ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

January 27, 2019 A.D.

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



THIS WEEK MASSES

Mon., Jan. 28
8:00 am

St. Thomas Aquinas

† Maria & Antonio Melo
reg. Family & Friends

Tues., Jan. 29

7:00 pm

† Dec'd members of the Ploshay Family reg. Arek

Wed., Jan. 30

8:00 am

† Ildebrando Silveira reg. Maria Silveira

Thurs., Jan. 31 St. John Bosco 8:00 am † John Runstedler

req. Maureen Levacic

Fri., Feb. 1

8:00 am

Priest's Intention

Sat., Feb. 2 9:00 am Presentation of the Lord Int. of Michael & Brian & Shannon Levacic reg. Maureen & Rudy Levacic

5:00 pm

† Lucinda Rodrigues req. Legion of Mary

† Carl Runstedler req. Irene Runstedler

† Robert Hocaliuk reg. William & Odessa Barrett

† Souls in Purgatory reg. Julia Domingues

Sun., Feb. 3 10:00 am Sts. Blaise & Ansgar Int. of Mom & Dad Zennie & Henry Sunga

req. Catherine & Phoenix Doucet

† Ildebrando Silveira

req. Maria Silveira

† Elaine Ditner
req. Sandra Eidt

1:30 pm Eritrean Community Mass



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Tuesday after 7 pm Mass in the Rectory Chapel

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Average weekly contribution needed

to cover budgeted expenses: \$ 3500.00

Jan. 20, 2019 envelopes (67) \$ 1709.20 Jan. 20, 2019 loose change \$ 194.30

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., Jan. 28 Rev. Fernando Ferreira Pinto Tues., Jan. 29 Rev. Tim Hingston

Wed., Jan. 30 Fraternity of the Poor of Jesus

Thurs., Jan. 31 Rev. David Avila Fri., Feb. 1 Rev. Jerzy Tomon

Sat., Feb. 2 The Presentation of the Lord

INTENTIONS FOR SANCTUARY LAMP

Week of Jan. 28, 2019:

Main Church – Chapel –

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

2019 CHURCH OFFERING ENVELOPES

All who use Church offering envelopes can pick up their 2019 box of envelopes at the back of the church. They are in alphabetical order.

NEW TO OUR PARISH?

If you are new to our community or just visiting, welcome to St. Joseph's Church. We encourage all new parishioners to register with the parish. Please pick up a registration package by the entrances of the church.

complete it and return it to the office or put it in the collection basket. We are most happy to have you join our Parish Family.

TAX RECEIPTS

Tax receipts will be issued in February, and will be at the back of the Church.

CWL MEETING

Tues., Jan. 29th at 7:30 pm following the 7 pm Mass in the Rectory Meeting Room. Topics to be covered: membership and planning for 2019 year. Membership fees of \$25.00 are due now, please send in as soon as possible. New members are always welcome.

Mark Your Calendar

- Jr Youth Feb. 2, church hall, 2-4 pm
- Youth Feb. 2, church hall, 6-8:30 pm
- First Holy Communion Reconciliation meeting, Feb. 5, 6-7 pm, church hall
- Confirmation Session Feb. 12, 6:30 8 pm, church hall

Game Night

BOARD GAME NIGHT

Family Day Weekend Youth Fundraiser 6-8 pm Feb. 16th. A

great opportunity to spend time with your family and get to know others in the parish. Hot dogs, chili dogs and pizza will be available for sale. Suggested entrance donation \$2/person or \$5/family to support our Youth Group programming.



ST. JOSEPH'S S.V.D.P.

Items needed for the month of January: can stew & chili, tomatoe sauce, macaroni & cheese and crackers.

Fucharistic Ministers EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

If you would like to be a Eucharistic Minister to give Communion on Sundays after the 10 am Mass to shut-ins, please call the church office at 519-745-9302.

FEB. 3RD IS BIBLE SUNDAY

Special celebration/lecture on *Bible of Luke* "Listening to God's Word at Mass" with Fr. M. Patella at St. Michael Church, Waterloo, Sun., Feb. 3rd, 2 pm or Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton, 7 pm.



DEVELOPMENT and **PEACE**

This Lenten season D&P and Pope Francis invite us to reach out and encounter migrants and refugees, to make a commitment to really go toward others, to stop, listen and really see them. To learn how to foster a culture of encounter in your parish or school join us for a SHARE LENT WORKSHOP on Tues, Feb. 12th at St. Michael Parish, Waterloo, 7:30-9:30 pm.



Thurs., Feb. 7th from 9 am – 50 am in front of Freeport Hospital,

Kitchener for babies being aborted. All are welcome to pray quietly for those who have no voice, but our own! Parking – across the road, Schneider Park. Any queries, please contact Cathy at kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com.



Mon., Jan. 28th at 6 pm for 1 hour in front of Kitchener City Hall (skating rink). Followed by refreshments at St. Mary's Church with speaker Stephen Woodworth at 7:30 pm. Everyone welcome. For more information please call 519-746-5433.

VOCATIONS OFFICE: If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton; 905-528-7988 or email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com, or www.hamiltonvocations.com.

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! St. Mark's Parish, Kitchener (519-571-9200), Tuesday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00 pm January 22 - March 19. The cost is \$45.00. 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 Upcoming Events.

<u>VALENTINE'S DANCE</u> - Campus Ministry at St. Jerome's University is hosting a Valentine's Dance on Fri., Feb. 8th from 8 pm-12 am at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 145 Dearborn Place, Waterloo. This dance is in support of the renovations to Notre Dame Chapel. Music provided by Michael Kelly alternating with DJing from Dennis Wallace. It promises to be a fun evening! A light lunch will be provided. The cost of tickets is \$20/adult and \$15/student. Tickets: Martha Fauteux, Director Campus Ministry <u>mfauteux@uwaterloo.ca</u> or 519-884-8111 ext. 28215. We hope you can make it!

<u>VALENTINE ROLLED RIB & HAM DINNER</u>: Sat., Feb. 9th – sittings 5 & 7 pm at Maryhill Heritage Park Community Centre, 58 St. Charles St. E., Maryhill. Adults \$20/person, kids under 5 free, 5 to 11 \$12, over 11 full adult cost of \$20. It is a two meat dinner (not one or the other but both if desired). Mashed potatoes, creamy coleslaw, mixed vegetables, buns, pickles, relish tray, dessert, coffee and tea. When ordering tickets please let people know what sitting you would like. Call Mike Runstedler 519-580-5005 or Jackie Peacock 519-823-5194 for tickets. Sponsored by Maryhill K. of C. and St. Boniface C.W.L.

<u>KW RIGHT TO LIFE ADORATION FOR LIFE</u> – Come, let us adore Jesus in the Eucharist – Console His Heart Wounded by abortion and sins against the Sanctity of Life: Thurs., Feb. 7th, 11 am-noon, St. Mary's Church, Kitchener, Mass at 12:10 pm and 6 pm, St. Agnes Church, Waterloo, Mass 7 pm, and Fri., Feb. 8th, 6-7 pm, St. Teresa Church, Adoration Chapel, Kitchener, Mass follows.

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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.

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