## St. Louis Catholic Church

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Web site: www.saintlouisparish.ca

Served by the Congregation of the Resurrection since 1890.



July - August:

Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Closed on Fridays.

#### **September - June:**

Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. & 1 p.m. - 4 p.m., Friday 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday – Friday 9:00 a.m. Rosary: Tuesday to Friday before 9:00 a.m. Mass

**Sunday Masses:** Saturday: 5:00 p.m. **Sunday:** 9:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m.



#### Pastoral Team:

#### **Pastor**

Father Phil Reilly, C.R. preilly@hamiltondiocese.com

#### **Parish Secretary**

Anna Malton

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#### Coordinator of Youth and Children's Ministries

Kelly Krause

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#### Custodian

Michael Ehrlich

Welcome to St. Louis Parish - Whether you are just passing through the area or looking for a spiritual home, we welcome you to St. Louis Catholic Church. We hope you will find our worship environment hospitable and prayerful.

People often attend Mass at a parish for months or years without officially registering. Registration here at St. Louis is an expression of your commitment to being an active member of our community. Parish registration simplifies the process with regard to sponsoring a sacramental candidate; obtaining pastoral references and for preparation of baptisms, weddings and funerals.

Registration is easy and can be completed at the Parish Office during regular office hours. Registration forms are available at the back of the Church.

Parish Records - Our parish records are very important. We try to keep them up to date. Please advise the office of any changes.

Music in the Liturgy - Music plays an integral role in the liturgical life of the parish. Parishioners are invited to join our choirs.

9:30 Choir – Bob Reinhart (robertreinhart182@msn.com), Please contact the choir directors:

11:30 Choir – John Miller (john@johnbmiller.ca),

5:00 Mass – Peter DeSousa (organist) or Youth Music.

Sunday programs for children - During the Sunday morning 9:30 a.m. Mass there is babysitting for children under 3 years of age, Sunday School for 3 to 6 years of age and Children's Liturgy of the Word for children ages 7 and up.

Sacramental Life - St. Louis Parish celebrates the sacraments for its members who are registered and regularly attending. If you are not registered you are automatically a member of a parish closest to you.

**Baptism** - Celebrated once a month. Please speak with a priest after Mass on Sunday.

Sacrament of Reconciliation - Saturdays 4 - 4:30 p.m., or by appointment.

Marriage - For registered and attending members, please contact the parish office at least one year in advance of your date. A marriage preparation course is required.

Becoming Catholic - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, preparing adults for baptism and/or to join the community. Please contact the office for further information.

Anointing and Pastoral Care - Our parish community cares about the sick and elderly and the lonely. Please notify the parish office to arrange for them to receive the Annointing of the Sick, or to have the Holy Communion brought to them.

Pastoral Care to those in Hospital - A family member is asked to contact the parish whenever a parishioner is in hospital and requests a pastoral visit. Privacy-of-Information laws prohibit the parish from obtaining information about parishioners in the hospital.

Sisters of the Poor of Jesus Christ - Convent phone: 519-745-5535 and email: catarinatekakwitha.ocaminho@gmail.com

Priesthood and Religious Life - Is God calling you to religious life, as a Brother, Deacon or Priest? If so, please contact Fr. Toby Collins, C.R., Vocation Director for the Congregation of the Resurrection, at 226-989-1057, cryocations@gmail.com or check www.resurrectionist.ca

#### **Parish Organizations and Contacts:**

**Finance Council** 

Terry Collins, 519-741-1534

**Maintenance Committee** 

Bob Lorentz, 519-576-5556

**Social Committee** 

Cynthia Ehrlich

**Parish Webmaster** 

Daniel Delattre, daniel@uwaterloo.ca

**Altar Servers Coordinator** Dave Pagett, 519-744-7705

Catechesis Of The Good Shepherd, **Youth Ministry** 

Kelly Krause, 519-743-4101

Catholic Women's League Gerri Duque, 519-885-6161

**Knights of Columbus** 

Waterloo Council, 519-884-2060

Ministry to the Elderly & Homebound Cecilia Beechey, 519-572-5435

**Prayer Shawl Ministry** 

Sandra Williams, 519-742-9239

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Sharon Carey, 519-746-8073

St. Vincent De Paul For food hamper or more information call 519-743-4101





#### THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Monday, August 7 - No Mass

Tuesday, August 8 - St. Dominic, Priest

† Krystyna Kowalska – Malton Family 9:00 am

Wednesday. August 9

9:00 am Intentions of Wendy Ayoung-Che – Amanda

Ayoung-Che

#### Thursday, August 10 - St. Lawrence, Deacon,

Martyr

9:00 am † Joyce MacCallum – Veronica Zettel

Friday, August 11 - St. Clare, Virgin

9:00 am Deceased Members of the Congregation of the

Resurrection

Saturday, August 12 Vigil of the 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm † Max Reitzel – Audrey Reitzel & Family

