



Our Lady of Lourdes

Catholic Parish, Waterloo

Mass Times

The Lord's Day: Saturday 7:00 p.m.

Divine Mercy Chaplet 20 minutes before Mass

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Weekdays: Wednesday, Friday
8:30 a.m.

Holy Rosary 20 minutes before Mass
Tuesday & Thursday 7:00 p.m.

Confession Times

Saturday, 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.,
20 minutes before weekday Masses.

Sacraments

For baptisms, First Holy Communion, Confirmation, marriages, please contact parish office.

Blessing of Expectant Parents

Last Sunday of each month after all Masses.

Anointing of the Sick / Hospital Visitation

If you or someone you know is in need of the Sacrament of the Sick, please call the parish office or see Father after Mass. Please advise the office of the hospital admissions to request anointing or pastoral visit.

St. Vincent de Paul

Church door collections - last Sunday of each month. For information on food distribution call 519-886-0342 ext 2.

Welcome New Members

Welcome! We're glad you want to join our parish! Please fill out a form from the church lobby or website, drop it in the collection basket or at the parish office. Please call if you would like Father to bless your home.

Offertory Envelopes / Pre-Authorized Debit

To receive an annual tax receipt for your donations you are encouraged to use offertory envelopes and/or to enroll in our monthly debit plan. Offertory envelopes can be requested by filling out a parish registration form, or if you are already registered, simply call the office to request a box. Debit plan enrollment forms are available in the church lobby.

PARISH TEAM

Pastor: Rev. Rafal Tomon
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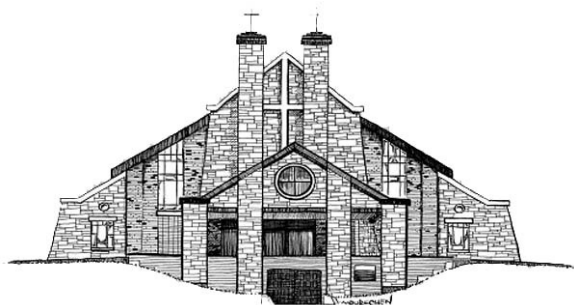
Administrative Assistant:
Mrs. Patrycja Wiecek
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OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday:
9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.; 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.
Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Parish Bequests



Keep your love for your parish alive.
Remember Our Lady of Lourdes Parish in your will
and when recommending expressions of sympathy.



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MASS INTENTIONS July 5 to July 10

Tuesday 7:00 p.m. +Helen & Joe Stumpf
– Stumpf & Family

Wednesday 8:30 a.m. +Georgina Bowers – Brenda Cliche

Thursday 7:00 p.m. +Feren Wagner – Wagner Family

Friday
Friday 8:30 a.m. **First Friday Devotions**
Special Intention of Perko Family
– Olga Perko & Family

First Saturday 8:30 a.m. Votive Mass to our Blessed Mary

Saturday 7:00 p.m. +George Lenio
– Lenio Family

Sunday 9:00 a.m. Living & deceased
members of our parish

Sunday 11:00 a.m. Special intention

Offertory Collection for Sunday, June 19 & 26, 2022: \$4,922.75
(Note: This amount does not include donations received through pre-authorized giving.)

Building Fund\$100.00
Care for Retired Priests.....\$340.00
Pope's Pastoral Works.....\$15.00

OUR LADY OF LOURDES SMALL FAITH GROUP invites you to join our living rosary to pray for the needs of the parish and the community this summer with the following in mind:

1. We pray that our faith will lead us to trusting God in our painful and difficult times. As the ever-changing public policies, the pandemic, the natural disasters, destructions of wars and conflicts keep demanding us to redefine our worldview and testing our tolerance of change and uncertainties, we may imitate how Jesus held the tension of opposites. Jesus lived through life, death, and resurrection and he is our Prince of Peace.
2. Pope Francis' monthly intention – Elderly (July) and Small Businesses (August).
3. The sick and their caregivers.
4. The living and deceased members of our parish.
5. The special intentions for the members of our parish.

By volunteering, you will be responsible to say one decade of the mysteries of the Rosary every day for the coming month(s). If you are interested or would like more information, please sign up here <https://forms.gle/sKWvfmNMnTZktZAV6>.

MARVELOUS MYSTERY: THE MASS COMES ALIVE CAT CHAT SUMMER PROGRAM Will be held July 11th-15th at St. Ambrose Parish in Cambridge Ontario for children ages 6-11. Join us as we discover the beauty of the Holy Mass with faith, fellowship, and fun! The cost is \$120/ child. To register, please contact Sr. Maria Immaculata by email: retreats@solisisters.ca. Parents can drop off Registration forms at the Marian Residence in Cambridge. Registration ends June 15th, 2022. We have 35 spots available so register soon! We are also looking for volunteers high-school aged or older to be group leaders and helpers! If anyone is interested in volunteering, please contact Sr. Maria Immaculata by email: retreats@solisisters.ca.

Summer Bulletin will be printed on: **July 3, Aug 7**, regular printing of our parish bulletin will be again on Sept 7, 2022. Mass intention will be posted on the bulletin boards.

Gospel Reading

Luke 10:1-12,17-20

Jesus sends out 72 people to announce the coming kingdom.

Background on the Gospel Reading

Today's Gospel begins immediately after the final verse in last Sunday's Gospel. After strong language about the difficulties of discipleship, Jesus immediately appoints 72 people to go ahead of him to every town and place he plans to visit, proclaiming that the Kingdom of God is at hand. He sends them in pairs. In the Law of Moses two witnesses were needed for a testimony to be credible. It was probably also a safer way to travel.

