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St. Michael's Catholic Church

St. Michael's Parish Offices - 240 Hemlock Street, Waterloo, ON N2L 3R5

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

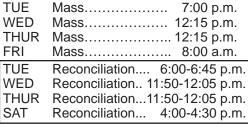
Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

LORD'S DAY LITURGY SCHEDULE

SAT Mass.....5:00 p.m. SUN Mass.....9:00 a.m. Mass...11:00 a.m.

Mass....7:00 p.m. (during the academic year)

Our worship space and Parish Centre are barrier free off of Hemlock Street.



WEEKDAY LITURGY SCHEDULE

<u>NEW TO THE PARISH</u> • Please come and introduce yourself and complete a registration form available on our website at www.stmichaelw.ca/forms or on the hospitality desks at each entrance to the church.

<u>PARISH RECORDS</u> • Our parish records are very important and we try to keep them as up to date as possible. Please advise the office if you change your address or telephone number.

MINISTRY TO PARISH SCHOOLS • The staff visit St. Nicholas and Sir Edgar Bauer on a regular basis. Eucharist and Reconciliation are celebrated with each school during the year and the staff is available for classroom visits and other special celebrations. We also celebrate the sacraments and make pastoral visits to St. David's high school as needed.

MINISTRY TO UNIVERSITY & COLLEGE STUDENTS • St. Michael's Parish welcomes students to participate in the liturgical and pastoral life of the parish. During the academic year we have a student mass on Sunday evenings at 7:00 p.m. that focuses on the pastoral needs of students. We also have the John Paul II Student Centre which is available for students. Please see www.stmichaelw.ca and follow the link to JPII Student Centre for more information.

SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION • For more information about preparation and dates please visit our website or contact the parish office.

<u>MARRIAGE</u> • Please meet with the priest or deacon before making any other arrangements. Twelve (12) months notice is normally required so that proper preparation can take place.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK AND SHUT-IN • Trained Volunteers assist in the pastoral care of those who are sick or confined, whether at home, at retirement residences, in nursing homes, in hospitals or in prison. Anointing of the Sick is celebrated in the parish church, Columbia Forest Long Term Care, The Village at University Gates, The Court at Laurelwood and Clair Hills Retirement Community twice a year. Parishioners can request the Anointing of the Sick at any time by appointment in their home or in the church.

<u>PASTORAL CARE TO THOSE WHO ARE IN HOSPITAL</u> • Privacy of information laws prohibit the parish from obtaining information about parishioners in hospital. A family member is asked to contact the parish office whenever a parishioner is in hospital and requests a pastoral visit.

PARISH OUTREACH • St. Michael's Parish assists those in need through the St. Vincent De Paul Society. For emergency food help call 519-747-1090.

MUSIC IN THE LITURGY • Music plays an integral role in the liturgical life of the parish. Parishioners are invited to sing with the traditional choir (9:00 a.m.) or the contemporary choir (11:00 a.m.) on Sunday morning.

<u>PARISH BULLETIN</u> • News items for the bulletin should be submitted via email if possible and may be edited due to space limitations. All items must be in the parish office by Monday prior to publication.

MISSION STATEMENT

MASS INTENTIONS

July 4 - 8, 2017

<u>Tuesday</u>

6:30pm 7:00pm

Rosary

m + Sheilagh Sehl – *Estate*

+Father Phil Sherlock – Joanne Berlette

+Special Intentions of the Szeto Family – *The*

Family

+Special Intentions of the Moser Family – R&A

+Special Intentions of Helen Schumacher -

Frances Klein

+Special Intentions of Doug & Gai Brown -

Frances Klein

7:45pm Adoration (1 hour)

Wednesday

12:15pm +Lorraine Daub – *Barb MacIntosh*

Thursday

12:15pm +Edith De Martin – *Doug & Yvonne Rickert*

<u>Friday</u>

8:00am +Sharon Yoo – Lou & Cindy

<u>Saturday</u>

5:00pm +Merritt Waldock – *Catherine Cuddihy*

+Vince Jordan – Lou Jordan & Family

+Bernard Adlys – Sonia & Family

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Zechariah 9.9-10 Romans 8.9, 11-13 Matthew 11.25-30



PARISH NEWS

Sunday Offerings

June 25 - \$5,272.00 PAG - \$635.00



Our last bulletin for the summer is this weekend. Mass Intentions and Ministry Schedules will be posted on the bulletin boards.



Tearing up the asphalt...and the runway on Thursday, September 28th. In support of a newly paved parking lot, join us for a fashion show fundraiser featuring parish members of all ages. From 15 to 85 we have fashion trends for all to enjoy, while

supporting a much needed parking lot makeover. Ticket sales will begin in September after all masses.

Save the Date: Our Annual Spaghetti
Supper will take place on Sunday
October 29th, 2017 in the Parish
Centre. Please add this special event to

your social calendar! Tickets will be on sale in October.

