

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

MON	Morning Prayer.....8:00 a.m.
TUE	Mass.....7:00 p.m.
WED	Mass.....12:15 p.m.
THUR	Mass.....8:00 a.m.
FRI	Mass.....8:00 a.m.
TUE	Reconciliation.....6:15 p.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)



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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 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 STUDENTS AND STAFF • St. Michael's Parish welcomes students to participate in the liturgical and pastoral life of the parish. Each Sunday evening during the university academic year, we provide a parish Mass at 7:00 p.m. that focuses on the pastoral needs of students and staff of the universities and colleges in our community.

SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION • For more information about preparation and dates please visit our website or contact the parish office.

MARRIAGE • Couples intending to be married are asked to fill out the application form available at stmichaelw.ca/sacraments. 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 • The Parish Nurse and 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 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.

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MASS INTENTIONS September 9 - 13, 2014

Tuesday

7:00pm +Mariyanayaki Joseph – *Antony Joseph & Family*
+Lucie Lindsay – *Georgette Vejvoda*

Wednesday

12:15pm +Hubert Dietrich – *Rose & Family*

Thursday

8:00am +Rory McPhail – *The Guacci Family*

Friday

8:00am +Arleen Gorman – *Estate*

Saturday

5:00pm +Bernard Adlys – *Sonia & Family*
+Clara Mason – *The Family*
+Allan Edlund – *Charlotte Wilson*

Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Numbers 21.4-9
Philippians 2.6-11
John 3.13-17



PARISH NEWS

Sunday Offering

August 9 & 10 – \$6,133.00
August 16 & 17 – \$11,251.00
August 23 & 24 – \$5,756.00
August 30 & 31 – \$6,472.00

INFORMATION MEETING FOR ALL

PARISH VOLUNTEERS: Parish Volunteers (*Mass Coordinators, Ministers of the Word, Ministers of Communion, Ushers, Folk Choir, Traditional Choir, Cantors, Altar Server Coordinator, Altar Society, Decorating Committee, Children's Liturgy of the Word, Funeral Servers, Friendly Visitors, Quilters, Prayer Shawl Ministry, CWL, Social Committee, Small Faith Sharing, RCIA, Baptism, First Communion, Reconciliation & Confirmation Preparation, SVDP, Africa, Social Justice and Property Committees*) are requested to attend a meeting on Tuesday, September 23rd at 7:30pm in the church. Some of the topics to be discussed will be parking and facility safety among others. Your attendance would be most appreciated.



Sunday Sundae
Please join us for a sundae
next weekend after all Masses
at the University Ave. entrance!



Blood pressure clinic on September 21st after
the 9:00am mass.

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, September 13

5:00 pm: Alex & Max Winter,
Katie Kuepfer, Reney Puthran

Sunday, September 14

9:00 am: Jasmine Billote, Nonso Moneme, Cara Andersen
11:00 am: Emily & Olivia Horvat,
Samantha & Hailey Terpstra

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Saturday, September 13

5:00 pm: * Linus Wan
1 Greg Smith 2 Mark Spanjers

Sunday, September 14

9:00 am: * Marta Mandich
1 Marty Bell 2 Teresa Palmer
11:00 am: * Kishanie Jayasundera
1 Justine Kraemer 2 Herli Liem
7:00 pm: * Julia Natanek

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

Saturday, September 13

5:00 pm: Gabrielle Smith, Alicia Smith,
George Farrell, Angela Tiedemann

Sunday, September 14

9:00 am: Betty Lou Borho, Laura Haffner,
Tony & Pam De Leo
11:00 am: Robert & Jean Balahura,
Julie Dreisinger, Bruce Fleming,
Gerdy Frantzke, Dorothy Krauskopf
7:00 pm: Magnell Robinson, Veronica Zarin

REMINDER: All items for posting on parish bulletin boards are to be brought to the Parish Office during office hours for approval. All items posted are to be removed by parish staff only.

Requests for Pastoral References or Letters of Permission:

In order for us to complete these documents, it is absolutely essential that you are a registered member of St. Michael's Parish. Parish registration forms are available online at www.stmichaelw.ca or at the entrances to the church.

Fr. Con

Next weekend is our first 7:00pm mass of the academic year. There will be a special blessing at all masses.



There is a Prayer Shawl meeting on Wednesday, September 10th at 1:00pm in the Resource Centre. We are always looking for new members. If you know of anyone who would like a prayer shawl, please contact the Parish Office.

