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St. Michael's Catholic Church

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

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.
TUE	Reconciliation....	6:00-6:45 p.m.
WED	Reconciliation..	11:50-12:05 p.m.
THUR	Reconciliation...	11:50-12:05 p.m.
SAT	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 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 have a student mass on Sunday evenings at 7:00 p.m. that focuses on the pastoral needs of students. We also have the John Paul II Student Centre which is available for students. Please see www.jp2waterloo.ca for more information.

SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION • 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 SHUT-IN • 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.

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MASS INTENTIONS

June 19 - 23, 2018

Tuesday

6:30pm

Rosary

7:00pm

+Wendykier Family Members – *Teresa*

+Jonathan Wesley – *Mom & Dad*

+Lee Parent – *Lakeshore Optimist Club*

+Special Intentions of the Turski Family – *Karl & Donna Riddiough*

7:30pm

Student Holy Hour with Adoration

Wednesday

12:15pm

+

Thursday

12:15pm

+Fr. Ted Hughes – *Angela Madappuli*

Friday

8:00am

+

Saturday

5:00pm

+Rosanna Davis – *St. Michael's CWL*

+Elizabeth Sambucci – *Kathleen*

The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Isaiah 49.1-6 Acts 13.22-26 Luke 1.57-66, 80



PARISH NEWS

Sunday Offerings

June 10 – \$4,609.50 PAG – \$783.00



Fair Trade orders will be available for pickup in the main vestibule next weekend.

***Get your car blessed after all
Masses June 23 & 24!***



Inspired by the Spirit: Women Responding to God's Call

There are some vacant positions on the CWL Executive Team so I am asking parish members to think about joining the team. Positions such as Resolutions, Christian Family Life, Publicity and Communication are open. **Please call Chris at 519-886-7444 or email chrismmckenzie@hotmail.com for more information.**

The ABC's of Mother Teresa:

When humiliation comes, accept it and offer it.

Today's readings remind us that great things often have small beginnings. If you feel God is calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director at 905-528-7988 x2246 or email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, June 23

5:00pm: Alex Winter, Katie Kuepfer, Alessia Ovcacik

Sunday, June 24

9:00am: Elizabeth Swart, Rachel & Nathan Chinnick

11:00am: Neme, Edu & Ify Okonkwo

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Saturday, June 23

5:00pm: * Stefan Pregelj

1 Shari Guinta 2 Beatrice Bonga

Sunday, June 24

9:00am: * Linda Guacci

1 Diana Knoll 2 Dave Swart

11:00am: * Kishanie Jayasundera

1 Herli Liem 2 Stephen Pacheco

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

Saturday, June 23

5:00pm: Grier Rennie, Alicia Smith,
Lynn West, Joanne Winter

Sunday, June 24

9:00am: Doug & Yvonne Rickert, Glen Loffree,
Annabel MacDonald, Chris McKenzie

11:00am: Theresa Leung, Denise McClanahan,
Fidelia Otokhina, Magnell Robinson,
Kathy Shaw, Martina Smith, Julie Dreisinger

PARENTS PLEASE NOTE

Catechetical Program – Children in Non-Catholic Schools or Home Schooled

Programs are available for children from kindergarten through high school not currently receiving religious instruction. Families work through the programs at home. Preparation for First Communion for children presently in Grade 1 and Confirmation for children presently in Grade 6 and not in Catholic schools is also available. Contact the parish office for more information.

Confirmation

Is your child in Grade 6? Did you know we celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation in Grade 7?

Confirmation preparation begins in the Fall of each year. If your child does not attend Catholic school, please contact the parish office as soon as possible so we can assist you with the appropriate sacramental instruction through our catechetical program.



Join us on Wednesday, June 20th at 7:00pm in the Parish Centre to hear ***Heike Mertins, Author of "Grief is..."***

Heike will be sharing her grief journey. Refreshments will be provided. Please RSVP to Kathy at shawbing@rogers.com or 519-886-2117 by Monday June 18th.



Vacation Bible School is thrilled to offer: **"A Wilderness Adventure Through the Sacraments"** right here at St. Michael's. Our program will run from Monday, July 30th to Friday, August 3rd from 9am-Noon in the Parish Centre. Friday will go until 1:00pm. The program is for children who will be in JK - Grade 5 this upcoming school year.

Registration is available online on our parish website at www.stmichaelw.ca/vbs. If you do not have internet access, please see Joanne in the parish office to fill out a paper form. Online registration is preferred. The cost is \$30.00/child. For families with more than 1 child, the cost is \$20.00 for each additional child. Payment can be made at the parish office or through the collection by cash or cheque (payable to St. Michael's Church). Please include the name of the child(ren) the payment is for.

Older than grade 5? If you would like to be part of this program, you are more than welcome to volunteer. We would especially like adult volunteers. **This program cannot run without volunteers!** Volunteer registration form is also available online (and in the parish office if needed). **Deadline for registration is Friday, June 22.**

Vacation Bible School Supplies

In the interest of modeling care of creation, we are trying to use many recycled and found materials for the craft centre at St. Michael's Vacation Bible School this year. We'd appreciate your help collecting the following recyclables. Please clean the collected items well and drop them in the designated box at the back of the church. Thank you in advance for your support!

We are in need of:

- 2L cardboard milk or juice cartons
- Empty plastic baby formula containers
- Empty plastic 1.5L ice cream containers with plastic lids
- Empty plastic 2lb margarine tubs with lid
- Empty glass baby food jars, or other small glass jars, 1 pint or smaller



Are you thinking about becoming a Catholic? R.C.I.A. (The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a journey of conversion within the living community of faith. RCIA culminates in the

Sacraments of Initiation – Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. RCIA is for:

- + adults who have not received any of the Sacraments of Initiation
- + adults who have been baptized Catholic or another Christian tradition and have not received Confirmation or First Communion
- + adults who have been baptized Catholic and have made their First Communion but have not been Confirmed
- + **children** attending separate, public school or who are being home schooled, who are 8 years old (in grade 3) or older who have not been Baptized or received First Communion

Adults and children prepare for initiation through a process of prayer, rituals, reflection on the word of God, teachings of the Church, community activities and support and service to others. For more information contact Father Dave at 519-884-9311 Ext. 27 or frdave@stmichaelw.ca

"FATAL FLAWS" FILM SCREENING:

THE DANGERS OF MEDICAL 'AID' IN DYING LAW

Are assisted dying laws leading society down a dangerous path? It's time to learn about the issue as it is experienced in lived reality. Local filmmaker and Kevin Dunn has spent the past three years travelling throughout Canada, The Netherlands, Belgium and the USA to learn more about the answer to this important question. **Critics say "FATAL FLAWS" 'is a must-see for every patient, person or medical caregiver** who wants to understand the difference between medical killing and medically-responsible caring. Join us and learn more on **Monday, June 25 at 7 PM at SilverCity Hamilton Mountain Cinemas**. Tickets can be purchased online, or/and to find out how to bring the film to your area contact FatalFlawsFilm.com or by emailing margaret@dunnmedia.ca

Bishop Crosby encourages you to attend a listening session relating to the proposed Diocesan capital campaign. These sessions, taking place in each deanery, will provide information about the proposed campaign goals and will allow you the opportunity to ask questions and share your thoughts. Your presence and feedback are a critical part of this effort which aims to help our parishes and ministries grow and thrive. For dates and locations, please see posters on the bulletin boards.



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