

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

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.....8:00 a.m.
FRI Mass.....8:00 a.m.

SAT Reconciliation.....4:15 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.

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MASS INTENTIONS

July 21 - 25, 2015

Tuesday

7:00pm +Deceased Members of the Tischart Family –
Harold Tischart
+Special Intentions of Randy Peters & The
Peters Family – *Anthony & Magnell Robinson & Family*

Wednesday

12:15pm +John Sabatini – *Toni Reiner & Family*

Thursday

8:00am +Desmond Chatterton – *Doug & Gai Brown & Family*

Friday

8:00am +Vlasta Vejvoda – *Georgette*

Saturday

5:00pm +Bill Leis – *Pat, Bob & Family*
+Paul Gaudreau – *Mary Friedmann*
+Edward Behenna – *Doug & Gai Brown & Family*

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

2 Kings 4.42-44 Ephesians 4.1-6 John 6.1-15



PARISH NEWS

Sunday Offering

July 11 & 12 – \$10,783.00



RECONCILIATION

Effective immediately there will be
Reconciliations on
Tuesday from 6:00-6:45pm and
Saturday from 4:00-4:30pm
in the Reconciliation Room.

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!

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, July 25

5:00pm: Claire Strong, Max & Alex Winter

Sunday, July 26

9:00am: Nonso Moneme, Clara Thompson, ???

11:00am: Sofia & Cristy Argueta, Stephanie Kapp

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Saturday, July 25

5:00pm: * Karen Lam

₁ Kathy McGlynn ₂ Pat Corman

Sunday, July 26

9:00am: * Cristina Prudencio-Brunello

₁ Jose Prudencio ₂ Michael Prudencio-Brunello

11:00am: * Jason Higgins

₁ Krista Nolan ₂ Veronica Zarin

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

Saturday, July 25

5:00pm: Joanne Winter, Chris McKenzie,
Veronica Zarin, Ken Adams

Sunday, July 26

9:00am: Glen Loffree, Marta Mandich,
Peter Michels, Mary Ellen Nolan

11:00am: Susan Frantzke, Denise McClanahan,
John Muldoon, Magnell Robinson,
Jeanette Rousseau, Kathy Shaw



ATTENTION ALL PARISHIONERS

We have been informed that there will be water main improvements on Hemlock & Balsam Sts. during weekdays beginning **Monday, July 20th until Friday, August 28th**. Access to the barrier free parking and the Balsam St. entrance may be difficult during this time. Please obey any directional signage and take care and respect the safety of the construction crews during this time.

Ninth Annual Cemetery Mass will be held on Saturday, September 19 at Williamsburg Cemetery at 11:00 a.m. in the Williamsburg Cemetery Chapel with Father Lawrence Parent officiating.

SAVE THE DATE: Please mark your calendar: Wednesday, September 24th The Carmel of St. Joseph (Luncheon & Card Party) will be held at St. Anthony Daniel Parish Life Centre from 12:00pm-4:00pm. Doors open at 11.30am Admission - \$12.00. Lunch & Door Prizes.

Mark your calendar for **THE HOT HAM SUPPER** on **Sunday, September 13th** at the St. Clements Community Centre. Details to follow.

ARE YOU SEPARATED OR DIVORCED? LET US HELP ... LEVEL 1 - (Learning to Cope), LEVEL 2 - (Accepting the Situation) and LEVEL 3 (Enhancing Self Esteem) are self-help programs intended to help separated and divorced persons gain a perspective on their divorce. Topics are meant to offer hope and personal growth and include: the process of divorce, self-image, stress, anger, guilt, loneliness, forgiveness, trust, singleness and children. **Course fee: \$35 (Level 1), \$45 (Level 2) and \$40 (Level 3).** Level 1 will be held **Tuesday evenings for 11 weeks, starting September 15th, 2015 from 7pm - 9pm at St. Francis of Assisi Parish.** Level 3 will be held **Tuesday evenings for 10 weeks, starting September 22nd from 7 - 9:30pm at St. Mark's Parish.** Contact Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or St. Francis Parish 519-745-7301 to register.

COME JOIN US TO FIND THE "KEYS TO LOVING RELATIONSHIPS"

"Keys" is a ten week video-based program meant for anyone (married or single) who is looking for a more meaningful relationship with a spouse, family member or friend. Learn how to become a better "me" in all your relationships! The program runs Tuesday evenings from 7:00 P.M. to 9:30 P.M. starting September 22nd, at St. Mark's Parish. The cost is \$45.00. For more information, please call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

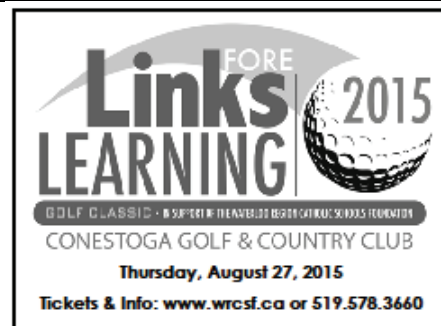
Grandparents Matter...Fostering Faith

Grandparents play a very special role in the life of their grandchildren. They offer unconditional love, but they are also memory keepers & memory makers, spiritual guides & mentors and role models & nurturers. When grandparents understand how they can influence their grandchildren in a positive way their time together becomes both productive and fun. Come and share an enlightening and thought provoking time on the importance of grandparents! **The event will take place at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish (715 Centre Rd., Waterdown) on Saturday, Sept. 12th from 9 am-12:30 pm.** There is **no charge** for this event as it is being hosted and presented by Directors of the Pastoral Offices from the Diocese of Hamilton. Please note that we will have resources for sale at the event. Register by contacting Monica at 905-528-7988 ext. 2238, or at mvenin@hamiltondiocese.com; walk-ins the day of are most welcome.

Calling all Phoenix! Resurrection Catholic Secondary School is celebrating 25 years of Catholic Education this fall! Mark your calendars now and hold these weekend dates: October 23-25, 2015. Festivities include a full-scale reunion for all alumni & staff on Saturday, October 24th at the school. Visit resurrection.wcdsb.ca (Beyond RCSS tab) for full details. Tickets will be on sale beginning in June. Time to come home, Phoenix!

Speak of My Mercy! Branches Catholic Ministries will be sponsoring a fall conference on October 3-4, 2015 at the Scotiabank Convention Centre in Niagara Falls, Canada. Regenerate(d) 2015 will feature dynamic talks from renowned Catholic speakers including *Vinny Flynn, Sharon Lee Giganti, Matthew Leonard, Dr. Taylor Marshall, Fr. Larry Richards, and Elizabeth Scalia.* The conference will begin with an address by *Most Rev. Gerard Bergie, Bishop of St. Catharines* and this year's main celebrant and homilist. Pope Francis has called for an Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy with the holy year to begin on December 8th, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception. In preparation for this holy year, we invite you to attend Regenerate(d) 2015 which will speak to the intentions of our Holy Father to find a way for the church to "make more evident its mission to be a witness of mercy." The theme of this year's conference is Confession: The Sacrament of Divine Mercy. Join us as we look at the modern day cover-up of sin and idolatry, the dangers of New Age spirituality, anger and forgiveness, the gift of Divine Mercy, and the Sacrament of Healing- Confession. Early bird registration and group discounts available. www.go2branches.com or call Branches at 289-362-1417, or email info@go2branches.com. Also please see our event website for more information. "Speak of My Mercy" registration <http://bit.ly/1Szav8N>. We come to be healed. We come to be educated. We come to be regenerated.

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