Join our **St. Michael's Monday Mornings Gathering**, as we come to share and reflect on the scriptures and various topics of our faith. The new season starts on Monday, September 15th at 9:30am in the Resource Centre.





**St. Michael's
Catholic Women's League**



Michael's Catholic Women's League invites all members and friends to join us at our first general meeting after the summer break! On **Tuesday, September 9th**, after the 7 pm parish mass, **Adam Desjardins** will speak on *Evangelization among Youths* and share his experience at Impact Victoria 2014 Mission with us. CWL business meeting will follow after the presentation. Come and find out about the many events lined up for the Fall!

September is Mental Health month. Please check out the Parish Nursing Ministry web page for information on addiction. If you or a loved one is suffering from a mental health issue, please contact one of the following numbers:

Distress Line	519-745-1166
Youth Line	519-745-9909
Kids Help Phone Line	1-800-668-6868
Crisis Service of Waterloo Region	519-744-1813



**ARE YOU SEPARATED OR DIVORCED?
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(Learning to Cope) and LEVEL 2**

- (Accepting the Situation) are self-help programs intended to help separated and divorced persons gain a perspective on their divorce. Topics include: the process of divorce, self-image, stress, anger, guilt, loneliness, forgiveness, trust, singleness and children. **Course fee: \$35 (Level 1) and \$45 (Level 2).** The courses are held Tuesday evenings for 11 weeks, starting September 16th from 7pm - 9pm at St. Francis of Assisi (Queen & Westmount. Contact Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or St. Francis Parish 519-745-7301 to register.

CATECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE COURSES

Programs available for children from Kindergarten through to High School not currently receiving religious instruction. Preparation for First Communion and Confirmation for children not in Catholic Schools also available. Families work through the programs at home. Contact the parish office for more information.

St. Clement's Parish, St. Clements is hosting a **HOT HAM SUPPER** on **Sunday, September 14** from 4-7pm at the St. Clements Community Centre. Tickets are adults \$12, children (5-12) \$6 and children (4 & under) are free. For tickets call 519-699-5314 or 519-699-5304.



Our Annual Spaghetti Supper will take place on **Sunday, October 26th** in the Parish Centre. Please add this special event to your social calendar! Further details will follow.

Students: If you are completing your community service hours and are interested in helping out that day, please call Gai Brown at 519-886-4259 / magu2u@outlook.com



The Waterloo Knights of Columbus are pleased to sponsor an art exhibition featuring the works of renowned Canadian sculptor Maurice Gaudeault on September 7th at 145 Dearborn Pl. Waterloo, 519-884-2060 from 10:30am to 3:00pm. Admission is free but a good will offering will be taken up as 100% of the monies received will enable additional displays throughout Ontario. Food, coffee & pop available. Everyone is welcome to join us! See the posters on the bulletin boards for more info.

The Annual "Red Mass" will be celebrated at the Cathedral-Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton on **Tuesday, September 9th at 9:30am.** The St. Thomas More Lawyer's Guild sponsors this annual Mass. The tradition of the Red Mass dates back to the 13th century. The faithful come together to invoke the wisdom of the Holy Spirit upon all those who work in the court system, law enforcement and protective services: we pray for Divine guidance and strength upon them and all that they do for society.

The celebrant of the Mass is Bishop Daniel Miehm, Auxiliary Bishop of Hamilton. Father David Wynen, rector of the Cathedral-Basilica, is the homilist. All are welcome to this great annual tradition of worship and prayer.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS

Join us at St. Mary Our Lady of the Seven Sorrows Parish on **Monday, September 15th** as we celebrate our **Feast Day!** Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament begins at **1:00 pm**, with the **Chaplet of Divine Mercy** at **3 pm** and **Mass** at **7:00pm.** Please refer to the poster on the bulletin board for complete details or check out our website www.stmarysrechurch.ca. Everyone is welcome!

**COME JOIN US TO FIND THE
"KEYS TO LOVING RELATIONSHIPS"**

"Keys" is a ten week program meant for anyone (married, dating or single) who is looking for a more meaningful relationship with a spouse, family member or friend. Learn how to become a better "me" in all your relationships! The program runs Tuesday evenings from 7:00-9:00pm starting September 16th, at St. Mark's Parish 519-571-9200. The cost is \$45. For more information or to register, call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or online <http://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/familyministry/relationship-development.php>

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