



# 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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#### Coordinator of Youth and Children's Ministries

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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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Dave Pagett, 519-744-7705

#### Catechesis Of The Good Shepherd,

#### Youth Ministry

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Waterloo Council, 519-884-2060

#### Ministry to the Elderly & Homebound

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#### Prayer Chain

Sharon Carey, 519-746-8073

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



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

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, October 1 - St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus, Virgin, Doctor** - No Mass

**Tuesday, October 2 - The Holy Guardian Angels**  
9:00 am † Eugene & Beatrice August – Krause Family

**Wednesday, October 3**  
9:00 am Intentions of Sebastian – Malton Family  
7:00 pm † Mary Achtenberg – St. Louis CWL

**Thursday, October 4 - St. Francis of Assisi**  
9:00 am

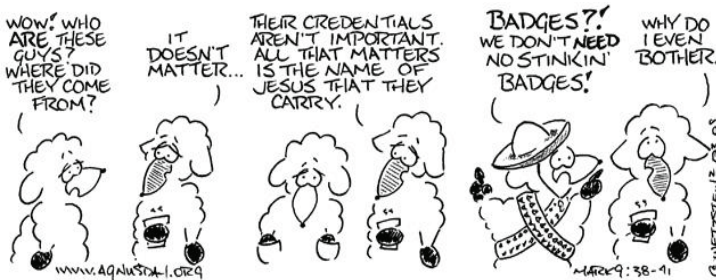
**Friday, October 5**  
9:00 am

**Saturday, October 6**  
**Vigil of the 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time**  
5:00 pm † Bill Wharnsby – Marnie Wharnsby  
† Bob Ruetz – Fran Ruetz & Family  
† Pat Kraemer – Joan Sichewski

**Sunday, October 7 - 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time**  
9:30 am People of St. Louis Parish  
11:30 am † William Augustine – Sprout Family  
† David Kirby – Kirby Family  
† Camila Paleczny – Peter Paleczny  
† Irene Hausch – Larry & Phyllis Ertel

### Reflection on the Second Reading (James 5:1-6)

Continuing with the theme of the transitory nature of life, the author of the Letter of James stresses the impending ruin of the godless. The cries of the victims of people who gloat about their wealth and status have reached to heaven, and judgement is imminent. The deterioration of costly garments and the corrosion of silver and gold symbolize the worthlessness of wealth and foreshadow the destruction of the possessors. The author does not denounce any specific crime, but warns against the unfair distribution of goods in society and the harsh treatment of the poor. In a prophetic tone James reproaches the pride, vanity, and avarice of the wealthy and their thoughtless pleasures. He warns them if impending judgement. The obligation to eliminate injustices is a Church doctrine; those who have wealth in abundance are to use it in service to humanity.



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**Final Vows of Raphael Ma, CR** - The Congregation of the Resurrection cordially invites you to the profession of final vows of Raphael Ma CR. Raphael was at our parish from 2015-2016 as a seminarian. Thank you for your support and prayers over the years! This joyful event will take place on: Wednesday, Nov. 21<sup>st</sup>, 2018 at 7 pm at St. Francis of Assisi Parish (49 Blueridge Ave., Kitchener). A light reception will follow. (\*Please note that the final vows are not yet an ordination to the diaconate or the priesthood; these rites are yet to come.)

## THIS WEEK EVENTS

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

**Tuesday, October 2**  
6:30 pm St. Vincent de Paul meeting Large Hall

**Wednesday, October 3**  
9 am – noon Pickle Ball Gym  
**6:00 pm** 11:30 Choir rehearsal (tentative) Church  
7:30 pm CWL meeting Large Hall

**Thursday, October 4**  
9:30am Small Christian Community Large Hall  
1:00 pm Bible Study: Peter (2/10) Large Hall  
**7:00 pm** 9:30 Choir rehearsal Church

**Friday, October 5**  
6:00 pm Youth Music Rehearsal Church

**Saturday, October 6**  
3:45 pm Youth Music rehearsal prior to Mass Church

**Sunday, October 7**  
10:30 am Sunday Social Large Hall

Mass	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat. Oct. 6 5:00 pm	1 Bea Lajeunesse 2 Maureen O’Grady C Sharon Carey	1 Trudy Allensen 2 Maggie Fioravanti 3 volunteer needed
Sun. Oct. 7 9:30 am	1 Rose Mastnak 2 Cecilia Beechey C Terry Collins	1 Anne Marie Webster 2 Eric Davis 3 Mary Smith
Sun. Oct 7 11:30 am	1 Michael Schmitt 2 Deb Zettel Schmitt C Donna Herbstreit	1 Terry Sullivan 2 Marianne Butler 3 Lois Peterson

### From Catechism of the Catholic Church (#331 – 336):

Christ is the center of the angelic world. They are His angels. They belong to Him because they were created through and for Him and He has made them messengers of His saving plan: “Are they not all ministering spirits sent forth to serve, for the sake of those who are to obtain salvation?”



Angels have been present since creation and throughout the history of salvation, announcing this salvation and serving the accomplishment of the divine plan: they closed the earthly paradise; protected Lot; saved Hagar and her child; stayed Abraham’s hand; led the People of God; announced births and callings; and assisted the prophets. Finally, the angel Gabriel announced the birth of the Precursor and that of Jesus himself.

From the Incarnation to the Ascension, the life of the Word incarnate is surrounded by the adoration and service of angels. Angels “evangelize” by proclaiming the Good News of Christ’s Incarnation and Resurrection. They will be present at Christ’s return, which they will announce, to serve at His judgment.

The whole life of the Church benefits from the mysterious and powerful help of angels. In her liturgy, the Church joins with the angels to adore the thrice-holy God.

