



# St. Louis Catholic Church

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## Pastoral Team:

### **Pastor**

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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.**

**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

### **Altar Servers Coordinator**

Dave Pagett, 519-744-7705

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

Kelly Krause, 519-743-4101

### **Catholic Women's League**

Rosanne Scarfone 226-808-7977

### **Knights of Columbus**

Waterloo Council, 519-884-2060

### **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



## 29<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, October 22–St. John Paul II, Pope** - No Mass  
**Tuesday, October 23**

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

**Wednesday, October 24**

9:00 am

**Thursday, October 25**

9:00 am No Mass

**Friday, October 26**

9:00 am No Mass

**Saturday, October 27**

**Vigil of the 30<sup>th</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time**

5:00 pm † Claude Freiburger – Freiburger Family  
 † Audrey & Gerry Moser – Moser Family  
 † Eamann Halpin – Joan & Pat Forde  
 † Edna Ertel – Larry & Phyllis Ertel

**Sunday, Oct. 28 – 30<sup>th</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time**

9:30 am People of St. Louis Parish  
 11:30 am † Esther Dietrich – Carmel Dietrich  
 † Joan McGavin – Larry & Phyllis Ertel  
 † Randy Hillier – Al Kehn  
 † Sherylin Hunter – Al Kehn

#### Reflection on the Second Reading (Hebrews 4:14-16)

Only here the author calls Jesus our “great high priest.” He is acquainted with the tradition of Jesus’ temptation and struggle with evil throughout his public life, to which Jesus did not succumb. Jesus is “our great high priest,” perfectly in communion with God and humans. He “passed through the heavens,” an ambiguous phrase that means that even heaven is too small to hold him; his identity with human nature is total. The author stresses that Jesus was a human being just like us. He experienced all that we experience, including temptation in every way, “yet without sin.” Because he never wavered in temptation, we also can be triumphant in our temptations.

Through Jesus, God became so identified with humans as to empathize with us and our suffering; because of the depths of his suffering with us, mercy flows from God’s throne. In Jesus, God has visited us in our home, and, now travelling the road before us, he shows us how to forgive. Because he has identified with us in our life struggle, he shows us compassion, mercy and our better self. His visit to us brought God to humans, and he brings humans to God.

*Excerpt from: 2018 Workbook for Lectors, Gospel Readers & Proclaimers of the*



Word.

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### THIS WEEK EVENTS

**Monday, October 22**

9 am – noon Pickle Ball Gym  
 noon – 1 pm Lunch & Learn book club Nursery  
 4 – 5:30 pm Good Shepherd Catechesis 1, 2 & 3 Nursery  
 7:30 pm Bishop Barron “Mass” DVD (5/6) Large Hall

**Wednesday, October 24**

9 am – noon Pickle Ball Gym  
 7:30 pm 11:30 Choir rehearsal Church

**Thursday, October 25**

9:30am Small Christian Community Large Hall  
 1:00 pm Bible Study: Peter (5/10) Large Hall  
 7:00 pm 9:30 Choir rehearsal Church

**Friday, October 26**

6:00 pm Youth Music rehearsal Church  
 7:00 pm Youth Group Meeting (High school) Large Hall

**Saturday, October 27**

6:00 pm Dinner Large Hall  
 6:30 pm “How to answer Relativism with love and logic” DVD program by Ed Sri, Parts 1 and 2 of 8 Large Hall  
 8:00 pm and 2 of 8

**Sunday, October 28**

10:30 am Sunday Social Large Hall

Mass	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat. Oct. 27 5:00 pm	1 Christiane Martin 2 Marnie Wharnsby C James Skidmore	1 Joan Sichewski 2 Grant Ertel 3 Guy Tremblay
Sun. Oct. 28 9:30 am	1 Betty Gross 2 Joanna Malton C John Klein	1 Mary Smith 2 Joanne Bond 3 Anne Marie Webster
Sun. Oct 28 11:30 am	1 Darlene Wilson 2 Carol Sullivan C Shaun MacNeil	1 Charlie Wilson 2 Natalie Ferrier 3 Terry Sullivan



“Who Am I to Judge: Responding to Relativism with Logic and Love”, DVD series by Dr. Edward Sri - Saturdays at 6 – 8 pm (4 times per year with dinner served)

– **First double session: October 27.** Remaining 3 dates TBD by the participants during the first session. Schedule for the evening: 6 pm dinner, 6:30 – 8 pm double DVD session & discussion.

Open to adults or mature teens. Registration required – please call the office, if you did not sign up already.

This study program gives us the one key to responding to relativism effectively: a Catholic moral worldview. Learn how Catholic morality is all about love, how making a judgment is not judging a person’s soul, and how, in the words of Pope Francis, “relativism wounds people” and is “the spiritual poverty of our times.”



**Confirmation 2019** - All youth in grade 7 who wish to be confirmed at St. Louis parish, classes will begin on Oct. 17<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm in the Nursery. For more information or to register please contact Kelly Krause at the parish office.

**40 Days for Life:** From September 26<sup>th</sup> to November 4<sup>th</sup> with the **Our parish day is Sat. Nov 3.** Please sign up for an hour of prayerful vigil at the Freeport Hospital. Sign-up sheets are at the back of the church. If Nov 3<sup>rd</sup> does not fit in your schedule please choose any other day and time.



