

# 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.....	12:15 p.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.
WED	Reconciliation..	11:50-12:05 p.m.
THUR	Reconciliation...	11:50-12:05 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](http://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 & 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.stmichaelw.ca](http://www.stmichaelw.ca) and follow the link to JPPII Student Centre 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, in nursing homes, in hospitals or in prison. Anointing of the Sick is celebrated in the parish church, 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.

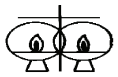
**MUSIC IN THE LITURGY** • Music plays an integral role in the liturgical life of the parish. Parishioners are invited to sing with the traditional choir (9:00 a.m.) or the contemporary choir (11:00 a.m.) on Sunday morning.

**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.*

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



**MASS INTENTIONS** June 27 – July 1, 2017

**Tuesday**

**12:15pm** +Judy Purcell – *Pat Corman*

**Wednesday**

**12:15pm** +Eleanor Rainford – *Anthony & Magnell Robinson*

**Thursday**

**12:15pm** +Sheilagh Sehl – *Estate*

**Friday**

**8:00am** +Margaret Bogan – *Tony*

**Saturday**

**5:00pm** +Hermina Hollo – *The Family*  
 +Franz Simonka – *Bedic & Vrabac Family*  
 +Tomas Liko & Family – *Stefan & Maria Liko*

**Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*2 Kings 4.8-12a, 14-16*  
*Romans 6.3-4, 8-11*  
*Matthew 10.37-42*



**PARISH NEWS**

**Sunday Offerings**

June 18 – \$5,631.40 PAG – \$6,187.00

**Mass on Tuesday has been moved to 12:15pm. Reconciliation, Rosary and Adoration are cancelled.**



**Happy Canada Day 150!**



**Get your car blessed after all Masses this weekend.**

**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED FRIDAY, JUNE 30<sup>TH</sup> TO CELEBRATE CANADA'S 150<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY.**

**PLEASE NOTE:**

Our last bulletin for the summer will be July 2<sup>nd</sup>. Ministry Schedules will be posted on the bulletin boards.

**ALTAR SERVERS**

**Saturday, July 1**

**5:00pm:** Reney Puthran, Alex Winter, ???

**Sunday, July 2**

**9:00am:** Rachel & Nathan Chinnick, Gabriel Pregelj

**11:00am:** Cecilia Frantzke, Oshana & Sargon Putros

**MINISTERS OF THE WORD**

**Saturday, July 1**

**5:00pm:** \* Judy Shulist  
 1 Tom Connor 2 Veronica Zarin

**Sunday, July 2**

**9:00am:** \* Linda Guacci  
 1 Peter Michels 2 Pat Corman

**11:00am:** \* Kishanie Jayasundera  
 1 Sofia Argueta 2 John Strong

**MINISTERS OF COMMUNION**

**Saturday, July 1**

**5:00pm:** Joan Fernandez, John Miller, Lynn West, Joanne Winter

**Sunday, July 2**

**9:00am:** Annabel MacDonald, Doug & Yvonne Rickert, Betty Lou Borho, Laura Haffner

**11:00am:** Bob & Jean Balahura, Lorna Kennedy, Dorothy Krauskopf, Jeannie Krulicki



**Consecration of Canada to the Immaculate Heart of Mary**

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops have invited all parishes in the country to commemorate Canada's 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary by praying in a particular way for our country on Canada Day weekend. At the request of Bishop Crosby, next weekend at our Masses we will be praying prayers of consecration of Canada to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, asking our Holy Mother to watch over us and intercede for our nation. Special prayer cards will be made available at each Mass next Sunday as we pray for peace, harmony, and that the teachings of Jesus Christ may guide our law makers and citizens. *O Canada...God, keep our Land!*



Tearing up the asphalt...and the runway on Thursday, September 28<sup>th</sup>. In support of a newly paved parking lot, join us for a fashion show fundraiser featuring parish members of all ages. From 15 to 85 we have fashion trends for all to enjoy, while supporting a much needed parking lot makeover. Ticket sales will begin in September after all masses.

"Have no Fear." Considering a ministerial vocation is not popular, but it may be what God is calling you to. If God is calling you to the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation at 905-528-7988 or email [mking@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:mking@hamiltondiocese.com)

## Vacation Bible School

Are you ready? Because we are! Join us at our first ever "MARVELLOUS MYSTERY, *The Mass Comes Alive*" Vacation Bible School right here at St. Michael's. Our program will run from **Monday, August 14<sup>th</sup> to Friday, August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2017** from **9am-Noon** in the Parish Centre. The program is for children who will be in **JK - Grade 5** this upcoming school year.

Registration is available online at the parish website. 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. The program will be capped at 75 participants.

**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 another adult volunteer. Volunteer registration form is also available online (and in the parish office if needed). **Deadline for registration is Monday, July 24, 2017.**

**Prayer Vigil** – Thursday, July 5<sup>th</sup> from 9:00-10:00am in front of Freeport Hospital, 3570 King St. E., Kitchener, for babies being aborted. All are welcome to pray quietly for those who have no voice but our own! Parking is across the road at Schneider Park. Any queries, please contact Cathy at [kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com](mailto:kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com)

**NOVENA FOR THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST:** July 1-9 in honour of the 9 Choirs of Angels; July 13-15 in honour of the Holy Trinity; July 20-31 for the New Israel. Begins with Exposition of Blessed Sacrament at 3:00pm-7:00pm (weekdays); 10:00am – 1:00pm (Sat. & Sun.) at St. Joseph Parish Rectory Chapel.



The Carmel of St. Joseph Guild invites all members, families and friends to attend the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass to be held Sunday, July 16<sup>th</sup> at 2:00pm at the Monastery. The Rosary will precede the mass. The celebrant will be Most Rev. Anthony F. Tonnos, D.D.



## Join St. Michael's Prayer Partners

One of the most important aspects of parish life is community, and one of the most important aspects of being part of a parish community is prayer for each other. To facilitate this important responsibility, we are starting an email group called **St. Michael's Prayer Partners**. If you are willing to receive one email per week with a list of intentions to pray for during that week, you're qualified to be a *Prayer Partner!* Simply send an email to [stmikesprayer@gmail.com](mailto:stmikesprayer@gmail.com), and ask to have your name added to our list of Prayer Partners. We promise to send only one message per week, and not otherwise spam your inbox. Let's storm heaven with prayers for our brothers and sisters of St. Michael's Parish!

## Need Prayers?

Are you in need of prayers for yourself or a loved one? Your brothers and sisters at St. Michael's want to pray for you. **Send your prayer request to [stmikesprayer@gmail.com](mailto:stmikesprayer@gmail.com)**, and we will be happy to place your intention on our prayer list. *"I ask that supplications, prayers, petitions and thanksgiving be offered for everyone."* 1 Tim 2:1



What supports do families need from the Church? What are the pressures they face in their day to day lives? What are the challenges, joys, highs and lows in families today? Where do they seek support when it is needed? Where do they see the role of the Church in their lives and in helping them cope with everyday life issues and events?

The Diocese of Hamilton, through the Family Ministry Office, wants to hear from you on these topics. **You can do this in two ways:** 1. **Attend our Symposium for Families being held on September 23rd, 2017 beginning with Bishop Crosby saying Mass at 9:30 and ending at 4 p.m.** 2. **Fill in the on line survey posted on the website at <http://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/symposium-on-family> beginning June 28th.** The more people who engage in both these events the greater the knowledge we will gather. Family matters - help us discover how the Diocese can help you in the most important role of family. For more information call 905-528-7988 and ask for Teresa (ext. 2250) or Wendy (ext. 2241)



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