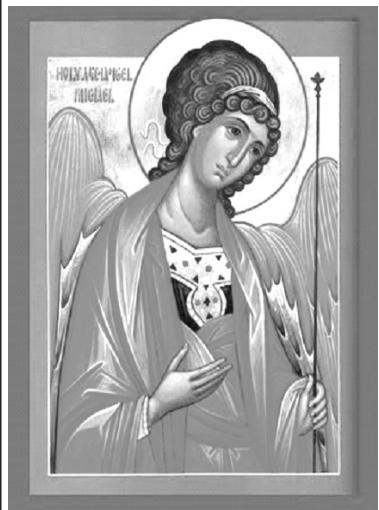


# St. Michael's Catholic Church

St. Michael's Parish Offices - 80 University Ave., W. at Hemlock St., Waterloo, ON N2L 3C7



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## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

## 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)

## WEEKDAY LITURGY SCHEDULE

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

<b>TUE</b>	Reconciliation....	6:00-6:45 p.m.
<b>WED</b>	Reconciliation..	11:50-12:05 p.m.
<b>THUR</b>	Reconciliation...	11:50-12:05 p.m.
<b>SAT</b>	Reconciliation...	4:00-4:30 p.m.

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](http://www.stmichaelw.ca) 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 & COLLEGE STUDENTS** • St. Michael's Parish welcomes students to participate in the liturgical and pastoral life of the parish. During the academic year we celebrate a 7pm Sunday Mass for students. The St. John Paul II Student Centre ([jp2waterloo.ca](http://jp2waterloo.ca)) offers programming throughout the week, and Campus Ministry at St. Jerome's University provides pastoral care and programming for students on the University of Waterloo campus ([sju.ca](http://sju.ca)).

**BAPTISM** • For more information about preparation and dates please visit our website or contact the parish office.

**MARRIAGE** • 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 HOMEBOUND** • Trained volunteers assist in the pastoral care of those who are sick or confined, whether at home, at retirement residences, long term care facilities or in hospitals. Anointing of the Sick is celebrated at Columbia Forest Long Term Care, The Village at University Gates, 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.*

## THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



**January 29 – February 2, 2019**

**Tuesday**

**6:30pm** Rosary  
**7:00pm** +Special Intentions of Paula Silver – *Frances Klein*  
 +Mike & Carol McCabe – Colleen McCabe  
 +Special Intentions of Don Peacock – *Karl & Donna Riddiough*  
 +Pauline Quinn – Emily Orlando & Krista Nolan  
**7:30pm** Holy Hour with Adoration and Benediction

**Wednesday**

**12:15pm** +Sunila Fuster – *Angela Madappuli*

**Thursday**

**12:15pm** +Dr. Jack Eby – *Angela Madappuli*

**Friday**

**8:00am** +Pauline Quinn – *Joanne Berlette*

**Saturday**

**5:00pm** +Tony Hergott – *The Family*  
 +Paul Grobe – *Maryanne & Family*  
 +Pauline Quinn – *Doug & Gai Brown & Family*

**Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*Jeremiah 1.4-5, 17-19*  
*1 Corinthians 12.31-13.13*  
*Luke 4.21-30*



PARISH NEWS

**Sunday Offerings**

January 20 – \$5,020.00 PAG – \$8,062.00

**2019 COLLECTION ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE FOR PICK-UP IN THE PARISH CENTRE (LOWER LEVEL).**

2018-19 CHILDREN'S MISSALS (\$8.00) are available for purchase in the Parish Office during regular office hours.

**First Communion Meeting**

There will be a meeting for young people in Grade 2 who intend on making their First Communion this year. The meeting will take place on **Thursday, February 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 p.m.** in the Church. Students, parents, and their teachers are invited to attend. Please bring a **copy** of your child's Baptismal Certificate if they did not receive their Baptism at St. Michael's Parish or St. Jerome's. For further information contact Andrea Laughlin - [andrea@stmichaelw.ca](mailto:andrea@stmichaelw.ca) or through the parish office at extension 34.

**ALTAR SERVERS**

**Saturday, February 2**  
**5:00pm:** Noah & Alia Van Alphen, Gabriel Pregelj  
**Sunday, February 3**  
**9:00am:** Mark & Elizabeth Pawliszyn, Eric McCrea  
**11:00am:** Charlotte Tapuska, Joel Jobby, Adam Colwell

**MINISTERS OF THE WORD**

**Saturday, February 2**  
**5:00pm:** \* Stefan Pregelj  
           1 Marta Mandich 2 Steve Kamski  
**Sunday, February 3**  
**9:00am:** \* Marty Bell  
           1 Diana Knoll 2 Pat Corman  
**11:00am:** \* Jason Higgins  
           1 Krista Nolan 2 Ryan Jobby

**MINISTERS OF COMMUNION**

**Saturday, February 2**  
**5:00pm:** Tim & Norah O'Leary, Alicia Smith, Lynn West  
**Sunday, February 3**  
**9:00am:** Teresa Palmer, Doug & Yvonne Rickert, Ian Sine, Betty Lou Borho  
**11:00am:** Julie Dreisinger, Gerdy Frantzke, Paul Song & Grace Gao, Doug Haennel, Dorothy Krauskopf, Jeannie Krulicki



