

St. Michael's Catholic Church

St. Michael's Parish Offices - 240 Hemlock Street, Waterloo, ON N2L 3R5

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Thursday
9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY LITURGY SCHEDULE

TUE Mass.....7:00 p.m.
WED Mass.....12:15 p.m.
THUR Mass.....8:00 a.m.
FRI Mass.....8:00 a.m.

LORD'S DAY LITURGY SCHEDULE

SAT Mass.....5:00 p.m.
SUN Mass.....9:00 a.m.
Mass...11:00 a.m.
Mass....7:00 p.m. (during the academic year)

TUE Reconciliation...6:00-6:45 p.m.
SAT Reconciliation... 4:00-4:30 p.m.



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Our worship space and Parish Centre are barrier free off of Hemlock Street. 

NEW TO THE PARISH • Please come and introduce yourself and complete a registration form available on our website at www.stmichaelw.ca/forms or on the hospitality desks at each entrance to the church.

PARISH RECORDS • Our parish records are very important and we try to keep them as up to date as possible. Please advise the office if you change your address or telephone number.

MINISTRY TO PARISH SCHOOLS • The staff visit St. Nicholas and Sir Edgar Bauer on a regular basis. Eucharist and Reconciliation are celebrated with each school during the year and the staff is available for classroom visits and other special celebrations. We also celebrate the sacraments and make pastoral visits to St. David's high school as needed.

MINISTRY TO UNIVERSITY STUDENTS AND STAFF • St. Michael's Parish welcomes students to participate in the liturgical and pastoral life of the parish. Each Sunday evening during the university academic year, we provide a parish Mass at 7:00 p.m. that focuses on the pastoral needs of students and staff of the universities and colleges in our community.

SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION • For more information about preparation and dates please visit our website or contact the parish office.

MARRIAGE • Couples intending to be married are asked to fill out the application form available at stmichaelw.ca/sacraments. Please meet with the priest or deacon before making any other arrangements. Twelve (12) months notice is normally required so that proper preparation can take place.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK AND SHUT-IN • Trained Volunteers assist in the pastoral care of those who are sick or confined, whether at home, at retirement residences, in nursing homes, in hospitals or in prison. Anointing of the Sick is celebrated in the parish church, Columbia Forest Long Term Care, The Court at Laurelwood and Clair Hills Retirement Community twice a year. Parishioners can request the Anointing of the Sick at any time by appointment in their home or in the church.

PASTORAL CARE TO THOSE WHO ARE IN HOSPITAL • Privacy of information laws prohibit the parish from obtaining information about parishioners in hospital. A family member is asked to contact the parish office whenever a parishioner is in hospital and requests a pastoral visit.

PARISH OUTREACH • St. Michael's Parish assists those in need through the St. Vincent De Paul Society. For emergency food help call 519-747-1090.

MUSIC IN THE LITURGY • Music plays an integral role in the liturgical life of the parish. Parishioners are invited to sing with the traditional choir (9:00 a.m.) or the contemporary choir (11:00 a.m.) on Sunday morning.

PARISH BULLETIN • News items for the bulletin should be submitted via email if possible and may be edited due to space limitations. All items must be in the parish office by Monday prior to publication.

MISSION STATEMENT

We are God's people called to worship and serve Christ Jesus in community on the journey of faith.

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MASS INTENTIONS August 18 - 22, 2015

Tuesday

6:00pm Reconciliation
7:00pm +Special Intentions of Mary Katherine Long –
Denise Dolff
 +Special Intentions of Tom & Jana Liko &
 Stefani & Brad Tucker & Families – *Stefan &*
Maria Liko

Wednesday

12:15pm +Grace Frankie – *The Gregg Family*

Thursday

8:00am +Lily Choi – *The Choi Family*

Friday

8:00am +Allan Edlund – *Michelyne & Family &*
Sister Dorothy

Saturday

4:00pm Reconciliation
5:00pm +Adam & Marjorie Pietraszko – *Jerry & Joanne*
Berlette
 +Brian Bradley – *Evelyn Stockley*
 +Harold Tischart – *Hilary Missere*

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
Joshua 24.1-2a, 15-17, 18b
Ephesians 4.32-5.1-2, 21-32++
John 6.53, 60-69



PARISH NEWS

Sunday Offering
 August 8 & 9 - TBA

PARISHIONERS PLEASE NOTE:

Mass time on Thursday will be changing from

8:00am to 12:15pm



TO



effective

Wednesday, September 9th

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, August 22
5:00pm: Max & Alex Winter, Katie McElroy
Sunday, August 23
9:00am: Nonso Moneme, Madeline & Elizabeth Swart
11:00am: Joel & Ryan Jobby, Oshana Putros

