# St. Teresa of Avila Roman Catholic Church

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# Website: www.stteresaelmira.ca

Established on the Second Sunday of Easter, 1851.

Pastor: Rev. David Lewis Office Administration: Donna Vollmer Sacramental Preparation: Iris Miltenburg

**Office Hours:** Monday to Friday 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 required.

# Sacrament of the Sick

Please notify the parish office of any 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

Al Vodicka Alan Diemert Andrea Visneskie Dan Ziegler Fr. David Lewis Marianne Kieswetter Patsy Pond Peggy Kelly Tim Baillargeon

### **Building & Finance Committee**

Fr. David Lewis Diane Smith Katie Hickey Kris Kauk Rick Weishar Sebastian Siebel-Achenbach

# **Catholic Women's League**

Mary Jane Yaeger

# Knights of Columbus

Guy Wakutz

# Vocations

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

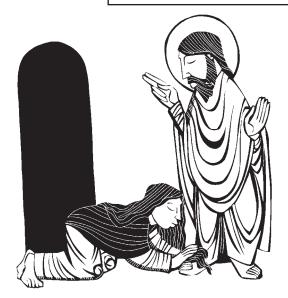
## **New Parishioners**

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

# **Bulletin Deadline**

Written submissions by Monday noon.

# June 12, 2016 Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



# St. Teresa of Avila School

75 First St. W., Elmira (519) 669-8843 Fax (519) 669-4509

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



# MASSES FOR WEEK OF JUNE 13TH

Tuesday, June 14, 6:00 pm – C.W.L. Mass & Potluck +Ron Weber; St. Teresa of Avila C.W.L.

Wednesday, June 15, 10:30 am Mass – Chartwell +Ron Weber; Kay Logel

Thursday, June 16, 12:05 pm

+Donna Cochrane; Kay Bouzane

Friday, June 17, 8:45 am

+Brian Dobson; Mike & Wendy Hicknell

### Saturday, June 18, 5 pm

+Walter & Ina Kieffer; The Grandchildren & Great-Grandchildren

+John Schill; Betty Schill & Family

Sunday, June 19, Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:30 am Our Parish Community

# **READINGS FOR June 18/19**

First Reading: Zec 12:10-11, 13:1 Second Reading: Gal 3:26-29 Gospel Reading: Lk 9:18-24

# THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

MON 7:00pm 9 a.m. Choir Practice – Church

- WED 9:30am Pre-School Wednesday Seminar
- THU 7:00pm Set-up for Garden Party
- FRI5:00pm-9 :30 pmGarden Party

# HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR:

Mon., June 13Rev. Daniel Syauswa, S.J.Tues., June 14Rev. Eric Jensen, S.J.Wed., June 15Barnabite Fathers, C.R.S.P.Thurs., June 16Rev. John Govan, S.J.Fri., June 17Rev. William Clarke, S.J.Sat., June 18Rev. Gerald Mulhall

# MINISTRIES for June 18/19

Eucharistic Ministers

5pmKathy Ziegler, Kieran Kelly, Kevin Dupuis9:30amCheryl Dunn, Ray Denomme, Sharon Both

# Hospitality

5pm Greg, Derek, Brent & Zachary Goetz 9:30am Ed & Carol Kieswetter, Adrian Miltenburg, Peter Antonello

#### **Altar Servers**

5pmPatsy Pond, Natalie Pfanner Groves9:30amConnor Kroetsch, Cody Kroetsch, Makenna Kroetsch

5pm Connie Kaster 9:30am Tracy Kroetsch Paul Shutsa **Commentator** Judy Furlong Ann Staines

Sunday External Eucharistic Minister (to Elmira) Jun 19 Mary Mercey

# Sign Ministry

Jun 13 Bob Rongits

Wednesday External Eucharistic Minister Jun 15 Colleen Weber

# FOODBANK NEEDS

Jam, Cheez Whiz, Canned Fruit

# LIVING ROSARY INTENTION

That the aged, marginalized, and those who have no one may find-even within the huge cities of the worldopportunities for encounter and solidarity and that seminarians and men and women entering religious life may have mentors who live the joy of the Gospel and prepare them wisely for their mission.

