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Roman Catholic Church

May 22, 2016
Trinity Sunday

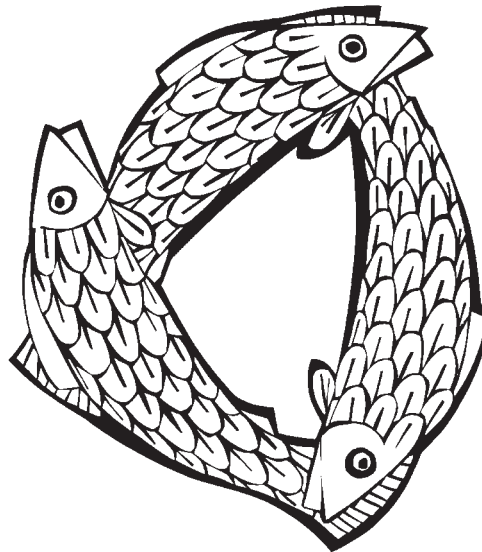
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1851.

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Office Hours:
Monday to Friday 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 required.

Sacrament of the Sick
Please notify the parish office of
any 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
Al Vodicka
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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
registration package in the church foyer.

Bulletin Deadline
Written submissions by Monday noon.

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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



TRINITY SUNDAY

MASSES FOR WEEK OF MAY 23RD

Tuesday, May 23, No Mass
Wednesday, May 24, No Mass
Thursday, May 25, No Mass
Friday, May 26, No Mass
Saturday, May 27, 5 pm +Austin Whittom; The Family +Margaret Beaupre; Amy Schelter & Family
Sunday, May 28, Solemnity of The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ 9:30 am Our Parish Community

READINGS FOR May 28/29

First Reading: Gn 14:18-20
Second Reading: 1 Cor 11:23-26
Gospel Reading: Lk 9:11b-17

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

MON Office Closed
WED Office Closed

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR:

Mon., May 23 Rev. Frank Freitas
Tues., May 24 Rev. Pawel Szymanowski, C.R.
Wed., May 25 Oblates of Mary Immaculate, O.M.I.
Thurs., May 26 Rev. George Nowak, C.R.
Fri., May 27 Most Rev. Anthony Tonnos, D.D.
Sat., May 28 Rev. Paul Hrynczyszyn

MINISTRIES for May 28/29

Eucharistic Ministers

5pm Peggy Kelly, Kevin Dupuis, Kathy Ziegler
9:30am Peter Antonello, Robert & Mary Jane Yaeger

Hospitality

5pm Greg, Derek, Brent & Zachary Goetz
9:30am Carol & Ed Kieswetter, Bill & Anne Hanley

Altar Servers

5pm Natalie Pfanner Groves, Patsy Pond
9:30am Heike Elliott, Katelyn Grosz, Paul Shutsa

Lectors

5pm Armand Bertin
9:30am Matthew Griffin
Tom O'Marra

Commentator

Judy Furlong
Marianne Kieswetter

Sunday External Eucharistic Minister (to Elmira)

May 29 Mary Mercey

Sign Ministry

May 23 Marty Merlihan

Wednesday External Eucharistic Minister

Jun 1 Millie Schlupp

FOODBANK NEEDS

Chunky Soups, Meal Helpers

LIVING ROSARY INTENTION

That in every country of the world, women may be honoured and respected and that their essential contribution to society may be highly esteemed and that families, communities, and groups may pray the Holy Rosary for evangelization and peace.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CONFIRMANDI who were confirmed on May 1, 2016 - **Odessa Allison, Fiona Bernard, Camryn Booth, Jadyn Brooks, Ethan Brown, Matthew Deyell, Taylor Girling, Emily Hickey, Matthew Kraemer, Cody Kroetsch, Cameron MacLachlan, Morgan Maher, Mackayla Pothier, Colton Schmitt, Michèle Siebel-Achenbach, Alexis Zettler, Jordan Wang, Monica Wang, Paige Wicks and Rachel Wittie.** *We pray to you, God of all ages, that you will look kindly upon these children of Yours, who have listened to Your voice and opened their hearts to Your Spirit. Bring to fulfillment the good work you have begun in them.*

