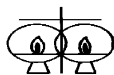


Please Note: For Confession times, refer to bulletin cover.



**MASS INTENTIONS** December 24-30, 2018

**Monday** (solemnity) **CHRISTMAS EVE**  
*Isaiah 62.1-5, Acts 13.16-17, 22-25, Matthew 1.1-25*

- 5:00 pm** - All Children & Youth of the Parish
- 8:00 pm** - For all Priests & Consecrated Persons
- 12:00 am** - Peace & Justice Throughout the World



**Tuesday** (solemnity) **CHRISTMAS DAY**  
*Isaiah 62.11-12, Titus 3.4-7, Luke 2.15-20*

- 9:00 am** - Sick & Suffering Members of the Parish
- 11:00 am** - Memorial Mass

**NO EVENING MASS**

**Wednesday** (feast) *St. Stephen, the first martyr*  
*Acts 6.8-10, 7.54-59, Matthew 10.17-22*

- 8:15 am** + Jose Costa - Eduarda
- +Luis Falcao – Jeanette & Don

**Thursday** (feast) *St. John, apostle, evangelist*  
*1 John 1.1-4, John 20.2-8*

- 8:15 am** + Lucy De Amorim - Parents
- +Irene Jasencak – Legion of Mary

**Friday** (feast) *The Holy Innocents, martyrs*  
*1 John 1.5 – 2.2, Matthew 2.13-18*

- 8:15 am** + Rita Rudolph – Wilf & Brenda
- Int. of Joe and Magdalena Schroth

**Saturday** *Fifth Day Within the Octave of the Nativity*  
*1 John 2.3-11, Luke 2.22-35*

**8:15 am NO MASS**

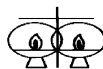
**The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph**  
*Sirach 3.2-6, 12-14, Colossians 3.12-21, Luke 2.41-52*

- Sat. 5:00 pm** +Maureen Fernandez – The Coelho Family
- Sun. 9:00 am** + Jose Costa - Arminda
- 11:00 am** -In Thanksgiving – Trevor & Brinell Coelho
- 7:00 pm** - Int. of the Parishioners of St. Aloysius and + Those in Our Parish Book of Life

**Schedule of Events** Dec 24/18- Jan. 6, 2019

- Wednesday** (January 2)
  - C.W.L. Executive Meeting..... 7:30 pm
- Thursday** (December 27 & January 3)
  - Legion of Mary .....9:00 am
- Friday** (December 28 & January 4)
  - Divine Mercy Hour for the Unborn (Library Ent.)..... 3:00 pm

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**MASS INTENTIONS** Dec. 31/18 – Jan. 6, 2018

**Monday** *Seventh Day Within the Octave of the Nativity*  
*1 John 2.18-21, John 1.1-18*

- 8:15 am** +Mary Finnigan – Richard & Patricia
- 5:00 pm** +Rose Zach – Lois Tessner

**Tuesday** (solemnity) *The Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God*  
*Numbers 6.22-27, Galatians 4.4-7, Luke 2.16-21*

- 9:00 am** + Jose Costa - Arminda
- 11:00 am** -Int. of the Parishioners of St. Aloysius and those whose names are written in our Parish Book of Life

**Wednesday** (memorial) *St. Basil the Great and St. Gregory Nazianzen, bishops, doctors*  
*1 John 2.22-28, John 1.19-28*

- 8:15 am** + Ramon Aguto – Lerma & Family
- +Margaret McCracken – Ann Stuart

**Thursday** (ferial) *1 John 2.29; 3.1-6, John 1.29-34*

- 8:15 am** -In Thanksgiving – Robert & Amparo Nesbitt
- +Fernande Puren – Puren/D’Silva Families

**Friday** (ferial) *1 John 3.7-10, John 1.35-42*

- 8:15 am** +Mr. & Mrs. Monte - Rosa
- +Cecile Mowatt – Ralph Mowatt
- Exposition**
- 10:00 am** **Benediction**

**Saturday** (ferial) *1 John 3.11-21, John 1.43-51*

- 8:15 am** +Karen Dietrich – Ross & Virginia Albert

**EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

*Isaiah 60.1-6, Ephesians 3.2-3a, 5-6, Matthew 2.1-12*

- Sat. 5:00 pm** +Jose Lopes da Costa – The Da Costa Family
- Sun. 9:00 am** + Mr. Montefore - Rosa
- 11:00 am** +Ramon Aguto – Lerma & Family
- 7:00 pm** +Ivan Kelenc, Sr. – Ivan Kelenc, Jr.

