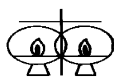


Please Note: For Confession times, refer to bulletin cover.



MASS INTENTIONS January 14 - 20, 2019

Monday (ferial) *Hebrews 1.1-6, Mark 1.14-20*
8:15 am +Marion Bickers – Helen Delaney
 -Int. of Arminda Pacheco – LeeAnn Paiva

Tuesday (ferial) *Hebrews 2.5-12, Mark 1.21-28*
8:15 am -Int. of Michael & Diana Perry - Rosa
7:00 pm -Int. of Tiffany & Steve - Jane

Wednesday (ferial) *Hebrews 2.14-18, Mark 1.29-39*
8:15 am + Rosie Zach – Lois Tessner & Sisters
 +John Lundrigan – Hannah & Brendan

Thursday (memorial) *St. Anthony, abbott*
Hebrews 3.7-14, Mark 1.40-45
8:15 am + Marion Bickers – Legion of Mary
 +Jose Edwin Caluag – Maria Caluag
10:30 am *St. Aloysius School Mass*

Friday (ferial) *Hebrews 4.1-5, 11, Mark 2.1-12*
8:15 am + All Souls in Purgatory - Arminda
 +Jose Pimental – Mary Alves

Saturday (ferial) *Hebrews 4.12-16, Mark 2.13-17*
8:15 am +Delia Ramluken – Ted Ramluken

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Isaiah 62.1-5, 1 Corinthians 12.4-11, John 2.1-12
Sat. 5:00 pm +Fr. Bernard Black – Wilf & Brenda
Sun. 9:00 am -Int. of Shirley DuCharme – Mary O’Malley
11:00 am +Fr. Bernie Black – Jeanette, Don & Family
Sunday School for children 3-7 years old – Parish Centre
7:00 pm - Int. of the Parishioners of St. Aloysius and
 + Those in Our Parish Book of Life
Prayers for Expectant Mothers at all Masses

Schedule of Events Jan 14 - 20, 2019

- Monday**
- Celebrating the Word Bible Study9:00 – 11:00 am
 - Stained Glass Guild..... 7:00 pm
- Tuesday**
- Prayer Hour for Vocations 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
 - Confirmation **Lesson 4** (Public Schools) 7:30-9pm
- Wednesday**
- First Communion **Lesson 1**..... 5:30-6:45 OR 7:00 – 8:15 pm
 - 5pm Choir Practice – see/call Valerie
- Thursday**
- Legion of Mary9:00 am
- Friday**
- Divine Mercy Hour for the Unborn (Library Ent.)..... 3:00 pm
- Saturday**
- That Man is You (Men’s Study Group)6:30 am
 - Altar Server’s Training Meeting 10am – 12pm

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.



OFFERTORY REPORT

183 CONTRIBUTORS . . . (Average - \$16.61).....	\$3,038.70
Pre-Authorized Giving.....	\$1,159.00
LOOSE	\$612.00
Offertory Collection 06-01-19	\$4,809.70
208 CONTRIBUTORS . . . (Average - \$17.90).....	\$3,577.00
Pre-Authorized Giving.....	\$1,159.00
LOOSE	\$1,092.00
Offertory Collection 30-12-18	\$5,828.00
213 CONTRIBUTORS . . . (Average - \$27.71).....	\$5,903.00
Pre-Authorized Giving.....	\$1,159.00
LOOSE	\$1,087.00
Offertory Collection 23-12-18	\$8,149.00
Christmas Offerings: \$14,387.00	

Parish Life

Children’s Mass



We welcome parents and children to our Children’s Mass, assisted by **St. Kateri School** on **January 27, at 11am**. Children will have a special blessing after the Homily. It’s our great desire that children give thought to the importance of Mass and the Eucharist.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES for children in Public Schools: - 7:30pm – 9pm
LESSON 4 – JANUARY 15

FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES: (WEDNESDAYS, 5:30PM-6:45PM OR 7:00PM – 8:15PM)

Lesson 1: January 16 Lesson 2: January 30
 Lesson 3: February 6 Lesson 4: February 13

First Reconciliation Celebration

St. Kateri & Public Schools 7:00 pm February 20
 St. Aloysius & St. Timothy 10:00 am February 23

First Communion Retreat/Rehearsal

St. Kateri & Public Schools 10-12:30pm April 27
 St. Aloysius & St. Timothy 10-12:30pm May 4

First Communion Mass

St. Kateri and Public Schools 1:00pm April 28
 St. Aloysius & St. Timothy 1:00pm May 5

Altar Servers Training Session - I would like to invite all **Altar Servers**, old and new, to attend our **training session on Saturday, January 19**, from 10am – 12pm. It is an important, fun, exciting event. If anyone is not currently enrolled on the list but is interested in becoming a Server, please join us.

Fr. Venil

C.W.L. General Meeting - We invite all CWL members to our January 23rd meeting at 7:00pm. We will be serving hot hors d'oeuvres and punch. There will be door prizes and games. We would love for you to join us.

