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

11:30 a.m.

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Tuesday - Friday 9:00 a.m.

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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),

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

Sunday programs for children

During the Sunday morning 9:30 am. 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

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

Low gluten hosts are available upon prior request.

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.

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, November 4 – St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop

9:00 am † Betty Jessop – Jane Hackett

Wednesday, November 5

9:00 am Intentions of Zderski Family

7:00 pm † Margaret (Peg) Silcock - CWL

Thursday, November 6

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

Friday, November 7

9:00 am † Peter Shaughnessy – Donna Donkers

Saturday, November 8

Sunday liturgy - Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

5:00 pm † Albert Ruetz – Catherine Ruetz & Family

† Edna Ertel – Larry & Phyllis Ertel

† Eugene & Emma Dietrich – Their Family

† Patricia McNeely – John McNeely

Sunday, November 9 – Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

9:30 am † Dave Kirby – Kirby Family

† John Lowry –Lowry Family

† Fabienne Duval – 9:30 & Risen Choir

† Khampheng, Kasem & Johnny Xaysy – Xaysy

Family

11:30 am People of St. Louis

For the All Souls' Day (2nd Reading):

As today, various cultural influences impacted the Christian thought of Paul's day. From the Greeks, early Christians acquired disdain for the flesh; from Gnostic thinkers they adopted the notion that resurrection was strictly a spiritual phenomenon with no physical dimension and therefore already fully realized in Baptism. Paul's task here is to refute both these notions by asserting that resurrection will in fact include the body as well as the soul and that it will be a future event, not one that is already realized in the baptized Christian.

Paul acknowledges he's speaking of a mystery, but one that's in the hands of God who can accomplish anything. God will change human life and our earthly bodies will remain part of that future existence, but freed of imperfection and all the effects of sin. This will be true of those who have already died and for those who have not yet tasted death at the time of Christ's return.

Paul is clear: this transformation "must" occur and the "perishable" must be transformed into the "imperishable." When this occurs, the words of Hosea (13.14) will be realized and all the redeemed will be able to utter the victorious cry, "Where, O death, is your victory? Where.... Is your sting?" Like a scorpion, death possesses a sting by which it transmits its deadly poison, and that sting is sin. But this sting will be forever removed at Christ's coming, and humanity will be restored to the sinless perfection of Eden. That joyful cry declares the great truth that lies at the heart of Scripture.

7:30 pm	Bible Study – The Bible Tin	neline (3) Large Hall		
Tuesday, November 4				
1:00 pm	Bible Study - Book of Revel	ation (7) Large Hall		
Wednesday, November 5				
7:00 pm	Confirmation Class	Notre Dame Hall		
7:00 pm	CWL Mass and meeting	Church and Large Hall		
7:30 pm	(11:30) Choir rehearsal	Church		
Thursday, November 6				
9:30 am	Small Christian Community	Notre Dame Hall		

Upcoming Events

Friday, November 7

7:30 pm (9:30) Choir rehearsal

Monday, November 3

9:30 am	Bible Study – Gospel of Luke (1)	Large Hall
6:30 pm	Adoration and Benediction (Taize)	Church
7:30 pm	Youth Group	Convent

Church

Saturday, November 8

9 am - noon Fall cleanup Church and grounds

Mass	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat. Nov 8	1 Betty Gross	1 Marilyn Foster
5:00 pm	2 Sr. A. McCarville	2 Frank Hulme
	C Debbie Delattre	3 volunteer needed
Sun. Nov 9	1 Joan Sichewski	1 Mary Sehl
9:30 am	2 Barry Hinschberger	2 Jack Sehl
	C Ed Ruppe	3 John Armatruda
11:30 am	1 Kelly Krause	1 Anna Malton
	2 Janet Lanteigne	2 Peg Leroux
	C Mark Modolo	3 Terry Sullivan

A third opportunity to study Scripture here at St. Louis -

The Gospel of Luke – a DVD format presentation by Frances Hogan, an Irish scripture scholar and lay missionary, will be shown in the Large Hall on Fridays, immediately following the 9 am Mass beginning <u>Fri. Nov. 7th</u>. (Approx. time: 40 min). Coffee, etc. will be available.



Catholic Women's League meeting this Wed., Nov. 5th. Mass at 7 pm, followed by: a prayer service for our recently deceased members – discussion on the government revised

prostitution law – the 2014 resolutions passed at CWL national convention. Also, we will vote on which organizations will benefit from the proceeds of this year's Mission Sale – Refreshments. Members and non members always welcome.

The Catholic Women's League annual Mission Bake and Craft Sale will take place in the Gym the weekend of November 15 and 16 after each Sunday Mass. We will gratefully receive your "craft creations" and donated prizes for the penny table and the large draw table. Donations of prizes etc. may be placed in the blue bin in the narthex of the Church. All proceeds to Missions at home and abroad. Thank you!

Herb Wittich Centre - Can you spare some time to 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 Street, 519-578-9706) and these items are then sent on to third world countries. Our next scheduled date is Nov 12 - 12:30 till 3:00 pm. Please call Fran Ruetz at 519-744-7993 if you have any questions.

40 Days for Life – Fall 2014 Campaign - Prayer Vigil to End Abortion: Sep. 22 – Nov. 2 (Daily 6am - 9pm at <u>Freeport Hospital</u>).

