

St. Teresa of Avila

Roman Catholic Church

August 7 & 14, 2022
Nineteenth & Twentieth
Sunday of Ordinary Time

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Office Hours:
Monday to Thursday 9:00am – 1:00pm



Mass Times

Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 9:00am

Weekday Masses

see inside

Reconciliation

Tuesday 6:30pm - 7:00pm,
or by request.

Sacrament of Baptism (3rd Sunday of the month outside of Lent)

Parents, please pick up Baptism
package from the parish office.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact office six months
prior to desired date.
Marriage Prep offered.

Sacrament of the Sick

Please notify the parish office of
loved ones who are housebound
or in the hospital so they may
receive the comfort of the Church's
sacraments and prayer.

Outreach Ministry (A Ministry of Visitation)

Please contact the Parish Office if
you or someone you know would
like a visit by the Outreach Ministry.

Parish Contacts

Parish Pastoral Council

Annamae Elliott
Debbie Yutzi
Fr. Peter Meyer
Ken Gallipeau
Dan Lauzon

Building & Finance Committee

Fr. Peter Meyer Diane Smith
Maria Diemert Rick Weishar
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Catholic Women's League

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Knights of Columbus

Frank McGuire

Vocations

Contact www.vocationinfo.ca or
www.resurrectionist.net

New Parishioners

New parishioners, welcome!
Please register at the office or pick up a
registration package at the church entrance.

Bulletin Deadline

Written submissions by Monday noon.

St. Teresa of Avila School

75 First St. W., Elmira
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St. David Catholic Secondary School

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Christ has no body now but yours,
No hands, no feet on earth,
but yours.

Yours are the eyes through which
he moves compassion on
this world.

Yours are the feet with which
he walks to do good.

Yours are the hands with which
he blesses all the world.

Prayer of St. Teresa of Avila



✠ Please remember our benefactors and those who have left bequests in your prayers. ✠

NINETEENTH & TWENTIETH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

MASSES FOR WEEK OF AUGUST 8TH

<p>Tuesday, August 9, 7:05 pm +Gertrude Scherrer; Anne & Bill Hanley <i>The limitless loving devotion to God, and the gift God makes of himself to you, are the highest elevation of which the heart is capable; it is the highest degree of prayer. The souls that have reached this point are truly the heart of the Church. – St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross</i></p>
<p>Wednesday, August 10, 8:30 am – Maryhill <i>We cannot have full knowledge all at once. We must start by believing. Then, afterwards, we may be led on to master the evidence for ourselves. – St. Thomas Aquinas</i></p>
<p>Thursday, August 11, 12:05 pm +Larry Downey; Kay Bouzane <i>Imitation is not a literal mimicking of Christ; rather it means becoming the image of the beloved, an image disclosed through transformation. This means we are to become vessels of God's compassionate love for others. – St. Clare</i></p>
<p>Friday, August 12, 8:30 am – Maryhill <i>We must invoke the help of the Holy Spirit and that of our good angel, and then remain still in God's presence, full of faith that he is more in us than we are in ourselves. – St. Jane Frances de Cantal</i></p>
<p>Saturday, August 13, 5:00 pm +Maria Carbone; Maria Bellissimo +Lawrence Goetz; Margaret & Richard Read 2:00 pm Wedding</p>
<p>Sunday, August 14, Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00 am Our Parish Community 11:00 am Maryhill</p>

