



ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

 @StMikesWaterloo

 @StMikesWaterloo

80 University Ave. W., (at Hemlock Street), Waterloo, ON N2L 3C7

P: 519-884-9311 • F: 519-888-6042 • Parish Office email: parish@stmichaelw.ca

Father Pawel Jamroz, Pastor email: pastor@stmichaelw.ca

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

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 programming 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 (Jn 20:19-23)



As we celebrate the *Feast of Pentecost, 50 days after the Resurrection*, when the Holy Spirit fills the hearts of the disciples, we wonder who exactly is the Holy Spirit. The most essential thing we can say is that the Holy Spirit is completely and truly God. The Holy Spirit is the Love that exists in relationship between the Father and the Son. He, the very Love of God, comes to dwell within us.

It means, whenever we find charity in ourselves, or kindness, or the ability to be faithful in the midst of hardship; whenever we forgive or approach the Sacrament of Reconciliation with a contrite heart, then we can be sure, the Holy Spirit is at work within us.

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, May 25, 2021

Special Intentions of Marie Lehman – Prayer Shawl Ministry

Wednesday, May 26, 2021

live stream

12:15 pm + Marjorie Karn – Bob & Jean Balahura

Thursday, May 27, 2021

+ Helen Benninger – The Family

Friday, May 28, 2021

+ Arthur Benninger – The Family

Saturday, May 29, 2021

+ Rudy Ianni – Maria Ianni



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

2020 Financial and Spiritual Report

The parish 2020 Financial and Spiritual Report is now posted on our website. For a paper copy, please contact the parish office.

MAY 23, 2021)



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 \$294,791.

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!

Confessions Schedule

Although in person Masses have been suspended, Confessions are available Tuesdays 6:15 pm to 6:45 pm, Fridays 8:30 am to 9:00 am and Saturdays 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm. You can also schedule an appointment for confessions at a different time by contacting Fr. Jamroz directly by phone 519-884-9311 ext. 27 or email pastor@stmichaelw.ca

Looking for faith-based activities for your children?

“The Kid’s Bulletin” offers weekly activities for Catholic children who would like to have some fun while learning about the readings from the Sunday Mass. Children love church when there is something for them to enjoy too. Please see our website and click on the link.

Donating Options

Although the office is closed, you can still drop off donations (no cash please) in the mailbox at the parish office. It will be checked regularly. You can also donate online at <https://www.stmichaelw.ca/donate>



DIOCESE OF HAMILTON

Virtual workshops offered by Anna Racine. Anna regularly facilitates workshops at Mount Carmel Retreat Centre in Niagara Falls when meeting in person is an option.

LEARNING TO FORGIVE



Saturday, May 29, 2021

10:00 – 3:00

Held Virtually on ZOOM Platform

Cost: \$40.00

Register at: annaracine.org@gmail.com

or (905)351-8367

THE IMPACT OF COVID 19



Saturday, June 19, 2021

10:00 – 3:00

Held Virtually on ZOOM Platform

Cost: \$40.00

Register at: annaracine.org@gmail.com

or (905)351-8367



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!

9 Journeys of the Soul: An Enneagram Retreat June 3 @ 9:30 am - June 6 @ 5:00 pm

The Enneagram illuminates nine different journeys of the soul; nine particular ways that we experience disconnection from God and our deepest selves, and nine paths through which the Spirit is inviting us back home. This VIRTUAL retreat will explore these nine journeys of the soul in conversation with the Biblical story and your lived experience.

Register by calling Tel: 519.824.1250 ext. 266 or by emailing registration@ignatiusguelph.ca. Ignatius Location: Ignatius Jesuit Centre, 5420 Hwy 6 N, Guelph ON N1H 6J2; <https://ignatiusguelph.ca>

SWISS CHALET
 ROTISSERIE & GRILL

Receive 15% discount with the purchase of any adult entree. Limit one discount per visit. Valid in dining room & take-out only.

Weber Street Waterloo
 Victoria Street Kitchener

Expires March 31, 2020

CARSTAR
 Quality Collision Service

Koebel's CARSTAR Collision

661 Colby Dr. Waterloo 519-888-9522
 2300 Shirley Dr. Kitchener 519-571-1800

Henry Walser
 FUNERAL HOME LTD.