† John & Vita Barnes – Pat & Joan Forde

† Albert Ruetz – Katie Ruetz & Family Intentions of Mark & Maria Wheeler - Teresa & Alex

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Sunday, August 13 - 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am † Bill Smith – Mary & Geraldine Smith

† Rosella Yax – Lisa Hinschberger & Mary Sehl

† Hugh Morrison – Fioravanti Family

† Barbara Reinhart – Ed & Trudy Allensen

11:30 am People of St. Louis Parish

#### Monday, August 14 - St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest, Martvr

#### Tuesday, August 15 - The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 am † Joyce MacCallum – Joan Sichewski

Wednesday, August 16

9:00 am † Daniel Caron – Claire Armitage

Thursday, August 17

9:00 am † Doris Toussaint – Richard & Claire Armitage

Friday, August 18

9:00 am † Joyce MacCallum – Jackie Anstett

Saturday, August 19

### Vigil of the 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm † Edna Ertel – Phyllis & Larry Ertel

† Sr. Margaret Mary Forde & Sean McNamara –

Pat & Joan Forde

† Audrey Moser – Moser Family For intentions of Nancy & Jean Ratelle – Kirby Family

#### Sunday, August 20 – 20th Sunday in **Ordinary Time**

9:30 am † Shirley Hinsperger – Hinsperger

Family

† David Kirby – Kirby Family

† Edna Gies – Hinsperger Family

† Kasem, Johnny & Khampheng Xaysy – Xaysy Family

11:30 am People of St. Louis Parish

Mass	Readers E	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	
Sat. Aug 12	1. Jennifer McDonald	1. Joan Sichewski	
5 pm	2. Fran Ruetz	2. Christiane Martin	
	C. Debbie Delattre	3. Guy Tremblay	
Sun. Aug 13	1. Annette Hulme	1. Ed Ruppe	
9:30 am	2. Barry Hischberger	2. Cecilia Beechey	
	C. Linda Wanka	3. Frank Hulme	
Sun. Aug 13	1. Rachael Ward	1. Donna Herbstreit	
11:30 am	2. Simon Blanchard	2. Al Kehn	
	C. Lois Peterson	3. Jeff Dinner	

Sat. Aug 19	1.Laura Shoemaker	1. Christiane Martin	
5 pm	2. Bea Lajeunesse	2. Marilyn Foster	
	C. Maureen O'Grady	3. Grant Ertel	
Sun. Aug 20	1. Mary Smith	1. Justine Krause	
9:30 am	2. Terry Collins	2. Joanne Bond	
	C. Benita Ann Gallina	3. John Klein	
Sun. Aug 20	1. Deb Zettel-Schmitt	1. Terry Sullivan	
11:30 am	2. Michael Schmitt	2. Donna Herbstreit	
	C. Kelly Krause	3. Patti Walsh	

"The Word of God is a dynamic and creative expression of the divine will, at work every moment and in every place. It is not confined to the borders of the Church, nor can it be controlled by human beings. Its work is healing, guiding, inspiring and drawing all humanity back to its divine source."

> By Fr. Scott Lewis S.J. from Catholic Register ssued on July 2-9, 2017, page 15.

#### A FAVOURITE RECIPE

Take a CUP of KINDNESS, Mix it well with LOVE. Add a lot of Patience And FAITH in GOD ABOVE, Sprinkle very generously With JOY and THANKS and CHEER-And You'll have lots of "ANGEL FOOD" To feast on all the year.

- Helen Steiner Rice







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#### **UPCOMING EVENTS AT ST. LOUIS PARISH:**

- September 9 & 10 Program and Volunteer Fair after every Mass with refreshments after 5:00 pm, 9:30 am Masses and hot dogs after 11:30 am Mass.
- Saturday, September 30 CWL Spaghetti Dinner 6 to 8 pm at St. Louis Gym. Tickets will go on sale at the Program and Volunteer Fair.