**Our Annual Skating Party is fast approaching! Everyone is invited to join us on Family Day, Monday, February 18<sup>th</sup> from 4:00-5:00pm at RIM Park (Lions Arena). Come out for some exercise and social time with fellow parishioners!**

**From the  
Pastor's Desk**

Thank you for the very warm welcome I received last weekend as we began our time together here at St Michael Parish. This week, in a particular way, I have had the chance to meet with members of our parish who give leadership to so many of the groups and ministries in our parish. It has also been wonderful to meet with the student leaders from the St John Paul II Centre. I wish to express my thanks to all whom I have met with, not only for the good work they do, but also the information they have shared, and the genuine desire to work together which they have all expressed. It is obvious to me that St Michael Parish truly is a community of believers who give generously of their time and talents. As I have mentioned before, I feel very privileged to have been appointed as Pastor of such a great Family of Faith



**Annual Bible Sunday** - The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Bible Sunday will be observed in Hamilton Diocese on Sunday, February 3. The focus of this year's observance is "Listening to God's Word at Mass". Two

special presentations on the Gospel of Luke will be offered by Fr. Michael Patella, O.S.B. St. Michael Parish, Waterloo (2:00-3:30 pm) or at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton (7:00-8:30pm). Plan to attend one of these presentations which will outline what to listen for during this Year of Luke. For more information see <https://hamiltondiocese.com/thebiblespeaks/>

**KW Right to Life Candlelight Prayer Vigil:**

Monday, January 28<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm for 1 hour in front of Kitchener City Hall (skating rink) followed by refreshments at Our Lady of Sorrows RC Church with speaker Stephen Woodworth at 7:30pm.

**Adoration for Life at 4 Locations:**

Tuesday, January 29<sup>th</sup>, (in Spanish) 6:15pm before the 7pm Mass at St. John, Kitchener

Thursday, February 7<sup>th</sup>, 11am-noon at St. Mary Our Lady of Seven Sorrows, Kitchener Mass at 12:10pm and at 7:00pm at St. Agnes, Waterloo

Friday February 8<sup>th</sup>, 6-7pm St. Teresa Adoration Chapel, Kitchener Mass follows.

Everyone welcome. Call 519-746-5433 for more information.



The Knights of Columbus are a fraternal organization of Catholic Men that does excellent work in our parish and community. We are blessed as a parish not only to be part of the Waterloo Council located at 145 Dearborn Pl, Waterloo, but also to

have to host our very own Student based Council here at St Michael Parish.

On the weekend of February 2 & 3, 2019 there will be a special Membership Display following all of our Masses. We encourage all men of the parish to check it out and become a member!

**You're invited to a Valentine's Dance!**

Campus Ministry at St. Jerome's University is hosting a Valentine's Dance on Friday, February 8<sup>th</sup> from 8pm-Midnight at Waterloo Columbus Conference Centre in support of the renovations to Notre Dame Chapel. Music provided by Michael Kelly alternating with DJ Dennis Wallace. A light lunch will be provided. Tickets - \$20 adults and \$15 students. Contact Martha Fauteux at [mfauteux@uwaterloo.ca](mailto:mfauteux@uwaterloo.ca) or 519-884-8111 ext 28215. It promises to be a fun evening! We hope you can make it!

You are the body of Christ; every one of you is a member of it. As a member of the body, we serve different roles. Are you willing to do your part? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director at 905-528-7988 or [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)



This Lenten season **Development and Peace** and **Pope Francis** invite us to reach out and encounter migrants and refugees, to make a commitment to really go toward others, to stop, listen and really see them. To learn how to foster a culture of encounter in your parish or school join us for a **SHARE LENT WORKSHOP** at one of these parishes:

Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup> 7:30-9:30pm here at St Michael's in the Parish Centre **OR** Wednesday, February 13<sup>th</sup> at Holy Rosary Parish, in the classroom, 175 Emma St, Guelph, 7:00-9:00pm.

**"Lend Your Support and Win with The Catholic Community Foundation"** The Catholic Community Foundation is celebrating 40 years with a new lottery structure featuring 40 draws & more than \$40,000 in prizes if purchased by January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019!!!

Since its inception in the 1970's, over \$3 Million dollars has been given to Catholic schools, parishes and community organizations in Waterloo Region. We here at St. Michael's have been recipients of the Foundation over the years, including this year for additional resources for the Archbishop James MacDonald Resource Centre.

Support this great organization by purchasing a ticket today! Go to [www.ccfowr.org](http://www.ccfowr.org) OR call 519-747-5661 to purchase over the phone!



**2019 Membership dues** – remain at \$30. These can be placed in the collection basket throughout January.

**Reminder: Volunteer Opportunity for Ladies of St. Michael** at Stirling Avenue Mennonite Church, Kitchener - Saturday Supper Program. We will be serving meals to those who are less fortunate. This program serves between 150-200 dinners every Saturday. Our shift will be **5-8:30pm** and we are volunteering our time on **January 26, February 23 and March 23**. We have limited openings on February 23 and March 23, but they are limited. For more information and to register contact **Kathy Shaw** at [shawbing@rogers.com](mailto:shawbing@rogers.com) or **519-886-2117**.

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