



# *Our Lady of Lourdes*

## **Catholic Parish, Waterloo**

### **MASS TIMES**

#### **Lord's Day**

Saturday: 7:00 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am & 11:00 am

**Divine Mercy Chaplet:** Saturday: 6:40 pm

#### **Weekday Mass**

Wednesday & Friday: 8:30 am

Tuesday: 7:00 pm

Thursday: 12:00 pm

**Holy Rosary:** Wednesday & Friday: 8:10 am

#### **Confession Times**

Saturday, 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

#### **Sacraments**

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

#### **Anointing of the Sick / Hospital Visitation**

If you or someone you know is in need and requesting anointing or pastoral visit, please contact our parish office or see Father after Mass. If the person is in the Hospital and it's an emergency, please have the hospital contact the priest on call.

#### **St. Vincent de Paul**

For assistance with groceries and other needs, please call 519-886-0342 ext. 610. Church door collections - last Sunday of each month.

Food donation bin - back of the Church.

Donations by E-transfer can be sent to:

ssvp.olol.conference@gmail.com. To receive a tax receipt, please put your address in the Notes section.



#### **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:** Fr. Stephen Murrin

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lourdeswaterloochurch@gmail.com

**Music Director:** Mr. Bruce Cameron

brucecameron57@gmail.com

**Organist:** Mrs. April Philpotts aaphilpotts@gmail.com

### **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday: Closed

Tuesday to Thursday: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.; 1:00 p.m. 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.



### **CONTACT US**

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## JUN 24 to JUN 29

<b>TUESDAY – JUN 24</b> Nativity of St. John the Baptist – Solemnity	7:00 p.m.	+Dianne Brenner – Diane & Richard Brenner
<b>WEDNESDAY– JUN 25</b> Ferial	8:30 a.m.	+Teofilo Untalon – Miriam Jayasundera
<b>THURSDAY– JUN 26</b> Ferial	12:00 p.m.	<b>No Mass</b>
<b>FRIDAY– JUN 27</b> Most Sacred Heart of Jesus – Solemnity	8:30 a.m.	+ Cassidy Family – Joan Cassidy
<b>SATURDAY– JUN 28</b> Immaculate Heart of Mary	7:00 p.m.	+Peter Granic – Horace & Rita Coelho
<b>SUNDAY– JUN 29</b> <b>Saints Peter and Paul</b>	9:00 a.m.	+ Paul Schaus – Maureen Schaus & Family Living & deceased members of our parish
	11:00 a.m.	

Parish Finance Report Week of		June 8, 2025	June 15, 2025
	<b>Sunday Envelope Collection</b>	<b>\$ 2,405.00</b>	<b>\$ 2251.85</b>
	<b>Sunday Loose Collection</b>	<b>\$ 494.65</b>	<b>\$402.65</b>
	<b>E-transfer</b>	<b>\$ 676.00</b>	<b>\$ 676.00</b>
	<b>PAG/ Direct Deposit</b>	<b>\$ 2,755.64</b>	<b>\$ 2,755.64</b>
	<b>Other (Building fund, funerals, flowers missals, Votives...)</b>	<b>\$672.50</b>	<b>\$672.50</b>
	<b>TOTAL SUNDAY COLLECTION</b>	<b>\$ 7,003.79</b>	<b>\$ 6,758.64</b>
	<b>Budgeted</b>	<b>\$ 6,500.00</b>	<b>\$ 6,500.00</b>
	<b>Net Income /Loss</b>	<b>\$503.79</b>	<b>\$258.64</b>

**E-TRANSFER**

If you would like to send your donation via E-Transfer, please use the following email account: [lourdeswaterloo@rogers.com](mailto:lourdeswaterloo@rogers.com)

**Thank you for your generosity and continued support of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish and our community.**



**Education Foundation of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish**  
Calling students attending University and College this September 2025.

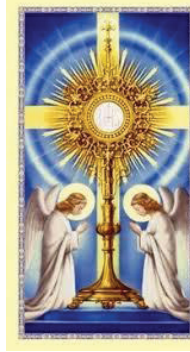


Please contact our parish office at

[lourdeswaterloochurch@gmail.com](mailto:lourdeswaterloochurch@gmail.com) to APPLY for Education

Foundation of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish assistance program.

Requirement: registered member Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, enrolled in University or College program in September 2025; has assisted our parish in a ministry in the past, present, and future. **Due July 31, 2025**



Today, the second Sunday after Pentecost, we celebrate a second solemnity, which marks our return to Ordinary Time. Today is the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. At one time, this day was called *Corpus Christi*, Latin for “the Body of Christ.” In the most recent revision of the liturgy, the name for this day is expanded to be a more complete reflection of our Eucharistic theology.

The feeding of the 5,000 is the only one of Jesus' miracles to appear in all four Gospels. Luke places it between Herod's question, “Who is this about whom I hear such things?” and Peter's response to Jesus' question about who he thought Jesus was: “You are the Messiah of God.” In Luke the feeding is not the result of Jesus' compassion for the crowd but is instigated by the disciples. They wanted Jesus to send the crowd away to town. Instead, Jesus tells the disciples to give them some food on their own.

