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**Sunday Masses:** Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m.

## Vietnamese Community:

Sunday Mass: 3:00 p.m.

## **Weekday Masses:**

Tuesday - Friday 9:00 a.m.

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

# Pastoral Team:

**Pastor** 

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## **Parish Secretary**

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### **Welcome new members**

We would like to invite you to register. Registration forms can be found in the narthex (lobby). Please call the parish if you would like your home to be blessed.

**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. Please contact the choir directors:

9:30 Choir - Bob Reinhart (robertreinhart182@msn.com),

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

Youth Choir - Donna McLellan (dlmshanley@golden.net).

Peter DeSousa provides music for the 5 p.m. Mass (peterdesousa730@gmail.com)

## Sunday programs for children

During the Sunday morning Masses 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

Church policy requires that the Sacraments be performed in the parish located closest to you geographically – unless you are registered and regularly attend elsewhere. At St. Louis, the sacraments of initiation are available to registered and regularly attending parishioners only.

**Baptism:** Celebrated once a month. Please contact the parish office for more information.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Tuesdays - Fridays before the morning Mass, Saturdays 4 - 4:30 p.m., or by appointment.

**Marriage:** Please contact the parish office at least one year in advance of your date. A marriage preparation course is required.

**R.C.I.A:** 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 Sacrament of Reconciliation, Holy Communion, or Sacrament of the Sick.

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

**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 or cryocations@gmail.com.



## **PENTECOST SUNDAY**

### **Mass Intentions**

Tuesday, May 21

9:00am † Helen Recchia – S.B.Tkachuck

Wednesday, May 22

9:00am † † Stella & John Miskiewicz

Thursday, May 23

9:00 am Deceased members of the Congregation of the Resurrection

Friday, May 24

9:00 am † Beatrice Boutette - Fabian & Myrna LaPierre

Saturday, May 25

9:30 am

Sunday liturgy – The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

5:00 pm People of St. Louis

Sunday, May 26 - The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

† Khampeng, † Kasem, † Johnny Xaysy –

Xaysy Family

For Intentions of Loretta Fichter – Noella

Johnson † Clarence Anstett – Jackie Anstett

† Jim Tompkins - Alex & Joan Sichewski

11:30 am † Gerald Achtenberg – Mary Wilberforce

† Barbara Adamska – Malton Family

3:00 pm Vietnamese Mass

Upcoming Events

Tuesday, May 21

1:00 pm Bible Study (8<sup>th</sup> of 8 sessions) Notre Dame Hall

Wednesday, May 22

6:30 pm Youth Choir Practice Church 7:30 pm 11:30 Choir Practice Church

Thursday, May 23

9:30 am Small Christian

Community Notre Dame Hall

1:00 pm Catechesis of the

Good Shepherd Level 1 Convent –Atrium

7:30 pm 9:30 Choir Practice Church

Friday, May 24

7:00 pm Youth Group Convent

Fr. Chris Buda's request from his religious superior to be released from his duties as pastor of St. Louis Parish due to ill health has been accepted. Bishop Crosby has approved the appointment of Resurrectionist priest Sutherland (Sudie) MacDonald as Administrator effective June 1<sup>st</sup>. Until Fr. Sudie arrives, Fr. Ray Reitzel will serve as the Acting Administrator for the month of May. Fr. Phil Reilly will minister at St. Louis Parish as the Associate Pastor effective June 26<sup>th</sup>. Please remember Fr. Chris in your prayers.

Mass	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Saturday May 25, 5:00 pm	1 Stephen Filipowicz	1 Leone Malleck
	2 Jim Walsh	2 Rosemary Thorpe
	C Kelly Krause	3 Gerard Thorpe
Sunday May 26, 9:30 am	1 Linda Wanka	1 Annette Hulme
	2 Barry Hinschberger	2 Ed Ruppe
	C John Klein	3 Frank Hulme
Sunday May 26, 11:30	n 1 Dana Woito	1 Rory Ferrier
	2 Graeme Beaton	2 Natalie Ferrier
	C Carolyn Beaton	3 Theresa Hause

## Mission Statement

St. Louis Parish is a welcoming and caring Roman Catholic community. We reflect the presence of the Risen Christ among us, as we grow together in Faith, Hope and Love.

On Pentecost: The seven gifts of the Holy Spirit

**Wisdom**: the capacity to love spiritual things more than material ones:

**Understanding**: a comprehension of how we need to live as followers of Christ. A person with understanding is not confused by the conflicting messages in our culture about the right way to live.

**Counsel (right judgment)**: knowing the difference between right and wrong, and choosing to do what is right. A person with right judgment avoids sin and lives out the values taught by Jesus.

Fortitude (courage): overcoming our fear and willingness to take risks as a follower of Jesus Christ. A person with

courage is willing to stand up for what is right in the sight of God and to take risks as a follower of Jesus Christ, even if it means accepting rejection, verbal abuse, or physical harm.

**Knowledge**: understanding the meaning of God. The gift of knowledge is more than an accumulation of facts;

**Piety (reverence)**: having a deep sense of respect for God and the Church. A person with reverence recognizes our total reliance on God and comes before God with humility, trust, and love.

