

# St. Louis Roman Catholic Church

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**Office hours: Monday – Thursday 9 - 12 and 1- 4, Friday 9 - 12**

## **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:**

### **Interim Administrator**

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### **Parish Secretary**

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

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## **Organizational Life:**

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Bob Lorentz, 519-576-5556

### **Catholic Women's League**

Connie Heimpel, 519-742-3183

### **Out Of The Cold**

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For more information call 519-743-4101

### **Altar Servers Coordinator**

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Kelly Krause, 519-743-4101

### **Ministry to the Elderly & Homebound**

Cecilia Beechey, 519-572-5435

### **Prayer Shawl Ministry**

Sandra Williams, 519-742-9239

### **Parish Webmaster**

Daniel Delattre, daniel@uwaterloo.ca

## **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 (dlmshaney@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 crvocations@gmail.com.



## TRINITY SUNDAY

### Mass Intentions

#### Tuesday, May 28

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

#### Wednesday, May 29

9:00am † Alex Sichewski – St. Louis Parish Staff

#### Thursday, May 30

9:00 am † John & † Marjorie Roth – David Roth

#### Friday, May 31

9:00 am † Rita & † Marcella Helm – estate

#### Saturday, June 1

3:00 pm Wedding of Marcel Labonte & Ana Hernandez

#### Sunday liturgy – The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

5:00 pm † Dominic Cardillo – Kelly Family

† Claude Freiburger – Loreen & Family

† Eugene & † Beatrice August – Malton Family

† Madeline Cullen – Glen & Mary Lou Reiner

#### Sunday, June 2 – The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

9:30 am † Estelle Lesage -Catherine Duval-Russell

† Rose, † George & † Don Williams – Williams Family

† Doreen Hurley – Harold Hurley

11:30 am People of St. Louis

3:00 pm Vietnamese Mass

### Upcoming Events

#### Tuesday, May 28

1:00 pm Prayer Shawl Meeting

Notre Dame Hall

7:00 pm CWL Executive Meeting

Notre Dame Hall

#### Wednesday, May 29

6:30 pm Youth Choir Practice

Church

7:30 pm 11:30 Choir Practice

Church

#### Thursday, May 30

9:30 am Small Christian

Community

Notre Dame Hall

7:30 pm 9:30 Choir Practice

Church

#### Friday, May 31

7:00 pm Youth Group

Convent

*St. Louis Parish is grateful to the Nincompoop company for a discount on mulch purchased and used during our Church Yard cleanup.*



<i>Mass</i>	<i>Readers</i>	<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i>
Saturday June 1, 5:00 pm	1 Kathie Mulhall 2 Stephen Mulhall <u>C Sharon Carey</u>	1 Guy Tremblay 2 Trudy Allensen <u>3 Shirley Ellert</u>
Sunday June 2, 9:30 am	1 Terry Collins 2 Betty Gross <u>C Mary Smith</u>	1 Mary Sehl 2 Jack Sehl <u>3 Keith Schnarr</u>
Sunday June 2, 11:30 am	1 Tom Bishop 2 Christopher Bishop C Marg Dooley	1 Terry Sullivan 2 Aurora DiPasquale 3 Derek Elsworthy

**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.*

### *For the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity:*

Today we rejoice in the revelation of the Holy Trinity. It is upon this reality that Christianity is built. One of the most radical revelations of Jesus is that God is in Himself community, that we are made in God's image and likeness, and that in Christ we are to become like God. God is Three Persons, a community of Persons that exists in love. That is the inner nature of God, that is the life of heaven, and that is what we are called to live here on earth.

It is interesting to note that in the Book of Genesis we find God saying: "Let us make man in our image..." We are called into existence, to be in and to live in a relational existence. We discover our selves, we find the meaning of life, and we know who we are when we see and understand our selves in the eyes of those who know us, who love us, and who relate to us. It is for this that we praise and thank God in the Preface of today's Mass. We give Him thanks always and everywhere because He is more than solitary.

We praise God because He is a union of Persons who are absolutely in love and in total union with each other. What a blessing that is for you... a blessing because if you lived just with your self and for your self life would be horrible.

This belief in the Holy Trinity rests upon Christ's life and is found in His continual references to His Father in heaven and to the Spirit of God. Belief in the Holy Trinity does not come to us from the thoughts of men, nor is it a construct produced from deep within the psychological recesses of our human subconsciousness. It is not a doctrine found in any of the other great religions in human history, nor did any philosopher ever teach it. It is beyond human speculations about what kind of a god God really is. It's beyond any human thought about what God might be like. Yet it is central and vital to the message of the Gospels, the faith of the Apostles, and consequently to our faith.



MAY 26, 2013

**St. Louis Catholic Women's League Pot Luck Supper and meeting**, Wednesday, June 5<sup>th</sup>, 6:00pm in the Large Hall. **There will be no Mass that night**. Bring your favourite food for sharing, your own dish, mug, cutlery (we have extra if you forget) and of course **bring a friend!** After dinner, there will be a report on the Hamilton Diocesan CWL convention, some thoughts on the approaching Canada Day and a special prayer to conclude the evening. All members and non members are very welcome to join us for fun and fellowship! **Please use the elevator entrance.**

All women of our parish are invited to a **mother/daughter/friend luncheon** to be held in our gymnasium on Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> after the 11:30 Eucharist. Guest speaker: Betty Anne Brown Davidson, National President of the Catholic Women's League, Tickets (\$10) may be ordered from Sandra Williams (519-742-9239) or Patti Pagett ([dpac@golden.net](mailto:dpac@golden.net))

**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 29<sup>th</sup> 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 27<sup>th</sup> 7-9pm at St. Anne's Parish (268 East Ave, Kitchener). Donation will be collected for charity. More information: [peter.penlington@gmail.com](mailto: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)

**Herb Wittich Centre** Can you spare some time to help out at the Herb Wittich Centre in support of Canadian Food for Children? Three times a year, St. Louis volunteers sort items at the Herb Wittich Centre and these items are then

sent on to third world countries. Our next scheduled date is June 6<sup>th</sup>. Please call Fran Ruetz at 519-744-7993 to let her know you are willing to help.

**KW Right to Life invites you to DESSERT & COFFEE** on Thursday, June 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm at Club Willowells, 40 Blue Springs Drive, Waterloo. There is street parking. Speaker, Rebecca Richmond is Executive Director of National Campus Life Network. ( NCLN) This is the Volunteer Appreciation Night and the Annual General Meeting. (AGM) Handmade Cards and Pro-life articles are for sale. All are welcome. A good will offering is appreciated. Call 519-746-LIFE(5433)

**Permanent Diaconate Information Meeting** will be held at St. John's Church, 45 Victoria Road North, Guelph, on Sunday, June 23, following the 11 a.m. Mass. Men interested in learning more about the Diaconate and the formation process are invited and encouraged to attend.

At the present time there are 35 deacons serving in the Diocese of Hamilton, and nine men are currently in formation. Diaconate formation lasts for four years. The next formation session begins in September 2014, and applications for admission into the formation program are being accepted at this time. For more information please contact Deacon Peter Gittens at: (905) 528-7988, Ext 2258 or [diaconateformation@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:diaconateformation@hamiltondiocese.com)

**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 by calling the box office at 905-546-4040, or at ticketmaster.

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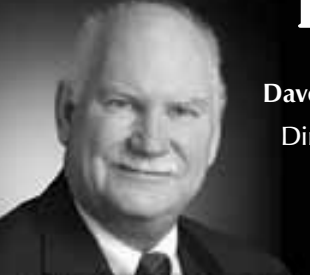
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