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, July 8

5:00pm: Alessia Ovcacik, Noah Van Alphen, Alex Winter

Sunday, July 9

9:00am: Mark Pawliszyn, Clara Thompson, Don Klein

11:00am: Eric McCrea, Oshana & Sargon Putros

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Saturday, July 8

5:00pm: * Elisabeth Kamski

1 Steve Kamski 2 Lauren Huston

Sunday, July 9

9:00am: * Denise Dolff

1 Diana Knoll 2 Marta Mandich

11:00am: * Linda Guacci

¹ Marvellous Onuma-Kalu ² Stephen Pacheco

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

Saturday, July 8

5:00pm: Alicia Smith, Veronica Zarin, Ken Adams, Joan Fernandez

Sunday, July 9

9:00am: Bonnie Schroth, Tony & Pam De Leo, Helen Anne Hause, Eleanor Horrigan

11:00am: Bruce Fleming, Theresa Leung, Kathy Shaw, Magnell Robinson, Jeanette Rousseau

Resurrection Choir

St. Michael's Church lives out the ministry of compassion during the most difficult times of life. Our congregation is a loving and caring faith community and we are sensitive to the sorrow you, your family and friends may be experiencing.

We are looking to form a Resurrection Choir that would bring consolation to the bereaved through music by expressing our faith and hope in the Resurrection of the body, which Christ has won for us. Ideally this is for volunteers who are available during weekdays as that is when most of our funerals occur but it is open to anyone. All voices welcome; you don't have to be a professional singer to join, just a willingness to serve.

If you are interested in participating, please contact the parish office. If there is enough interest, practices will begin in September.



Thank you to the parish for your support over the past 7+ years. I have been blessed to work with so many

students in our schools and parents in preparation for sacraments. May God continue to bless you as you journey with Him.

Charlie Van Alphen

"Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me." Accept the invitation that is being extended, an invitation by the one who sent him. If you feel you are being called to the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation at 905-528-7988 or email mking@hamiltondiocese.com

Vacation Bible School

Are you ready? Because we are! Join us at our first ever "MARVELLOUS MYSTERY, The Mass Comes Alive" Vacation Bible School right here at St. Michael's. Our program will run from Monday, August 14th to Friday, August 18th, 2017 from 9am-Noon in the Parish Centre. The program is for children who will be in JK - Grade 5 this upcoming school year.

Registration is available online at the parish website. If you do not have internet access, please see Joanne in the parish office to fill out a paper form. Online registration is preferred. The cost is \$30.00/child. For families with more than 1 child, the cost is \$20.00 for each additional child. Payment can be made at the parish office or through the collection by cash or cheque (payable to St. Michael's Church). Please include the name of the child(ren) the payment is for. The program will be capped at 75 participants.

Older than grade 5? If you would like to be part of this program, you are more than welcome to volunteer. Volunteer registration form is also available online (and in the parish office if needed). Deadline for registration is Monday, July 24, 2017.



Exercise classes for those 55+ are moving to Wednesdays beginning next week, July 5th from 10:00-11:00am until August 30th. These

classes are open to everyone in the parish, not just the ladies...come on out guys so you can keep up with the girls!

Don't forget while you're traveling this summer to save personal size soap, shampoo and lotion for donation to St. John's Kitchen for



those in need in our community. The collection bin is at the top of the stairs near the main vestibule in the drawer marked "Personal Size Toiletries". Thank you.

Prayer

Join St. Michael's Prayer Partners

One of the most important aspects of parish life is community, and one

of the most important aspects of being part of a parish community is prayer for each other. To facilitate this important responsibility, we are starting an email group called *St. Michael's Prayer Partners*. If you are willing to receive one email per week with a list of intentions to pray for during that week, you're qualified to be a *Prayer Partner!* Simply send an email to stmikesprayer@gmail.com, and ask to have your name added to our list of Prayer Partners. We promise to send only one message per week, and not otherwise spam your inbox. Let's storm heaven with prayers for our brothers and sisters of St. Michael's Parish!

Need Prayers?

Are you in need of prayers for yourself or a loved one? Your brothers and sisters at St.



Michael's want to pray for you. **Send your prayer request to** stmikesprayer@gmail.com, and we will be happy to place your intention on our prayer list. "I ask that supplications, prayers, petitions and thanksgiving be offered for everyone." 1 Tim 2:1



Visiting Our Homebound Parishioners

We are looking for volunteers to assist in visiting our parishioners in long term care facilities and retirement homes this fall.

These visits provide a social connection to those who are no longer able to attend Mass but are still parishioners. We also have a rosary service at some of our facilities which we'd like to provide at all locations.

The commitment is usually on a weekday but we do also visit and offer some services on Saturdays.

If you are interested in becoming involved in this very rewarding ministry, please call the parish office.



Bingo at Waterloo Knights of Columbus on <u>WEDNESDAY</u> Knight. Doors open at 6:00pm. Fun, Food and Cash Prize

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