St. Louis Catholic Church

53 Allen Street East, Waterloo ON N2J 1J3 Tel: 519-743-4101 Email: stlouiswaterloo@hamiltondiocese.com Web site: www.saintlouisparish.ca

Served by the Congregation of the Resurrection since 1890.

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

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.

Pastoral Team:

**Parish Secretary** 

Anna Malton

stlouiswaterloo@hamiltondiocese.com

Coordinator of Youth and Children's Ministries

Kelly Krause

kkrause@hamiltondiocese.com

Custodian Michael Ehrlich



Fr. Michal Kruszewski, C.R. fr.michal.cr@gmail.com

preilly@hamiltondiocese.com

Father Phil Reilly, C.R.

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 Annointing 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

**Maintenance Committee** 

Bob Lorentz, 519-576-5556

**Social Committee** 

Cynthia Ehrlich

**Parish Webmaster** 

Daniel Delattre, daniel@uwaterloo.ca

**Altar Servers Coordinator** Dave Pagett, 519-744-7705

Catechesis Of The Good Shepherd, **Youth Ministry** 

Kelly Krause, 519-743-4101

Catholic Women's League Gerri Duque, 519-885-6161

Ministry to the Elderly & Homebound

Cecilia Beechey, 519-572-5435

**Prayer Shawl Ministry** 

Sandra Williams, 519-742-9239

**Prayer Chain** 

Sharon Carey, 519-746-8073

St. Vincent De Paul

For food hamper or more information call 519-743-4101





### **Mass Intentions**

Monday, June 27 - No Mass

Tuesday, June 28 - St Irenaeus, Bishop, Martyr

9:00 am For the intentions of Fr. Ted Hughes – The Monday

Mass Group

Wednesday, June 29 - Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

9:00 am † David Murtha – Jim & Linda Schurter & Family

Thursday, June 30

9:00 am † Albert, Norma & Sonia Moser – Tom Moser

Friday, July 1 - No Mass

Mass intention moved to Aug. 4, 2016 at 9:00 am

Saturday, July 2

Sunday liturgy – 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm † Pat Taaffe – Joan & Patrick Forde

† Lidia Burek – Richard & Claire Armitage

† Jean Grebinski – Tim, Brenda, Amelia & Joe

For intentions of Kathrine & Gared – Malton Family

Sunday, July 3 – 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am For Inga & Terry on their 45<sup>th</sup> wedding

† David Kirby – Kirby Family

† Shirley Hinsperger – Hinsperger Family

† Kasem, Johnny & Khampheng Xaysy –Xaysy

Family

### FOR THE 13<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:

(Galatians 5:1,  $13-18 - 2^{nd}$  Reading)

The "freedom" of the Kingdom Paul speaks of is not licentiousness or even libertarianism (understood as being able to do or say what you want without interference). In the Bible, being free is less about "freedom *from*" and more about "freedom *for.*" Paul continues his argument against false teachers who insist that, for salvation, Gentile converts needed circumcision as well as Christ, Paul rails against that lie. Christ freed us from reliance on the requirements of the old Law. We are saved by faith in Him, not by our works. However, he cautions, we mustn't use this freedom to indulge the "flesh," which here does not mean only inappropriate sexual desires but *everything* in our human nature that draws us away from God – jealousy, anger, selfishness, addiction, quarrelling, dissensions, and so forth.

What we are freed *for* is love of God and neighbour and we love the "neighbour as yourself." Here "as" means not "in the same way," but "at the same time." True love is never self-centred and never excludes the other. Only when we truly love ourselves with the love God has for us can we also love others with God's love. If we don't love ourselves, love of others may simply manifest insecurity or the desire to control and get others to love us. Such pure love is possible only in the Spirit. "Spirit" and "flesh" are not presented here as opposites, flesh being our worldly nature and spirit our higher nature. Spirit is capitalized because it refers to God's Spirit, who helps us overcome our weaknesses in order to live in the liberating freedom of God.

