

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 Food donation bin - back

Weekday Mass

Wednesday & Friday: 8:30 am

Tuesday: 7:00 pm Thursday: 12:00 pm

Holy Rosary: Wednesday & Friday: 8:10 am Welcome New Members

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.

of the Church. Donations by E-transfer

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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 smurrin@hamiltondiocese.com

Permanent deacon: Rev Mr. T.J. Han tjhan@hamiltondiocese.com

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OFFICE HOURS

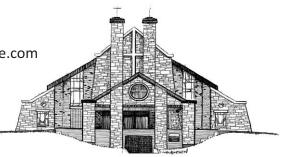
Monday: Closed

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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JULY 1 to JULY 6

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| TUESDAY – JULY 1 | 7:0 | 0 p.m. | No Mass | | |
| Ferial | | | | | |
| WEDNESDAY-JULY 2 | 8:3 | 8:30 a.m. +Richard & Maria Odella | | | |
| Ferial | | de'Rozario – Naomi & | | | mi & |
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| THURSDAY-JULY 3 | 12:0 | 00 p.m. | m. Special Intention of | | |
| St. Thomas – Feast | Fraites Family – Pat Wall | | Pat Wall | | |
| FRIDAY- JULY 4 | 8:3 | 0 a.m. | + Georgina Bowers – | | |
| Ferial | | | Brenda Cliche | | |
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| SATURDAY-JULY 5 | 7:00 p.m. | | +Basil Hammoud – | | |
| Vigil | | | Family | | |
| SUNDAY-JULY 6 | 9:00 a.m. | | + Peter Granic - Angela | | |
| 14 th Sunday in Ordinary | | | Granic & Family | | |
| Time | 11:00 a.m. | | Living & deceased | | |
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| Parish |
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| Finance |
| Report |
| Week of |



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

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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 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**

Solemnity of St. Peter and St. Paul



Peter and Paul are giants of the Church. Both are apostles. Peter was very likely a middle-aged man when Jesus called him. He was a fisherman from Bethsaida, a village near the Lake of Galilee. Perhaps he was part of a fisherman's co-op with his brother Andrew and friends James and John. At any rate, Andrew introduced Peter to Jesus. Jesus said, "You are Simon son of John; you are to be called Cephas, meaning Rock."

During the three years the apostles lived with Jesus, Peter showed

definite signs of leadership. He was often the spokesman for the group. When Jesus asked, "Who do you say I am?" Peter replied, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." It was Peter who objected to Jesu' stating that he was on his way to Jerusalem to suffer and die. Peter is mentioned 195 times in the New Testament. He appears lovable, impetuous, practical, and sometimes weak under pressure. Jesus loved him dearly, even after Peter denied knowing him during the passion

Peter became the leader in the early Church. According to the Acts of the Apostles, he was the first to preach on Pentecost. He arranged for the selection of Matthias to replace Judas. He worked the first public miracle: curing the lame man at the temple gate. He welcomed the first person who was not Jewish into the Church. People thought just his shadow passing by would cure them.

Peter was imprisoned three or four times, and finally, in Rome, he was sentenced to death by crucifixion. Out of respect for his Master, Jesus, he asked the guard to fasten him to the cross upside down. He was buried in an old Roman cemetery, probably where the basilica of St. Peter is today. He is called the "Prince of the Apostles." Two letters in the Bible are said to be his.

Paul received the best education. Being a strict Jew, he persecuted the Christians who were teaching strange new things. One day on the way to Damascus to hunt for Christians, Paul met Jesus. Paul became the greatest Christian missionary, preaching and founding churches. In the beginning Paul had difficulty convincing the Jewish Christians that non-Jews could be baptized and did not have to follow Jewish rules. He finally won.

For about thirty years Paul traveled around the Roman Empire preaching about Christ and suffering. From his many letters that are in the Bible and from the Acts of the Apostles, he seems to have been affectionate, loyal, courageous, and dedicated. He was the right man to build the bridge between Jewish religion of the Old Testament and the Christianity of the New Testament. Paul was imprisoned and finally beheaded outside of the walls of Rome. St. Peter and St. Paul, pray for us. (Loyola Press)

THE NEXT SUNDAY BULLETIN: Will be published on the weekend August 2/3. Mass intentions will be posted on our parish bulletin boards.

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.



OFFICE HOURS FOR THIS WEEK

This week the office will have modified hours while Patrycja is on vacation. Regular office hours resume the following week.

