



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:

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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

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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 21 – Mary Mother of the Church – No Mass

Tuesday, May 22

9:00 am Intentions of Romualdo D'Ippolito – Del Rosso Family

Wednesday, May 23

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

Thursday, May 24

9:00 am † Christopher Pope – Audrey Reitzel

Friday, May 25

9:00 am Beatification of Bogdan Janski, Founder of the Congregation of the Resurrection

Saturday, May 26 – St. Phillip Neri, Priest

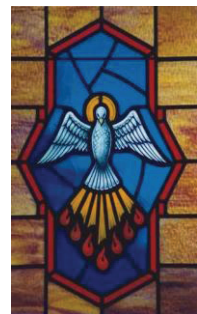
Vigil of the Most Holy Trinity

5:00 pm † John & Marjorie Roth – David Roth
 † Claude Freiburger – Freiburger Family
 † Edna Ertel – Larry & Phyllis Ertel
 † David Kirby II – Marg & Ken Danard

Sunday, May 27 – The Most Holy Trinity

9:30 am † Clarence Anstett – Jackie Anstett & Family
 † Mary Collins – Joan Powers
 † André Duval – Robert Reinhart
 † Khampheng, Kasem & Johnny Xaysy – Xaysy Family

11:30 am People of St. Louis Parish



The sacrament of confirmation “increases the gifts of the Holy Spirit within us”. When a confirmed person cooperates with the graces that the Holy Spirit provides, the person makes spiritual headway with regard to each of these qualities, and is more willing to listen to and obey the promptings of the Spirit.

The gifts of the Holy Spirit: There are seven gifts of the Spirit, six with a biblical basis,

one without: “wisdom, understanding, counsel, strength, knowledge and fear of the Lord” (Isaiah 11:2); as well as piety, which was added to bring the list to seven.

The Bible’s fruits of the Holy Spirit: There are nine biblically-based fruits of the Holy Spirit as given by St. Paul in his letter to the Galatians: “love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control” (Galatians 5:22-23).

The traditional fruits of the Holy Spirit: There are 12 traditional fruits of the Holy Spirit, some which overlap the biblical list: charity, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, long-suffering, humility or gentleness, fidelity or faithfulness, modesty, continence or self-control and chastity.

Gifts to be used to bear fruit: All who are confirmed are equipped with the gifts of the Holy Spirit to live a virtuous and holy life, and sent forth to bear much fruit, something that is possible only when one stays firmly attached to Jesus, the vine (see John 15:1-8). The graces of the Spirit strengthen confirmed Christians to carry out their vocations for the good of others and the benefit of the Church and the world.

Based on Fr. Van Sloun’s reflection. He is Pastor of St. Bartholomew Church in Wayzata, Minnesota (from thecatholicspirit.com)

THIS WEEK EVENTS

Monday, May 21 – No programs – Office Closed

Wednesday, May 23
 9 am – noon Pickle Ball Gym
 7:30 pm 11:30 Choir Rehearsal Church

Thursday, May 24
 9:30 pm Small Christian Community Large Hall
 7:30 pm 9:30 Choir Rehearsal Church

Friday, May 25
 6:00 pm Youth Music Rehearsal Church

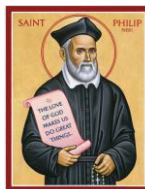
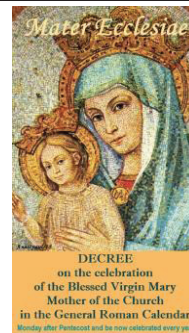
Saturday, May 26
 6:00 pm Dinner Large Hall
 6:30 pm Wisdom program by Jeff Cavins – Large Hall
 last part: *Wisdom in Christ*

Sunday, May 27
 10:30 am Sunday Social Large Hall

Mass	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat. May 26 5:00 pm	1 Laura Shoemaker 2 Christiane Martin C Marnie Wharnsby	1 Grant Ertel 2 Daniel Delattre 3 Debbie Delattre
Sun. May 27 9:30 am	1 Frank Mensink 2 Christopher Bishop C Jack Bishop	1 Annette Hulme 2 John Klein 3 Anne M. Webster
Sun. May 27 11:30 am	1 Stephen Filipowicz 2 Elizabeth Gaiger C Carol Sullivan	1 Al Kehn 2 Marianne Butler 3 Donna Herbstreit

*We celebrate
 Mary,
 Mother of the Church,*

as a Feast, on Monday, May 21st (*Monday after Pentecost*). A special Mass will be celebrated at 10 am at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton. Pope Francis announced the new feast earlier this year.



St. Philip Neri was a saint born on July 22, 1515, in Florence, Italy. At age 18, he decided to commit his life to God. While praying in the catacombs of St. Sebastiano, he experienced a globe of light that entered his mouth and moved to his heart. He felt closer to God and began serving the ill, poor and others in need. Neri was ordained as a priest in 1551 at the church of San Girolamo. He had a strong following of worshippers who often met in the Oratory, thus they were named the Congregation of the Oratory. Neri died on May 25, 1595, after a long illness. He was beatified in 1615 and canonized in 1622. St. Philip Neri’s memorial day is on May 26.



