at 8:00 a.m.
Wednesday at 12:00 Noon

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 the Office of Vocations (905) 528-7988.

CATHOLIC BURIAL NEEDS

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

Fourth Week in Ordinary Time	Mass Intention
Tuesday, February 4, 2025 <i>Hebrews 12.1-4; Mark 5.21-43</i>	8:00 a.m. - + Leonardo & Pasquale Fazari
Wednesday, February 5, 2025 Saint Agatha, Virgin, Martyr <i>Hebrews 12.4-7, 11-15; Mark 6.1-6</i>	12:00 Noon - Romano Piccini Giuseppina Altomare
Thursday, February 6, 2025 Saint Paul Miki & Companions, Martyrs <i>Hebrews 12.18-19, 21-24; Mark 6.7-13</i>	8:00 a.m. - Deceased Phan family
Friday, February 7, 2025 <i>Hebrews 13.1-8; Mark 6.14-29</i>	8:00 a.m. + Albert Josey
Saturday, February 8, 2025	4 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. - Sacrament of Reconciliation
	5:00 p.m. Vigil - 5 th Sunday Ordinary Time - Jaga Wielopolska, Kathleen Dagher, Carlos Humberto DaSilva; Terry Bird; Adriana Van Woudenberg; Ugo Ianiro; Alsenia DiFranco
Sunday, February 9, 2025 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>Isaiah 6.1-2, 3-8; 1 Corinthians 15.1-11; Luke 5.1-11</i>	9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass 11:00 a.m. Sunday Mass

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, January 19, 2025

Regular Collection	170x\$23.37	\$ 3,973.00
Loose Collection		\$ 1,261.00
Stained Glass		\$ 45.00
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		\$ 5,279.00

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.

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VATICAN II – STUDY SERIES

Our study series on the four major constitutions of the Second Vatican Council continues Wednesday evening at 7 p.m. This week we will consider the *Dogmatic Constitution on the Church* (Lumen Gentium).

TOO EARLY FOR LENT?

Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, **March 5, 2025**. Easter Sunday is April 20, 2025. Lent is a wonderful time for prayerful reflection, excelling in charity, and a renewal of interior penance. Our annual Lenten Retreat will begin on **February 26** with a video series and small group discussion. **The Creed** is a series by Bishop Robert Barron, and we are happy to feature it this Lent. Join us too for *Stations of the Cross* on the Fridays of Lent beginning March 7. Always good to plan ahead!

PASTORAL & FINANCE COUNCILS

February is meeting month. Our Pastoral Council met on February 1st. The Finance Council meets on February 8th to approve the annual financial report to the Diocese.



JUBILEE PILGRIM SUNDAYS

Thank you to those who have volunteered to be Pilgrim Sunday volunteers. Today we will welcome those who join us for *Pilgrim Sunday*.

PILGRIM SUNDAYS

Sunday, February 2 – the Eucharist – 2 p.m. – 4
*Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction, Confessions
and personal prayer.*

Upcoming Pilgrim Sundays:

Sunday, March 30 – Being a Disciple of Hope
2 p.m. – 4 p.m. – *Keynote talk, Prayer at the Cross
(Taize), Confessions*

Sunday, October 19 – Blessed Mother
2 p.m. – 4 p.m. – *Scriptural Rosary, Meditation,
Confessions*

Sunday, November 23 – Christ the King
2 p.m. – 4 p.m. – *Tours, Personal prayer,
Confessions*

Parishes and school groups are planning for pilgrim visits to the Cathedral Basilica to participate in the Holy Year.

We journey here in *hope*. It is a hope rooted in Christ our Saviour and Redeemer. May these visits, the prayers of pilgrims, and experience of the Lord's presence lead us as pilgrims through this life to eternal life in Heaven.

CULTURE OF LIFE MASS

Welcome to young people from across the Diocese of Hamilton who will participate in the *Culture of Life* conference this week. They will gather in the Cathedral Basilica for Mass with Bishop Crosby on Thursday at 10:00 a.m.

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FORMED is a trusted Catholic streaming service. With our Parish subscription, you have access to great variety of quality Catholic video productions on the Sacraments, moral life, and many other aspects of Catholic life. Appropriate videos for families and children, as well as Catholic movies are available. For access, contact Sandra Gould in our Parish Office for sign-in credentials and further information.

WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE

Today is the *World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life*. The purpose of this day is “to help the entire Church to esteem ever more greatly the witness of those persons who have chosen to follow Christ by means of the practice of the evangelical counsels” as well as “to be a suitable occasion for consecrated persons to renew their commitment and rekindle the fervour which should inspire their offering of themselves to the Lord” (Saint John Paul II, 1997). At the Cathedral Basilica we are privileged with the presence of several consecrated Religious Women and Men who regularly worship with us. So many vital Catholic institutions were founded and staffed by Religious ... hospitals and care homes, schools, outreach ministries. We thank God for the gifts of the Sisters of St. Joseph, the School Sisters of Notre Dame, the Hospitaler Brothers of St. John of God (Good Shepherd), Sisters of Social Service, Sister of St. Joseph of Cluny, Jesuit Fathers, Comboni Missionaries, Oblates of Mary Immaculate, Franciscans, Carmelites, Dominicans, Consecrated Women living in the World. We give thanks for these, and others, who have helped shape the life of the Diocese over the decades and left a permanent mark on ministry here.



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