AN INDEPENDENT FAMILY - OWNED FUNERAL HOME

507 FREDERICK ST. (at expressway)
 519-749-8467

BMR BENDER MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS

www.bendermr.ca
 519-747-1608

CONESTOGA Place
 & Conestoga Food Services Ltd.

Delicious Food
 Excellent Service
 Guaranteed Satisfaction

Catering for all occasions for over 35 years.
 Let us serve you today! 519-578-1030

S M
 SUPERIOR MEATWORKS Since 1924

528 Victoria St. N., beside Weston's Bakery
 519-745-6136

Shopping Locally Saves Gas!

GRAHAM A. GIDDY
 FUNERAL HOMES LTD.
 www.grahamgiddyfh.com

617 KING ST. N. WATERLOO
 519-888-7700

our family serving your family since 1982

Funeral Directors
 Graham Giddy (parishioner)
 Patrick Schlitt

MCC THRIFT ON KENT

50 Kent Ave, Kitchener 519.886.6226

The art of thrift. Good for the wallet & great for the planet.
 Shopping for our future.

CARIMEX
 Full Service & Tire Center

150 cars to choose
 E-Tested & Certified

170 Weber St. S., 519-342-2613
 www.carimex.ca

Domino's B.O.G.O.

Buy One Pizza at Regular Menu Price and receive the second of equal or lesser value free.

Mention Code: **PARISH**

65 University Ave. E. 519-888-9749
 450 Columbia St. W. 519-747-7300

617 KING ST. N. WATERLOO
 519-888-7700

our family serving your family since 1982

Funeral Directors
 Graham Giddy (parishioner)
 Patrick Schlitt

Court at Laurelwood
 Retirement Residence

Waterloo's Best Kept Secret.
 Exclusively independent retirement living.
 Call today 519.725.2442.

Complimentary lunch & private tour. 605 Laurelwood Drive

ERBSVILLE ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS INC.

Residential • Commercial • Industrial
 519-746-2022

REITZEL HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING

665 Superior Drive, Waterloo, Ont N2V 2C8 519-884-3510

- Commercial • Radiant Heaters
- Industrial • Gas Furnaces
- Residential • Air Conditioning

Waterloo FAMILY DENTAL

Dr. Ante Granic

445 Beechwood Place
 519-885-0930
 info@waterloofamilydental.ca

The comfort and convenience of one location.

At your time of need or when planning ahead, call 519-648-2888

Memory Gardens
 Funeral Home & Cemetery
 by Arbor Memorial

2723 Victoria Street N., Breslau, ON
 memorycemetery.ca

Arbor Memorial Inc.

THE PERFECT SPOT TO ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS!

TO ADVERTISE IN THIS SPACE PLEASE CALL 1-800-268-2637

It's **WISE** to ADVERTISE!

Since 1946

ERB & GOOD
 FAMILY FUNERAL HOME

Proud to be Family Owned & Independently Operated

171 King St. S. Waterloo
 519.745.8445
 www.erbgood.com

HOMESTYLE DINER

Purchase 1 dinner \$15 or greater get 2nd dinner 50% off
 Valid Mon, Tues, Wed

Dine in only, expires March 31/21

504 Albert Street
 519-725-5048

Remember...

Let our advertisers know you saw their ad here.

TD Wealth
 Building your financial future – together

I can work with you to create a personalized financial plan designed to help you reach your goals

Scott Hannusch CFP®, FMA
 Senior Financial Planner
 TD Wealth Financial Planning
 4275 King Street E., Suite 120, Kitchener
 519-650-1243 • scott.hannusch@td.com
 financialplanners.tdwaterhouse.ca/scott.hannusch

Contact me today to get started.

RUDY'S CUSTOM UPHOLSTERY

FREE ESTIMATES
 WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED

426 Albert St., Waterloo
 CALL STEVE BRUCE
 519-884-2610

TD Wealth Financial Planning is a division of TD Waterhouse Canada Inc., a subsidiary of The Toronto-Dominion Bank. TD Waterhouse Canada Inc. - Member of the Canadian Investor Protection Fund. *The TD logo and other trade-marks are the property of The Toronto-Dominion Bank.