



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.

29th Week in Ordinary Time	Mass Intention
Tuesday, October 22, 2024 Saint John Paul II, pope <i>Ephesians 2.12-22; Luke 12.35-38</i>	8:00 a.m. + Jaromir Dolak
Wednesday, October 23, 2024 Saint John of Capistrano, priest <i>Ephesians 3.1-12; Luke 12.39-48</i>	12:00 Noon Curtis & Oceane McEwan +Gwen Hayes
Thursday, October 24, 2024 Saint John Mary Claret, bishop <i>Ephesians 3.13-21; Luke 12.49-53</i>	8:00 a.m. - + Charles Muli
Friday, October 25, 2024 <i>Ephesians 4.1-6; Luke 12.54-59</i>	8:00 a.m. +Lourdes-Aromin Bolos
Saturday, October 26, 2024	4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. - Sacrament of Reconciliation
	5:00 p.m. Vigil -30th Sunday in Ordinary Time- Pasquale Lentini, Josip & Ana Butorajac, Alfonso D'Amico, Domenico & Amira Socchera, Charles Penny, Charles Muli, Afroniano Navidad, Anna Leone
Sunday, October 27, 2024 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>Jeremiah 31.7-9; Hebrews 5.1-6; Mark 10.46-52</i>	9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass 11:00 a.m. Sunday Mass

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, October 6, 2024

Sunday Offerings	175x\$27.69	\$ 4,845.00
Loose Offerings		\$ 1,393.00
Stained Glass		\$ 175.00
Needs of Cdn Church		\$ 185.00
Evangelization		\$ 10.00
		<u>\$ 6,618.00</u>

Thank you for your continuing support of the Cathedral Parish with your sacrificial giving. During the Summer months we appreciate this weekly support - although our crowds go down - our expenses continue. New parishioners who wish to become envelope users, or pre-authorized giving supporters, please complete a registration form on-line or pick one up in the Tower entrance. Our office will prepare a box of envelopes or register you for pre-authorized giving.

OCTOBER IS VOCATION MONTH

October is Diocesan Vocations Month. Please pray for the men and women of our diocese who are discerning their vocations to marriage, priesthood, the permanent diaconate, the dedicated single life, and consecrated life, that is, as a consecrated virgin living in the world, or as a religious priest, brother or sister. Since it is also the month of Our Lady of the Rosary, you are encouraged to offer the Rosary, particularly the Luminous Mysteries, for vocations. Blessed Virgin Mary, Our Lady of the Rosary and Mother of Vocations, pray for us!

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

O Mary, who raised your Divine Son with the guidance of the Holy Spirit, intercede for all young people, especially those clouded by doubt about their vocations. May the light of grace pierce their hearts so they may answer your Son's call, especially those whom He is inviting to the priesthood and consecrated life.

Amen.

MONTH OF MARY

October is the month of Mary – a time for Catholics to recall the Mother of God and pray for her intercession. The family Rosary is a beautiful way to gather in prayer – weekly, daily, or at least once in the month.

HORIZONS OF HOPE

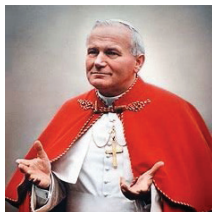
We are offering an excellent opportunity for anyone wanting to learn and reflect on the realities of end-of-life care from a Catholic perspective. The four sessions will provide information and guidance in this important and contemporary moral issue. Please contact our Parish Office for a registration form – ONLY those who register for the program may participate in the sessions.

SACRAMENTS WITH CHILDREN

If you have a child in Grade 2 or Grade 7 – either in a Catholic or Public School – who wish to celebrate *First Communion* or *Confirmation* at the Cathedral Parish in the coming year, please contact our Parish Office for information and catechetical support.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today is *World Mission Sunday*. We pray for missionaries around the world. Thank you for your generous support.



FEAST OF POPE SAINT JOHN PAUL II

Tuesday is the feast day of Saint John Paul II. It recalls the day in 1978 which celebrated the inauguration of his ministry as Bishop of Rome and Supreme Pontiff of the Catholic Church. Saint John Paul II served as Pope until his death in 2005. Many of his later years were marked with declining health and mobility – but he endured and offered an example of joyful suffering united to the passion of the Lord. We pray for his intercession – especially for the sick and for vocations to the Priesthood and religious life.

HAMILTON PHYSICIANS' GUILD

The White Mass, so named by the color worn by those in the healing profession of medicine, assembles health care professionals under the patronage of St. Luke to ask God's blessing upon medical students, residents, doctors, nurses, and caregivers both in hospitals and the community who are involved in the circle of patient care. The White Mass of The Hamilton Catholic Physicians Guild will be celebrated in Canadian Martyrs Church on Sunday October 27, 2024, at 11.30 am, with His Excellency, Bishop Douglas Crosby. All are cordially invited to attend the Mass which will be followed by a light reception.



CONGRATULATIONS CARDINAL LEO

Pope Francis announced the creation of 21 new Cardinals on October 6 in Rome. Among the new Cardinals is His Grace, Francis Leo the Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto. The Cardinals will gather with Pope Francis for the Consistory on Sunday, December 8th at Saint Peter's, Rome. Cardinals are appointed to a Parish Church in the Diocese of Rome. The College was originally composed of the parish Priests of the Diocese of Rome. Today, Cardinals participate in the day-to-day work of the various offices of the Holy See. Those under 80 are eligible to vote in a Conclave to elect a new Pope. Currently there are 141 Cardinals under 80, with around 246 in total. The appointment of His Eminence, Cardinal-designate Leo is a blessing for the Archdiocese of Toronto and for the Metropolitan Province of Toronto. We offer our prayers for him and for the added responsibilities this appointment carries. Cardinals wear crimson red as a sign of their fidelity to and service of Peter, to the point of the shedding of their blood. At the Consistory on December 8, Cardinal-designate will receive the distinctive Cardinal's hat, a specially designed ring, and the *bull* (parchment) indicating his appointment and the title of the Church he will possess.

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