The passage is meant to remind us of two feedings in the Old Testament: the feeding of the Israelites in the desert and Elisha's feeding of 100 people with 20 loaves in 2 Kings 4:42-44. It is also connected to the institution of the Eucharist. As in the Last Supper accounts in Matthew, Mark, and Luke and in Paul's account in 1 Corinthians 11:23-24, Jesus takes bread, looks up to heaven, blesses the bread, breaks it, and then gives it to the disciples. In using this exact language, Luke is reminding his readers that in this miracle Jesus is doing more than feeding hungry people as God did for the Israelites and the prophet Elisha did as well. The bread he gives is his body, which he will continue to give as often as the community breaks bread in remembrance of him in the Eucharist. (Loyola Press)

**ANIMA CHRISTI**

*The Anima Christi is a prayer from the 14th century that was popularized by St. Ignatius Loyola in the 16th century and remains widely used for thanksgiving after receiving Our Lord in Holy Communion.*

Soul of Christ, sanctify me. + Body of Christ, save me. + Blood of Christ, inebriate me. + Water from the side of Christ, wash me. + Passion of Christ, strengthen me. + O good Jesus, hear me. + Within Thy Wounds hide me. + Let me never be separated from Thee. + From the malignant enemy, defend me. + In the hour of my death, call me, + And bid me to come to Thee. + That with Thy saints, I may praise Thee. + Forever and ever. Amen.



## BODY AND BODY OF CHRIST

**KENYA BUILD 2025** - Our Lady of Lourdes parish has been a long-time supporter of the School Sisters of Notre Dame - Province of Africa and their work in Nyalieng'a Kenya. The last two visitors from Africa, Sister Oyin-ozza (2023) and Sister Masicha (2024) provided information not only about the Notre Dame Children Outreach program but also about the construction of the Blessed Theresa Gerhardinger Educational Centre. The construction of the Elementary School - Phase 1 is proceeding well but additional funds are urgently needed to complete the structure before classes start in January 2026. An information session will be held at St. Michael's Church, 80 University Ave. W on June 22nd at 12:15 pm. See today's bulletin insert or the parish bulletin boards for more information.

**Please note that there will be no Mass on Thursday and this Saturday there will be Mass at 9am. for the Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary. There will be no first Saturday Mass in July.**

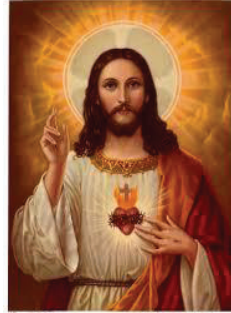
**ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST** is the only saint whose birth the Church celebrates with a Solemnity and it was one of the first feasts to be named to a particular day on the Church calendar, June 24th. He shares this privilege, only with Christ Himself, whose birth we celebrate at Christmas. Although the Church also celebrates the Birth of Our Blessed Mother, this day in the calendar was added later and is not classified as a Solemnity but rather a Memorial. St. John the Baptist, who was also the cousin of Jesus, is the greatest of all the prophets who points us to Christ, the Lamb of God.



**THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY** signifies, first of all, the great purity and love of the heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary for God. This purity is manifested in her "Yes" to the Father at the Incarnation and her love for, and cooperation with the Incarnate Son in His redemptive mission. She was also docile to the Holy Spirit, enabling her to remain free of the stain of personal sin throughout her life. Mary's Immaculate Heart, therefore, points us to her profound interior life, where she experienced both joys and sorrows, yet remained faithful, as we too, are called to do.

### World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests on the Feast of the Sacred Heart

Catholics worldwide are urged to pray for Priests on this day. This was instituted by St. John Paul II in 2002 with the objective of having all faithful Catholics to join in prayer for the sanctification of all priests. The priests must treat God as holy in their sacrifices, and the result will be that God will be manifested as holy to the people—that is, he will be glorified."



### FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART

On 5 June 1965, Pope Paul VI called for a renewal of the devotion to the Sacred Heart. And, in 1995, Saint John Paul II reiterated the importance of this devotion and instituted the World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests on the feast of the Sacred Heart in June so that "the priesthood might be protected in the hands of Jesus, rather in his heart, so it could be open to everyone." During this month of June, we are reminded of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, to call to mind Christ's love for us, which is visible in a special way in the image of His pierced heart, and we pray that our own hearts might be conformed to His, calling us to love and respect all His people.

*Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place my trust in thee.  
Jesus, meek and humble of heart, makes our hearts like unto Thine.*

**Mass for the feast of the Sacred Heart will be celebrated on June 27th. at 8:30 a.m., followed by devotions to the Sacred Heart and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.**



**JOIN US FOR PARISH BBQ** on Sunday June 22, 2025, at 12:00 p.m. in the back parking lot BBQ Menu: Hamburgers & hotdogs (with all the fixin's), juice, pop, water and potluck salads & desserts. **Each family is asked to bring a salad or dessert.** (There is no refrigeration on site. To keep your salad or dessert fresh, be sure to keep it on ice in a cooler.) Don't forget your lawn chairs!

**All BBQ volunteers are asked to gather on Sunday June 22 at 10:30 a.m. in the parish back parking lot to start setting up.**

### SUMMER OFFICE HOURS:

**JULY & AUGUST:** The Parish office will be open Tues to Thurs 9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m. and Friday 9:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m.



**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CORNER** During May, we provided emergency food assistance to 22 families and 5 singles. We received \$749 in collections from our parishioners during May. These funds are essential for our ongoing efforts to support those in need within our community. We appreciate your support and generosity! Our donation boxes will be in the Church vestibule on June 28th and 29th.





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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