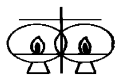


Please Note: For Confession times, refer to bulletin cover.



MASS INTENTIONS

June 18 - 24, 2018

- Monday** (ferial) *1 Kings 21.1-16, Matthew 5.38-42*
8:15 am +Antonio De Sousa – Family
 +Carmin Veigas – The Stained Glass Guild
- Tuesday** (ferial) *1 Kings 21.17-29, Matthew 5.43-48*
8:15 am + Rita Guenther – Ray & Mary Catherine Smith
7:00 pm + Tom & Milli – Joan Coley
Healing Mass
- Wednesday** (ferial) *2 Kings 2.1, 6-14, Matthew 6.1-6, 16-18*
8:15 am + John Soltys – Family
 + Tom Hishon – Wilf & Brenda
- Thursday** (memorial) *St. Aloysius Gonzaga, religious*
Sirach 48.1-14, Matthew 6.7-15
8:15 am + Ramon Aguto – Legion of Mary
 +Martin Bolger – Karl & Ruth Ann Gmach
- Friday** (ferial) *2 Kings 11.1-4, 9-18, 20, Matthew 6.19-23*
8:15 am - Int. of Father Z. Baranowski – David & Valerie
 +Jose Pimentel – Mary Alves

Saturday (ferial) *2 Chronicles 24.17-25, Matthew 6.24-34*
8:15 am +All Souls in Purgatory - Rosa

THE NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

Jeremiah 1.4-10, 1 Peter 1.8-12, Luke 1.5-17

- Sat. 5:00 pm** -Special Intention – James Schmelefske
Sun. 9:00 am + A.J. & Mary Mathew - Ashi
11:00 am + Ligi Mukalel – The Mukalel Family
7:00 pm - Int. of the Parishioners of St. Aloysius and
 + Those in Our Parish Book of Life

Schedule of Events

June 18 - 24, 2018

- Monday**
 • Glass Cutting Guild..... 7:00 pm
- Tuesday**
 • Prayer Hour for Vocations 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
- Wednesday**
 • Celebrating the Word Bible Study9:00 – 11:00 am
- Thursday**
 • Legion of Mary 9:00 am & 7:30 pm
- Friday**
 • Divine Mercy Hour for the Unborn (Library Ent.)..... 3:00 pm
- Sunday**
 • St. Aloysius Feast & Picnic

OFFERTORY REPORT

212 CONTRIBUTORS . . .(Average - \$19.66).....	\$4,167.25
Pre-Authorized Giving	\$1,068.00
LOOSE	\$1,185.00
Offertory Collection 10-06-18	\$6,420.25

Please remember St. Aloysius's Parish in your will. (The Bequest Clause can be added to your existing Will as a codicil).

Bequest Clause

I give and bequeath to the Roman Catholic Diocese of Hamilton, under a special Act of legislative Assembly of Ontario, and whose offices are located in _____ for the benefit of St. Aloysius Parish, Kitchener; the sum of \$__dollars, or __percentage of the Estate, or the total of the residue of the Estate.



Parish Life

Church Feast Picnic - Sunday June 24th, St Aloysius Feast Mass at 11:00am will be celebrated by Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations for Hamilton Diocese. I invite you join us for Mass and for the church picnic in the afternoon. Remember to bring a friend with you. Fr Jerome

Thank you - I would like to thank all the catechists, teachers, volunteers who helped us for children's liturgy throughout the year. We had a very successful, fruitful sessions and good attendance, well done all.

Healing Mass - There will be a **Mass of Anointing for the sick**, here, on **Tuesday, June 19** at 7:00pm. Please plan to attend and bring your friends and relatives who feel unwell. Let the healing Jesus touch us and bring comfort to us.

NOTE: Summer Weekday Mass Schedule begins week of July 1. Please refer to the front of your bulletin for times.

Summer Hours for Church Office for July and August

- Mondays: CLOSED ALL DAY**
 Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays:
 8:30am – 12pm and 1pm – 4 pm
Fridays: CLOSED ALL DAY

THE OFFICE WILL ALSO BE CLOSED FROM AUGUST 3 – AUGUST 13 INCLUSIVE.

We have embarked on our **5th year of lawn care** done by the men of St. Aloysius Parish....this ministry was initiated to eliminate the huge expense of contracting a commercial landscaping company..... it must continue if we are to have a strong, vibrant, inviting parish community. We need 16-20 men divided into 4 teams to commit to 1 ½ - 2 hours, once a month from May-Oct to help cut the lawn.....schedules cater to your free time.....we have morning, afternoon, evening times from Monday to Friday and morning for Saturday. Please be generous with your time.....this very essential ministry must be continued. Contact me personally if you have any questions. Dave @ 519-998-4158.

FOUND: Man's ring and woman's chain. Contact the church office.



