

"It is better to be a child of God, than king of the whole world!"

*St. Aloysius Gonzaga*

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# St. Aloysius Catholic Church

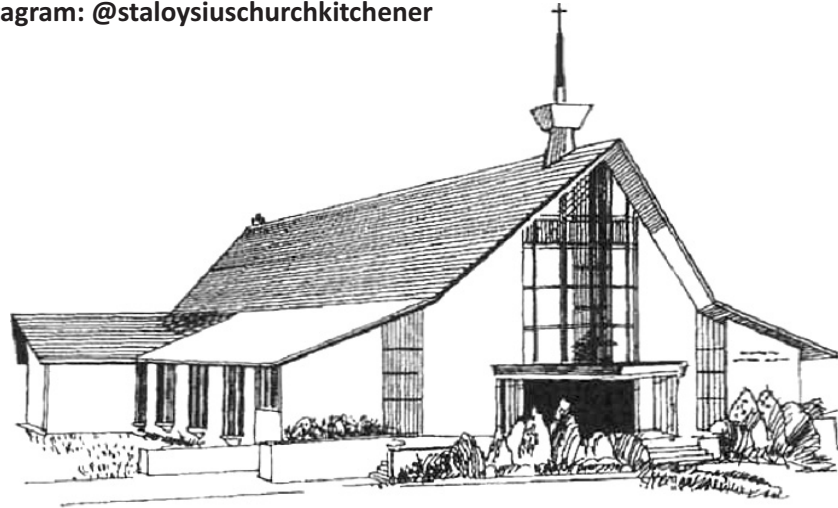
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**OFFICE HOURS:**

MONDAY: Closed, TUESDAY-THURSDAY: 9am-12pm & 1pm-4:30pm, FRIDAY: 9am-12pm

**SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE**

SATURDAY..... 5:00pm  
SUNDAY.....9:00am  
*(interpreted for the deaf)*  
.....11:00am  
.....7:00pm

**WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE**

MONDAY.....8:30am  
TUESDAY.....7:00pm  
WEDNESDAY...8:30am  
THURSDAY.....8:30am  
FRIDAY.....8:30am

**CONFESSIONS** - Tuesday: 6 - 6:45pm, Saturday: 3:45 - 4:30pm, or by appointment.

**BAPTISM** - Please fill out an application form and contact our parish office for more details. Application forms can be found online or in our front foyer.

**BECOMING A CATHOLIC** - Please contact our Parish Office for more information.

**FUNERALS** - When death occurs or is expected in your family, please contact the parish office and we will assist you in making the necessary arrangements. For information on Catholic Funeral Rites, Cremation & Catholic cemetery locations, please visit thecatholiccemeteries.ca or call 1-800-661-5985.

**MARRIAGE** - Please contact the parish office at least Twelve (12) months in advance.

**PARISH RECORDS AND REGISTRATION** - New to the parish? You can pick up Registration forms in the Church foyer, in our parish office, or download one from our website. Please help to keep our parish records up-to-date and please inform us if you are moving.

**PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK** - Please contact the parish office to notify the Priest if a friend or family member is in the hospital or would like to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick.

**PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE** - If you feel called to the Priesthood or religious life, please speak with one of our Priests for more information.

## THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



### MASS INTENTIONS

Nov 14- Nov 20, 2022

**Monday** (*ferial*)

8:30 am + Eleanor Freeman

**Tuesday** (*ferial*)

7:00 pm NO MASS TONIGHT

**Wednesday** (*ferial*)

8:30 am NO MASS TODAY

**Thursday** (*Memorial – St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious*)

8:30 am + All Souls in Purgatory  
- Int. of Lee Ann Paiva and Family

**Friday** (*ferial*)

8:30 am + Luz Elena Frumkin  
+ Annamma Kurian

**SOLEMNITY of our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**  
**(Last Sunday in Ordinary Time)**

**Sat 5:00 pm** - Int. of Parishioners

**Sun 9:00 am** + Wilfredo Pura  
+ Leila Baker and Georgette Baker

**Sun 11:00am** + Rita Pereira and Lucia Marques

*During 11am Mass - Sunday School Liturgy for young children in the Parish Hall*

**Sun 7:00 pm** - In Thanksgiving to God  
+ Cecilia Vieira

Parish News

### Schedule of Events

Nov 14 – Nov 20, 2022

**Monday**

• Food Pantry Open ..... 7:00 pm

**Tuesday**

• Stained Glass Guild..... 1:00 pm  
• CWL General Meeting ..... 7:00 pm

**Wednesday**

• Bible Study group.....10:00 am  
• Communion Service/Mass at Briarfield Gardens.....10:00 am

**Saturday**

• Confessions ..... 3:45-4:30 pm

**Sunday**

• Children’s Liturgy ..... during 11 am Mass

**Please note – we will not be having Masses on  
Tuesday November 15 and Wednesday  
November 16 due to a Diocesan Priest’s Seminar.**

### OFFERTORY REPORT

Envelope contributions.....\$2600.00  
Loose.....\$515.50

**Offertory Collection Nov 6-2022..... \$3115.50**

Pre-Authorized Giving (weekly amount).....**\$830.31**

**Thank you for your ongoing contributions to support St.  
Aloysius Parish!**



**Please remember St. Aloysius Parish in your will.** The Bequest Clause can be added to your existing will as a codicil.

**Bequest Clause:**

I give and bequeath to the Roman Catholic Diocese of Hamilton, under a special Act of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario, for the benefit of St. Aloysius Parish, Kitchener; the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ dollars or \_\_\_\_\_ percentage of the Estate, or the total of the residue of the Estate.