### **Upcoming Events**

Tuesday, June 28

1:00 pm Prayer Shawl Meeting

Large Hall

### Office will be closed on July 1, Canada Day.

Mass	Readers	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>
Sat. July 2	1 Stephen Filipowicz	1 Trudy Allensen
5:00 pm	2 Joan Sichewski	2 Joan Sichewski
	C Bea Lejeunesse	3 Marilyn Foster
Sun. July 3	1 Lauren Krause	1 Ed Ruppe
9:30 am	2 Terry Collins	2 Cecilia Beechey
	C Frank Mensink	3 Rob Hinsperger
11:30 am	1 Lois Peterson	1 Pegg Leroux
	2 Rachael Ward	2 Patti Walsh
	C Mark Modolo	3 Terry Sullivan



# ST. IRENAEUS - SAINT OF THIS WEEK (FROM CATHOLIC ONLINE):

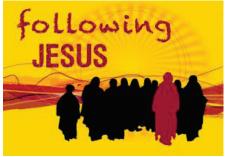
The writings of St. Irenaeus entitle him to a high place among the fathers of the Church, for they not only laid the foundations of Christian

theology but, by exposing and refuting the errors of the gnostics, they delivered the Catholic Faith from the real danger of the doctrines of those heretics.

He was probably born about the year 125, in one of the maritime provinces of Asia Minor where the memory of the apostles was still cherished and where Christians were numerous. He was most influenced by St. Polycarp who had known the apostles or their immediate disciples.

Many priest and missionaries from Asian Minor brought the gospel to the pagan Gauls and founded a local church. To this church of Lyon, Irenaeus came to serve as a priest under its first bishop, St. Pothinus. In the year 177, Irenaeus was sent to Rome and through this escaped the terrible persecution in Lyons. When he returned, it was to occupy the vacant bishopric. By this time, the persecution was over. It was the spread of gnosticism in Gaul, and the ravages it was making among the Christians of his diocese, that inspired him to undertake the task of exposing its errors. He produced a treatise in five books in which he sets forth fully the inner doctrines of the various sects, and afterwards contrasts them with the teaching of the Apostles and the text of the Holy Scripture. His work, written in Greek but quickly translated to Latin, was widely circulated and succeeded in dealing a death-blow to gnosticism, which ceased to offer a serious menace to the Catholic faith.

The date of death of St. Irenaeus is not known, but it is believed to be in the year 202. He was buried in a crypt under



the altar of the church of St. John, which was later known by the name of St. Irenaeus. This tomb was destroyed by the Calvinists in 1562, and all trace of his relics seems to have perished.



Vacation Bible Camp - Parents mark your calendars, July 25-29. The afternoon session (Lego Robotics) is full. Limited spots in the

morning VBS sessions. Registration deadline: July 5<sup>th</sup>. The cost per child for half day camp is \$60 and the cost per family for half day camp is \$110. Our theme for this year is a circus, "Circus of Stars."



Contemplative Prayer Sessions - Saints and mystics say 'Contemplative Prayer' is key to building relationship with God. St. Teresa of Avila

said, "Contemplative prayer in my opinion is nothing else than a close sharing between friends; it means taking time frequently to be alone with Him who we know loves us." Join Seminarian Chris Tracey in exploring the meaning, method, people and history behind this divine prayer practice in the last of three One-Hour 'Tuesday Night' Sessions in the Parish Hall of Our Lady of Lourdes; 173 Lourdes Street, Waterloo at 7:30 pm on July 12th followed by coffee, tea and cookies. For further info, contact: Chris Tracey 519-886-0342 X 5 or ctracey@hotmail.com.

