

# St. Teresa of Avila

## Roman Catholic Church

July 15, 2018

Fifteenth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time

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Established on the Second Sunday of Easter,  
1851.

**Pastor:** Rev. David Lewis  
**Office Administration:** Donna Vollmer  
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**Office Hours:**  
Monday to Thursday 9:00am – 1:00pm



### Mass Times

Saturday 5:00pm  
Sunday 9:30am

### Weekday Masses

see inside

### Reconciliation

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

### Sacrament of Baptism (4th 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

Andrea Visneskie  
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### Vocations

Contact [www.vocationinfo.ca](http://www.vocationinfo.ca) or  
[www.resurrectionist.net](http://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

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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. ✠

## FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### MASSES FOR WEEK OF JULY 16<sup>TH</sup>

<p><b>Tuesday, July 17, 7:05 p.m.</b>  <b>+Carlos Diaz Villanueva</b>; Knights of Columbus  <i>If God sends you many sufferings, it is a sign that he has great plans for you and certainly wants to make you a saint. – St. Ignatius of Loyola</i></p>
<p><b>Wednesday, July 18, 10:30 a.m. – Chartwell</b>  <b>+Beatrice Walter</b>; Estate  <i>Patience takes root when I recognize that other people also have a right to live in this world, just as they are. – Pope Francis, Amoris Laetitia, 92</i></p>
<p><b>Thursday, July 19, 12:05 p.m.</b>  <b>Intentions of Armand &amp; Lucy Bertin</b>; Dolly Sowa  <i>Live your life close to Christ. You should be another character in the Gospel, side by side with Peter and John and Andrew. For Christ is also living now. – St. Josemaria Escriva</i></p>
<p><b>Friday, July 20, 9:00 a.m.</b>  <b>VBS Participants/Volunteers and their Families</b>  <i>The causes of terrorism are many, but one of them, the deepest, is the unbearable suffering of a world half rich and half poor. – Chiara Lubich</i></p>
<p><b>Saturday, July 21, 5 p.m.</b>  <b>+Ina Kieffer</b>; The Family  <b>+Tony Furlong</b>; Patricia Snodden</p>
<p><b>Sunday, July 22, Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>  <b>9:30 am Our Parish Community</b>  <b>10:45 am Baptism</b></p>

#### READINGS FOR July 21/22

First Reading: Jer 23:1-6  
 Second Reading: Eph 2:13-18  
 Gospel Reading: Mk 6:30-34

#### THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

**MON-FRI 9 am – 12 Noon Vacation Bible School**  
**FRI Office Closed**

#### MINISTRIES for July 21/22

##### Eucharistic Ministers

5pm Stewart Logan, Kieran Kelly, Kathy Ziegler  
 9:30am Carol Kieswetter, Matthew Griffin, Rick Weishar

##### Hospitality

5pm Mike & Doris Snelling, Debbie Yutzi, Jane Goll  
 9:30am Peter Antonello, Ray Denomme, Bill & Anne Hanley

##### Altar Servers

5pm Phil Milan  
 9:30am Katelyn Grosz, Evan Grosz, Andrew Zettler, Caleb Antonello

