



St. Louis Catholic Church

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Office hours:

July - August:

Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Closed on Fridays.

September - June:

Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. & 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.,
Friday 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday – Friday 9:00 a.m.
*Rosary: Tuesday to Friday
before 9:00 a.m. Mass*

Sunday Masses:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:30 a.m.
11:30 a.m.

Welcome to St. Louis Parish - Whether you are just passing through the area or looking for a spiritual home, we welcome you to St. Louis Catholic Church. We hope you will find our worship environment hospitable and prayerful.

People often attend Mass at a parish for months or years without officially registering. Registration here at St. Louis is an expression of your commitment to being an active member of our community. Parish registration simplifies the process with regard to sponsoring a sacramental candidate; obtaining pastoral references and for preparation of baptisms, weddings and funerals.

Registration is easy and can be completed at the Parish Office during regular office hours. Registration forms are available at the back of the Church.

Parish Records - Our parish records are very important. We try to keep them up to date. Please advise the office of any changes.

Music in the Liturgy - Music plays an integral role in the liturgical life of the parish. Parishioners are invited to join our choirs.

Please contact the choir directors:
9:30 Choir – Bob Reinhart (robertreinhart182@msn.com),
11:30 Choir – John Miller (john@johnbmiller.ca),
5:00 Mass – Peter DeSousa (organist) or Youth Music.

Sunday programs for children - During the Sunday morning 9:30 a.m. Mass there is babysitting for children under 3 years of age, Sunday School for 3 to 6 years of age and Children's Liturgy of the Word for children ages 7 and up.

Sacramental Life - St. Louis Parish celebrates the sacraments for its members who are registered and regularly attending.

If you are not registered you are automatically a member of a parish closest to you.

Baptism - Celebrated once a month. Please speak with a priest after Mass on Sunday.

Sacrament of Reconciliation - Saturdays 4 - 4:30 p.m., or by appointment.

Marriage - For registered and attending members, please contact the parish office at least one year in advance of your date. A marriage preparation course is required.

Becoming Catholic - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, preparing adults for baptism and/or to join the community. Please contact the office for further information.

Anointing and Pastoral Care - Our parish community cares about the sick and elderly and the lonely. Please notify the parish office to arrange for them to receive the Anointing of the Sick, or to have the Holy Communion brought to them.

Pastoral Care to those in Hospital - A family member is asked to contact the parish whenever a parishioner is in hospital and requests a pastoral visit. Privacy-of-Information laws prohibit the parish from obtaining information about parishioners in the hospital.

Priesthood and Religious Life - Is God calling you to religious life, as a Brother, Deacon or Priest? If so, please contact Fr. Toby Collins, C.R., Vocation Director for the Congregation of the Resurrection, at 226-989-1057, crvocations@gmail.com or check www.resurrectionist.ca

Parish Organizations and Contacts:

Finance Council

Terry Collins, 519-741-1534

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Ministry to the Elderly & Homebound

Cecilia Beechey, 519-572-5435

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Sandra Williams, 519-742-9239

Prayer Chain

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For food hamper or more
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21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, August 27 – St. Monica - No Mass

Tuesday, August 28 – St. Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

9:00 am † Alex Sichewski – Joan Sichewski

Wednesday, August 29 – The Passion of St. John the Baptist

9:00 am † André Duval – Catherine Duval-Russell

Thursday, August 30

9:00 am

Friday, August 31

9:00 am

Saturday, September 1

Vigil of the 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm † Bill Wharnsby – Marnie Wharnsby

† Madeleine Grace Carey – Brenda Lmija

† Seamus Tighe – Pat and Joan Forde

Sunday, September 2nd – 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am † Frances Miehm – John and Sharon Carey

11:30 am People of St. Louis Parish

Reflection on the Gospel (John 6:53,60-69) from “Workbook for Lectors, Gospel Readers and Proclaimers of the Word”:

The disciples have witnessed many miracles done by Jesus up to this point, wedding at Cana, conversion of unfriendly Samaritans, many healings, and now a crowd satisfied by a picnic of the five loaves. Now Jesus tests his disciples, especially Peter

Jesus is all too familiar with indecisive, volatile human nature; he knows our projects and our best intentions; he also knows that we do what we do not want to do; that we eat what is not good for our health; we think and sin in ways that are not beneficial. Jesus knows that, as long as he fills our bellies and baskets with his miracles, we will follow him. Such is the force of the gravity of our flesh; but, after filling bellies and reviving hopes, Jesus does not excuse us from the test; he talks to us about the Bread of life, and invites us to renounce any material benefit we might have planned for ourselves. He addresses our spiritual nature.

Many are rejecting Jesus’ teaching: “This teaching is too difficult; who can accept it?” Jesus examines us to determine if we follow him for temporal or for eternal values. This test awakens our conscience, and perhaps painfully stirs us to reflect that we have been born not just for life in the present, but for eternity.

Jesus does not wish to hold anybody by force of the miracles; we are free to follow or to abandon him. He invites us to discover our identity as disciples.... What do you choose?

THIS WEEK EVENTS

Monday, August 27

9 am – noon Pickle Ball

Gym

Wednesday, August 29

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Wednesday, August 30

9:30am Small Christian Community

Lg Hall

Mass	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat. Sept. 1 5:00 pm	1 Fran Ruetz 2 Andy Zachowski C Sharon Carey	1 Christiane Martin 2 Daniel Delattre 3 Debbie Delattre
Sun. Aug 26 9:30 am	1 Barry Hinchberger 2 Cecilia Beechey C Annette Hulme	1 Mary Smith 2 Eric Davis 3 John Klein
Sun. Aug 26 11:30 am	1 Al Kehn 2 Donna Herbstreit C Carol Sullivan	1 Lois Peterson 2 Terry Sullivan 3 volunteer needed



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Louis IX (25 April 1214 – 25 August 1270), commonly known as **Saint Louis**, he was King of France and is canonized Catholic and Anglican saint. As an adult, Louis IX faced recurring conflicts with some of the most-powerful nobles, such as Hugh X of Lusignan and Peter of Dreux.

Simultaneously, Henry III of England tried to restore his continental possessions, but was defeated at the battle of Taillebourg. His reign saw the annexation of several provinces, notably Normandy, Maine and Provence.

Louis IX was a reformer and developed French royal justice, in which the king was the supreme judge to whom anyone could appeal to seek the amendment of a judgment. He banned trials by ordeal, tried to prevent the private wars that were plaguing the country and introduced the presumption of innocence in criminal procedures. To enforce the application of this new legal system, Louis IX created provosts and bailiffs.

Following a vow he made after a serious illness and confirmed after a miraculous cure, Louis IX took an active part in the Seventh and Eighth Crusades. He died from dysentery during the latter crusade, and was succeeded by his son Philip III.

Louis's actions were inspired by Christian zeal and Catholic devotion. He decided to severely punish blasphemy, gambling, interest-bearing loans and prostitution. He spent exorbitant sums on presumed relics of Christ, for which he built the Sainte-Chapelle. He is the only canonized king of France, and there are consequently many places named after him.

(article from Wikipedia)

AUGUST 26, 2018

August office hours: Mon. – Thu. - 9 am – 1 pm

Church bulletin advertising: Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in October 2018 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

St. Louis children and Youth programs – Please mark your calendars:



St. Louis Sunday Children's Programs will resume Sunday, September 9th at 9:30am Mass

Youth Music will resume practices on Friday September 7th at 6pm

Youth Group Everyone will resume on Friday September 14th at 7pm

Youth Group High School will resume on Friday September 21 at 7pm

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program Levels 1 & II/III will resume on Monday, September 24 at 4pm.