**Come one, come all
for fun at the
St. Aloysius Family
Feast and Picnic**

**and
Farewell to Fr. Roshan
Magic show! Face Painting!
Live music! Free food! Many
More Exciting events!**

When: Sunday, June 24th

2-5 pm

Rain or Shine

Where: St. Aloysius Church

Bring your lawn chairs, water bottles, sun screen
and hat

Sign-up sheets at each entrance

Please Note...

Hearts Set Ablaze Retreat June 22-24: for girls 11-15, led by the Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate. A weekend of faith, friendship, prayer, and fun! The cost is \$75 and applications can be downloaded at <http://solisisters.ca/youthretreats.html> Questions about the retreat may be directed to Sr. Mary Augustine rmaryaugustine@solisisters.ca.

"FATAL FLAWS" FILM SCREENING: THE DANGERS OF MEDICAL 'AID' IN DYING LAW - Are assisted dying laws leading society down a dangerous path? It's time to learn about the issue as it is experienced in lived reality. Local filmmaker and Kevin Dunn has spent the past three years travelling throughout Canada, The Netherlands, Belgium and the USA to learn more about the answer to this important question. Critics say "FATAL FLAWS" is a must-see for every patient, person or medical caregiver who wants to understand the difference between medical killing and medically-responsible caring. The film is produced by DunnMedia in association with the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition. Join us and learn more on **Monday, June 25** at 7 PM at SilverCity Hamilton Mountain Cinemas. Tickets can be purchased online, or/and to find out how to bring the film to your area contact FatalFlawsFilm.com or by emailing margaret@dunnmedia.ca.

Do you have ideas on how to support families in our Diocese? We want to hear from you! "The family is the community in which, from childhood, one can learn moral values, begin to honor God, and make good use of freedom. Family life is an initiation into life in society. (CCC #2207)" Home is the setting where an individual's physical, mental, emotional and spiritual growth is supported. Like a garden, a home must be tended, appreciated, nurtured and respected in order to thrive. Families today need more support than ever as they raise the future generation. **Are you willing to add your voice at our gathering this fall to discover ways we can help families?** If yes, call Lena at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or e-mail familyministry@hamiltodiocese.com

44th Annual Pilgrimage to the Shrines of Quebec: August 6 – 10. Visit Cap-de-la-Madeleine, Ste.-Anne-De Beupré & St. Joseph's Oratory. For information call: Angie 1-519-766-5262, Erna 519-743-1030 or Rose 519-744-5923. Spiritual Advisor to be announced.

The Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate have an opening for a "Personal Support Worker" position at the Marian Residence Retirement Home in Cambridge (640 Hillview Road). A PSW Certification is preferred. If interested, please contact directly at 519-653-0363 or marianresidence@bellnet.ca

Knights of Columbus: We have marked a milestone. The 108-year-old Kitchener Knights of Columbus, widely renowned for our community fund-raising events, have reached a pinnacle of charitable giving. Over the past 20 years alone, we've donated close to \$750 thousand dollars to many local organizations, parishes and individuals, a new record in charitable giving. The members of **Council 1504** wish to **thank you for your continued support**. Without the sponsorship from our parishes and their parishioners, our task would indeed be much more arduous. You have helped the Kitchener Knights of Columbus make our parishes and neighborhoods better places today. Again, thank you for patronizing the K of C charitable events and God bless.

Donations by the Kitchener Knights of Columbus, Council 1504

1998 – 2017

Church Parishes	\$ 90,630
Schools	62,585
Hospitals	130,959
Social Agencies	157,185
St. Vincent de Paul	207,750
Right to Life	35,216
Missionaries	13,602
CWL	1,350
Everyday Heroes	7,780
Misc	39,937

TOTAL: \$747,000

From the pastor's desk

Meaning of The Kingdom of God

Dear friends: Jesus teaches us that the kingdom of God is like a seed that the farmer sows. He scatters the seed and goes away. It silently, slowly grows. The first lesson for us is that we must do the sowing but we can't do everything. Having done what we can, we must leave the rest to God's hand. Night and day, even without our knowing, that seed sprouts, shoots and grows. We sow but it is God who gives the growth. Therefore, let us try to sow the Word of God. Secondly, the lesson that we learn is the hiddenness and smallness of quiet beginnings. The mustard seed at the time of sowing is the smallest of seeds, but when it grows it becomes the biggest shrub of all. Great things always begin in a small, hidden and quiet way; they are not spectacular but silent, so let us not worry about its size. The third lesson we learn from today's parables is that the seed that grows into trees with branches bearing fruit, providing shelter, are all meant for others. A tree never offers shade for itself, neither are its fruits consumed by the tree. They are meant to be removed and eaten by others. Therefore, they never expect anything in return but everything is for the glory of God.

Fr Jerome Mascarenhas