

St. Teresa of Avila

Roman Catholic Church

July 14 & 21, 2019
Fifteenth & Sixteenth
Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Established on the Second Sunday of Easter, 1851.

Pastor: Rev. Peter Meyer

Office Administration: Donna Vollmer

Sacramental Preparation: Iris Miltenburg

Office Hours:

Monday to Thursday 9:00am – 1:00pm



Mass Times

Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 9:30am

Weekday Masses

see inside

Reconciliation

Tuesday 6:30pm - 7:00pm,
or by request.

Sacrament of Baptism (4th Sunday of the month outside of Lent)

Parents, please pick up Baptism
package from the parish office.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact office six months
prior to desired date.
Marriage Prep offered.

Sacrament of the Sick

Please notify the parish office of
loved ones who are housebound
or in the hospital so they may
receive the comfort of the Church's
sacraments and prayer.

Outreach Ministry (A Ministry of Visitation)

Please contact the Parish Office if
you or someone you know would
like a visit by the Outreach Ministry.

Parish Contacts

Parish Pastoral Council

Annamae Elliott
Deana Pfanner Groves
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Fr. David Lewis
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Leona Weishar
Lisa Denomme

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Vocations

Contact www.vocationinfo.ca or
www.resurrectionist.net

New Parishioners

New parishioners, welcome!
Please register at the office or pick up a
registration package at the church entrance.

Bulletin Deadline

Written submissions by Monday noon.

St. Teresa of Avila School

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St. David Catholic Secondary School

4 High Street, Waterloo
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Christ has no body now but yours,
No hands, no feet on earth,
but yours.

Yours are the eyes through which
he moves compassion on
this world.

Yours are the feet with which
he walks to do good.

Yours are the hands with which
he blesses all the world.

Prayer of St. Teresa of Avila



✠ Please remember our benefactors and those who have left bequests in your prayers. ✠

FIFTEENTH & SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASSES FOR WEEK OF JULY 15TH

<p>Tuesday, July 16, 7:05 pm +Mary Rongits; Bob Rongits <i>If you are humble nothing will touch you, neither praise nor disgrace, because you know what you are. – St. Teresa of Calcutta</i></p>
<p>Wednesday, July 17, 10:30 am – Chartwell Mass +Beatrice Walter; Estate <i>The devil fears hearts on fire with love of God. – St. Catherine of Siena</i></p>
<p>Thursday, July 18, 12:05 pm +Sharon Soeder; Danielle Pilon <i>The purpose of clothing is to keep warm in winter and to cover your nakedness, not to serve your vanity. – St. Cyril of Jerusalem</i></p>
<p>Friday, July 19, 9:00 am +Gerald Scott; Maurice Downey <i>Because all creatures are connected, each must be cherished with love and respect, for all of us as living creatures are dependent on one another. Each area is responsible for the care of this family. – Pope Francis, Laudato Si, 42</i></p>
<p>Saturday, July 20, 5 pm +Ina Kieffer; Sharon Both & Grandchildren +Delphine Stemmler; Stan & Marian Haid</p>
<p>Sunday, July 21, Sixteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time 9:30 am Our Parish Community</p>

MASSES FOR WEEK OF JULY 22ND

<p>Tuesday, July 23, 7:05 pm +Waldemar Kalas; James Ready & Deirdre Ward <i>There is no sinner in the world, however much at enmity with God, who cannot recover God's grace by recourse to Mary, and by asking her assistance. – St. Bridget of Sweden</i></p>
<p>Wednesday, July 24, 10:30 am – Barnswallow Place +Jayne Jones; Pat Garton <i>Once the demands of necessity and propriety have been met, the rest that one owns belongs to the poor. – Pope Leo XIII</i></p>
<p>Thursday, July 25, 12:05 pm Intentions of Wayne & Donna Vollmer; Lucy & Armand Bertin <i>A servant is not holy if they are not busy. – St. Zita</i></p>
<p>Friday, July 26, 9:00 am +Darlene Foerster; Charlotte Mueller <i>Nothing seems tiresome or painful when you are working for a Master who pays well; who rewards even a cup of cold water given for love of him. – St. Dominic Savio</i></p>
<p>Saturday, July 27, 5 pm +Giovanni Bellissimo; Maria Bellissimo & Family +Leona Ellig; Carol Stortz</p>
<p>Sunday, July 28, Seventeenth Sunday In Ordinary Time 9:30 am Our Parish Community 10:45 am Baptism</p>