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR FIRST COMMUNION

CLASS who received First Eucharist on May 15, 2016 - **Sebastian Abate, Julia Adams, Caleb Antonello, Hunter Beckner-Stetson, Jordyn Booth, Clyde Andre Chico, Lexie DeJeu, Cassie Dronick, Kelan English, Addison Fitzgerald, Grace Gow, Evan Grosz, Callie Gruhl, Alexa Grundy, Tristan Hill, Brendan Hickey, Paige Jajkowska-Sherwood, Austin Karn, Brookelynn Kroetsch, Adam Lavigne, Charlotte McMillan, Johnathan Petrone, Brady Stemmler, James Villapando, Josh Villapando, Carson Waechter, Madison Walter and Olivia Weiss.** *We pray to you, our Lord and God, that as these children come and join us at the table of the Lord that their lives will be filled with grace and joy and that the work you have begun in them will be fulfilled.*

The **GARDEN PARTY** will be held on **Friday, June 17th** and we need your help! Please choose a leaf from one of the trees in the Narthex for our penny tables and tombola. We are looking for new items priced between \$15 - \$25 (for both adult and child penny table). **Please deliver the items to the church before June 12th.** Any questions please email teresagardenparty2013@gmail.com or call the Parish Office at 519-669-3387.

ST. TERESA OF AVILA'S 27TH ANNUAL GARDEN PARTY

will be held on **Friday, June 17th, 2016** at St. Teresa of Avila Church, 19 Flamingo Drive, Elmira. Enjoy our Community BBQ in the hall from 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. with sausage, hamburger, hot dogs on a bun, french fries, sauerkraut, fried onions including condiments and a healthy option of salad and veggies and dip as well as hot & cold beverages. There will also be an Outdoor Snack Booth with chips, soft drinks, fresh made popcorn and candy. Lots of fun for young and old - bingo, penny table, silent auction, bouncies, tombola, video games, inside and outside activities, play area for children 5 and under and much more. Come and enjoy an evening of food and fellowship. Fun starts at 5:00 p.m. and ends with fireworks at 9:30 p.m. All are welcome!

MEN'S ACTS RETREAT WEEKEND – May 26 – 29, 2016

at Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre, 1617 Blythe Road, Mississauga. Cost is \$280. Powerful new retreat experience based on Adoration, Community, Theology and Service. To register or for more information please call Queen of Apostles at 905-278-5229.

Trinity United Church, 21 Arthur Street North, Elmira is having a **GARAGE SALE** on **Saturday May 28th** from 9:00 a.m. – Noon. If you wish to donate items you can bring them (clean & priced) to the church on Friday May 27th between 7 p.m. – 9 p.m. or Saturday at 8 a.m. All monies raised will go to Trinity's General Fund. Thanks to the Jesus 24/7 group for running this event.

Are you between the ages of 20-40 years of age? Do you enjoy the great outdoors? Come join the **CHRISTIAN YOUNG ADULTS OUTDOOR GROUP!** The purpose of this group is to meet and have fellowship with other believers while celebrating Him in an active outdoor environment. Our first group event will take place at Langdon Hall, 1 Langdon Drive, Cambridge. We will be meeting in the parking lot to go for a hike on **May 28th** at 12 p.m. You can join our facebook group for more info on upcoming events at Christian Young Adults Outdoor Group <https://www.facebook.com/groups/998289453581301/>. You can also call or text Erin D'Arcy at (519) 721-7387. Email us at info@darcysdogtraining.com. Invite your friends!

You are invited to St. Boniface Church in Maryhill which is holding its traditional **ANNUAL CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION** to the two outdoor altar houses. The procession will take place immediately after the 10 a.m. Mass on **Sunday, May 29th**. Everyone is welcome! There will be a Corpus Christi Brunch immediately following at the Maryhill Heritage Park Community Centre. Scrambled eggs, bacon, hash browns, toast, coffee or tea and milk or juice will be provided all for a free will offering.

