



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
Monsignor EDWARD D. SHERIDAN, In Residence
Mrs. LISA TUCK, Parish Secretary
Mrs. SANDRA GOULD, Pastoral Minister
Mr. ROBERT CORSO, Director of Music
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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. - 12:00 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.

25th Week in Ordinary Time	Mass Intention
Tuesday, September 24, 2024 <i>Proverbs 21.1-6,10-13; Luke 8.19-21</i>	8:00 a.m. + Walter Collins
	6:30 p.m. – Mass with CWL
Wednesday, September 25, 2024 <i>Proverbs 30.5-9; Luke 9.1-6</i>	12:00 Noon + Eddie Balaban + Cathy Mangone + Rita Shaunnessy +Leslee Cooper
Thursday, September 26, 2024 Saint John de Brébeuf & Companions, martyrs <i>Revelation 7.9-17; 2 Corinthians 4.7-15; Luke 9.23-26</i>	8:00 a.m. - + Victor Uzbalis
Friday, September 27, 2024 Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest <i>Ecclesiastes 3.1-11 ; Luke 9.18-22</i>	8:00 a.m. + Finn Willman
Saturday, September 28, 2024	4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. – Sacrament of Reconciliation
	5:00 p.m. Vigil –26th Sunday in Ordinary Time– Pasquale Lentini, Docarmo Amaro, John Howarth, Mario DiCarlo, Graciosa Cacoilo, Jane Bell
Sunday, September 29, 2024 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>Numbers 11.25-29; James 5.1-6; Mark 9.38-45,47-48</i>	9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass 11:00 a.m. Sunday Mass

COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday, September 8, 2024

Regular Offering Envelopes	\$ 5,096.00
Loose Offerings	\$ 1,442.00
Stained Glass	\$ 1,366.00
Needs of Cdn Church	\$ 155.00
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	\$ 8,059.00

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.

WELCOME FATHER LOURDU
We are very happy to welcome *Father Lourdusamy Subramani* (Father Lourdu) to our Parish. Father comes from India and has worked in Canada previously. He will assist us here at the Cathedral Basilica in the coming months. Welcome!

CWL SEPTEMBER MEETING
Members are reminded of their upcoming meeting on **Tuesday, September 24** at 7:00 p.m. following Mass at 6:30 p.m.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING
Council meeting on **Thursday, September 26** at 7:00 p.m. in McNally Hall.

NEEDS OF THE CHURCH IN CANADA
This annual collection takes place on September 29 – please be generous

350TH ANNIVERSARY OF QUEBEC

The Archdiocese of Quebec celebrates its 350th Anniversary this month. The Bishops of Canada will gather for the grand celebration today at the start of their annual meeting. Bishops from across North America have also been invited. The Archdiocese of Quebec was the first in North America. Most of the other dioceses in Canada and the United States trace their origins back to Quebec.

FEAST OF SAINT JEAN DE BRÉBEUF

In Canada, we celebrate the Feast of Saint Jean de Brébeuf, Saint Issac Jogues, Priests and Companions, the Canadian Martyrs on Thursday, September 26. These earlier Jesuit missionaries are the Secondary Patrons of Canada. We pray for their intercession for our nation.



AD MULTO ANNOS!

Congratulations to His Excellency, Bishop Crosby, who celebrates the 49th Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood

on Friday, September 27. We rejoice with the Bishop of God's provident love and grace through his many years of service to the Church.

FORWARD TOGETHER IN CHRIST

The results of a multi-year consultation with parishioners, priests, deacons and pastoral ministers from across the Diocese has been gathered into a final report. You can access the report by visiting www.hamiltondiocese.com and look for *Forward together in Christ*. Our Pastoral Council reviewed the document at its meeting and will continue to reflect on it during this Pastoral Year.

OCTOBER IS VOCATION MONTH

Bishop Crosby has designated October as Diocesan Vocations Month. Each Sunday we will have an intercession for vocations. You are also encouraged to pray for vocations throughout the month. Moreover, if you know someone who you think should consider a

particular vocation, such as marriage, priesthood or consecrated religious life or virginity lived in the world, be sure to invite that person to listen for the Lord's call. Mary, Mother of Vocations, pray for us! For more information about vocations, visit: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/> .

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

40 Days for Life is inviting YOU (young and old) to participate in a peaceful prayer vigil across the street from McMaster Children's Hospital, happening each day (Sept. 25th- Nov. 3rd) from 7am to 7pm. This is our opportunity to pray for the voiceless and save their parents from the suffering abortion will bring. Sign up online visit: <https://bit.ly/40dayshamilton> or call 905-962-2864"

WORLD TOURISM DAY (September 27)

Established by the World Tourism Organization in 1979, this is a day observed by the Church too. We remember the words of Jesus to his disciples, *"Whatever house you enter, first say, Peace be to this house! And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person."*

WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES

Sunday, September 29 is the *World Day of Migrants and Refugees*. As Catholics we are aware of the struggles of those who seek to build a life in freedom. Hamilton has been a home to migrants and refugees for many generations. Let us work to welcome newcomers among us and pray for an end to discrimination and hostility toward migrants and refugees.

DOWNSPOUTS & SECURITY LIGHTING

This Summer petty thieves have stolen several downspouts from the Cathedral, the Rectory, and the Bishop's Residence. They sell the metal for a paltry amount of money - the replacement will cost us several thousands. We are enhancing our security lighting. The buildings will be lit from dusk to dawn. The spouts will be replaced with aluminum.



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