MASSES FOR WEEK OF AUGUST 15TH

<p>Tuesday, August 16, 7:05 pm +Caroline & Leo Hicknell; Wendy & Mike Hicknell <i>Be honourable so that you may never voluntarily bring disgrace upon anyone. – St. Stephen of Hungary</i></p>
<p>Wednesday, August 17, 8:30 am – Maryhill 10:30 am – Barnswallow Place +Helen Dietrich; Betty & Hugo Pfisterer <i>Faith lifts the soul. Hope supports it. Experience says it must. And Love says let it be! – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton</i></p>
<p>Thursday, August 18, 12:05 pm +Norma Nestor; Danielle Pilon 2:00 pm Wedding <i>To succeed in your intentions, entrust yourselves to the Blessed Virgin Mary always, but especially in moments of difficulty and darkness. – St. John Paul II</i></p>
<p>Friday, August 19, 8:30 am – Maryhill <i>Our wish, our object, our chief preoccupation must be to form Jesus in ourselves, to make his spirit, his devotion, his affections, his desires, and his disposition live and reign there. – St. John Eudes</i></p>
<p>Saturday, August 20, 5:00 pm +John Licari; Adriano, Lori & Kiana Stradiotto +Ronald & Jean Litt; Estate</p>
<p>Sunday, August 21, Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00 am Our Parish Community 11:00 am Maryhill 1:00 pm Baptism</p>

READINGS FOR August 13/14

First Reading: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10
 Second Reading: Heb 12:1-4
 Gospel Reading: Lk 12:49-53

READINGS FOR August 20/21

First Reading: Is 66:18-21
 Second Reading: Heb 12:5-7, 11-13
 Gospel Reading: Lk 13:22-30

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

FRI Office Closed

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MON & FRI Office Closed
TUE 9 am – 3 pm VBS - Hall

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Mon., August 8 Rev. Bernard Carroll, S.J.
 Tues., August 9 Rev. William Clarke, S.J.
 Wed., August 10 Legionaries of Christ, L.C.
 Thurs., August 11 Rev. Eric Jensen, S.J.
 Fri., August 12 Rev. Gregory M. Kennedy, S.J.
 Sat., August 13 Very Rev. Paul Panaretos, S.J.

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Mon., August 15 Rev. Wieslaw Berdowicz, S.Chr.
 Tues., August 16 Rev. Alberto Ferreira
 Wed., August 17 Sisters of Immaculate Heart of Mary
 Mother of Christ, I.H.M.M.C.
 Thurs., August 18 Rev. Laszlo Amaszka
 Fri., August 19 Very Rev. Jeff Bergsma
 Sat., August 20 Donald Sanvido

MINISTRIES for August 13/14

Eucharistic Ministers

5pm Kieran Kelly
 9am Pat Ditner

Hospitality

5pm Debbie Yutzi, Marianne Kieswetter
 9am Rick & Leona Weishar, Anne Hanley

Lector

5pm Lisa Denomme
 9am Paul Shutsa

Commentator

Marianne Kieswetter
 Wally Malcolm

Sign Ministry

Aug 8 Kieran Kelly

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Eucharistic Ministers

5pm Peggy Kelly-Kulaga
 9am Rick Weishar

Hospitality

5pm Kieran & Geoff Kelly
 9am Ray Denomme, Ed & Carol Kieswetter

Lector

5pm Connie Kaster
 9am Ellen Siebel-Achenbach

Commentator

Lisa Denomme
 Joan Couto

Sign Ministry

Aug 16 John Bruder

LIVING ROSARY INTENTION

Small Businesses - We pray for small and medium sized businesses; in the midst of economic and social crisis, may they find ways to continue operating, and serving their communities.

FOODBANK NEEDS

Laundry Detergent, Canned Salmon & Cereal

My Dear Parishioners,

The summer is going well. St. Teresa and St. Boniface Parishes are still in a period of adjustment and will be for a while yet. Let us pray for guidance from our patron saints in this new endeavour.

I pray that you continue to enjoy your summer, the more casual pace of the summer season and an increased time to spend time with family and friends.

Fr. Peter

BAPTISM – We welcome into our Parish Family: **Ember Alexa Kirkey**, daughter of Tia. *We pray that God will help her to grow in holiness and wisdom.*

LOOKING FOR FOOD SUPPORT FOR WOOLWICH GUEST HOUSE FOR UKRAINIAN REFUGEES

You may be aware that a group of volunteers headed up by Clint Rohr has been working hard to prepare the original Jakobstettel Inn in St. Jacobs into a welcoming place to house Ukrainians. The gardens around the house have been reborn and the home has been scrubbed, polished and furnished for temporary lodging for up to 15 Ukrainians at a time. The first families should be arriving soon.