**BAPTISM** – We welcome into our Parish Family, **Daniel Francis Cassidy,** son of Christopher & Pamela. We pray that God will help him to grow in holiness and wisdom.

**ST. DAVID'S** extends a **VERY WARM THANK YOU** to all alumni, sponsors, teachers, volunteers and students for supporting the continued legacy of excellence in education at the 50th Anniversary celebrations.

#### Next weekend is Father's Day. **PLEASE RETURN YOUR BABY BOTTLES** at the back of the church. Marillac Place relies heavily on these donations from the community to keep their doors open. Please support this important cause by returning your baby bottle filled with your donation next weekend. Thank you.

The **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE POTLUCK** will be held on **Tuesday, June 14<sup>th</sup> following 6:00 p.m. Mass**. All women of the parish are welcome. Please bring your favourite dish to share. Also, please bring a plate, cup and utensils. Coffee and tea will be provided.

This year's **GARDEN PARTY** will be held on <u>Friday, June</u> <u>17th</u> 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 fish pond 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 before June 13th. 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 June 13th. Thank you very much and please pray for good weather.
- PLEASE SIGN UP in the Narthex to help at this year's Garden Party. We have jobs for all abilities and ages.

# ST. TERESA OF AVILA'S 27TH ANNUAL GARDEN

**PARTY** will be held on **Friday, June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016** at St. Teresa of Avila Church. 19 Flamingo Drive, Elmira. Enjoy our Community BBQ in the hall from 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. with sausage, hamburger, hot dogs on a bun, french fries, sauerkraut, fried onions including condiments and a healthy option of salad and veggies and dip as well as hot & cold beverages. There will also be an Outdoor Snack Booth with chips, soft drinks, fresh made popcorn and candy. Lots of fun for young and old - bingo, penny table, silent auction, bouncies, tombola, video games, inside and outside activities, play area for children 5 and under and much more. Come and enjoy an evening of food and fellowship. Fun starts at 5:00 p.m. and ends with fireworks at 9:30 p.m. All are welcome!

MENNOHOMES ANNUAL BIKE-A-THON, OUT-SPOK'N VI will be held on Saturday, June 18th at Elmira Mennonite Church, 58 Church Street West, Elmira. Registration begins at 9:00 a.m. or register online at mennohomes.com. Walk, run, bike or motorcycle. BBQ lunch. All proceeds to new affordable housing project in Elmira. Details at www.mennohomes.com or contact Dan Driedger at 226-476-2535 or ddriedger@mennohomes.com. You can obtain pledge sheets from the Parish Office.

**WALK FOR LIFE** – Join the **PRO-LIFE WALKATHON** in Guelph and Fergus on **Saturday**, **June 18**<sup>th</sup>. This event is a fundraiser for local pro-life education and outreach. For more details, visit guelphforlife.com or call (519) 836-6311.

**WOOLWICH TOWNSHIP SENIORS LUNCH CLUB -** Join us for a hot light lunch and fellowship with old and new friends at the Woolwich Memorial Centre, 24 Snyder Avenue, Elmira on **Monday, June 20<sup>th</sup>**. Register by 10 a.m. on the Thursday morning before the lunch. Cancellations are to be made by 2 p.m. the Friday before the lunch. Lunch is served at 12 noon. The cost is \$6. Call Community Care Concepts at 519-664-1900 to register.

The **GOSPEL OF LUKE STUDY SERIES** continues on **Wednesday, June 22, 2016** from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Parish, Waterloo with Sr. Bernadette Carton's presentation "**Perseverance in Prayer**". Please consider joining us for this very special evening. There is no cost to attend. Supplemental reading resources will be available for purchase for \$5. Please bring exact change. For further information, future dates and to register, please contact Monica at mverin@hamiltondiocese.com or 905-528-7988 ext. 2238 or check the website, www.hamiltondiocese.com for more information.