Stairways To Heaven – Catholic goods store at St. Jacobs Farmers Market was forced to close following the fire on May 28<sup>th</sup>. The reopening date for the store is July 16<sup>th</sup> at 7 am. In the meantime you may still purchase items for Baptism, First Holy Communion or Confirmation, Rosaries, Crucifixes, Saint Medals, Books etc. by appointment by calling 519-206-0139 or emailing stairwaystoheaven@bell.net. Website: www.stairwaystoheaven.ca

Prayer Vigil - Thursday, July 7<sup>th</sup>, from 9 am to 10 am in front of Freeport Hospital, 3570 King St. E., Kitchener, for babies being aborted. All are welcome to pray quietly for those who have no voice, but our own! Parking across the road, Schneider Park. Any queries, please contact Cathy at: kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com



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 10<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm at the Monastery. The Rosary will precede the Mass. The celebrant will be Monsignor Murray Kroetsch. Bishop Douglas Crosby has designated the Double Doors at the entrance to the chapel as the HOLY DOOR OF MERCY for this day.

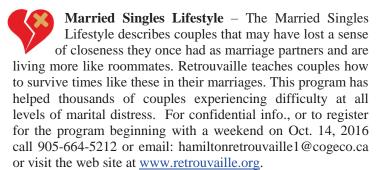


Marian Pilgrimage Days on Five First Saturdays June through October (Year of Mercy Indulgence will be granted to all who attend.) St. Thomas the Apostle Parish in Waterdown invites you to come and participate in their Marian Pilgrimage Days. This is

to fulfill the request of Our Lady of Fatima to pray in a special way on the First Saturday of the month and in union with our Lady we will invoke God's blessings and graces for our family, Church and world. Each month, a Bishop will celebrate the Mass and preach the homily. From 10 am to 2 pm. All are welcome! Please bring your own lunch. Dates (all Saturdays): June 4 (past), July 2, Aug. 6, Sep. 3, Oct. 1.



Vocation Seeds - Jesus still speaks the invitation "Follow Me." Pray for the strength and the grace of discernment. If you feel God's call to the priesthood or consecrated life, visit www.HamiltonVocations.com.



### Collection: June 18 & 19, 2016

Sunday envelopes:	\$ 5150.70
Maintenance envelopes:	\$ 1238.00
Loose donations:	\$ 395.15

Thank you for your generosity & continuous support

### SUMMER LISTENING IDEAS

### WHETHER AT HOME OR IN A CAR

(Lighthouse Media CDs are available at the back of the church for \$5 each or 5 CDs for \$20)



The History of Salvation by Monsignor <u>Dan Deutsch</u> - This enlightening talk traces the high adventure of God's Divine Love Story revealed through the seven covenants that span from Eden to Calvary, beginning with Adam and culminating with Jesus. This

presentation is the fruit of Monsignor Deutsch's studies during his sabbatical at Franciscan University of Steubenville, where he learned from scholars such as Dr. Scott Hahn and Dr. John Bergsma.

Listeners' Comments: FANTASTIC!!! This is something we all need to better understand. Don - Cornwall, ON

Fascinating! Msgr. Deutsch has a very energetic way of bringing the scriptures to life! Nancy - Warroad, MN



## Abraham Revealing the Historical Roots of our Faith by Stephen Ray

Stephen Ray emphasizes that unless we understand the innate "Jewishness" Christianity and our Old Testament heritage, we will never fully understand our Faith, the

Church, or even salvation itself. These are rooted not only in the early Church, but 2000 years before that, in Abraham. With his infectious enthusiasm, Stephen helps us to learn the deep truths of scripture that God taught through Abraham.

Listeners' Comments: Incredible presentation! Steve Ray has really helped me get interested in the Old Testament and excited about studying Sacred Scripture! - Evan, OK



**Rosanne Scarfone** Sales Representative **RE/MAX TWIN CITY** REALTY INC., BROKERAGE D: 226-808-7977 • O: 519-579-4110 rosanne.scarfone@gmail.com



Henry Walser FUNERAL HOME LTD.