Dear Women of the CWL council: We are in **dire** need of a president for our council. This position could also be done with two women as co-presidents. *If no one steps forward* by our January 23rd general meeting, ***it will be necessary to close our council!*** We do not want this to happen. Please pray, and ask if you are being called to this position. Contact Monika at 519-748-6056 to leave your name, or get more information.



Mark your calendar now for our pot-luck supper on **Friday, January 25** in the Parish Centre. Doors open at 5:30. Meal starts at 6pm. Coffee, tea and fruit punch provided. Please **sign up** ahead of time on the poster at one of the church entrances so we will have enough tables set up for all. Hope you can make it!!! It will be a great time to catch up with old friends.

Movie night resumes Sunday, **January 27** at 8:10pm. This month we will be showing *Popieluszko*: the true story of a modern martyr. This powerful film is about Blessed Jerry Popieluszko, the courageous young priest who was the chaplain of the Polish trade union, Solidarity, in the 1980s. It is a compelling story of events that shaped Polish freedom at the cost of this man's life.

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in March 2019 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

Please Note...

Faith Enrichment at St. Louis Church in Waterloo:

Mondays at 7:30 pm to 9 pm – Frances Hogan's Gospel of Lukem, starting **Jan. 14th** – It is a detailed study of the author, setting and all the action in this Gospel which we hear on Sundays during 2019. No cost. Bring your Bible. **Thursdays at 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm** –

Lectio: Mark: Faith not Fear series led by Dr. Tim Gray, starting on **Jan. 17th** – Do you follow Jesus 'on the way'? Is the Gospel of Mark only a "condensed" version of the life of Christ? What does it offer us that the Gospels of Matthew, Luke, and John do not? Join Dr. Tim Gray, in this powerful fourteen-part series to discover the Gospel of Mark like never before. Immerse yourself in this action-packed Gospel that offers Saint Peter's account of Christ's life and teaching. No cost for the course. Workbook \$25.

Both evenings take place in the large Hall, St. Louis Church (53 Allen St. E, Wloo). Enter via side elevator. For more information call 519-743-4101.

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Healthy Relationships Share Common Skills – Come and Learn More! "Keys to Loving Relationships" is a ten week video-based program that all people (married, dating, or single) can use to develop the skills

needed to have a truly meaningful relationship with a spouse, family member or friend. Learn how to become a better "me" in all your relationships! The program is offered in both Kitchener and Hamilton as follows:

In Kitchener: St. Mark's Parish, 55 Driftwood Dr, Kitchener (519-571-9200), Tuesday evenings from 7PM to 9 P.M. **January 22 - March 19**

In Hamilton: Diocesan Chancery Office, 700 King St. W., Hamilton, Thursday evenings from 7PM to 9PM, **March 21 - May 30.**

Cost is \$45. For more information or to register, please call the Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988 ext. 2249 or register at: www.hamiltondiocese.com under the start date below

Seeking the Sacred: The Soul's Slow Ripening - a Senior Adult Workshop Series, 7 Tuesday afternoons, starting **Jan. 29**, 1:30- 3:30pm, Chancery Office in Hamilton. This 7 part workshop/study session explores twelve unique Celtic-Christian spiritual practices. These 12 practices are intended to give practical ways for us to deepen our relationship with God and all of creation. This course will be facilitated by Sister Mary Heather MacKinnon SSND. **The cost will be \$35, which includes the text.** Please register by **Jan. 25**. For further information contact 905-52807988 ext. 2238 or check the website, www.hamiltondiocese.com

Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe March 26 - April 2, 2019, with Fr Luke Kopaniak S.A.C. Pastor St Mary's in Brantford. For more information please see www.pilgrimdeaconrandy.com or email randalmatters@gmail.com

The Waterloo Catholic District School Board is currently accepting applications for "**Occasional Teachers**". Please visit www.wcdsb.ca for job details and application criteria.

There is Hope after an Abortion - Are you struggling with an abortion decision – either your own, or someone else's? Do you feel alone, emotional, or angry? Project Rachel is a ministry of healing for any person suffering pain or problems from an abortion experience. This confidential service allows people to work through their feelings and find hope and healing. Please contact us at 905-526-1999 or toll free at 1-888-385-3850.

From the pastor's desk

Baptism of the Lord, presence of the Trinity

Dear friends: The celebration of the Baptism of Jesus, brings to an end the Season of Christmas. The Baptism of Jesus is one event recorded in the gospel when all three persons of the Holy Trinity are present. The voice of the Father is heard proclaiming Jesus as His son, Beloved. Jesus Himself, on being baptized comes up out of the water. The spirit comes down on Him like a dove. This even takes place when we are baptized as babies, or adults. God the Father calls us His beloved children. With Jesus we emerge from the water having died to sin. The Spirit descends on us empowering us with His gifts of grace to continue the mission of Christ. How truly blessed we are. It's our responsibility to begin to proclaim the message of Christ to all the nations. Let the triune God be our guide.

Fr Jerome Mascarenhas