MINISTRIES for July 20/21

Eucharistic Ministers

5pm Stewart Logan, Judy Furlong, Kieran Kelly
 9:30am Barb Vodicka, Isabella Maher, Agnes Downey

Hospitality

5pm Mike & Doris Snelling, Marilyn Hurlburt, Bill Strauss
 9:30am Linus & Joseph Ditner, Paul & Diane Shuttsa

Altar Servers

5pm Phil Milan
 9:30am Allyson Cassidy, Casey Dronick, Katelyn Grosz

Lectors

5pm Connie Kaster
 9:30am Paul Shuttsa
 Lisa Denomme

Commentator

Patsy Pond
 Barry Glofcheskie

Sunday External Eucharistic Minister (to Elmira)

July 21 Trudy & Ray Denomme

Sign Ministry

July 15 Lucier Family

Wednesday External Eucharistic Minister

July 17 Colleen Weber

READINGS FOR July 20/21

First Reading: Gn 18:1-10a
 Second Reading: Col 1:24-28
 Gospel Reading: Lk 10:38-42

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

MON - FRI 9:00 a.m. – 12 Noon **Vacation Bible School**
WED 7:00pm **9:30 a.m. Choir Practice** – Church
FRI **Office Closed**

MINISTRIES for July 27/28

Eucharistic Ministers

5pm Kathy Ziegler, Erl Andersen, Phil Milan
 9:30am Sandi Hutchinson, Ray Denomme, Matthew Griffin

Hospitality

5pm Marianne Kieswetter, Jodi Sereres, Greg & Brent Goetz
 9:30am Rick & Leona Weishar, Ed & Carol Kieswetter

Altar Servers

5pm Patsy Pond
 9:30am Heike Elliott, Amber Elliott, Allyson Cassidy

Lectors

5pm Colleen Weber
 9:30am Isabella Maher
 James Ready

Commentator

Ann Staines
 Larry Glofcheskie

Sunday External Eucharistic Minister (to Elmira)

July 28 Marianne Kieswetter

Sign Ministry

July 22 Kieran Kelly

Wednesday External Eucharistic Minister

Aug 7 Marianne Kieswetter

READINGS FOR July 27/28

First Reading: Gn 18:20-32
 Second Reading: Col 2:12-14
 Gospel Reading: Lk 11:1-13

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

FRI **Office Closed**

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Mon., July 15 Rev. Eric Jensen, S.J.
 Tues., July 16 Rev. Gregory Kennedy, S.J.
 Wed., July 17 Congregation of the Resurrection, C.R.
 Thurs., July 18 Rev. Paul Panaretos, S.J.
 Fri., July 19 Rev. Daniel Syauswa Musondloi, S.J.
 Sat., July 20 Rev. Jan Michalski, S.Chr.
 Mon., July 22 Rev. Stanislaw Kuczaik, S.Chr.
 Tues., July 23 Rev. Laszlo Amaszka
 Wed., July 24 School Sisters of Notre Dame, S.S.N.D.
 Thurs., July 25 Very Rev. Jeff Bergsma
 Fri., July 26 Rev. Grayson Hope
 Sat., July 27 Rev. Juan Carlos Saenz

LIVING ROSARY INTENTION

That priests, through the modesty and humility of their lives, commit themselves actively to a solidarity with those who are most poor.

