

# St. Louis Catholic Church

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Served by the Congregation of the Resurrection since 1890.

**Office hours:** Monday – Thursday 9 - 12 and 1- 4, Friday 9 - 12

## **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**

Father Phil Reilly, C.R.  
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### **Associate**

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### **Parish Secretary**

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

Kelly Krause  
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### **Custodian**

Michael Ehrlich

**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](mailto:robertreinhart182@msn.com)),  
11:30 Choir - John Miller ([john@johnbmiller.ca](mailto:john@johnbmiller.ca)),  
5:00 Choir - Peter DeSousa and Youth Music ([peterdesousa730@gmail.com](mailto:peterdesousa730@gmail.com)).

**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](mailto:crvocations@gmail.com) or check [www.resurrectionist.ca](http://www.resurrectionist.ca)

**Low gluten hosts** are available upon prior request.

## **Parish Organizations and Contacts:**

### **Finance Council**

John Pendergast, 519-746-9768

### **Maintenance Committee**

Bob Lorentz, 519-576-5556

### **Social Committee**

Cynthia Ehrlich

### **Parish Webmaster**

Daniel Delattre, [daniel@uwaterloo.ca](mailto: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**

Gerri Duque, 519-885-6161

### **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



**Mass Intentions**

**Monday, September 7 – No Mass**

**Tuesday, September 8 – The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

9:00 am † Barbara Adamska – Malton Family

**Wednesday, September 9 – St. Peter Claver, priest**

9:00 am

6:00pm CWL Mass – † Therese Hause

**Thursday, September 10**

9:00am † Fr. Bob Liddy C.R. – Joan Sichewski

**Friday, September 11**

9:00am † Ennio Renon – Dorothy Lowry

**Saturday, September 12 – Most Holy Name of Mary**

**Sunday liturgy – 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5pm † James Robert Eley – Cecilia, Maureen and Family

† John Foster – The Currie Family

† Beatrice Paleczny – Peter Paleczny

For the intentions of Pat and Ruth Coyne and Family – Frances Ruetz

**Sunday, September 13 – 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:30am For the People of St. Louis Parish

11:30 am † Therese Hause – Elizabeth and Chuck Toplis

**CONFIRMATION CLASSES:** For those in grade 7 and up who would like to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation here at St. Louis parish, classes will begin on September 16 at 7pm in the convent. The sessions will run once a week until Sunday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>, when all will be confirmed. **Please register ahead of time with Kelly Krause at the parish office.**

**Good Shepherd Catechesis Program (CGS)** – is a program for children ages 3 through 12. It is based on the teaching methods of Maria Montessori. In this program, an environment is prepared, called the atrium. It is a place where Christ may be encountered in Word and Action; where the spiritual life of the child is nurtured. The work of the child becomes prayer and conversation with God. It is a place where children grow in the knowledge of Jesus and His love. The hands-on materials in the atrium encourage children to explore and deepen their experiences at their own pace. **Classes will run on Mondays, beginning September 21** from 3:45-5:30pm for both Level I – ages 3-6yrs old, and Level II/III – ages 7-12yrs old. And every second Sunday, beginning October 4 from 12:30-2:30pm for Level I. Please contact Kelly Krause at the parish office to register.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS WITH THE FOLLOWING DATES:**

- Volunteer Fair and Program Sign up plus Social – Sunday and picture by drone Sep 13 after both Masses in the Gym.
- St. Louis Church participates in Open Doors – on Saturday September 19<sup>th</sup> from 10 am till 3 pm.
- St. Louis Spaghetti Supper - Saturday October 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Gym.
- Later in September – Start of the series of 7 talks on “Best Kept Secrets of the Catholic Church”.



**St. Louis Catholic Women's League Potluck Supper** – Wednesday September

9. Mass will be at 6pm, followed by supper, our meeting and “Tales of a trip to Iceland.” Please join us for an enjoyable evening sharing food and friendship with familiar friends and new ones! (It's always a fun night)! Please bring your own plates, cutlery, a favourite dish to share and bring a friend. All members and non-members are always welcome!

**Our 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary photo directory:**

One more session is scheduled for: Saturday Sep. 19<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 am till 3:00 pm. Please call the office to book your appointment.



All Sunday children's Programs will resume on September 13<sup>th</sup> during the 9:30am Mass.



Share God's Word

**Volunteers are needed for the following children's programs.**

**Babysitting** – once a month, help out looking after our 0-3yr olds down in the Nursery during the 9:30 Mass.

**Liturgy of the Word** – share the Gospel with our older children, ages 7-11 yrs. old. Once a month lead the children in listening and discussing the gospel at their level. Using the help of resource material that is provided for you it will guide you in reflection questions to ask the children, based on the first reading and the Gospel. This ministry takes place down in the large hall during the 9:30 Mass, while the adults are listening to the Word of God and the homily. Children return to Mass once the homily has ended. The ushers are very kind and come downstairs to inform the group when it is time to come back upstairs. Prior to beginning this Ministry, Kelly will go over the resource materials and guide one in how to prepare for leading these sessions.

If you can help with either of these ministries please contact Kelly Krause at the parish office.





**Perennial Plant Sale** – Saturday September 12<sup>th</sup> from 9 am till noon at John & Sharon Carey's, 556 Canewood Cr. Waterloo, or by appointment 519-746-8073. Perennial plants and 125 varieties of Hostas available. Proceeds to the Prayer Shawl Ministry.