Monday, June 30 Closed

Tuesday, July 1 Closed – Canada Day Wed, July 2 9:00 am. to 12:00 pm. Thurs, July 3 9:00 am. to 12:00 pm. Friday, July 4 9:00 am. to 12:00 pm.

O God. you created the earth to be our dwelling as we journey toward our heavenly home. We praise you for the riches of this land that feeds and sustains us. We



thank you for the kindness of those who welcomed the newcomers who settled here. We thank you for the faith of those who worked to build a just society that honours you. We ask you to send your Spirit upon our gathering this morning. Open our hearts with gratitude for your blessings, with repentance for our failures, and grant us unshakeable hope, to build a future that glorifies you in all things. We ask you this through Jesus Christ, your Son and our Lord. Amen.

Masses for the Month of July

Sunday, June 29 - Solemnity of St. Peter and St. Paul 9am. -

11am -

Monday, June 30 - no Mass

Tuesday, July 1- no Mass

Wednesday, July 2 – Ferial +Richard & Maria Odella de'Rozario Thursday, July 3 - St. Thomas, Feast - Special Intention of Fraites Family

Friday, July 4 - Ferial - + Georgina Bowers

No First Saturday Mass

Saturday, July 5 - 14th Sunday, Ordinary Time

7pm. - +Basil Hammoud

Sunday, July 6th - Fourteenth Sunday, Ordinary Time

9am. - + Peter Granic

11am - Living & deceased members of our parish

Monday, July 7 - no Mass

Tuesday, July 8 – Ferial - +Millie Deck

Wednesday, July 9- Ferial - +Richelle Daddeliyanage

Thursday, July 10 – Ferial - +Joseph Fiamelli

Friday, July 11 - St. Benedict, Memorial - +Holy Souls

Saturday, July 12 - 15th Sunday, Ordinary Time

7pm. - + Peter Granic

Sunday, July 13 - Fifteenth Sunday Ordinary Time

9am. – Special Intention

11am - Living & deceased members of our parish

Monday, July 14 - no Mass

Tuesday, July 15 - St. Bonaventure, Memorial – Special Intention of Szozda & Saunders Families

Wednesday, July 16 - Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Memorial -+Richelle Daddeliyanage

Thursday, July 17 – Ferial - +Vern Gonsalves

Friday, July 18 – Ferial – Special Intention of Donna Dorscht

Saturday, July 19 - 16th Sunday, Ordinary Time.

7pm. + Jerome (Butch) Voisin

Sunday, July 20 - Sixteenth Sunday Ordinary Time

9am. - +Don Rath

11am - Living & deceased members of our parish

Monday, July 21 - no Mass

Tuesday, July 22 - St. Mary Magdalene, Feast - +Ruth Ann Langford

Wednesday, July 23 - St. Bridget, Memorial - +Hermanus Smit

Thursday, July 24 – Ferial - +Vlado Gangl

Friday, July 25 - St. James, Feast - +Luke McAuley

Saturday, July 26 - 17th Sunday, Ordinary Time.

7pm. + Peter Granic

Sunday, July 27- Seventeenth Sunday Ordinary Time

9am. - +John, Jessie, Helen Maley

11am - Living & deceased members of our parish

Monday, July 28 - no Mass

Tuesday, July 29 - St. Martha, Mary and Lazarus, Memorial -+Adela Schudek

Wednesday, July 30 – Ferial - + Peter Granic

Thursday, July 31 - St. Ignatius of Loyola, Memorial - +Alice Preiditsch

Friday, August 1 - St. Alphonsus Liguori, Memorial - +Lucy, Rock, Jack, Melvyn, Rudy Pereira Family

No First Saturday Mass

Saturday, August 2 - 18th Sunday, Ordinary Time.

7pm - +Dominic Fama



PARISH BBQ

Thank you for everyone who helped with Last Sunday's BBQ and for Patrycja for organizing the event. It was a very hot and humid day to remember, but despite the weather, many braved the conditions. I wish everyone a happy, safe and relaxing

summer. Fr. Steve and Nicholas

Mass on Thursdays will conclude with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Congratulations to our Graduation students

Heavenly Father,



Surround those who are graduating with your grace. Bless them with hope so that they move into the future with eager and open hearts. Help them to put the knowledge, skills, and insights

gained through their education for the good of all mankind. Inspire them to believe in the goodness of life even when faced with challenges and difficulties. As they commence their lives, may they grow even more grateful and wise. Amen.

real estate needs.

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

Henry Walser

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