Any questions or inquiries, please contact Kelly Krause at the parish office



Our next C.W.L. General Meeting will take place on Wednesday, Sep. 5th, beginning with Mass at 7 pm, with Meeting to follow in the Large Hall. Our guest speaker will be Linda from FAMILY RELOCATION

PROJECT, which helps women and their children fleeing abusive domestic situations. Please consider purchasing new or used: tea towels, oven mitts, pot holders, towels, face cloths, queen sized sheets and blankets, etc. - as we will have a shower that evening to help keep their shelves stocked. Your generosity will help women and children in desperate need. We look forward to seeing you all there!

Save The Date: The annual C.W.L. Spaghetti Supper will be held on Sat., Sep. 29th between 6 and 8 pm in the St. Louis Gym. Tickets will go on sale at the Program and Volunteer Fair taking place on Sep. 8th & 9th. More details to follow in the upcoming weeks.

Save The Date: Sep. 26th: Our Lady of Lourdes Parish CWL is hosting a FASHION SHOW at 6:30 pm with clothing by UNIQUE BOUTIQUE. Tickets: \$15. Please invite your friends and family. Proceeds will be donated to charities that the CWL sponsors. Further details will be forthcoming in the September bulletins. For more information please contact via email ourladyoflourdescwl@gmail.com

PS: We are in need of 10 female models if you are able to volunteer please contact Patrycja at OLOL at 519 - 886-0342.

Tickets on sale next week, can be purchased and pick up at the parish office at OLOL.



Jesus has given us His Body to eat and His Blood to drink so as to nourish us on our journey towards the Kingdom. May we be faithful to Him on our journey as married, single, ordained or consecrated persons. If God is calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x2246 email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com www.HamiltonVocations.com



Plant sale for the Prayer Shawl Ministry – Interested in Hostas? Great number of varieties. They look good in pots and in beds. Call Sharon at 519-746-8073 for details.



Interested in gardening at St. Louis, even for an hour? – call Marnie Wharnsby (519-585-1417), or come on a Tuesday morning.

Eucharistic Ministers for St. Mary's Hospital - We are in need of a few more volunteers who would be willing to go into St. Mary's hospital and give out communion to those wishing to receive. The commitment would not be more than once a month. If you are interested in getting involved or want more information please contact Kelly Krause at the parish office.

15th Annual Walking Pilgrimage to the Shrine of the Sorrowful Mother in St. Agatha on Sep. 9th. At noon gather at the Bank of Montreal Plaza 650–668 (first right past the Erb St. & Ira Needles Blvd round-about). Pilgrimage begins at 12:30 pm. Rosary at 2:45 pm, Mass at 3 pm and refreshment following Mass. Theme: Call to Conversion. From BMO Plaza to the Shrine is 5 km long walk. Walk one way only and get a ride back from anyone who participates in the Mass only. Call 519-744-8330 for more details.

The Carmel of St. Joseph Luncheon & Card Party will be held at St. Anthony Daniel Church Hall, 29 Midland Dr. Kitchener, on Wed., Sep. 19, from 12– 4 pm. Doors open at 11:30 am. Admission - \$15. Lunch & Door Prizes. Please note only advanced tickets will be sold for this event. Contact: Angie Bateman 519-569-7493, anabateman307@gmail.com. If possible tickets will be available at the door. For more information, please call Sheila at 519-743-6069, sheilamathews2006@yahoo.ca

Are you a personal or professional caregiver? Caregivers need care too! Join us for a 'Courage for Caregivers' retreat day. Rooted in the wisdom of Henri Nouwen and sponsored by the Henri Nouwen Society, it will be held at Ignatius Jesuit Centre in Guelph on Thursday Sept. 20, 2018. For more information visit www.henrinouwen.org

Past Collections:

Date	Sunday Envelopes	Loose	Pre-authorized prorated per week
Aug 19	\$3288.50	\$290.80	\$2308.30

Thank you for your generosity & continuous support!

Pre-Authorized Giving available at St. Louis Church.

Funds transferred monthly on the 20th of each month. (This covers only the regular Sunday envelope donations). If interested, ask an usher, or Fr. Phil for a registration form.





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