St. Teresa of Avila

Roman Catholic Church

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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
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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 5, 2016

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



St. Teresa of Avila School

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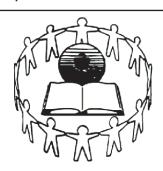
Christ has no body now but yours, No hands, no feet on earth, but yours.

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



MASSES FOR WEEK OF JUNE 6TH

Tuesday, June 7, No Mass

Wednesday, June 8, No Mass

Thursday, June 9, No Mass

Friday, June 10, 8:45 am

+Leo McArthur; Debbie Yutzi

Saturday, June 11, 5 pm

+Ron Weber; 11 a.m. Choir +Jerome Strauss; Grace Strauss

Sunday, June 12, Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am Our Parish Community

READINGS FOR June 11/2

First Reading: 2 Sm 12:7-10, 13 Second Reading: Gal 2:16-19-21 Gospel Reading: Lk 7:36-8:3

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

MON 7:00pm 9 a.m. Choir Practice – Church TUE 7:00pm C.W.L. Executive Meeting - Library 9:30am Pre-School Wednesday - Seminar WED

7:00pm Knights of Columbus Executive Meeting THU

8:00pm Knights of Columbus General Meeting

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR:

Mon., June 6 Rev. Jason Catania Tues., June 7 Rev. Dennis Noon

Wed., June 8 Sisters of Social Service, S.S.S.

Thurs., June 9 Rev. Mervin Perera Fri., June 10 Rev. Vernon Boyd, S.J. Sat.. June 11 Rev. Roger Yaworski, S.J.

MINISTRIES for June 11/12

Eucharistic Ministers

Erl Andersen, Tim Baillargeon, Judy Furlong 9:30am Sarah Lucier, Ken Gallipeau, Agnes Downey

Hospitality

Jane Goll, Debbie Yutzi, Barb Grosz, Moira Foerster 5pm 9:30am Ray Denomme, Marianne Kieswetter, Danielle Pilon, Guy Wakutz

Altar Servers

Joseph Ditner 5pm

9:30am Ailah Kauk, Lana Kauk, Fiona Bernard

Lectors Commentator 5pm Peggy Kelly Kevin Dupuis 9:30am Joan Coutu Colleen Weber Sheila Bauman

Sunday External Eucharistic Minister (to Elmira)

Jun 12 Jane Goll

Sign Ministry

Jun 6 Ray Denomme

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.

The next C.W.L. EXECUTIVE MEETING is on Tuesday, **June 7th** at 7:00 p.m. in the library.

The CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE POTLUCK will be held on Tuesday, June 14th 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 Friday, June 17th 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 17th, 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!

REGIONAL FORESTS HIKE SERIES - Tuesday, June 7, 2016 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Join us for the first in a series of hikes to explore the Regional Forests. Albert Hovingh, the Region of Waterloo Environmental and Stewardship Planner, will lead us on a hike through Sudden Forest in North Dumfries. Contact Nancy at 519-214-4926 or nancy.stayzer@gmail.com to confirm meeting time and location. There is no rain date. For more details see healthywoolwich.org.

KW RIGHT TO LIFE DESSERT & COFFEE EVENING on June 9th at 6 p.m. at Club Willowells, 40 Blue Springs Dr., Waterloo (behind East Side Marios). There is street parking. A PowerPoint presentation, "Contraception Cracking The Myths" by Prof. Janet Smith will be shown (in part) and is available free of charge to any teacher, instructor, group leader or anyone interested in changing the contraceptive culture to one that is healthy and loving, creating solid relationships. Our Annual General Report (AGM) will be distributed and all our volunteers will be honoured. Goodwill offering. Everyone is welcome. Call KW Right to Life if you plan to attend at 519.746.5433 or email jane@kwrtl.ca.

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE – The **ANNNUAL GNERAL MEETING** will be held **Thursday**, **June 9**th at 7 p.m. Guest speakers will be Christina Mines (Youth Ministry) and Sarah Ginta (Justice and Peace) from the Diocese of Hamilton. They will speak about how Development and Peace and the Diocese can collaborate to raise awareness of the connection of faith to justice and action. Join us at Duff's Presbyterian Church, 319 Brock Road, Guelph (just off the 401 at the 6 South exit).

COMMUNITY CAN DINE is on **Friday, June 10**th at Trinity United Church, 21 Arthur Street North, Elmira from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. with sausage on a bun and salads. We are celebrating the 3rd Anniversary. For more info please call the Trinity United Church office at 519-669-5560.

MARYMOUNT CEMETERY MEMORIAL MASS - Most Rev. Daniel Miehm, Auxiliary Bishop of Hamilton, will celebrate the Spring Memorial Mass at Marymount Cemetery on Saturday, June 11th at 11:00 a.m. All are welcome to attend. For more information, please call Dominic Tersigni at (519) 836-8814 or visit www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca.

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.

WALK FOR LIFE – Join the PRO-LIFE WALKATHON in Guelph and Fergus on Saturday, June 18th. 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 20th. 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**th 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".

8TH 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.

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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 May 28/29: \$2,639.80

Average per envelope: \$22.66
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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