##### Lectors

5pm Kevin Dupuis  
 9:30am Isabella Maher  
 Maria Diemert

##### Commentator

Patsy Pond  
 Joan Couto

##### Sunday External Eucharistic Minister (to Elmira)

Jul 22 Debbie Yutzi

##### Sign Ministry

Jul 16 Kieran Kelly

##### Wednesday External Eucharistic Minister

Jul 18 Colleen Weber

### MASSES FOR WEEK OF JULY 23<sup>RD</sup>

<p><b>Tuesday, July 24, 7:05 p.m.</b>  <b>+Karen Downey</b>; Patsy Kelly  <i>I believe that Christianity happens when man and women experience the reckless, raging confidence that comes from knowing the God of Jesus Christ. – Brennan Manning</i></p>
<p><b>Wednesday, July 25, 10:30 am – Barnswallow Place</b>  <b>+Kazimiera Poczatek</b>; Estate  <i>Meditation is the basis for acquiring all the virtues, and to undertake it is a matter of life and death for all Christians. – St. Teresa of Avila</i></p>
<p><b>Thursday, July 26, 12:05 p.m.</b>  <b>+John Schill</b>; Harry &amp; Irene Dietrich  <i>Many people today sense a profound imbalance which drives them to frenetic activity and makes them feel busy in a constant hurry which in turn leads them to ride roughshod over everything around them. – Pope Francis, Laudato Si', 225</i></p>
<p><b>Friday, July 27, 9:00 a.m.</b>  <b>+Marlene Brubacher</b>; Betty Ertel  <i>When he was dying on the cross, Jesus said, "I thirst." Jesus is thirsting for our love. – St. Teresa of Kolkata</i></p>
<p><b>Saturday, July 28, 5 p.m.</b>  <b>+Giovanni Bellissimo</b>; Maria Bellissimo  <b>+Bernard Dietrich</b>; Gloria &amp; Dave Schoenhals</p>
<p><b>Sunday, July 29, Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>  <b>9:30 am Our Parish Community</b></p>

#### READINGS FOR July 28/29

First Reading: 2 Kgs 4:42-44  
 Second Reading: Eph 4:1-6  
 Gospel Reading: Jn 6:1-15

#### THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

**FRI Office Closed**

#### MINISTRIES for July 28/29

##### Eucharistic Ministers

5pm Steve & Patsy Pond, Phil Milan  
 9:30am Iris Miltenburg, Pat Ditner, Sandi Hutchinson

##### Hospitality

5pm Kieran & Geoff Kelly, Marilyn Hurlburt, Bill Strauss  
 9:30am Ed & Carol Kieswetter, Rick & Leona Weishar

##### Altar Servers

5pm Kevin Dupuis  
 9:30am Ailah Kau, Lana Kau, Casey Dronick, Joseph Ditner

##### Lectors

5pm Armand Bertin  
 9:30am Barry Glofcheskie  
 Morgan Glofcheskie

##### Commentator

Marianne Kieswetter  
 Alex Glofcheskie

##### Sunday External Eucharistic Minister (to Elmira)

Jul 29 Trudy & Ray Denomme

##### Sign Ministry

Jul 23 Ray Denomme

##### Wednesday External Eucharistic Minister

Aug 1 Marianne Kieswetter

**HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR**  
**PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

Mon., July 16 Rev. Michael McHugh  
 Tues., July 17 Rev. Francis Trzupke  
 Wed., July 18 Catholic Teachers  
 Thurs., July 19 Rev. Victor McNamara  
 Fri., July 20 Rev. Mike Myroniuk  
 Sat., July 21 Rev. Ron Cote  
 Mon., July 23 Rev. Edward Hampson  
 Tues., July 24 Rev. David Lewis  
 Wed., July 25 Sisters of Social Services, S.S.S.S.  
 Thurs., July 26 Rev. Donald Sanvido  
 Fri., July 27 Rev. Ken Miskiewicz  
 Sat., July 28 Rev. Terence Sehl

**LIVING ROSARY INTENTION**

That priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests.

**FOODBANK NEEDS**

Crackers and Meal Helpers

The Knights of Columbus, Council 8192, wish to **THANK** the parishioners of St. Teresa of Avila, St. Clements and St. Mary, Linwood/St. Joseph, Macton churches for their generous support towards the **“Lapel Rose” Campaign**. The \$600.00 donated will be equally divided between K-W Right to Life and Marillac Place.

**THANK YOU** to all the participants, donors, and volunteers who helped make MennoHomes Out-Spok’n bike-a-thon a success. Your efforts raised over \$45,000 to be used for construction of new affordable housing in Waterloo Region.