**CAMP SHALOM** is having an **OPEN HOUSE** on **Saturday**, **June 25<sup>th</sup>** from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. Not sure about Camp? Come visit during the open house. To check out more

information contact www.countrysidecamp.com.

VBS PROGRAMS at Elmira/Floradale Mennonite

Church: July 4-8, 9–11:30. Ages: Born in 2012 – completed Grade 8. "Surprise! Stories of Discovering Jesus"; St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church: July 18-22, 9–noon. Ages: 4-11 years. "Birthday Blast: A Celebration of Life"; Gale Presbyterian Church: August 15-19, 9-3:30. Ages: Completed JK to grade 6. Kintail on the Road – "Fearless Faith: Courage in Community".

NOVENA TO ST. ANN AT ST. ANN'S PARISH IN HAMILTON – The Annual 9 Day Novena to St. Ann will begin with 7 p.m. Mass on **Monday, July 18<sup>th</sup> and conclude Tuesday, July 26<sup>th</sup>** at St. Ann's Parish, 120 Sherman Avenue North at Barton Street East, Hamilton. The Novena will include Mass starting at 7 p.m. each evening throughout, blessing with the relic of St. Ann and novena prayers as well confessions following the Mass. Deacon Joe DiLoreto will be the homilist. Anointing of the Sick will be on Friday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7 p.m. The Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, OMI, Bishop of Hamilton will celebrate Mass on Tuesday, July 26<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m on the Feast of St. Ann. Reception to follow in St. Ann's School gym. Everyone welcome! Wheelchair accessible.

# 8<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL ST. LOUIS VACATION BIBLE/LEGO

**ROBOTICS CAMP** - July 25-29, 2016 at St. Louis Church, 53 Allen St. E., Waterloo. VBS is run in the mornings and Lego camp in the afternoons. Children (ages 5 -11) can be registered for either or both. VBS theme this year is "Circus of Stars - Spotlight on the Father". Fee per child is \$110 and per family is \$185. To register or for more information contact Kelly Krause at St. Louis Parish at 519-743-4101 or kkrause@hamiltondiocese.com.

**PILGRIMAGE TO SHRINES IN QUEBEC - Monday, August 1<sup>st</sup> - Saturday, August 6<sup>th</sup>**. Join us for the 42<sup>nd</sup> Pilgrimage to Cap-de-la-Madeleine, St. Anne de Beaupre, Sacred Heart Shrine, Beauvoir and St. Joseph's Oratory. Fr. Paul Szymanowski, C.R. of St. Mary's Parish will accompany us as Spiritual Director. For info contact Rosie Gunn at 519-744-5923 or Erna Spoenlein at 519-743-1030.

**PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH** - All children, especially young children, thrive when parents set boundaries and expectations. Knowing what is and is not acceptable, understanding the limits of what is tolerable and sensing their parents are in charge provides children with a sense of confidence and higher self-esteem. When parents take on a leadership role their children are calmer and the family flourishes. From Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

**MARRIED SINGLES LIFESTYLE** –The Married Singles Lifestyle describes couples that may have lost a sense of closeness they once had as marriage partners and are living more like roommates. Retrouvaille teaches couples how to survive times like these in their marriages. This program has helped thousands of couples experiencing difficulty at all levels of marital distress. For confidential information about, or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on **November 3, 2016** please call **905-664-5212** or email: hamiltonretrouvaille1@cogeco.ca or visit the web site at www.retrouvaille.org.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT	
Lk 6:38 "Give, and it will be given to you For the	
measure you give will be measured back to you."	
Offertory collection for June 4/5:	\$2,719.10
Average per envelope:	\$23.07
Electronic funds for the week:	\$1,028.75
(based on 4 Sundays per month)	
Weekly parish operating expenses:	\$4,632.00
Thank you!	

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