



ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SCHEDULE OF LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday: 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday & Thursday: 12:15 p.m.

Friday: 8:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday 6:15-6:45 p.m.

Friday 8:30-9:00 a.m.

Saturday 4:15-4:45 p.m.



Our Worship Space and Parish Centre are barrier free off of Hemlock Street entrance

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

PARISH PRAYER NETWORK

Our parish prayer network offers us the opportunity to weekly pray for those in our community who are in need. To become a member of the prayer network, or to add an intention, just drop us an email at stmikesprayer@gmail.com

OUR PARISH SCHOOLS

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| Sir Edgar Bauer Elementary School | 519-884-8480 |
| St Nicholas Elementary School | 519-884-9198 |
| Resurrection Secondary School | 519-741-1990 |
| St David Secondary School | 519-885-1340 |
| St Jerome University | 519-884-8111 |

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please contact the Parish Office to begin the process of preparing your child and family for this Sacrament.

CAMPUS MINISTRY

St Michael Parish welcomes post-secondary students to participate in the life of the parish. The St John Paul II Student Centre (adjacent to the Church) offers programing and pastoral care for all university and college students (jp2waterloo.ca).

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

The Sacrament of Marriage is normally celebrated on Saturday afternoons. Preparation is provided. Please contact Father before setting a date of marriage.

PASTORAL CARE TO SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Ministers of Communion to the Sick bring communion to those who are sick or confined at home, in nursing homes or hospital. Anointing of the Sick takes place annually in the parish, and is celebrated personally upon request. To ensure a visit by our Pastoral Team when hospitalized please indicate you are a member of St Michael Parish.

HEALING MINISTRIES

"Heartache to Healing" is our Grief Support Group and "ACT II" is our Separated/Divorced Group. To find out more about the programs, please contact our parish office.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Provides emergency grocery assistance to needy persons and families in our parish area. If there is an urgent need, please call 519-747-1090. A monthly collection to assist the Society in its work takes place on the First Sunday.

BLESSING OF EXPECTANT PARENTS

The Blessing of Expectant Parents takes place after each Mass on the First Sunday of the month.

PARISH BEQUESTS

Keep your love for your parish alive. Remember St. Michael Parish in your will and when recommending expressions of sympathy.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Weekly Gospel Reflection (Mk 14: 12-26)



Jesus takes ordinary bread and wine and says, '**Take; this is my Body. Drink; this is my Blood.**' Then, He says, '**Do this in memory of me**' (1Cor 11:24). We call these words the institution of the Eucharist.

In John's Gospel, however, instead of bread and wine, we have basin and towel, we have Jesus washing the feet of His disciples. The washing of the feet is an example of what we are invited to do *in memory of Christ*, namely, to become "edible food and potable drink for each other."

Fr. Jamroz

WELCOME HOME TO ST. MICHAEL PARISH

Welcome, we are really glad you're here! Whether exploring, struggling or looking for a new Church Home - we extend a warm welcome to our parish and pray that you feel at home. Please introduce yourself and consider becoming a member of our Family of Faith. *For details on our parish life, registration, offering envelopes, pre-authorized or online giving, as well as to find out about ways of connecting, check out our website: www.stmichaelw.ca*



No in person Masses. Intentions will be remembered in a private Mass by Fr. Jamroz.

Tuesday, June 8, 2021

Parishioners of St. Michael Parish

Wednesday, June 9, 2021

live stream

12:15 pm + Andrew Pereira – Luis & Maria Pereira

Thursday, June 10, 2021

+ Susan Campbell – Susan & Bob Bourque

Friday, June 11, 2021

live stream

8:00 am – Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Saturday, June 12, 2021

+ Ralph & Dorothy Freiburger – The Family



Public Masses have been suspended. We will live-stream Sunday 11:00 am Mass and Wednesday 12:15 pm Mass. The link is available on the parish website.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Due to the lockdown, the parish office is closed for in person. You can call or email. Messages will be checked regularly. If you are in need of a priest, you can contact Fr. Jamroz at 519-884-9311 ext. 27 or by email at pastor@stmichaelw.ca

Outdoor Mass

We are looking into the possibility of celebrating Sunday Mass outdoors once Ontario moves into Step One of the reopening. Parishioners would need to bring their own chairs. Please continue to check our website for updates.



A Campaign for the Diocese of Hamilton

Thank you for your generosity toward the financial needs of our parish.

God bless our campaign, and our parish

Thank you to all who have already donated. To date we have received \$313,041.

If you have any questions about the campaign, feel free to contact Shari Guinta by email at sg2009@bell.net or call the parish office at 519-884-9311. We ask you to continue to pray for the success of the campaign, and we will be grateful for any gift you can make!



The Marillac Place 2021 Baby Bottle Campaign continues until Father's Day, June 20th.

St. Michael Parish is proud to participate once again this year. Please provide your support through their virtual campaign by donating online or sending a cheque directly to Marillac Place. When you donate online, please indicate that you are a St. Michael Parish member. All proceeds from the campaign will directly support the operations of Marillac Place to help us make an immediate impact on residents. Go to <http://www.marillacplace.ca/donate/> to make your donation.

For more information about Marillac Place, please call (519) 571-0722 ext. 202, or email admin@marillacplace.ca, or visit <http://www.marillacplace.ca>. Thank you for your continued support.



The Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus will be celebrated on Friday, June 11, 2021. We will be live streaming the 8:00 am Mass.

Volunteer Screening Committee

We are setting up our Parish Volunteer Screening Committee and are in need of volunteers. Members of the Volunteer Screening Committee are to be primarily responsible to oversee the screening and training of all volunteers in the parish. If you are interested, please contact the parish office for more details.



Ignatius Jesuit Centre
A Place of Peace

Are you looking to break away and spend some time in silence? Come retreat with Loyola House – virtually! For more information about upcoming retreats, please go to <https://ignatiusguelph.ca/events/category/retreats/>

Family & Children's Services Waterloo Region Foster Parent Information Night

Currently in Waterloo Region over 80 children are placed outside of their community due to a foster family shortage. They need kind, caring people to open up their hearts and homes to them. If you have ever thought about fostering, join us for an informative evening. Our team will introduce you to the basic aspects of fostering as well as answer questions you may have. There is no commitment required for those attending this session, it is simply for your information.

June 21, 2021















7:00 PM

Register Here:

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/151509816941>

Guelph Virtual Walking Pilgrimage July 31- Aug 7

Nourish your spirituality, exercise; enjoy the outdoors. **Participate for 1 day, a weekend or the full 8 day trip!** This year, like last summer, we are not able to walk the pilgrimage as we have for the last 18 years. Covid -19 brought the birth of a Virtual Walking Pilgrimage in a slightly different format. To register or for more information go to www.ignatiusguelph.ca (under programs - Guelph Walking Pilgrimage) Registration fee \$75.

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