From its beginning until death, human life is surrounded by their watchful care and intercession. “Beside each believer stands an angel as protector and shepherd leading him to life.” Already here on earth the Christian life shares by faith in the blessed company of angels and men united in God.

Dear Ladies, please join us on **October 3<sup>rd</sup>** for our next **C.W.L. General Meeting**. Mass at 7 pm with Meeting to follow in the Large Hall. Our planned speaker cancelled so, your C.W.L. Executive is taking this opportunity to plan something special for YOU. We look forward to seeing you there! Members and non-members are always welcome.



**Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada: thank you for your contribution and solidarity!**

Following the encouragement of Pope Pius XII, the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) was established in 1943 under the name Canadian Catholic Conference; it was officially recognized by the Holy See in 1948 and, following the Second Vatican Council (1962-1965), became part of the worldwide network of episcopal conferences. As the CCCB President, Bishop Lionel Gendron, P.S.S., states in his message for the Collection, "Through their Episcopal Conference, the Bishops today continue to work together on doctrinal and ethical questions; ecumenical initiatives and interreligious dialogue; international relations; evangelization, faith education and catechesis; relations with Indigenous peoples; questions of social justice, and the development of a culture of life and family.." In addition to their national Conference, the Bishops of Canada also meet in four Regional Assemblies (Atlantic, Quebec, Ontario and the West). The CCCB as well as the regional assemblies include the Bishops of the Latin Church in Canada together with the Eparchial Bishops of the Eastern Catholic Churches. Thank you for your prayers and your financial contribution.

**40 Days for Life:** From September 26<sup>th</sup> to November 4<sup>th</sup> with the Opening Rally on Wed. October 3<sup>rd</sup>, at 7pm. St. Agnes Parish 75 Bluevale St. N. Waterloo. **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.

**Life Chain Memorial:** Sunday, September 30, 2-3pm. Kitchener City Hall, 200 King St. W. Bring your family, friends, and hold a sign along King St. in Silent Prayer. A memorial service will be held at 2:50pm at the memorial site for babies lost to abortion with speaker Stephen Woodworth. Table display with beautiful Christmas cards, T-Shirts for sale and more.



Today's readings speak of the gifts of prophesy and of casting out demons. If you feel that God is calling you with the gift to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x 2246 [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)

**The 2018 Annual Dinner Reception for the Carmel of St. Joseph** will be at Conestoga Pl., 110 Manitou Dr., Kitchener, on Mon., Oct. 22, 6:30 – 9 pm. Our Honoured Guest and speaker is His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal Collins. A minimum donation for dinner for two is \$250. RSVP by Oct. 10 to Jane Malleck at 519-748-1225 or [cjmalleck@sympatico.ca](mailto:cjmalleck@sympatico.ca). Ticket reservation online with your donation [www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/carmel-of-st-joseph](http://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/carmel-of-st-joseph). Tax receipt issued for the full amount.



**Operation Christmas Child** Shoeboxes and explanatory pamphlets (age groups/what can and cannot be included) are available in the Narthex (or you can use your own shoeboxes). Please fill and return them to the Narthex by the beginning of November or bring them to the Wed. Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> CWL meeting. Thank you!



**Knights of Columbus Student Council** called Fr. David William Bauer Council is based out of Saint Michael's parish and draws members from Catholic men at Wilfred Laurier University, the University of Waterloo, and Conestoga College.

They are hosting a Pro-Life dinner on Sep. 30<sup>th</sup> to raise funds for campus Pro-Life clubs. Funding is particularly important for these groups as they may be required to cover security expenses for Pro-Life events, or may simply be unable to receive the usual club funding.

It's very important for Pro-Life student groups to feel supported in a campus culture that is unfriendly. This is an opportunity to show your support for them, to hear noted local Pro-life politician Steven Woodworth and to eat chicken schnitzel dinner. **Sunday, Sep. 30<sup>th</sup> from 3:30-7:00 pm at St. Michael's Catholic Church** (80 University Ave W., Waterloo). \$20 per person. [www.facebook.com/events/1154917747995196/](http://www.facebook.com/events/1154917747995196/) If you cannot come to this dinner, but would like to support this cause, please send a cheque to St. Michael's parish payable to *Knights of Columbus Council # 16859* with a note "Support for Student Pro-Life Clubs".



**"Alice's Card Party"**, October 11<sup>th</sup>. Doors open at 4:30 pm. Columbus Conference Centre, 145 Dearborn Place, Waterloo. Dinner at 6 pm: Oktoberfest Sausage on a bun, Sauerkraut, and more. Prizes, Draws, Fun. \$15, in support of our Building Fund.

**What Is Palliative Care?** Palliative care is for our loved ones who have life limiting illnesses. It manages physical and mental suffering and can happen in the home, hospices and hospitals. Palliative care supports families and caregivers, and integrates the patient's spiritual and cultural life. But palliative care is so much more than this. Come and learn more from a panel of speakers who have experienced the graces of palliative care: Judy Nairn (Hospice of Waterloo Region), Mary Gatschene RN (Nursing), Dr. Donna Ward (Palliative Care), Marj Goodyear (Volunteer), Brianna Flynn-Schlegel (Family), Fr. Sam Restivo CR (Spiritual Care) & Rob Wintonyk (Funeral Director). **Sun. Oct. 14 from 2-4:30pm in the St. Francis of Assisi Parish Hall**, 49 Blueridge Ave. Kitchener. Palliative Care is Life-Giving!

**Past Collections – September 23, 2018:**

Sunday Envelopes	Loose	Maintenance	Needs of Canadian Church	Pre-authorized per week
\$ 3864.50	\$ 265.75	\$ 637.00	\$40.00	\$2337.15

*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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