ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

January 20, 2019 A.D.

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time



THIS WEEK MASSES

Mon., Jan. 21 8:00 am St. Agnes
† Mary McCrorie
reg. Maureen & Rudy Levacic

† John Melo reg. Sisters

Tues., Jan. 22 7:00 pm St. Vincent
† Ildebrando Silveira
req. Maria Silveira
† Lita Maranan

reg. Zennie Sunga

Wed., Jan. 23

8:00 am

† Antonio & Maria Melo req. Daughters

Thurs., Jan. 24 8:00 am 1

St. Francis de Sales † Fr. Antonio Fiorante

† Vincenza Fiorante reg. Raffaele Fiorante

Fri., Jan. 25

8:00 am

† Roger McCrorie req. Maureen & Rudy Levacic

Sat., Jan. 26 9:00 am 5:00 pm Sts. Timothy & Titus
Priest's Intention

† Dina Ruteraho (Fr. Chris' sister-in-law)

req. Ruth Ann & Bert Dietrich

† Karen Goetz req. Deb Yutzi † Stophon Wal

† Stephen Walsh req. Bernie & Jeanne Zettel

Sun., Jan. 27 10:00 am St. Angela Merici Intention of Fr. Tom req. Henry & Zennie Sunga

† Elaine Ditner

req. Zennie Sunga & Gertie Kuntz

† Orlanda Amorim req. Husband & Children

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. 13, 2019 envelopes (97) \$ 2496.10 Jan. 13, 2019 loose change \$ 205.35

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. 21
Tues., Jan. 22
Wed., Jan. 23
Thurs., Jan. 24
Fri., Jan. 25
Sat., Jan. 26
Rev. Felix Nwatu
Rev. Czeslaw Kolasa, S.A.C.
Discalced Carmelite Fathers
Rev. Ranjan D'Sa, O.C.D.
Rev. Louis Lenssen, C.R.S.P.
Rev. Alessandro Tirelli, CRSP

INTENTIONS FOR SANCTUARY LAMP

Week of Jan. 14, 2019:

Main Church - Van Pham

Chapel – Barb Calder

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 NEWS

A reminder to all ladies 16 and older that we are currently collecting our membership dues (\$25.00). We have had an increase for 2019 membership year. This is a wonderful time to join the CWL if you are not already a member.

Mark Your Calendar

- First Holy Communion Reconciliation meeting, Jan. 22, 6-7 pm
- Jr Youth Feb. 2, church hall, 2-4 pm
- Youth Feb. 2, church hall, 6-8:30 pm

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SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

First Holy Eucharist – the next session will be on Tues., Jan. 22nd at 6 pm upstairs in the church. Kindly check your email for more details, and remember to bring your Mass Books.

If you have not yet registered for this sacrament but would like to receive it in the spring of 2019, please contact Mary at stjosephkitchenryouth@gmail.com immediately.

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.

WORLD YOUTH DAY

Panama – Jan. 22 – 27, 2019. EWTN live coverage of the 34th World Youth Day in Panama with the theme, "I am the servant of the Lord. May it be done to me according to your Word." (Luke1:38)



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

Items needed for the

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

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.

SUNDAY MISSALS 2019

Available at the doors of the Church for \$5.

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.

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

St. Anne's Church is hosting a Movie Night "Big Hero 6" on Sat., Jan. 26th after the 5 pm Mass in the hall. Free popcorn, plus pizza and drinks available for sale. Pajamas & blankets to sit on recommended!

PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

Forest Hill Community Churches invites you to a faith celebration prepared by the Churches of Indonesia. Jan. 20th, 2 pm at St. Francis Church, 49 Blueridge Ave., Kitchener. More info on bulletin boards.

<u>VOCATIONS OFFICE</u>: 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.

<u>FAITH ENRICHMENT</u>: Mondays at 7:30 pm till 9 pm — Frances Hogan's Gospel of Luke — started on 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. Large Hall of St. Louis Church (53 Allen St. E, Waterloo). Enter via side elevator. For more information call 519-743-4101.

Thursdays at 1:00 pm till 2:30 pm – Lectio: Mark: Faith not Fear series led by Dr. Tim Gray, started 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 have to 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. Large Hall of St. Louis Church (53 Allen St. E, Waterloo). Enter via side elevator. More information: 519-743-4101.

<u>HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS SHARE COMMON SKILLS</u> — 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!

WCDSB – is hiring right now Occasional Teachers. Info: www.wcdsb.ca

DIOCESAN NEWSLETTER – To subscribe for info about Activities & Events at the Diocese please go to www.hamiltondioce.com.

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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Diocese of Hamilton	www.hamiltondiocese.com
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