**Fear of the Lord (wonder and awe)**: being aware of the glory and majesty of God. A person with wonder and awe knows that God is the perfection of all we desire: perfect knowledge, perfect goodness, power, and love.

Vacation Bible School Camp: the theme this year is "Jesus Be Our Guide" Aug 12-16, 2013

World Day of Prayer for the

Church in China – May 24

In May 2007, Pope Benedict

XVI asked that May 24th be

observed as a Day of Prayer of

the Church in China. He chose

this day since it is the traditional

feast of Our Lady of Help of

Christians, who is venerated at

the Shrine of Sheshan in

Shanghai.

VBS CAMP is in need of more volunteers, especially teen helpers. This past Monday, May 13, we had our first planning session for our 2013 VBS camp. At this present time, we do not have enough adults or teen volunteers to run the camp. The dates for the camp are Monday, August 12-16. Volunteers would need to be available from 8:15am-12:30pm on those days. The week is a lot of fun for the kids and very spiritually beneficial for all leaders that get If your schedule will allow, please consider strongly joining our team and making this camp a success for all who attend. For more information or to join the team, please contact Kelly Krause at the parish office.

THANK YOU to all those who attended the Family Potluck Brunch. It was a success! Thank you to those who donated the beautiful cakes and to all the volunteers who helped with this event. The money raised from the cake raffle will go to the needs of the parish.

All Our Children: Exploring the Church's Ministry to Young People Who are Gay - The Diocese of Hamilton invites parents and adults to a workshop designed to explore what the church has to say about homosexuality, what are the myths and what does pastoral care to our gay youth look like. Presenters: Fr. Con O'Mahony (Vicar for Education), Teresa Hartnett (Director, Family Ministry), Marianna Worth (Chaplain, School Board), Catholic Waterloo Christina Walton (Marriage and Family Counselor).

Two locations and times to choose from: 1. Wed. May 22: 7:00 - 9:00 pm, St. Mary's, Mount Forest 2. Thu. May 23: 7:00 - 9:00 pm, The Nicholas Mancini Center (44 Hunt St., Hamilton) For information call Teresa Hartnett: 905-528-7988 x 2250.

Ecumenical Prayer Shawl Ministry Gathering and Reflection - Tuesday, May 21, 1-3:00 pm (doors open at 12:30) for all who are involved in prayer shawl ministry or would like to learn about it. Hosted by St. Michael and St. Louis Prayer Shawl Ministries.at St. Michael Church, corner of Hemlock and University Avenue, Waterloo. Bring your shawls, patterns and resources to share. Free, but must register by 1 week prior by contacting Wendy Cole (519) 496-5052 or wcole@rogers.com

You are invited by the Sodality of St. Edmund, King and Martyr to the sung "Anglican Use" Mass with St. Mary's Choir on Wed. May 29th at 7pm at St. Mary's Church in Kitchener. It will be celebrated by Monsignor Steenson, Ordinary for Canada and USA. Wine and Cheese reception will follow.

Journeying Through the Mysteries of Our Faith - an evening with Dr. Lombardi Thursday May 23 at 6:30 - 8 pm St. Mary's Catholic High School in Alumni Hall - 1500 Block Line Road, Kitchener.

Ecumenical Prayer Service with Taizé songs Sunday, May 26 at 7:30pm. Hosted by St. Michael Catholic Church, University Ave. at 240 Hemlock St., Waterloo.

Fr. Graham Keep will speak on "Collaboration of Faith, Family and Friends in Today's Electronic World" on Monday, May 27th 7-9pm at St. Anne's Parish (268 East Ave, Kitchener). Donation will be collected for charity. More information: peter.penlington@gmail.com Sponsored by Kitchener Knights of Columbus.

Vatican International Exhibition of Eucharistic Miracles of the World. This Exhibit will be at Blessed Sacrament Church, Kitchener, from May 31-June 3. Exhibit times: May 31: 10am-4pm; June 1:10 am-9 pm; June 2: 1 pm - 9 pm; June 3: 10 am - 4pm. The Vatican Int. Exhibition of the

Miracles of the Eucharist consists of 146 posters documenting Miracles related to the Eucharist. The verified accounts date from as early as the 3rd century, the latest in 2001. Free Admission.

Wanted: Articles for the annual Waterloo Knights of Columbus Yard Sale, taking place, June 1 and June 2, 2013. Call 519-884-2060 for pick up, or deliver to the K of C hall in Waterloo. (145 Dearborn Place)

Pilgrimage Without Passport - A pilgrimage to the Shrines of Quebec including Cap-de-la-Madeleine, Ste. Anne De Beaupre and the Shrines of the Sacred Heart and Our Lady of Lourdes. Leaving Monday, August 12

and returning Saturday, August 17. Contact Lois at 519-

880-8732 for additional information. The Priests in Concert at Hamilton Place. In celebration of The Year of Faith, The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton is proud to present The Priests in Concert on Wed., Nov 23, 2013, at 7:30 pm at Hamilton Place Theatre, Hamilton. A trio of Irish Roman Catholic clergy. The Priests have played to sold-out audiences in major cities around the world since their debut in 2008. Tickets will be on sale beginning May 10, and are available

Collection: May 11th and 12th, 2013

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