

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

Oct. 27, 2019 A.D.
27th Sunday in Ordinary Time



THIS WEEK MASSES

Mon., Oct. 28 8:00 am	<i>Sts. Simon & Jude</i> Priest's Intention
Tues., Oct. 29 7:00 pm	Int. of Debbie & Brian Barrett req. William & Odessa Barrett
Thurs., Oct. 31 8:00 am	† Jisho Joseph req. Family
Fri., Nov. 1 8:00 am	<i>All Saints</i> Int. of Thomas Michael John req. Sijimol Jose Mass at Millwood Manor Priest's Intention
2:00 pm 7:00 pm	
Sat., Nov. 2 9:00 am 5:30 pm	<i>All Souls' Day</i> † Souls in Purgatory † Ildebrando Silveira req. Maria Silveira † Maria & Lorenzo Capa req. Family † Jose Estaves req. Maria Estaves † Souls in Purgatory req. Julia Domingues
Sun., Oct. 3 11:00 am	<i>St. Martin de Porres</i> Intention of Parishioners † Dec'd Bishops, Priests & Deacons who have served in the Diocese of Hamilton † Souls in Purgatory req. Antonia & Antonio Arruda Eritrean Community Mass
1:30 pm	



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
Wednesday after 7 pm Mass
in the Rectory Chapel

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Average weekly contribution needed to cover budgeted expenses:	\$	3500.00
Oct. 20, 2019 envelopes (79)	\$	2128.40
Oct. 20, 2019 loose change	\$	158.05
World Mission Sunday	\$	1058.00
Thank you for your generous support!		
Parish Bequests: Keep your love for your parish alive!		
Please Remember St. Joseph's in your Will and when recommending expressions of sympathy.		

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR

This week please pray for:

Mon., Oct. 28	Rev. Joseph de Viveiros, C.R.
Tues., Oct. 29	Rev. Francisco Kwak
Wed., Oct. 30	Disclaled Carmelite Sisters
Thurs., Oct. 31	Rev. Marian Gil, O.M.I.
Sat., Nov. 2	Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

INTENTIONS FOR SANCTUARY LAMP

Week of Oct. 28, 2019:

Main Church –
Chapel –
Requests accepted by placing an envelope with the intention and a donation of \$10 in the collection basket.



YOUTH GROUP

Jr Youth (grades 1-4) meets next on Sat., Nov. 2nd at 2 pm in the Parish Hall.

Youth Group (grades 5-8 or older) is invited to join our next Youth Group meeting at St Anne on Fri., Nov. 1st from 6-8:30 pm. After dinner we'll be preparing for our first fundraiser of the year. Kindly remember your \$2 to help with the cost of supper. Also, don't forget to sign up for a time to volunteer at the Craft and Vendor sale on Sat.,



Nov. 2nd. For more details email stjosephkitcheneryouth@gmail.com

Mark Your Calendar

- **CWL Ladies Luncheon** – meeting with voting, Oct. 27, 12 noon – 3 pm, church hall
- **Special Second Collection: Building Fund**, weekend of Nov. 2/3
- **Fall Craft & Vendor Sale** – Nov. 2, 9am-1pm
- **Coffee Sunday** – Nov. 3
- **Memorial Service** – Nov. 10, 4 pm

SACRAMENT INFO 2019-2020

First Reconciliation & First Communion

The registration date for First Reconciliation and First Communion has now passed. If you are not signed up but have a child in grade 2 or above who would like to receive these Sacraments, please contact the office ASAP.

Confirmation

Young people in grade 7 or above should note our Info Night for Parents/Guardians and Candidates Tuesday, Nov. 12th from 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm.



In Kitchener we stand and pray for the restoration of a culture of life in our Country, across from Freeport Hospital from 7 am to 7 pm daily until Nov. 3rd.

The sign-up sheets are at the Church entrances. With St. Anne Parish, we are hoping to fill all 12 hours with at least 2 people each hour on Wed., Oct. 30th. Please add your name for one or more hours. To sign up for hours throughout the 40 days or for more info visit www.40daysforlife.com/kitchener or call 519.748. 5548 or 519.589.2919.

ST. JOSEPH'S SVDP

Items needed for the month of Oct.: hygiene products: shampoo, toothpaste, hand & dish soap.



ST. JOSEPH Sunday Masses

Saturday - 5:30 pm

Sunday - 11:00 am

ST. JOSEPH weekday Masses

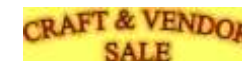
Monday, Thursday and Friday, 8:00 am

Tuesday, 7:00 pm

Wednesday – No Mass

Masses celebrated in the Chapel.