*Are you in the process of planning your wedding?*

*Don't wait to register for the*

**Waterloo Region Marriage Preparation Course.**

*Application forms and dates are available at your parish*

*Please speak to your pastor for a registration form.*

*If you have any questions or concerns, please contact*

*Kathy Fahey at [marriageprep.waterloo@gmail.com](mailto:marriageprep.waterloo@gmail.com)*

*If you would like to share your marriage story and become a facilitator couple or you would like more information on joining as a facilitator, please contact Kathy Fahey at the above email address.*

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[519-342-6618](tel:519-342-6618)

**St. Teresa Of Avila CWL Kitchener 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Walking Pilgrimage** to the Shrine of Our Sorrowful Mother, St Agatha on Sep. 13<sup>th</sup>. Start at Beechwood Plaza, 450 Erb St. W. at noon. Pilgrimage begins at 12:30 pm. We walk 6 km to St. Agatha Church. Seven Sorrows Rosary at 2:45 pm. Mass at 3:00 pm. Celebrant: Fr. Paul Szymanowski, C.R. Everyone is welcome. Call 519-744-8330 for more information.

St. Clement's Parish, is hosting a **HOT HAM SUPPER** on Sunday, Sep. 13<sup>th</sup> from 4 pm to 7 pm at the St. Clements Community Centre, 1 Green Street, St. Clements. Tickets are adults \$12, children (5 – 12 years) \$6 and children (4 years & under) are free. This event is a fundraiser for the St. Clements Church Retrofit Fund. For tickets call Tom and Karen Dietrich at 519-699-5314 or John and Donna Druar at 519-699-5304. Raffle Prize Table and Quilt Raffle.

**Are You Separated Or Divorced? Let Us Help ...**

Level 1 (Learning to Cope), will be held Tuesday evenings for 11 weeks, starting Sep. 15<sup>th</sup>, from 7 pm – 9 pm at St. Francis of Assisi Parish (Queen & Westmount), Kitchener. Level 3 (Enhancing Self Esteem) will be held Tuesday evenings for 10 weeks, starting Sep. 22<sup>nd</sup> from 7 pm – 9:30 pm at St. Mark's Parish (55 Driftwood Dr.), Kitchener. Contact Family Ministry Office at (905)528-7988 ext. 2249, or St. Francis Parish 519-745-7301 for more info. or to register.

**The "New and Improved" Foundations for Ministry Program** is a course designed to offer lay Catholics the opportunity to learn more about the foundations of our Catholic faith: Church history, scripture, morality, sacraments and prayer. This foundation is useful to parishioners who serve in a variety of ministries. The course will be offered in

Hamilton and Waterloo starting in October 2015. Contact Monica at the Discipleship & Parish Life Office at 905-528-7988, x 2238 or check out our website at [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com) for more information and for registration forms.

**Praying With the Sisters of St. Joseph:** All interested women are invited to join the Sisters of St. Joseph at the Residence at 574 Northcliffe Avenue, Hamilton on Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 am until 3 pm. The theme for the day will be 'Discernment' led by Sister Nancy Sullivan. The day begins with Mass and there will be time for personal prayer and reflection. Lunch is included. Suggested contribution is \$20. Please call 905-528-0138 for directions or to register by September 13<sup>th</sup>.

#### Past Sunday Collections:

Date	Sunday Envelopes	Maintenance Collection	Loose Donations
August 30	\$4141.00	3.00	337.35

*Thank you for your generosity and continuous support*

#### **Laudato Si is Pope Francis' encyclical on the environment**

with a secondary title of – On Care for Our Common Home. Laudato Si means "Praise be to you" which is the first line of a canticle by St. Francis that praises God with all of his creation.

From the outset, Pope Francis states the goal of the document: "In this Encyclical, I would like to enter into dialogue with all people about our common home" (#3). Normally, papal documents are addressed to the bishops of the Church or the lay faithful. But, similar to Pope Saint John XXIII's Pacem in Terris, Pope Francis addresses his message to all people.

The goal of the dialogue: "I urgently appeal, then, for a new dialogue about how we are shaping the future of our planet. We need a conversation that includes everyone, since the environment challenge we are undergoing, and its human roots, concern and affect us all" (#14). This is at the heart of the document, but Pope Francis also has a call to conversion for those in the Church too.

"The ecological crisis is also a summons to profound interior conversion. It must be said that some committed and prayerful Christians, with the excuse of realism and pragmatism, tend to ridicule expressions of concern for the environment. Others are passive; they choose not to change their habits and thus become inconsistent. So what they all need is an 'ecological conversion', whereby the effects of their encounter with Jesus Christ become evident in their relationship with the world around them. Living our vocation to be protectors of God's handiwork is essential to a life of virtue; it is not an optional or a secondary aspect of our Christian experience" (#217).

To read more: <http://sperolaus.com/2015/06/laudato-si-epub-download/>



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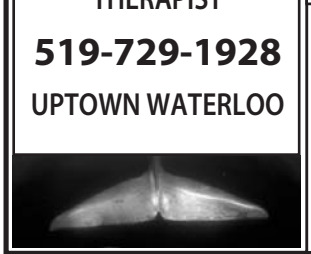
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