## REGISTER NOW

**Registration is on NOW for our 2023 Sacraments of First Communion and Confirmation**

Please register online at <https://staloyusius.on.ca/> and look for our First Communion and Confirmation button links on our homepage. Register as soon as possible. **The deadline to register is December 15, 2022!**

### Information about Spring 2023 Sacraments

**First Communion Parent/Guardian Information**

**Meeting:** Wed Nov 23, 2022 at 6:30pm in the Church

**Confirmation Parent/Guardian Information Meeting:**

Thurs Nov 24, 2022 at 6:30pm in the Church

**Sacrament of First Communion:**

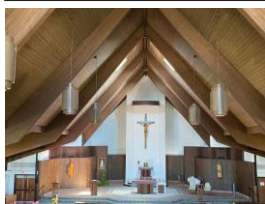
**Sat Apr 15, 2023 at 10am:** St. Aloysius and St. Timothy Schools

**Sat Apr 15, 2023 at 1pm:** St. Kateri and Public/Private Schools

**Sacrament of Confirmation:**

**Wed Apr 26, 2023 at 7pm** for all schools

*Visit our website at <https://staloyusius.on.ca/> for more important dates and information*



**Saturday morning Mass returning! Beginning Saturday November 26,** join us for Saturday morning Mass at 8:30am. The Mass on Saturday mornings will continue until our Summer schedule begins in June.

#### **Adoration and Prayers for the Unborn**

Join us on Saturday November 26 at 6:30pm for Adoration and Prayers for the Unborn.

**SAVE THE DATE December 15-23 – Simbang Gabi** (9 day Novena for Christmas) will be taking place at St. Aloysius Church. Simbang Gabi is a series of Novena Masses leading up to Christmas Day, traditionally celebrated in the Philippines. It was brought by the Spanish religious missionaries to the Philippines during the Colonial period. Simbang Gabi was originally observed in honour of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

**At St. Aloysius, join us for Simbang Gabi evening prayer beginning Thursday December 15 at 7pm. The novena prayers will also be prayed during the morning Masses.**



#### **NEWS FROM THE CWL:**

**The CWL General meeting** will be held on **Tues, Nov 15** in the Parish Hall at 7pm. Please note the earlier time as there is no evening Mass that night. They invite all members to attend as well as any young women aged 16 and over who may be interested in joining the CWL.



**The Catholic Women's League** is happy to announce their **Seniors Christmas Dinner** is coming back this year! It will be held in our Parish Hall on Wed Dec 7 from 6-8pm. Doors will open at 5:30pm. The CWL will

be handing out a limited number of tickets on a first come, first served basis. Tickets are free and are only for seniors aged 65 and over who belong to St. Aloysius Parish. **Tickets will be handed out after the Masses this weekend.**

#### **St. Aloysius School Clothing Drive for Kidney Foundation:**

Do you have some clothes or shoes that you do not wear anymore? On Nov 19th, from 9am-noon, St. Aloysius School will be collecting donations of clothing and shoes as a fundraising effort in the St. Aloysius Church parking lot. The clothes may come in **any** condition: including having stains or holes. The money will go towards St. Aloysius School, as well as the Kidney Foundation.

The Knights of Columbus Council 8192 is hosting **John B. Miller and Friends** featuring Advent and Christmas Music on **November 25<sup>th</sup>** at 7:00 p.m. Join them at St. Teresa of Avila Parish, 19 Flamingo Drive, Elmira. It is the perfect way to kick off the Advent Season. Reception to follow in the Church Hall. No tickets are needed, free will offering.

#### **Coping with the Holidays**

**Christmas can be an especially challenging holiday to cope with if you have lost a loved one.** The Diocese of Hamilton Family Ministry Office offers a special workshop on the first Sunday of Advent each year to help people to better cope with the season. It is coming up Sun Nov 27 from 1-3pm at the Chancery office; 700 King Street West, Hamilton. **To Register:** please call 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or by email at [familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com)

**Young Adults Night – December 3.** Fr. Mark Morley, invites all young adults (ages 20s and early 30s) of our diocese to attend a night of Adoration, Fellowship and Praise Music starting with the Arrival and Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), Saturday, December 3 at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate, 28 Norfolk Street, Guelph. Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, email: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com).

**Mount Mary Immaculate Retreat Centre** (437 Wilson St. E, Ancaster ON) is hosting an Open House and Christmas Market on December 10th from 10:00 am-4:00pm. Guests are welcome to tour the grounds and buildings, enjoy some seasonal refreshments and do some Christmas shopping. Admission is free, and all are welcome! For more information about Mount Mary Immaculate Retreat Centre please visit: [www.mountmary.ca](http://www.mountmary.ca).

**Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time Weekend of November 12/13, 2022** In today's Gospel, Jesus suggests that his disciples must be prepared to suffer ridicule, persecution and perhaps even death if they are to follow him. Sometimes we may wonder if enduring ridicule and scorn are what we really signed up for when we received the sacraments of initiation. Would we not rather sneak through life as painlessly as possible? Good stewards take their faith seriously and find comfort in the closing words of today's Gospel: "You will be hated by all because of my name but not a hair on your head will be destroyed. By your perseverance you will secure your lives." Let us make it part of our daily prayer routine to ask the Holy Spirit for the courage to act in Jesus' name no matter the consequences. ***Gospel Reflection from ICSC November E-Bulletin***



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