

St. Michael's Catholic Church

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Thanksgiving

Thanks be to God!

He gives us victory
through Our
Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Corinthians 15:57



TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



October 10 - 14, 2017

Tuesday

6:30pm Rosary
7:00pm +Magdalena Schroth – *The Schroth Family*
 +Leslie Zahorchak – *Glenn & Rosanna Davis*
 +William Arnold – *Estate*
 +Shirley Navaratnarajah – *The Gomez Family*

Wednesday

12:15pm +June Walter – *Jerry & Joanne Berlette*

Thursday

12:15pm +Daya Arsaculratne – *Angela Madappuli*
7:30pm Adoration

Friday

8:00am +Gail Meadows – *Eleanor Horrigan*

Saturday

5:00pm +Joe Jordan – *Lou & Family*
 +Rienzi Crusz – *Ken & Lynda Adams*

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 25.6-10a Philippians 4.12-14, 19-20 Matthew 22.1-14



PARISH NEWS

Sunday Offerings

October 1 – \$6,767.80 PAG – \$635.00



Join us at the main entrance after the 9:00 & 11:00am masses for hot apple cider and cookies. If the weather doesn't cooperate, we'll be in the Parish Centre. If you need assistance with the elevator, please ask.



First
Reconciliation

First Reconciliation Meeting

There will be a meeting for students in Grade 2 who intend on making their First Reconciliation this year. The meeting will take place on Thursday, October 19th at 6:00pm in the Church. Students, parents, and their teachers are asked to attend.

Sponsors – They say it takes a village to raise a child. In the same way it takes a parish community to welcome/initiate new Catholics. This year we have a larger group in RCIA and need parish sponsors (adult Catholics who have received the Sacraments of Initiation. Sponsors attend the weekly sessions with the candidates on Wednesday evenings from mid-October to early April. It is a good way to update your own understanding of the Catholic Faith and Traditions. If you feel called to this ministry please contact the parish office as soon as possible.



Listen for the voice of God. Are you being called to be a priest, deacon or religious? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation at 905-528-7988 or email mking@hamiltondiocese.com

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, October 14

5:00pm: Katie Kuepfer, Alex Winter, Gabriel Pregelj

Sunday, October 15

9:00am: Clara Thompson, Mark Pawliszyn, Don Klein

11:00am: Anson Chan, Joel & Ryan Jobby

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Saturday, October 14

5:00pm: * Shari Guinta

1 Brenda Richey-Van Bakel 2 Gerry Kraemer

Sunday, October 15

9:00am: * Katherine Bergman

1 Suzanne Johnson 2 Judy Shulist

11:00am: * Ralph Stacey

1 Fidelia Otokhina 2 Herli Liem

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

Saturday, October 14

5:00pm: Tracey Kuepfer, Mike Lahn,
John Miller, Alicia Smith

Sunday, October 15

9:00am: Doug & Yvonne Rickert,
Betty Lou Borho, Michelle Borho-Harris

11:00am: Theresa Leung, Denise McClanahan,
Magnell Robinson, Jeanette Rousseau,
Kathy Shaw, Gerdy Frantzke



Prayer Shawl Ministry Meeting

Members of this ministry knit or crochet Prayer Shawls for those who are experiencing difficult times and Baptismal Blankets for each baby baptized at St. Michael's. Patterns are as simple or as complicated as you wish or need. Please join us Wednesday, October 11th from 1-3pm in the St. Kateri Room.

We also have members who are unable to attend our meetings but wish to participate in this ministry.

For more information please contact the Parish Office.



Grief Support Group

St. Michael's is offering a 6 week grief support program to assist people after the death of a loved one or a significant loss. The group will meet every Thursday from October 12th - November 16th. This is our second program offering this year. The program will follow the process developed by Dr. Bill Webster, an experienced leader in grief counseling. The sessions will be held either from 3:30-5:00pm or 7:00-8:30pm. There is no fee but you must register. When registering please indicate if either time will work for you, and if not, the time that does work. We will do our best to accommodate everyone's availability. To register or for more information please contact the parish office.

Thinking about Separation or Divorce? – Is your marriage or that of a relative or friend heading for divorce? Retrouvaille is designed to help marriages regain their health. The Retrouvaille program is highly successful in saving marriages. For confidential information about, or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on November 3rd please call 905-664-5212 or email: hamiltonretrouvaille@cogeco.ca or visit the web site at www.retrouvaille.org



The 2017 St. Michael's Spaghetti Supper will take place on **Sunday, October 29th**. Enjoy spaghetti with sauce (prepared by **Ennio's Pasta House**), salad, beverage and ice cream for only \$20/adult,

SUNDAY October 29th
St. Michael's Parish Centre

5:00 p.m.