A committee has been struck up to help provide food to ease the newcomers' immediate burdens and the committee is asking the local Woolwich churches for support. Would you help out by either:

- Making a cash donation that would buy grocery gift certificates.
- or donating non-perishable items just like our foodbank collections.

Thank you for your prayers and efforts to support this worthy cause.

St. Teresa's Parish is having a **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL FAITH-FILLED DAY** on **Tuesday, August 16th** from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. If you would like to register your child/children, please pick up a form at the parish office.

This year's **GARDEN PARTY** will be held on Friday, September 16th and we need your help!

- **Please choose a leaf from one of the trees in the Narthex for the children's penny table, adult penny table, the children's fishpond or tombola game.** We are looking for new items priced between \$15 - \$25 (for both adult and child penny table). Please **deliver the items to the church by September 12th**. Any questions please email teresagardenparty2013@gmail.com or call the parish office.

- The **RAFFLE** is a big part of the fundraising for our parish. The **tickets are ready for pick up**. We ask you to return all **sold and unsold** tickets by September 12th. Thank you very much and please pray for good weather.
- **Please donate your gently used books** to aid in the fundraising at our Garden Party. Donations may be dropped off at the church after August 15th. Please NO magazines or DVDS.

Join us for **HEAVENLY EATS FOOD TRUCK FRIDAYS** every Friday up to October 28th from 4:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. On **August 12th** the food trucks will be at **Elmira Mennonite Church** and on **August 19th** the trucks will be **here at St. Teresa of Avila Church**. Check out www.facebook.com/HeavenlyEatsFoodTrucks each week.

MOVING FORWARD WITH TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION

– Starting Friday, August 5th for one month, all are invited to help in the garden planted by Anishnabeg Outreach on Spizig Road, Breslau – right next to Woodland Christian High School. Please come with your garden gloves to help any of the Fridays in August, from 9 a.m. – noon. Andrew Zettel, Outreach Coordinator of St. Mary's Parish, will be there to help.

Woolwich Community Services offers **ONLINE COOKING CLASS** on **August 16th** (Mexican Pizza) and on **August 30th** (Grilled Sausage with Peppers, Sweet Chili Sauce and dessert). Simple and nutritious meals for all. If you are registered with our food program, you'll be given a meal kit with all the needed items. Anyone can join and will be given the list of ingredients to purchase items. To register contact 519-669-5139 or email tina_wcs@yahoo.ca.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR – HERITAGE DAY at St. Boniface, Maryhill on **Sunday, September 18, 2022** at the 11 a.m. Mass, 11:45 a.m. Mary Grotto and at 12 noon will be the car tour of the area shrines. At 1 p.m. will be lunch hosted by the C.W.L., Presentations, 50/50 Draw and Silent Auction. Tickets required for lunch. Cost is \$15. Email maryhillroots@gmail.com or call 519-648-9595 or any board member to register for the event.

Help **WOOLWICH COMMUNITY SERVICES** with their **Backpack Program**. A list of supplies requested for backpacks can be found posted on the bulletin board at the entrance of the church. Also, cash donations are graciously appreciated to purchase additional items. Deliver the items **before August 12, 2022**. Supplies can be dropped off at the Woolwich Community Services Office, 5 Memorial Avenue, Elmira from Monday to Friday 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact 519-669-5139 or email tina_wcs@yahoo.ca.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Offertory collection for July 23/24:	\$2,816.80
Offertory collection for July 30/31:	\$3,056.80
Weekly parish operating expenses:	\$4,724.64
Building & Maintenance Fund Balance:	\$78,471.31
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