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**

There will be a **Mass of Anointing for the sick**, here, on **Tuesday, January 8** 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.

**RECONCILIATION** – 5:30 – 6:45 PM OR 7 – 8:15 PM – Parish Centre  
**LESSON 4 – JANUARY 9**  
**CONFIRMATION CLASSES** for children in Public Schools: - 7:30pm – 9pm  
**LESSON 3 – JANUARY 8**    **LESSON 4 – JANUARY 15**

**Elections for the CWL Executive** will take place at the **January General Meeting**. We are in need of women to take on roles such as President, Treasurer, Secretary, etc. Any member in good standing may run for a position. Please read the notice on the bulletin board in the entrance vestibule, and submit your name, or the name of someone you would like to nominate in the box provided. Without good leadership, our organization cannot thrive.

**The Waterloo Catholic District School Board** is currently accepting applications for **“Occasional Teachers”**. Please visit [www.wcdsb.ca](http://www.wcdsb.ca) for job details and application criteria.

*From the pastor’s desk*

**God is with us**

Dear friends: Blessed Christmas to all. It’s the story of God’s love for us. For God so loved the world that in the fullness of time He sent His only begotten son, born of a woman, to save and redeem us from sin and death. Today our hearts beat with the joy of being saved, freed and loved. St John writes, the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us. Jesus, who is Immanuel, is ever present, is in a special way with us once again as we come together to share the joy of Christmas. Let us celebrate Christ’s birth with the great hope of knowing that He loves us always. Let us share the joy of Christmas with everyone. I take this opportunity to thank everyone for your continued support towards many different spiritual ministries, organizations, volunteering in various outreach programs, and working towards building up a strong community. I wish and pray that the year 2019 brings us good tidings of peace, Joy and good health to all.

*Fr Jerome Mascarenhas*



**The staff of St. Aloysius Parish wishes you a Blessed and Happy Christmas Season: Fr. Jerome, Fr. Venil, Carol, Gaye and Mauricio**



**ST. ALOYSIUS PARISH CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE 2018 – 2019**

**Confessions**

**Regular Confession Times:**

Tuesday: 6-6:45pm. Saturday: 3-430pm or by appointment

**CHRISTMAS**

**Mass for Christmas Eve, Monday, December 24**

Children’s Christmas Mass & Pageant .....5 pm  
 Family Christmas Eve Mass..... 8 pm  
 Christmas Midnight Mass..... 12 am

**Mass for Christmas Day, Tuesday, December 25**

Christmas Day Masses:.....9 am and 11 am  
*(no evening Mass)*

**NEW YEAR**

**Mass for the Feast of Mary, Mother of God**

Monday, Dec 31 at 5 pm  
 Tuesday, Jan 1 at 9 am & 11 am  
*(no evening Mass)*



**Christmas Church Décor...**

Donations in memory of loved ones can be appropriate expressions of remembrance during the Christmas Season. You are invited to contribute toward the cost of flowers for church décor this year.



The *Mass on Christmas Day, Tuesday, December 25, 2018 at 11:00 am* will be celebrated for those in whose memory the donations were made.

**MY OFFERING FOR CHURCH DÉCOR**

*In Loving Memory of...*

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YOUR NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

ENVELOPE # \_\_\_\_\_ DONATION: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*Place this form with your donation in a plain envelope marked “**CHURCH DÉCOR**” and drop it in the collection basket, or mail it or drop it off at the Parish Office.*