\$15/youth (age 6-12) and free for children 5 and under. There are door prizes and a very friendly atmosphere. Tickets will be available

at all weekend masses on

October 14th and October 21st. All proceeds will be donated to our Parking Lot Fund and Refugee Fund. If you would like to volunteer or need more information please call Gai Brown 519-886-4259 or email magu2u@hotmail.com. **Donations of DOOR PRIZES would be greatly appreciated** and can be placed in the bin at the back of the church.



The Child Sponsorship program for the children in the Notre Dame Children Outreach program is entering its fifth year. Initiated in 2013, currently about 120 children are benefiting from the generosity of parishioners and friends of St. Michael's parish and St. Jerome's University Community. Members of the St. Michael's Africa Project Committee will be at all the masses on October 28-29 to answer your questions and to handle renewals as well as new sponsorships. Please consider becoming part of this very worthwhile program. Because the children attend a variety of schools (local, boarding, elementary, secondary, trade, university) the cost of sponsorship can vary but begins at about \$400. Partial scholarships are also available. The monies pay for school fees, uniforms, books and other supplies, health care and sometimes are needed for food security programs. More information is available on the St. Michael's website or by calling Diane at 519-616-2227.



On Tuesday October 17th at 7:30pm (after the 7:00pm mass) please join the Social Justice Committee in the Parish Centre as we welcome

Nur Hasim as guest speaker. Nur Hasim and his family came to Canada as a government-sponsored Rohingya refugee 11 years ago after living in a refugee camp in Bangladesh for about 15 years. Nur is part of a local organization called the "Canadian Burmese Rohingya Organization". He will be providing some perspective on the current situation in Myanmar and Bangladesh - why the Rohingya are being persecuted and forced to flee their country, what life is like in the refugee camps etc. Nur's sister and her family are the next refugee family being sponsored by St. Michael's Refugee Fund.

EXTRA! EXTRA!
READ ALL ABOUT IT!

"Tearing Up the Asphalt"
Fashion Show Fundraiser
Huge Success

Thanks to all who purchased tickets and came out for a fun evening. None of this would have been possible without the willingness of our **VERY** brave models. Thank you to *Tweed & Hickory, Moores Clothing for Men* and *Jewelry Secrets* for allowing us to model their clothes and jewelry. Please consider patronizing these businesses next time you're out shopping. \$3,400.00 was raised.



The Catholic Woman's League will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday, October 10th following 7:00PM Mass. Anne Jamieson, Director, Catechesis Office from the Diocese will speak on the Spiritual and Corporal Gifts of The Holy Spirit. All parish members are invited to attend.

October 10th Day of Spirituality

Please join CWL members in recitation of the rosary prior to Mass. The rosary will also be recited prior to Mass on October 11th, 12th & 13th. Please join us.



Prayers for Students: All parishioners are asked to join us in reciting a decade of the rosary each day in October for students' guidance, safety and success in their studies.



WHY@Breakfast

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SAINT PAUL and Our Lives Today

on **Saturday, October 21st**

at **Our Lady Of Lourdes Church**

Our speaker **Dr. Tim Hegedus** has an academic focus on the relationship between early Christianity and other religions, and he taught New Testament at Wilfrid Laurier University for many years. Volume 7 *Letters & Revelation of The St. John's Bible* will also be on display during the event. See how the letters of St. Paul come to life by the artistry of an international team of calligraphers and artists! **The presentation begins at 9:30 AM and will end at 11 AM.** Doors open at 9 AM. Light breakfast available. Interested? Please call OLOL parish office 519-886-0342 or leave a note at whyatbreakfast@gmail.com

On the same day, at **2:30 PM**, The Most Rev. Bishop Crosby and ELCIC Bishop Rev. Dr. Michael Pryse will jointly preside at a **service commemorating the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation** at **St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Kitchener.**

Join us at these events! Both the Catholic Church and the Lutheran Church are heeding to St. Paul's precious words on *"One Lord, One Faith, One Baptism."*

Heavenly Creator,
In this season of gratitude and abundance,
we give You thanks for our many blessings
as we pray for all who struggle with hunger and want.
Be with them in the dark of night, when all hope seems lost.
Keep their faith strong as they await relief.
Let Your goodness flow through our hearts and hands
as we reach out to one another in the full, true joy of
Thanksgiving in Christ. Amen.

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