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Saturday, August 22
5:00pm: * Gerry Kraemer
 1 Shari Guinta 2 Kathy McGlynn
Sunday, August 23
9:00am: * Michael Prudencio-Brunello
 1 Cristina Prudencio-Brunello 2 Jose Prudencio
11:00am: * Krista Nolan
 1 Dave Swart 2 Jason Higgins

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

Saturday, August 22
5:00pm: Veronica Zarin, Joanne Winter,
 Mary Pat Byrne, Joan Fernandez
Sunday, August 23
9:00am: Helen Anne Hause, Eleanor Horrigan,
 Glen Loffree, Marta Mandich
11:00am: Jean & Bob Balahura,
 Gerdy Frantzke, Lorna Kennedy,
 Rohan & Jacintha Jayasundera

ATTENTION ALL PARISHIONERS



Construction continues but we're getting closer to completion...thank you for your patience. Please continue to use the University Ave. entrance.

RCIA...Are you thinking about becoming a Catholic?

The RCIA prepares adults and children (8 years and older) for the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and First Communion). You can begin the process at any time during the year. For more information, please contact the Parish Office.

Fitness Classes for Mature Adults 55+ will now be on **Mondays** beginning Monday, September 14th from 10:00-11:00am in the Parish Centre. This class is open to men and women 55+....come on guys, join the group and get into shape!



Save the Date: Our *Annual Spaghetti Supper* will take place on **Sunday November 1st** in the Parish Centre. Please add this special event to your social calendar! Further details will follow.

Students: If you are completing your community service hours and are interested in helping out that day, please call Gai Brown at 519-886-4259 / magu2u@hotmail.com



**The First Friday Devotion
to the
Sacred Heart of Jesus**

AND

**The First Saturday
Devotion
to the
Immaculate Heart of Mary**

ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH AT 7:00PM WE WILL HAVE FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS WITH MASS, HOLY HOUR AND RECONCILIATION. ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH AT 9:00AM WE WILL HAVE FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION TO THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY WITH MASS. THESE DAYS OF DEVOTION WILL CONTINUE EVERY MONTH GOING FORWARD.

Praying with the Sisters of St. Joseph: All interested women are invited to join the Sisters of St. Joseph at the Residence at 574 Northcliffe Ave., Hamilton on Saturday, September 19th from 9:30am until 3:00pm. The theme for the day will be 'Discernment'. The day begins with Mass and time for personal prayer and reflection. Lunch is included. Suggested contribution is \$20. Please call 905-528-0138 for directions or to register by September 13th.

SAVE THE DATE: Please mark your calendar: **Wednesday, September 23rd** *The Carmel of St. Joseph (Luncheon & Card Party)* will be held at St. Anthony Daniel Parish Life Centre from 12:00-4:00pm. Doors open at 11.30am Admission \$12.00 Lunch & Door Prizes



Blessed Sacrament Parish will host a Spaghetti Western (music) Night on Friday, September 25th at Holy Trinity Serbian Orthodox Church, 700 Fisher Hallman Rd., (at Ottawa St.) Cost \$25/person, cash bar, silent auction. Tickets can be purchased at the office Monday to Friday, 8:30am - 4:00pm. For information call 519-742-5061.

Backpack and School Supplies Drive



From Saturday, August 15th to Sunday, August 23rd the Social Justice Committee is asking parishioners to respond to a local community healing strategy and support program for aboriginal families provided by The Healing of the Seven Generations and Anishnabeg Outreach. We will be collecting the necessary educational tools to help students get a good start to the school year from age 4 thought to high school. **Take advantage of the sales that are now on** to purchase new backpacks for all ages, pens, pencils, lunch boxes, notebooks, paper (lined and unlined), markers, pencil crayons and rulers may be placed in the bins at the entrances of the church. Monetary donations can be marked "Backpack Drive" and placed in the collection basket. Every contribution is greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please call Isabel at 519-664-2771.

Join the Historical Society of St. Boniface and Marghill Community on Sunday, September 27th. 10:00am Mass at St. Boniface followed by tour of wayside crosses including a stop where the very first Roman Catholic mass was delivered in the area. Hot lunch, presentations and silent auction at the Marghill Heritage Park Community Centre. Advanced Tickets Only \$15 - call 519-648-2172 or email info@marghillroots.com or contact Diane Strickler.

LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR CATHOLIC FAITH

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Stairways to Heaven, the religious supply store in St. Jacobs will be closing. They are offering discounts on all remaining inventory: Rosaries, Saint Medals, Crucifixes, Statuary, Nativities etc. Eric & Tanya thank everyone who has patronized their store over the past 5 years.

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