Jesus admits it will be difficult, that he is sending them out like lambs among wolves. Yet they are to bring nothing with them, not even a money bag or sandals. They are to greet no one on the way so as not to be distracted from their mission. When they enter a house, their message is simply "peace." The response they will receive may be positive or negative. Either way, they are to know that the Kingdom of God is at hand. They are not to demand special treatment but eat and drink whatever is given them. They are to stay in one house and are not to look around for one that provides better accommodations. They are to heal the sick as a sign that the Kingdom of God is at hand for them. Like Jesus' miracles, healing is a sign of the coming of the kingdom. If the town will not receive them, they are to shake the dust from their feet and move on. Even in the case of such rejection they should know that the Kingdom of God is at hand.

When they return from their journeys, they are rejoicing because their mission has been successful. Demons were under their power because of Jesus' name. Jesus may have sent them out as lambs among wolves, but at the conclusion of this passage he assures them that they have been given power over the enemy and nothing will harm them, not even serpents and scorpions.

A key theme of today's Gospel and last Sunday's Gospel is discipleship—its challenges, its difficulties, and its rewards. Sharing in the mission of Jesus is difficult, but everyone is called to do it, not just some professionals trained for ministry. Even for us today, the harvest is plentiful. We should pray to the master of the harvest to send out workers for his harvest.





The Marillac Place 2022 Baby Bottle Campaign wrapped up last weekend. Marillac Place relies heavily on donations from our community. Please provide your support through their virtual campaign by donating online or sending a cheque directly to Marillac Place. When you donate online, you can indicate that you are member of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish. Go to <http://www.marillacplace.ca/donate> to make your donation. All proceeds from the campaign will directly support the operations of Marillac Place to help them make an immediate impact on the residents. For more information about Marillac Place, please call (519) 571-0722 ext 202, or email admin@marillacplace.ca or visit <http://www.marillacplace.ca> **Bottles can still be dropped off to the parish office.** We Thank you for your continued support.

THIS SUMMER DON'T FORGET ABOUT OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH: Many leave us in the summer and go to cottages or travel. Please remember the church remains open all summer and we rely on your continued support even if you are not here. Pre-Authorized Giving is a great way to take care of your community at Lourdes without worry. Please consider Pre-Authorized Giving. Pamphlets are at the church doors or contact the parish office for more information. Thank you to all our Parishioners, Visitors and Benefactors for your generous support.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

This week let us pray for...

- July 4 Rev. Michael Bennett
- July 5 Rev. Ralph Diodati
- July 6 Our Parish Community
- July 7 Rev. Robert Dunn
- July 8 Rev. Michael McHugh
- July 9 Rev. Mike Myroniuk



Prayer for Vocations... God, the source of creation and love, you invite each of us to serve you through the life which is your gift. May your grace encourage men and women to heights through service to the Church as priests, sisters, brothers, and lay ministers. Make me an instrument to encourage others to give themselves and challenge me to do the same. Amen.

SUMMER PARISH OFFICE: July & August, please note that the parish office will be open on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and closed on Monday and Tuesday.

MORNING MASS CANCELLED: Starting July 4, 2022, we will no longer have Monday morning Mass at 8:30 a.m.



Lord God, Creator of all things, guide our steps and strengthen our hearts, during these months of summer and vacation days. Grant us refreshment of mind and body. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

CONGRATULATIONS WITH OUR CONTINUED PRAYERS

BAPTISM: During the month of Mary & June, the following children became members of God's family in the sacrament of baptism:

- Penelope Mabel Mary Miller – May 15, 2022
- Peyton Audrey Fedy – May 15, 2022
- Jack Patrick McMahon – May 15, 2022
- Delaney Marla Richardson – May 29, 2022
- Niko Aejandro DeGuzman – May 29, 2022
- Connor Ross MacMillan – June 5, 2022
- Chloe Elsa Kermer – June 5, 2022
- Raegan Delilah Carr – June 12, 2022
- Owen Alexander Jun Hume – June 12, 2022
- Maia Susannah Li Hume – June 12, 2022
- August James Deckert – June 12, 2022
- Dominic Filsinger – June 26, 2022

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

- Ewere Nwokoro & Justina Eguavoen – Jan 15, 2022
- Don Medford & Sabina Monteiro – April 23, 2022
- Jordan Kay & Sarah Southcott-Whyte – June 17, 2022
- David Wang & April Philpotts – June 30, 2022



The sun shone and OLOL parish community came out in great numbers to enjoy our first Parish BBQ in 5 years. The food was amazing, and company was even better.

Many thanks and blessings to all the volunteers, that made this day so very special. It could not happen without their dedication, time, and enthusiasm.

Enjoy the summer

With prayer, Fr. Rafal

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL MASS - THE CARMEL OF ST. JOSEPH GUILD invites all members, families and friends to attend the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass to be held **Sunday, July 17, 2022, at 2.00 p.m.** at St Agatha Catholic Church located at **1839 Notre Dame Dr.** in St Agatha. The Rosary will precede the Mass. The celebrant will be Rev. Bishop Crosby, Bishop of Hamilton. Reception with light refreshments to follow.

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A JOB: position available According clerk, Administrative clerk, Financial Analyst. Contact Victor Perera, Director of Finance at (519) 501-2568 or please send an email. Victor_wperera@yahoo.com

THE POPE'S JULY INTENTIONS FOR 2022

Elderly: We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.





Thinking of buying or selling? I can HELP! I have a team of professionals who will make the process go as smooth as possible. I have been a member of Our Lady of Lourdes church for 25 yrs and would love the opportunity to help my fellow parishioners with their real estate needs.

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