



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.

Pastoral Team:

Pastor

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Parish Secretary

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Custodian Doug Lichty

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

Maintenance Committee

Bob Lorentz, 519-576-5556

Social Committee

Cynthia Ehrlich

Parish Webmaster

Daniel Delattre, daniel@uwaterloo.ca

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Catechesis Of The Good Shepherd,

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Kelly Krause, 519-743-4101

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Waterloo Council, 519-884-2060

Ministry to the Elderly & Homebound

Cecilia Beechey, 519-572-5435

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St. Vincent De Paul

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



THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, June 4 – No Mass

Tuesday, June 5 – St. Boniface, Bishop, Martyr

9:00 am † Brian McKillacan – Karl & Helma Herbst

Wednesday, June 6

9:00 am † Stan Sockett – David Roth

6:00 pm † Ann Reilly – CWL

Thursday, June 7

9:00 am † Elisabeth Schwarz – Elizabeth Schwarz

Friday, June 8 – The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

9:00 am Deceased Members of the Congregation of the Resurrection

Saturday, June 9 – The Immaculate Heart of Mary

Vigil of the Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm † Donald Coyne – Fran Ruetz

† Howard Payne – Grant & Janet Ertel

Sunday, June 10 – Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:30 am † David Reitzel – Audrey Reitzel & Family

† Neil Simpson – Cathy & Bruce Brown

† David Kirby – Kirby Family

† Elmer & Amelia Rudnisky – Jim & Bonnie

Rudnisky

Reflection on the Gospel of Mark 14:12-16, 22-26 from Workbook for Lectors, Gospel Readers and Proclaimers of the Word:

Jesus' last supper is a Passover meal by which he unites his followers with his Passion and Death for the redemption of the world. The covenant he sealed with his blood – "Blood of the covenant" – alludes to the ride of Exodus 24:4-8. This sacrifice constitutes the new covenant established between God and the new people created by God's initiative. When they drink from the cup, the disciples share in all the benefits of the sacrifice and take their places as members of God's new covenant community. The words of the institution celebrate the past and foretell the future fullness in the Kingdom of God. Jesus' actions and words institute the new covenant; they are the self-offering of his Body and Blood in anticipation of his Passion and Death.

We were all condemned, and he who came to be one of us offered himself as a victim for our rescue. We were starving, and he who came to be one of us gave us his body to nourish us back to health and strength. We were thirsty, and he poured out his blood to quench our thirst. Our garments were indelibly stained with sin and we washed them in his blood, and they came out as white as snow. As we celebrate this mystery, as we are wined and dined at the Eucharistic table, we, as one body, grow into likeness of our Risen Lord, who gave himself for us.

We, whose wildernesses are less precise and more disconcerting than Sinai, hunger and thirst for values more lasting than bodily sustenance. We hunger for meaning in our lives, for joy in our commitments, for mutual consideration, love, and respect in our families and communities. We thirst for a sense of belonging in a world that paradoxically becomes more fragmented even as it boasts of becoming more connected as a global community. Where our people hunger, Jesus offers to feed us; where there is absence, he offers presence. We search for meaning, and Jesus gives us, not bread and wine, but his physical presence, his life, and his Spirit: "whoever eats me will live because of me" (John 6:57). It is what we all long for: unlimited reserves of Jesus' presence.

THIS WEEK EVENTS

Monday, June 4

9 am – noon Pickle Ball Gym

noon Lunch & Learn: *Youtube video on Myths about Crusades.* Nursery

6:30 pm St. Vincent de Paul Meeting Large Hall

Wednesday, June 6

9 am – noon Pickle Ball Gym

6:30 pm CWL Potluck supper & meeting Large Hall

7:30 pm 11:30 Choir Rehearsal Church

Thursday, June 7

9:30 am Small Christian Community Large Hall

7:30 pm 9:30 Choir Rehearsal Church

Friday, June 8

7:00 pm Youth Group High School Meeting Large Hall

Sunday, June 10

11:30 am Parish Picnic: Food at the Large Hall, Games in Gym and outside

Mass	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat. June 9 5:00 pm	1 Andy Zajchowski 2 Maureen O'Grady C Jim Walsh	1 Sharon Carey 2 Guy Tremblay 3 Daniel Delattre
Sun. June 10 9:30 am	1 Benita Ann Gallina 2 Ioanna Malton C Annette Hulme	1 John Klein 2 Eric Davis 3 Rob Hinsperger
Sun. June 10 11:30 am	1 Rachael Ward 2 Al Kehn C Rorry Ferrier	1 Natalie Ferrier 2 Christine Dopko 3 Matthew Dopko



Saint Boniface (c. 675 – 5 June 754 AD), born in the kingdom of Wessex in Anglo-Saxon England, was a leading figure in the Anglo-Saxon mission to the Germanic parts of the Frankish Empire during the 8th century. He organized Christianity in many parts of Germania and was made archbishop of Mainz by Pope Gregory III. He was martyred in Frisia in 754, along with 52 others, and his remains were returned to Fulda, where they rest in a sarcophagus which became a site of pilgrimage. He became the patron saint of Germania, known as the "Apostle of the Germans". Through his efforts to reorganize and regulate the church of the Franks, he helped shape Western Christianity, and many of the dioceses he proposed remain today. *(From Wikipedia article)*



The Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus falls on a Friday, 19 days after Pentecost. Jesus Christ's physical heart is taken to represent His divine love for humanity. The devotion to the Sacred Heart is especially concerned with the love and compassion of the heart of Christ towards humanity. The popularization of this devotion in its modern form is derived from Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque (a Roman Catholic nun from France), who said she learned the devotion from Jesus during a series of apparitions to her between 1673 and 1675. *(From Wikipedia article)*

The Immaculate Heart of Mary is a devotional name used to refer to the interior life of the Blessed Virgin Mary, her joys and sorrows, her virtues and hidden perfections, and, above all, her virginal love for God the Father, her maternal love for her son Jesus, and her compassionate love for all people. It is celebrated on Saturday after the Feast of Sacred Heart of Jesus. *(From Wikipedia article)*





Our next General Meeting will be on Wednesday, June 6th beginning with Mass at 6pm. We will enjoy a Pot-Luck dinner for this special night before we break for the summer, so please bring a dish to share. Please also bring your own plate, cup and utensils to use that evening. Not a member of our Catholic Women's League? - You're welcome to join us for any of our General Meetings! We look forward to seeing you all for a night of faith, food and fun!



Do you know anyone who wishes to become Catholic? Fr. Phil will be leading a preparation course during this summer. Contact parish office for more information (519-743-4101).



His Excellency Bishop Crosby recently announced a planning study, which is now under way, to help the Diocese evaluate the merits of a Diocesan capital campaign. This campaign will involve each of our Parishes. The proposed goals focus centrally on Parish life, but will also help enhance several Diocesan ministries important to parishioners. The Diocese wants to hear from as many parishioners as possible as they evaluate their proposed campaign plan. Your feedback will be critical to the success of this effort. Further details of the proposed goals of the campaign and opportunities for you to give feedback will be shared in the coming weeks.

Herb Wittich Centre - Can you help out at the Herb Wittich Centre in support of Canadian Food for Children? Three times a year, St. Louis volunteers sort items at the Herb Wittich Centre (843 Guelph St., 519-578-9706) prior to sending them to third world countries. Our next date is June 13th - 12:30 till 3 pm. Please call Fran Ruetz at 519-744-7993 if you have any questions.

Prayer Vigil – Thu., June 7, from 9 – 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

St. Teresa Of Avila's 29th Annual Garden Party - Friday, June 8th, St. Teresa of Avila Church (19 Flamingo Dr., Elmira). Enjoy our Community BBQ in the hall from 5 – 8 pm, an Outdoor Snack Booth with chips, soft drinks, fresh made popcorn and candy. Lots of fun for young and old - bingo, penny table, silent auction, bouncies, tombola, video games, inside and outside activities, play area for children 5 and under and much more. This year we also have Books for Sale as well. Come and enjoy an evening of food and fellowship. Fun starts at 5 pm and ends with fireworks at 9:30 pm. All are welcome!



Receiving Eucharist is a real sign of unity in our Church. God nourishes us with the “Bread from Heaven” if we have ordained priests to celebrate the Liturgy. If you feel the inclination to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x 2246 vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

St. Vincent de Paul BBQ Supper & Silent Auction at St. Joseph Church, (148 Madison Ave. S. Kit.) – Sat., June 16, from 6 pm. BBQ meal \$8 includes salads, fruit and squares – tickets at the door. Door prizes. Silent Auction 6 to 7:15 pm.

33 Days to Morning Glory - Spiritual journey through 6-week DVD series by Fr. Michael Gaitley. Learn about Mary through the lives of the saints. By prayer and meditation... prepare your heart for spiritual growth. Begin a personal relationship with Mary, the Queen of Heaven. Consecrate yourself to the Heart of Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary. From Thu., May 31st at 7:30 pm at St. Mark's Parish (55 Driftwood Drive, Kit.) with Deacon Basil in the basement.

44th Annual Pilgrimage to the Shrines of Quebec: Mon., Aug. 6th to Fri., Aug 10th. We will visit Cap-de-la-Madeleine, Ste.-Anne-de-Beaupré, & St. Joseph's Oratory and more. For info., call Erna Spoenlein 519-743-1030, or Rose Gunn 519-744-5923 jajdhunt@hotmail.com or rosejgunn@gmail.com

Taizé ecumenical prayer service with music, Scripture readings and meditation on Sun., June 3 at 7:30 pm at St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church, (810 King St. East Cambridge, 519- 653-4721). Prayer leads us to renew our trust in God. When we live with hearts that trust, life becomes meaningful for those around us. All are welcome.

Knights Of Columbus Car Show – Maryhill Heritage Community Centre Complex - Sat., June 16th 11 am to 4 pm. Wheel chair accessible. Air conditioning area for your comfort. Free admission. No pets please. People's Choice award. BBQ food and raffles. Live music and refreshments. All funds to local charities. Sponsored by the Maryhill Knights of Columbus. For more information call Doug (519) 648-2939.

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50th Anniversary Pilgrimage to Italy – St. Padre Pio – September 16-27, 2018, organized by St. Francis Xavier Parish in Stony Creek. Join Fr. Tom Sullivan on a faith filled pilgrimage to Rome, Vatican Museum, Assisi, Montecassino, San Giovanni Rotondo, St. Michael's Cave, Lanciano, Loreto, Greccio and much more! Cost (\$3995.00 + taxes) includes all travel accommodations and two meals daily. For more info. and/or registration contact Louise Kunkel, Tour Leader at 905-664-1871 / 289-941-1938, email: louisekunkel@yahoo.ca



PAST DONATIONS

Date	Sunday Envelopes	Loose	Summer Works	Pre-authorized prorated per week
May 27	2781.50	332.80	515.00	2306.23

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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