St. Louis Youth Group, "Fruits on Fire" would like to give a **Huge Thank You** to all the many **Generous Parishioners** who supported our fundraiser, the "Spring Family Tea." It was a great success having raised \$2986. We would like to give a SPECIAL THANK YOU to **Debbie Delattre, Marnie Wharnsby, Donna Herbstreit and Christina Bornstein**, we could not have done this event without their help. We would also like to say a BIG THANK YOU to all our sponsors who donated many items to help make our Tea a great success, they are:

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Thank You!

Do you have ideas on how to support families in our Diocese? We want to hear from you! "The family is the community in which, from childhood, one can learn moral values, begin to honor God, and make good use of freedom. Family life is an initiation into life in society. (CCC #2207)" Home is the setting where an individual's physical, mental, emotional and spiritual growth is supported. Families today need more support than ever. Are you willing to add your voice at our gathering this fall to discover ways we can help families? Call Lena at 905-528-7988X2249, or e-mail familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com.



The confused and fear filled apostles were totally changed by the outpouring of the Holy Spirit as they became powerful and dynamic proclaimers of their faith in Jesus Christ. In today's Church God calls priests, religious and deacons to serve Him and to serve others especially by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. If you feel God may be calling you to this ministry, call Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x 2246 vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

WHY@Breakfast Presents: "Praying with Psalms" by Prof. Andrea Di Giovanni, (King's University College and St. Peter's Seminary in London). Sat., May 26th 9:30 - 11 am at Our Lady of Lourdes Church in Waterloo. Both PSALMS and WISDOM volumes of The Saint John's Bible will be on display during the event. Doors open at 9 am. Please call OLOL parish office at 519-886-0342 or leave a note at whyatbreakfast@gmail.com. For more info., see <http://whyatbreakfast.com>.

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-Baupré, & St. Joseph's Oratory and more. For info., call Erna Spoenlein 519-743-1030, or Rose Gunn 519-744-5923 jajjdhunt@hotmail.com or rosejgunn@gmail.com

Love to sing? The Inter-Mennonite Children's Choir offers a chance for children ages 6-14 to have an excellent music education experience while singing with their friends. Learn music from varying eras, proper voice techniques, and grow in self-confidence and performance skills. Registration for Fall 2018 has begun! To register: www.mennosingers.com/imcc (under Join the Choir) or email imcc.conductor@rogers.com for more info.



St. Louis Conference of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Special Project - We would like to thank all the St. Louis Parish community for their generosity in supporting our parishioner family going through challenging times. Through your most giving hearts we have collected \$11,000 which will help us to bridge this family past this crisis.

Update: We were able to support the family in purchasing airfare for grandma to join the family from their native country, and now she is able to help with the baby and things around the home. Mom has been released from the hospital, but has a long recovery ahead with daily rehabilitation. Our support is helping them to gradually and slowly make their way on their feet again. The family is extremely thankful for the support of their parish family and wishes God's blessings on all of you. Dad can get the rest he needs, mom is mending close to her baby, and there is peace given by this relief. Please continue to keep them all in your prayers and we again thank you for your generous support.

Evensong (Evening Prayer): Sunday, May 27th at 7 pm at St. Mary Our Lady of the Seven Sorrows Church, 56 Duke St. W, Kit. The Sodality of St. Edmund, King and Martyr, a Catholic Community in the Diocese of Hamilton, hopes to join the North American Ordinariate (The Personal Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter) once fully established! Initially, we intend to have Evensong – in traditional English, monthly, on the last Sunday of the month. After Evensong, you are invited to the Lower Hall for a social time and an address about Anglican Patrimony and its place in the Catholic Church by Fr. Douglas Hayman, Priest Administrator of The Catholic Church of the Annunciation of the BVM in Ottawa.

Christian Family Holiday Inc/Camp Kumuntome - affordable summer vacation with your family. Come for a week of fun and renewal with 5 other Catholic families. Located south of Owen Sound on a beautiful acreage with an outdoor chapel, sleeping cabins for each family, a beautiful quiet lake and all the amenities of home. To register: www.campkumuntome.ca/registration . To receive their latest newsletter email: cfh50years@gmail.com.

Support for Persons Separated or Divorced - Would you like to hear some ideas that will encourage you and help you to develop new ways of coping with the stresses in your life? The Hamilton Diocesan Support Group meets the 1st & 3rd Friday of each month and they can help! No need to register just come and join us at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. W., Hamilton from 7 – 9 pm. For more info. call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 X 2249. No Cost.

PAST DONATIONS

Date	Sunday Envelopes	Loose	Pope's Pastoral Works	Pre-authorized prorated per week
May 13	3766.00	425.25	388.00	2239.08

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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