**ANNUAL 9 DAY NOVENA IN HONOUR OF ST. ANN** begins **Wednesday, July 18<sup>th</sup> through to Thursday, July 26<sup>th</sup>** at St. Ann’s Church, 120 Sherman Ave. N. (at Barton Street East), Hamilton. There will be Mass each evening with the blessing of the relic at 7 p.m.; Confessions to follow; Anointing of the Sick on Friday, July 20<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, O.M.I., Bishop of Hamilton will celebrate the Feast Day Mass on Thursday, July 26<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. A reception to follow in St. Ann’s School gymnasium. Wheelchair/Walker accessible. All are welcome.

Join us at the **ICE CREAM SOCIAL** to be held on **Saturday, July 21<sup>st</sup>** from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at Barnswallow Place, 120 Barnswallow Drive, Elmira. There will be a silent auction draw and a bake sale. Ice Cream Sundaes will be served.

**EAT & EARN FRIDAY** on **Friday, July 27, 2018** at Woolwich Community Services parking lot, 5 Memorial Avenue, Elmira from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Come out to the parking lot and order some delicious food from ‘Grill on the Go’. Earn 25% back of what you spend on food and go and spend it at our Thrift Shop. There will also be a small area for children to play!

The next **PRAYER VIGIL** is **Thursday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018** from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. in front of Freeport Hospital, 3570 King Street East, Kitchener, for babies being aborted. All are welcome to pray quietly for those who have no voice, but our own! Parking is across the road at Schneider Park. Any queries, contact Cathy at [kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com](mailto:kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com).

**44<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO THE SHRINES OF QUEBEC** – This pilgrimage takes place from Monday, August 6<sup>th</sup> to Friday, August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018. Visits are made to Cap-de-la-Madeleine, Ste.-Anne-de-Baupré, and St. Joseph’s Oratory, plus more. For more information please phone Erna Spoeniein at 519-743-1030, Angie Hunt at 1-519-766-5262 or Rose Gunn at 519-744-5923 or email [jajdhunt@hotmail.com](mailto:jajdhunt@hotmail.com) or [rosejgunn@gmail.com](mailto:rosejgunn@gmail.com).

**MARIAN PILGRIMAGE DAYS IN HONOUR OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA** – On **Saturday, August 4<sup>th</sup>** at St. Thomas the Apostle, 715 Centre Road, Waterdown there is a pilgrimage from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. beginning with Mass followed by Rosary Procession, Stations of the Cross and Benediction, Confessions and lunch. Please bring your own lunch.

**FRIDAY NIGHT SUPPORT GROUP FOR PERSONS SEPARATED OR DIVORCED** – Would it help you to have people around you to understand what you’re going through? Would you like to hear some ideas that will encourage and help you to develop new ways of coping with the stresses in your life? The Hamilton Diocesan Support Group meets the **1st and 3rd Friday of each month** and they can help! No need to register. Chancery Office, 700 King St. West, Hamilton from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. For more information call 905-528-7988 ext. 2249. There is **NO COST**.

**VOCATION SEEDS** – In today’s first reading Amos says he did not choose to be a prophet; God selected him. Maybe God is asking you to consider what you are doing at this time and perhaps begin the special work He has for you. If you feel God may be selecting you for the special life of priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 or email [mking@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:mking@hamiltondiocese.com).

**STEWARDSHIP REPORT**

**Lk 6:38 “Give, and it will be given to you... For the measure you give will be measured back to you.”**

<b>Offertory collection for June 30/Jul 1:</b>	<b>\$2,352.85</b>
<b>Average per envelope:</b>	<b>\$27.25</b>
<b>Offertory collection for July 7/8:</b>	<b>\$2,181.25</b>
<b>Average per envelope:</b>	<b>\$26.56</b>
<b>Electronic funds for the week:</b>	<b>\$1,206.25</b>
<b>(based on 4 Sundays per month)</b>	
<b>Weekly parish operating expenses:</b>	<b>\$4,632.00</b>
<b>Total to Date Building Maintenance Project:</b>	<b>\$31,430.00</b>

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