FALL CRAFT & VENDOR SALE



Nov. 2nd, 9 am – 1 pm in the Church Hall. Over 20 vendors participating! Knitting, crocheting, jewelry, sewing, woodcrafts, artwork, décor, food & religious articles. Reps from Pampered Chef, Isagenix, Avon, Tupperware, Epicure, Thirty-One and Scentsy will be on site! Detailed list available on Church website under "News". Invite your friends on Facebook "Fall Craft & Vendor Sale – St. Joseph Church." Event parking in the school lot. Questions? Call Cathy 519-578-0785.

SAINT JOHN BIBLE

The Saint John's Bible is coming to St Joseph the week of November 3-9. This beautiful work of art is the first completely handwritten and illuminated Bible since the invention of the printing press more than 500 years ago.

A volume from our Diocesan Heritage Edition will be on display during Mass and Coffee Sunday on Nov. 3rd. Don't miss the chance to see the exquisite calligraphy, illuminations, and presentation. For a more intimate view, join us in the church at 7 pm on Tues., Nov. 5th for Mass. The Bible will also be visiting St Bernadette School and Conestoga Lodge during the week. For more information visit hamiltondiocese.com/stjohnsbible

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Nov. 10th at 4 pm followed by refreshments in the church hall.



FORMATION DAYS: Ministers of Holy Communion

Sat., Nov. 9, 9:30 am – 2:30 pm, St. Louis Parish, Waterloo. Cost of workshop - \$25; lunch is provided. For more info please check: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/liturgy/>

REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP - Our parish has been asked to help with sponsoring a refugee from Eritrea. If you are interested in learning more or being part of the refugee committee, please talk to/call Marlene or Greg deGroot-Maggetti at 519-742-4864 or email marlenedgm@gmail.com. More information coming soon.

ADORATION FOR LIFE – Fri., Nov. 1st, 6-7 pm, St. Teresa Church Chapel, Kitchener, Mass 7 pm, Thurs., Nov. 7th, 11-11:40 am, St. Mary’s Church, Kitchener, Mass 12 noon, Thurs., Nov. 7th, 6 pm, St. Agnes Church, Waterloo, Mass 7 pm. Info: jane@kwrtl.ca, 519-746-4333.

THE MOVIE UNPLANNED showing at the Knights of Columbus Conference Centre, 145 Dearborn Place, Fireside Room, Sat., Nov. 9th at 3 pm. Good Will Offering. All donations go to KW Right to Life.

RELIT: THE HEART OF EVANGELIZATION – Do you have family members who have left the Church? If they asked you about your faith, would you know how to respond? Have you ever felt unequipped or ill-prepared to share your faith with others? If you answered yes to any of these questions, you are invited to attend a 1 ½ day training program at Blessed Sacrament Church, Kitchener, Nov. 8, 9 and 10. The cost of this program is \$70 which includes a participant workbook, snacks and refreshments. You are asked to bring your own lunches. More info/registration: Janet Smith 519-656-3291 or 260churchill@gmail.com



PARENTING TIP: Helping our children to become less focused on themselves and more interested in their neighbour is an essential role of every parent and caregiver. Children do not often think of others before themselves in the early years of their lives, so from a young age be sure to set clear limits on their behaviour and the “things” they get, so they don’t become entitled; praise them whenever you witness an unselfish act, no matter how small; model unselfish behaviour both within and outside the home by sharing time, goods and talents. Children thrive in relationships, show less anger and aggression and feel good about themselves when they look outward, not inward. Jesus himself taught that next to loving God, loving neighbour is our most important role in this world.

MARRIAGE TIP: It is important every now and then that spouses deliberately consider the needs and/or desires of their partner over their own, even if it may not be their first choice of action. Acknowledging a spouse in this manner, in a variety of different circumstances, tells them that you are listening when they express their feelings/desires, puts their needs above your own and makes them feel both cared for and listened to by the one they love. When both remember to act in this manner, couples feel closer, see less anger in their relationship and experience the satisfying feelings of being cared for - a win-win for everyone!

Mission Statement

St. Joseph Parish is a faith-based community - founded on Baptism, nurtured by prayer and centred on the Eucharist - that welcomes and serves all with compassion, united under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, while sharing our talents and growing as disciples of Jesus Christ.