FOODBANK NEEDS

Ketchup, Mayonnaise, Sugar and Salt

YOU MADE ME CRY... And feel proud of you. St. Teresa Parish showed its character on Sunday, June 23rd. Your send off was gratifying and I thank you. Thank you especially for your prayers over the last several months. I never felt alone during my hospitalization. Your love and your prayers helped keep me going. Forever indebted to you, let's not be strangers. My door is always open and I hope to see you soon...In God's love,

Fr. Dave

Friday, August 2nd, HEAVENLY EATS FOOD

TRUCKS are coming to St. Teresa's from 4:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. in our church parking lot. Take a break from cooking dinner! Come out and see what our local food trucks have to offer! Eat here or take home. **VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED** to set up and take down tables and chairs and to clear and clean tables during the evening. The sign-up sheet is in the Narthex.

UNPLANNED is a movie based on the true life story of Abbey Johnson, who was a leader in Planned Parenthood until she assisted with an abortion and was forced to rethink what she thought were the facts. Abbey has been a full time life advocate since that time. The movie is professionally done and puts forward the truth of Abbey's story. The press has called it propaganda, but that is not the case. Teresa Hartnett of the Family Liturgy Office of the Diocese of Hamilton has taken part in two webinar's that included the producers, writers and Abbey, and they deliberately stuck to the factual information so they could not be challenged or criticized. Their goal is to educate through Abbey's story. **You can see this movie at Landmark Cinema 12 -135 Gateway Park Drive, Kitchener, (519) 650-2958 beginning on July 12 for one week.** Please encourage people to attend. Consider taking family and friends to see it – we need to help educate

people on the issue. Even those who are opposed to abortion often don't understand the truths about it – this movie will help. Also, encourage or invite those who are in favour of abortion to see it as well and tell them you are open to hearing their thoughts after the movie.

The next **PRAYER VIGIL** is **Thursday, August 1, 2019** from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. in front of Freeport Hospital, 3570 King Street East, Kitchener, for babies being aborted. All are welcome to pray quietly for those who have no voice, but our own! Parking is across the road at Schneider Park. Any queries, contact Cathy at kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com

ST. MARY OF PERPETUAL HELP OUTDOOR

CEMETERY MASS, HESSON on **Saturday, August 3, 2019** at 11 a.m. rain or shine with Father Keith Morrison. There will be a Blessing of Graves following Mass. Bring a lawn chair. Free-will collection for the upkeep of the cemetery will take place. For more information contact St. Joseph Church, Listowel at 519-291-4400.

MARIAN PILGRIMAGE DAYS IN HONOUR OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA – On **Saturday, August 3rd** at St.

Thomas the Apostle, 715 Centre Road, Waterdown from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The day begins with Mass followed by a Rosary Procession, Stations of the Cross and Benediction, Confessions and lunch. Please bring your own lunch. For more information, visit www.stthomaswaterdown.com

Help **WOOLWICH COMMUNITY SERVICES** with their **Backpack Program** which provides much-needed supplies for the less fortunate children and youth in Woolwich and Wellesley Township. A list of supplies requested for backpacks can be found posted on the bulletin board at the entrance of the church. Also, cash donations are graciously appreciated to purchase additional items. The items must be delivered **by August 19, 2019** so they are ready for distribution on August 28th. Supplies can be dropped off at the Parish Office, The Youth Centre or at the Woolwich Community Services Office, 5 Memorial Avenue, Elmira from Monday to Friday 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact 519-669-5139 or email tina_wcs@yahoo.ca.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Lk 6:38 "Give, and it will be given to you... For the measure you give will be measured back to you."

Offertory collection for June 29/30:	\$3,065.90
Average per envelope:	\$32.25
Offertory collection for July 6/7:	\$2,532.20
Average per envelope:	\$27.33
Electronic funds for the week:	\$1,151.25
(based on 4 Sundays per month)	
Weekly parish operating expenses:	\$4,632.00
Total to Date Building Maintenance Project:	\$64,860.15

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