Join with us in **HONOURING FIRST RESPONDERS** on **Sunday, May 29th** from 1-3 p.m. at Floradale Mennonite Church. Come meet local Police, Paramedics and Firefighters and check out the equipment they use daily. There will be free rides on an antique firetruck! For more information, call the FMC office at 519-669-2861.

The next **PRAYER VIGIL** is **Thursday, June 2, 2016** 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.

The **LISTOWEL GARDEN PARTY & BEEF DINNER** will be held on **Friday, June 3, 2016** at St. Joseph's Parish Centre, 1025 Wallace Avenue North, Listowel. A fun evening with Cash Draws totalling \$2000, Penny Booth, Silent Auction, and Bingo with Grand Draw at 8 p.m. The Beef Dinner is served 4:30 - 7:30 p.m. Prices are Adults \$15 in advance by May 29th, \$17 at the door, 5-10 Year Olds \$7 and Pre-Schoolers Free. For tickets please call Gloria (519) 291-3648 or Bev (519) 291-4400 ext. 3.

2ND HOME RUMMAGE SALE will be on **Saturday, June 4th** from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Woodside Bible Fellowship, 200 Barnswallow Drive, Elmira. Donations are needed –

clothing, clothing accessories, bedding, small electrical items, small hand and power tools, small kitchen items, small knick-knacks, media (books, videos, etc.). Donation drop off is May 30th to June 2nd from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. or Friday, June 3rd from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Proceeds to benefit Community Care Concepts and Bibles for Missions. Private vendor rental space is available and will be outside only on the day of the sale. For more information contact: 2ndhomerummagesale@gmail.com.

REGIONAL FORESTS HIKE SERIES - Tuesday, June 7, 2016 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Join us for the first in a series of hikes to explore the Regional Forests. Albert Hovingh, the Region of Waterloo Environmental and Stewardship Planner, will lead us on a hike through Sudden Forest in North Dumfries. Contact Nancy at 519-214-4926 or nancy.stayzer@gmail.com to confirm meeting time and location. There is no rain date. For more details see healthywoolwich.org.

COMMUNITY CAN DINE is on **Friday, June 10th** at Trinity United Church, 21 Arthur Street North, Elmira from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. with sausage on a bun and salads. We are celebrating the 3rd Anniversary. For more info please call the Trinity United Church office at 519-669-5560.

WALK FOR LIFE – Join the **PRO-LIFE WALKATHON** in Guelph and Fergus on **Saturday, June 18th**. This event is a fundraiser for local pro-life education and outreach. For more details, visit guelphforlife.com or call (519) 836-6311.

8TH ANNUAL ST. LOUIS VACATION BIBLE/LEGO ROBOTICS CAMP - July 25-29, 2016 at St. Louis Church, 53 Allen St. E., Waterloo VBS is run in the mornings and Lego camp in the afternoons Children (ages 5 -11) can be registered for either or both. VBS theme this year is "Circus of Stars - Spotlight on the Father". Fee per child is \$110 and per family is \$185. To register or for more information contact Kelly Krause at St. Louis Parish at 519-743-4101 or kkrause@hamiltondiocese.com.

PILGRIMAGE TO SHRINES IN QUEBEC - Monday, August 1st - Saturday, August 6th. Join us for the 42nd Pilgrimage to Cap-de-la-Madeleine, St. Anne de Beauport, Sacred Heart Shrine, Beauvoir and St. Joseph's Oratory. Fr. Paul Szymanowski, C.R. of St. Mary's Parish will accompany us as Spiritual Director. For more information contact Rosie Gunn at 519-744-5923 or Erna Spoenlein at 519-743-1030.

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 May 14/15:	\$3,529.20
Average per envelope:	\$25.19
Electronic funds for the week: (based on 4 Sundays per month)	\$1,028.75
Weekly parish operating expenses:	\$4,632.00
Thank you!	



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