Your Catholic Women's League invites all parishioners to take part in our "Warmth and Comfort" initiative. Until December 31<sup>st</sup>, we will be collecting socks for men, women and children as well as peanut butter and crackers to donate to our local homeless shelters. It is unthinkable that people in our own community go without basic necessities and our donations can make a tangible difference. Please place your items in the donation box at the back of the church. Your donations are also a way to honour St. Vincent de Paul's "World Day of the Poor" on November 18<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for your generosity.



**All Women** (16+) are invited to renew your membership in, or to join our St. Louis Catholic Women's League - your chance to pray and work with a great group of ladies "For God and Canada". Please use the blue Church envelope for Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> / or your own envelope and include your name, address, phone #, email (optional) and \$25 membership fee. (You receive the National CWL League magazine 3 times a year and all members are prayed for at each monthly CWL Mass). Thank you!

**St. Louis OOTC Community Supper** - A few more volunteers are needed in the following areas: A new shift to welcome guests before dinner from 4 to 5:30 pm, Sunday morning setup, and backup for 5 to 7 pm shift. The program starts the first Sunday in November and runs till the last Sunday in April. Please contact Keith Schnarr at 519-656-9005 (home) or 519-801-8687 (cell) or email keith.schnarr@gmail.com to volunteer.



Jesus' life was the best 'job description': sympathy; mercy; service; compassion; and total giving. Life is rewarding when one lives for others. Do you want to serve or be served? If you are willing to serve as a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x 2246 [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)

**KW Birthright** is in urgent need of more help at the office. Could you spare a few hours a month to help us? If you enjoy a relaxed pace, helping people and being involved in a pro-life organization please contact Birthright at 96 Highland Rd. West, Kitchener, ON, N2M 3B5 or [kitchener@birthright.org](mailto:kitchener@birthright.org)

**The 2018 Annual Dinner Reception for the Carmel of St. Joseph** will be at Conestoga Pl., 110 Manitou Dr., Kitchener, on Monday, October 22, 6:30 – 9 pm. Our Honoured Guest and speaker is His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal Collins. Even though it is too late to reserve tickets, if you would like to make a donation to the Carmel please contact Jane Malleck at 519-748-1225 or [cjmalleck@sympatico.ca](mailto:cjmalleck@sympatico.ca). Tax receipt issued for the full amount.



Bishop Crosby, OMI, has invited the Canadian Canon Law Society to the Diocese of Hamilton for its 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual Convention. Canon Lawyers serve the Church in Bishops' offices, marriage tribunals, seminaries, universities and religious orders. They are Priests and lay people, women and men. Most of the Canon Lawyers in Canada will attend this convention in Hamilton. The high point of this convention will be the celebration of the Eucharist at 4:30 pm on Wednesday, October 24, 2018 at the historic St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral Church, 146 Park Street North, Hamilton. All are invited to come and support these women and men who most often serve the Church behind the scenes!

**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 St., 519-578-9706) prior to sending them on to third world countries. Our next date is Nov 7<sup>th</sup> - 12:30 till 3:00 pm. Please call Fran Ruetz at 519-744-7993 if you have any questions.



Ecumenical worship with Taizé songs on Sun., Oct. 28, 7:30 pm at Conrad Grebel Chapel, 140 Westmount Rd. N., Waterloo 519-885-0220.

**Service of Light and Remembrance for Children who have Died** will be held on Tuesday, October 30<sup>th</sup>, at 7:30 pm at St. Michael's RC Church 240 Hemlock Street, Waterloo.

**Adoration for Life** ... a great prayer for life is urgently needed, a prayer which will rise up throughout the world to God, the Creator and lover of life... St. John Paul II.

Tuesday, October 30<sup>th</sup>, (Spanish) after the 7 pm Mass in Spanish, at St. John's RC Church 85 Strange St. Kitchener.

Thursday, November 1<sup>st</sup> at 6pm, followed by Mass, at St. Agnes RC Church 75 Bluevale St. N. Waterloo.

Friday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 6 - 7 pm at St. Teresa RC Church Adoration Chapel 44 Leonard St. Kitchener.

Saturday November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 11am –12 noon, at St. Mary Our Lady of Seven Sorrows RC Church 56 Duke St. W. Kitchener.

Call KW Right to Life for more information or how you can start Adoration for Life at your parish. 519-746-5433.

**Do You Have Ancestors Buried In St. Boniface, Maryhill, Old Walled Cemetery?** St. Boniface – Old Walled Cemetery – is the second oldest Roman Catholic Cemetery in the Waterloo Region with many of its early settlers buried there. The wall around the old cemetery was built in 1862 and through the years has needed repairs and this year it is in need of some major fixing. For the past three years our parish has been collecting money for this cemetery and to date we have collected \$29,719.39 of which \$6,182.83 was spent on the new monument. Our upcoming expenses are going to be in the area of \$50-\$60 thousand. We need to repair the coping and the wall in the old cemetery and replace the wrought iron fence along the road in the new cemetery that has been damaged by salt from the road. A tax receipt will be issued to anyone wishing to donate to help repair this wall and iron gates. Work has begun and people are welcomed to visit the cemetery and see the work done thus far.

**Past Collections – October 14, 2018:**

Sunday Envelopes	Loose	Maintenance	World Mission Sunday	Pre-authorized per week
\$ 3094.00	\$ 404.50	\$20.00	\$ 10.00	\$2356.54

*Thank you for your generosity & continuous support!*

**Pre-Authorized Giving available at St. Louis Church.**

Funds transferred monthly on the 20<sup>th</sup> 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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