AN INDEPENDENT FAMILY OWNED FUNERAL HOME

507 FREDERICK ST. (at expressway) 519-749-8467

**Fitzgerald Carpet One** 

Residential • Commercial

Carpet • Vinyl • Ceramic • Hardwood • Laminate Cork & Bamboo Flooring

564 Weber St. N. (at Northfield Dr.) **519-885-0601** 

# Full Service & Tire Center

150 cars to choose E-Tested & Certified 170 Weber St. S. 519-342-2613 www.carimex.ca Roofman<sub>inc.</sub>



CAR CARE CENTRE www.meineke.ca 29 Weber St. N. 519.746.1070

## **STAIRWAYS** TO HEAVEN

Baptism, Communion & Confirmation Gifts St. Jacobs Market 519-206-0139 www.stairwaystoheaven.ca

# DR. GORDON K. W. LAM **Family Dentist**

Laurentian Hills Plaza (Westmount & Ottawa) 519-745-2333 **NEW PATIENTS WELCOME** 

661 Colby Dr. Waterloo 2300 Shirley Dr. Kitchener 519-571-1800

### munial √dental carere In

Dr. Vincent P. Carere DDS, Complete Implant Services Dr. Ajay K. Munjal BSc. DDS, Sedation Certified 450 Erb St. W. (Beechwood Centre)

munjalcareredental.ca | 519-<u>886-0330</u>

# DR. WILLIAM SEHI

Family & Implant Dentistry **New Patients Welcome** 187 Erb St. W. at Dietz Ave. (519) 884-2363

# Quality Collision Service **Koebel's CARSTAR Collision** 519-888-9522

# The Timeless Material Co.

**Reclaimed Wood and Component Supplier** www.TimelessMaterials.com

305 Northfield Dr. E. 519-883-8683



# Kieswetter Demolition Inc.

Waterloo region's trusted source for Demolition, Salvage, **Excavation & Bin Rentals** www.KieswetterDemo.com

305 Northfield Dr. E. 519-883-4125

## Please Patronize **Our Advertisers!**

For advertising space call

1-800-268-2637



• Commercial • Radiant Heaters Industrial

Gas Furnaces

 Residential Air Conditioning

665 Superior Drive, Waterloo, Ont N2V 2C8

519-884-3510 **REITZEL HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING**  PATRICK J. KRAEMER, LAWYER Personal, Real Estate and Business Law

**Duncan, Linton LLP** 45 Erb St. E. **519-404-5027** pkraemer@kwlaw.net

**Providing Custom Foot Orthotics &** Footwear Education since 2001

> 7-745 Bridge Street West 519-725-1300

www.shannonbunnett.com



Delicious Food • Excellent Service Guaranteed Satisfaction Catering for all occasions for

Let us serve you today! 519•578•1030



THE MILLER INVESTMENT

MANAGEMENT GROUP

ScotiaMcLeod,® a division of Scotia Capital Inc.

# Dave Roach Broker Dave@DaveRoachTeam.com Direct: 519-772-4140 Office: 519-570-4447 Fax: 519-772-4141 640 Riverbend Dr. Kitchener, ON N2K 3S2

# DAVE ROACH TEAM.com

# THE PERFECT **SPOT** TO ADVERTISE



TO ADVERTISE IN THIS SPACE PLEASE CALL 1-800-268-2637

## Elaine Barton Sales Representative

O 519-578-7300 C 519-497-7231 ElaineBarton.ca

**ROYAL LEPAGE** 

5% Parish **Donation with Every transaction** 



Peter J. Miller, CFA Director, Wealth Management & Portfolio Manager

We build a complete financial strategy for all

our clients, including financial and estate planning, tax efficient investment management and insurance strategies.

www.millerinvestmentmanagementgroup.ca

# **Scotia** Wealth Management™

Scotia Capital Inc. is a member of the Canadian Investor Protection Fund and the Investment Industry Regulatory Organization of Canada. For more information visit www.scotiaweathmanagement.com



FAMILY FUNERAL HOME

Proud to be Family Owned & **Independently Operated** Since 1946

171 King St. S. Waterloo

519.745.8445 www.erbgood.com