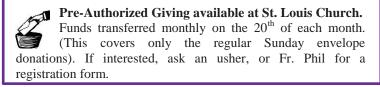
Entering grade 7 in September? St. Louis Confirmation Preparation classes will be on Wednesday nights 7 -8:30 pm beginning on September 20<sup>th</sup>. Confirmation will take place on November 19<sup>th</sup>. For more information contact Kelly Krause at the parish office.

#### **July Collections:**

Date	Sunday Env.	Maintenance	Loose
July 2	\$3,848.00	\$0.00	\$269.25
July 9	\$3,648.97	\$125.00	\$366.95
July 16	\$2,920.20	\$1,097.00	\$435.70
July 23	\$3,758.75	\$105.00	\$292.40
July 30	\$3,493.25	\$65.00	\$360.00

Preauthorized donations for July: \$ 6999.33

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## SOME LIGHTHOUSE MEDIA CDS TO CONSIDER (AVAILABLE AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH):



The Dead Sea Scrolls by Dr. John Bergsma - Dr. John Bergsma is an Associate Professor of Theology at Franciscan University of Steubenville, and was a Protestant pastor for four years before converting to the Catholic Church. In this enlightening talk, Dr. Bergsma

shows how our respect for the traditional canon of Scripture, as well as our understanding of the Catholic Faith, can be greatly enhanced by the Dead Sea Scrolls- the greatest archaeological discovery of all time. Amazing new insights into scripture, revealed by the discovery of scrolls hidden for centuries in a desert cave. It confirmed the accuracy of the transmission of the Bible over time.



**Fan or Follower** by Jeff Cavins - In this talk, Jeff Cavins shares how he has come to see that Jesus wants us to surrender every bit of our own comfort to follow Him. There are many fans of Jesus in this world, but we are called to be His

disciples. As a young adult, Jeff left the Catholic Church and became a Protestant Pastor for 12 years. After returning to the Catholic Church, he became a nationally known speaker who has helped thousands come to a clearer understanding of Scripture and our Faith.

#### UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE AREA:

- Saturday, September 9 **Grandparent's workshop** in Guelph
- Sunday, September 10 **Annual pilgrimage** to St. Agatha
- Friday, September 20 Carmel of St. Joseph card party at St. Anthony Daniel's Parish in Kitchener
- Saturday, September 23 Symposium for the Families
   for more information read further on.

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.

Please attend Symposium for Families on September 23<sup>rd</sup>, beginning with Bishop Crosby saying Mass at 9:30 am and ending at 4 pm.

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 (X 2250) or Wendy (X 2241).

Fostering Faith IN and THROUGH Grandparents - Celebration of the Faith of Grandparents in time for National Grandparents Day at Basilica of Our Lady Parish in Guelph (28 Norfolk St.) on Sat., Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 am - 12:30 pm. Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated at 9:30 am followed by light refreshments. Then sit back and enjoy two reflections from David Dayler and Anne Jamieson on the importance of our faith lives for our own sake and for the good of generations to come! There is no charge for this event. Your RSVP allows us to plan for the hospitality but walk-ins the day of are most welcome. Please note that we will have faith resources for sale at the event. Register by contacting Monica at 905-528-7988 X 2238, or at myerin@hamiltondiocese.com.

St. Teresa of Avila CWL 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Walking Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Sorrowful Mother, St Agatha on September 10<sup>th</sup>. Gather at the BMO Plaza: first right past the Erb St. & Ira Needles Blvd. round-a-bout. Park in the BMO parking lot behind the bank. Pilgrimage begins at 12:30 pm. We walk to St. Agatha Church for a break followed by refreshments after Mass. At Chapel Shrine: Seven Sorrows Rosary at 2:45 pm led by St Teresa CWL Members followed by Mass at 3 pm. Celebrant: Rev. Raymond Peter. It is a 5 km. walk one way only. We receive a ride back by anyone who wants to participate in the Mass only. Open to Men, Ladies and Youth of all Parishes. Seven Sorrows Rosaries and Prayer cards for sale. Call 519-744-8330 for information.

"This is my Son, the Beloved…listen to him!" If you are discerning God's call for the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988, email <a href="mailto:mking@hamiltondiocese.com">mking@hamiltondiocese.com</a>.



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