Closing Rally: Sunday Nov. 2nd 2-4 pm at St. Anthony Daniel Church in Kitchener. Talk by Alanna Gomez from Canadian Centre for Bio-ethical Reform on "Talking About Abortion – Using the Head and the Heart."

Prayer Vigil – Thur., Nov. 6th, from 9 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 - at Schneider Park. For info, contact Cathy at: kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com

St. Francis of Assisi Parish offers a **Bereavement Support Group** beginning in November. This program is offered to anyone who has lost someone special in their life. It runs for 12 weeks and covers the Christmas Season. First meeting on Nov. 3^{rd} , 1-2:30 pm - come and see if this program is for you. Registrations are necessary. For info call Barbara Diemert, bdiemert@rogers.com (519-744-8955).

Critical Mass, two time Canadian Gospel Music Association Award winner, is putting on a concert in support of relief efforts in the Middle East. **On Nov. 6**th at 7:00 pm, join us at **St. Teresa's Church, 19 Flamingo Drive, Elmira**, as we raise money for relief efforts in Iraq and the surrounding region. Admission \$10. Proceeds to the K of C Christian Refugee Relief Fund.

KW Right to Life Dinner and Silent Auction & Speakers

Fri. Nov. 7th with Rebecca Kiessling, a prolife attorney from Michigan conceived in rape. We've all heard someone say: "I'm pro-life, well, except in cases of rape..." or "I'm pro-choice, especially in cases of rape!" She tells her compelling story. Also Robert Borys, a WCDSB teacher speaks on internet awareness for parents safe-guarding their families from pornography. Author of *Love, Marriage & Pornography?* 6:00 pm bar and auction followed by dinner purchased at the Hall for about \$10. The Waterloo Knights of Columbus Hall 145 Dearborn Place Waterloo. Please call or email to reserve a seat. 519-746-5433 or jane@kwrtl.ca

November Day of Prayer at St. Anne's Parish (268 East Ave. Kitchener), Friday, Nov. 14th 9 am – 3 pm. Mass 8:00 am Bring a bag lunch, Tea & coffee provided. To Register: call or e-mail St. Anne's 519-745-5302 or stannesfamily@gmail.com

Adult Faith Evenings – Thursdays at 7 pm at St. Anne's in Kitchener: Nov. 6th - General Faith Formation - Rev. Peter Meyer and Mrs. Melina Pearson | Nov. 13th - Catholic Morality - Rev. David Perrin O.M.I. – Professor of Religious Studies and former President of SJU | Nov. 20th - Catholic Church History - Rev. Myroslaw Tataryn – Professor of Religious Studies at SJU | Nov. 27th Scripture And Tradition - Dr. Cristina Vanin - Professor of Religious Studies at SJU | All are welcome. At the end time for conversation and sharing.

2014-2015 Lectures in Catholic Experience at St. Jerome's University — "Building a Culture of Encounter" Friday, Nov. 14th - "A new messenger and new media: what Pope Francis is teaching us" by David Gibson, national correspondent for Religion News Service.Mr. Gibson will talk about religion's significant contribution to society by looking at the way that Pope Francis has dramatically shifted the media narrative about the Catholic Church. C. L. Siegfried Hall, SJU 7:30 pm. Free parking at Renison & St. Paul's Univ. Colleges.

Praying for vocations - If you love priests and religious men and women, please support them by joining us in praying for vocations. Vocation Saturday is an initiative of the Vocation Office of the Diocese of Hamilton to gather people from across the diocese to unite in prayer for vocations. Join us on Sat., Nov. 15th, at St. Michael's Church in Waterloo, for 9 am Mass and Holy Hour for vocations.

St. Agnes Parish Fall Card Party will be on Mon., Nov. 17th 7-9:30 pm. Doors open at 6:30 pm. Admission is \$10.00 per person. A light lunch is served at 7:00 pm. Door Prizes, 50/50 draw, major raffle of queen size quilt and other great prizes.

All are invited to participate in **weekly bible study on the Gospel of St. Mark**. We will begin on Wed., Nov. 26th from 6 - 7 pm in the lower hall, St. Mary's Church, 56 Duke St. W, Kitchener. Please bring your bible and a friend!



On Friday Nov. 28th at 7 pm, St. Mary's Church, Kitchener, will host a concert presented by The Kitchener Knights of Columbus, featuring the voices of the renowned **St. Michael's Choir**

School in concert with The Waterloo Regional Police Male Chorus. It is with immense pride that Council 1504 invites you to enjoy a memorable presentation and financially help support both the preservation of the church and St. Michael's Choir School's distinguished program, a great start to the Christmas celebrations to have with family and friends. For tickets \$35.00 before Nov. 7, \$45 afterwards, call 519-893-1504, or www.kofc1504.com. All proceeds will go to St. Mary's Church and the St. Michael's Choir School.

Registration for the diocesan trip to the World Youth Day in Krakow in 2016 is now OPEN! 16 days - \$2,400.00 all inclusive. Please see posters and registration cards at each church exit. Space is very limited!

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Sunday envelopes: \$ 4440.00 Loose: \$ 345.25 World Mission Sunday \$ 160.00 Thank you for your generosity and continuous support



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