

St. Louis Roman Catholic Church

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Office hours: Monday – Thursday 9 - 12 and 1- 4, Friday 9 - 12

Sunday Masses:

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

Vietnamese Community:

Sunday Mass: 3:00 p.m.

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday – Friday 9:00 a.m.

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

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Welcome new members

We would like to invite you to register. Registration forms can be found in the narthex (lobby). Please call the parish if you would like your home to be blessed.

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),

Youth Choir - Donna McLellan (dlmshaney@golden.net).

Peter DeSousa provides music for the 5 p.m. Mass (peterdesousa730@gmail.com)

Sunday programs for children

During the Sunday morning Masses 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

Church policy requires that the Sacraments be performed in the parish located closest to you geographically – unless you are registered and regularly attend elsewhere. At St. Louis, the sacraments of initiation are available to registered and regularly attending parishioners only.

Baptism: Celebrated once a month. Please contact the parish office for more information.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Tuesdays – Fridays before the morning Mass, Saturdays 4 - 4:30 p.m., or by appointment.

Marriage: Please contact the parish office at least one year in advance of your date. A marriage preparation course is required.

R.C.I.A: 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 Sacrament of Reconciliation, Holy Communion, or Sacrament of the Sick.

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

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 or crvocations@gmail.com.



ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, June 18

9:00am † Rita & Marcella Helm - estate

Wednesday, June 19

9:00am In thanksgiving for graces received – Carol Dubeau

Thursday, June 20

9:00 am † Deceased benefactors and parents of members
of the Congregation of the Resurrection

7:00 pm St. Vincent de Paul Mass and Meeting

Friday, June 21

9:00 am † Margaret Vogt – Art Vogt

Saturday, June 22

Sunday liturgy – 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm † Andrey Moser – Moser Family

† Ted Ings – Pat & Joan Forde

† Edna Ertel – Jan & Grant Ertel

† Elizabeth McDonald – Loretta Levigne

Sunday, June 23 – 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am People of St. Louis

11:30 am † Elmer Rudnisky – Bonnie & Jim Rudnisky

† David Coombes – Joyce Coombes

† Thomas Germann – Stephen & Kathie

Mulhall

3:00 pm Vietnamese Mass

Upcoming Events

Monday, June 17

7:00 pm VBS leaders meeting

Nursery

Tuesday, June 18

Wednesday, June 19

7:30 pm 11:30 Choir Practice

Church

Thursday, June 20

7:00 pm St. Vincent de Paul – Kitchener Particular Council
Mass and meeting. Church



Mission Statement

St. Louis Parish is a welcoming and caring Roman Catholic community. We reflect the presence of the Risen Christ among us, as we grow together in Faith, Hope and Love.

<i>Mass</i>	<i>Readers</i>	<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i>
Saturday June 22, 5:00 pm	1 Sharon Carey 2 Stephen Filipowicz C Marg Dooley	1 Guy Tremblay 2 Trudy Allensen 3 Volunteer needed
Sunday June 23, 9:30 am	1 Ed Ruppe 2 Jessica Hill C Linda Wanka	1 Annette Hulme 2 Rob Hinsperger 3 Frank Hulme
June 23, 11:30 am	1 Ioanna Malton 2 Deb Zettel-Schmitt C Janet Lanteigne	1 Terry Sullivan 2 Derek Elsworth 3 Marianne Butler

For the 11th Sunday of Ordinary Time - Customs and backgrounds to today's Gospel

It was the custom in those days to offer water to invited guests who entered homes for a meal, water to wash the dust and dirt off their feet, and water to wash their faces and hands. This was a normal and expected courtesy. Here in this episode the Pharisee offered no water to Jesus even though He was an invited guest. It was a snub, a snub that in effect said, "You are dirt as far as I'm concerned."

Normally a warm greeting with a kiss on the cheek was tendered. You see that even today in the Middle East when people first meet and greet each other. Upon Jesus' arrival in the Pharisee's home He was given no kiss, no sign of closeness or friendship. In other words He was told He was an outsider. The message was: "You'll get no respect here!"

Anointing with oil was another gesture of hospitality. Actually the ointment was a kind of perfume. In those hot, dusty regions of the world you can imagine the smells that must have accumulated in the clothes of travelers.

Perfumed oil was a way of making the guests more comfortable, especially those sitting nearby! Anointing with oil also had a healing quality to take care of muscle aches, pains, and weaknesses.

What about the woman who appeared at the dinner? What we do know is that she was conscious of her sins, very conscious of them. She knew she needed forgiveness and acceptance. Quite obviously she knew who Jesus was and that He was an extraordinarily holy man of God.

Boldly she approached Jesus, washed His feet with her tears, wiped them clean with her hair, and then covered His feet with her kisses. The guests at that dinner must have been shocked.

Love motivated this woman. Love did not motivate the Pharisee. She knew what was in the heart of Jesus and, acting in faith, she placed her hope in Him and gave Him her love.

The Pharisee, being distant from Jesus, cold in his aloofness, didn't receive any forgiveness -- he didn't even want it.

Betty Anne B. Davidson, a mother of 8, grandmother of 21 and part of the official Canadian delegation at the inaugural Mass and installation of Pope Francis, is our guest speaker at the Sunday June 23rd luncheon after the 11:30 Mass. Tickets (\$10) can still be purchased from Sandra Williams (519-742-9230), or Patti Pagett (dpac@golden.net). **Deadline: This Monday June 17th.**

Explore Midland with the Knights of Columbus on Saturday, June 22. For more information or to purchase tickets (\$60.00 per person; \$55 for seniors over 65 and youth 18 and under) please call/visit the Waterloo Knights of Columbus Hall, 145 Dearborn Place Waterloo, 519-884-2060 or email Greg Kelly at elbowskelly@sympatico.ca

In conjunction with the celebration of their 60th anniversary as a Catholic Christian faith community, St. Aloysius is hosting the Timothy Schmalz "Pro-Life Sculpture Show". Highlighted will be new Christian works of art reflecting the theme of the exhibit. You are invited to view these new works & be part of the "Artist Talk" at 1:00pm on Saturday, June 22nd, 2013 in the St. Aloysius Church Centre located at 11 Traynor Avenue, Kitchener. The exhibit hours are from 12 to 4pm. Timothy's sculptures will be available for purchase.

All are invited to join Bishop Crosby at the Cathedral of Christ the King on **Sunday, June 23rd at 4:00 p.m. for a special Mass of recognition of the Basilica status conferred on the Cathedral of Christ the King** by Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI. A reception will follow the Mass in the Cathedral Hall.

5th Annual Pencil Case Project - St. Vincent de Paul Youth Group in Waterloo is collecting used or new school supplies, lunch boxes, water bottles, toys, games and more to send to the schools in Dominican Republic. Please pre-sort by type. For more information or to donate contact Carmela at carm199@hotmail.com, or the parish office. Shipment will be packed during the first half of July.

Permanent Diaconate Information Meeting will be held at St. John's Church, 45 Victoria Road North, Guelph, on Sunday, June 23, following the 11 am Mass. The next formation session begins in September 2014, and applications for admission into the formation program are being accepted at this time. For information contact Deacon Peter Gittens at: (905) 528-7988 x 2258, or diaconateformation@hamiltondiocese.com

Sunday Morning Programs:

This Sunday is the last Sunday for the children's programs for the summer. This includes Babysitting, Sunday School and Liturgy of the Word. These programs will resume on September 8th.

Sacramental Preparation Classes:

Confirmation classes for all those in grade 7, who wish to be confirmed at St. Louis Parish will begin in the fall. The first class will start on Wed., September 11th at 7pm in Notre Dame Hall. First Communion classes for those in grade 2, who wish to receive First Reconciliation and First Communion at St. Louis Parish will begin in January. The first class will begin on Wed., January 15th at 6:30pm in Notre Dame Hall. (All classes will be held in Notre Dame Hall, otherwise known as the Convent, on Wednesday evenings. To register please contact Kelly Krause at the parish office.)

VBS Camp (Aug 12-16) Registration:

Registration continues throughout the month of June. Please leave your registration forms at the back of the church, or at the parish office at your earliest convenience. If you have any questions please contact Kelly Krause at the parish office.

The Carmel of St. Joseph Guild invites all members, families and friends to attend the **Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass to be held Sunday, July 14 2013, at 2:00 pm at the Monastery.** The Rosary will precede the mass. The celebrant will be Bishop Douglas Crosby. Please bring a lawn chair if possible.

8-Day Directed Retreats June 20-28, July 22-30, or August 1-9, 12-20, 22-30 2013
Cost: \$765, Loyola House at Ignatius Jesuit Centre, Guelph. Register online at loyolahouse.com/application.html. For more information: 519 824 1250 x266 or registration@ignatiusguelph.ca

Pilgrimage Without Passport –A pilgrimage to the Shrines of Quebec: Cap-de-la-Madeleine, Ste. Anne De Beaupre and the Shrines of the Sacred Heart and Our Lady of Lourdes. Aug 12 to Aug 17. Contact Lois at 519-880-8732 for information.

Looking to rent from Catholic Family: Hello! I'm Nicole, a young Catholic woman from Winnipeg, and will be doing an internship in St. Agatha and Kitchener this coming September. I'm hoping to find a place to rent in Kitchener/Waterloo from Sep. 1, 2013 to May/June 2014. If you are looking to rent out a space and would be interested in talking to me, please email me at Nicole_richard@shaw.ca. Thanks so much.

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