

THE POPE'S OCTOBER INTENTIONS FOR 2019

A Missionary "Spring" in the Church. That the breath of the Holy Spirit engender a new missionary "spring" in the Church.

"ST. JOSEPH CHURCH (KITCHENER) Craft & Vendor Sale – Sat. Nov. 2 – 9:00 am to 1:00 pm – 148 Madison Ave. S., Kitchener. Hand-made Crafts, Home Business Products & Décor! Over 20 tables! Knit/crochet, jewelry, woodcrafts, sewing, artwork & paper crafts, décor & religious articles, food items & baking plus reps from Pampered Chef, Norwex, Isagenix, Avon, Tupperware, Epicure, Thirty-One & Scentsy will be on site. Check our Facebook event "Fall Craft & Vendor Sale - St. Joseph Church" for more details or email Cathy at stjosephcraftsale@gmail.com."

THE 2019 ANNUAL RECEPTION FOR THE CARMELITE SISTERS will be held Monday,



October 28, 2019, 6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. at Conestoga Place, 110 Manitou Dr., Kitchener. Dinner ticket is \$250 for two people and donations are graciously appreciated even if you are unable to attend. Cheques payable to Carmel of St. Joseph can be mailed to 1127 Carmel-Koch Rd. RR1 St. Agatha, ON NOB 2L0. For further information, please contact Jane Malleck at 519-748-1225. You are also welcome to join the Sisters in prayer at daily Mass at the Carmel, 7:30 a.m. Monday - Friday and 8:00 a.m. Saturday & Sunday.

"If a friend or family member asked you about your faith, would you know how to respond? Have you ever felt unequipped or unprepared to share your faith with others? If you answered yes to either of these questions, you are invited to attend an upcoming training program Relit: The Heart of **Evangelization.** Relit is a 2 ¹/₂ day training program to equip, prepare and form you for sharing the Good News of Jesus. It will be taking place at Blessed Sacrament Church, 305 Laurentian Drive, Kitchener, on November 8th, 9th and 10th. The cost for this program is \$70, which includes a participant workbook, snacks and refreshments. You are asked to kindly bring your own lunches. Please set aside these dates and join us. For more information or to register, please contact **Janet Smith** at **519-656-3291** or at **260churchill@gmail.com**.

ST. CLEMENT PARISH, CAMBRIDGE, is proud to host an evening of lively discussion with: Dr. Moira McQueen, LL.B, M.Div., Ph.D. Everyone is invited to join us on: Thursday, November 14th, at 7:00 p.m. St. Clement Church - Parish Hall 745 Duke Street, Cambridge TOPICS: "Gender Issues" and "Dying & Death in Christian Life" Free-will offerings will be graciously accepted.

November 9/10 Our Lady of Lourdes Parish BOOK LAUNCH: The 20-Minute Retreat: 18 Sessions With the Saints to Nourish Your Faith. Father David B. Perrin, Professor, St. Jerome's University and priest of the Diocese of Hamilton, launches his new book. Father David will preside and preach all Masses this weekend. Homily will focus on the importance of "retreat." Copies of the book will be available for purchase (\$20) before and after all the Masses. "David Perrin reaches into the deep wells of Christian tradition to serve us a drink of needed water. This is more than a simple "feel-good" spirituality. You will enter some real depths here. Put this book on your coffee-table." Ronald Rolheiser, OMI

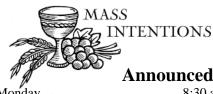


The support for the Notre Dame Children Outreach in Kenya. This special collection which was taken up last weekend, total donation for the sisters, amounted to \$9909.90. Thank you for your generosity. With prayers, Fr. Rafal.



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PASTOR:	Fr. Rafal Tomon
DEACON:	Rev. Mr. Phong Hoang
Administrative Assistant:	Mrs. Patrycja Wiecek Monday to Thursday, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.; 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
SUNDAY MASSES:	Saturday 7:00 p.m. Sunday 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.
SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:	By appointment – please phone the parish office
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:	Saturday, 11:00 a.m. to noon Twenty minutes before weekday Masses or by appointment
SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:	By appointment – please phone the parish office
BLESSING OF EXPECTANT PARENTS:	Last Sunday of each month after all Masses
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL:	Church door collections – last Sunday of each month



Announced Mass intentions for	Oct 28 to Nov 3, 2019
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Monday	8:30 a.m
Tuesday	
Wednesday	
Thursday	
FridayAll Saints	
Westhill	10:30 a.m.
SaturdayAll Souls	
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Sunday	
-	who have served in the Diocese of Hamilton
	11:00 a.mSpecial intention

Offertory collection for Sunday, October 20, 2019: \$3,494.70 [Note: This amount does not include donations received through pre-authorized giving.]



Thank you to all who have made their campaign pledge so far. We are pleased to report that we are nearing the half-way mark to our minimum goal of \$495,000. If you

have not made your pledge, please remember that your support, whether large or small, is important to be able to do the much needed work to ensure the capital integrity of our beautiful church. If you have not received your pledge package from the Diocese of Hamilton or have any questions, please contact Luke McAuley at 519-746-7861 or mmcauc012@rogers.com or Karin Voisin at karinvoisin@gmail.com

INVITATION TO THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION of the Blessing and Dedication of St. Agnes Church, 75 Bluevale St., Waterloo, Saturday, Nov. 2, 2019, 5:00 p.m. Mass. His Excellency Bishop Douglas Crosby is celebrant and homilist. A Reception will follow in the Parish Centre.

ST. DAVID CATHOLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL Grade 8 Parent and Student Information Night Tuesday, November 26, 2019 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Any students who live within the St. David Boundary and are planning to attend Grade 9 in September 2020 are invited. Please come with your parents to visit St. David and see all of the wonderful programs that we offer. Grade 8 students attending public school are also invited with their parents to this information session.

KW RTL President 519.746.4333 jane@kwrtl.ca 3 Locations: Friday November 1st, 6:00-7:00 p.m. St. Teresa RC Church Adoration Chapel 44 Leonard St. Kit. Mass at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, November 7th, 2019 11:00 a.m.-11:40 a.m. at St. Mary Our Lady of Seven Sorrows RC Church 56 Duke St. W. Kit. Mass 12Noon Thursday, November 7th, 6:00 p.m. followed by 7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Agnes RC Church 75 Bluevale St. N. Waterloo. The movie UNPLANNED showing at the K of C Conference Centre, 145 Dearborn Place, Fireside Room, Saturday November 9th at 3:00 p.m. Good Will Offering. All donations go to KW Right to Life.

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Oct 29 - Senior Social at 1:30 p.m.

- Nov 1 West Hill Mass at 10:30 a.m.
- Nov 2 First Saturday Mass at 8:30 a.m.
- Nov 2 Altar server training at 8:30 a.m.

Nov 3 - Sacramental Preparation Mass & meeting Gr. 2 at 9:00 a.m. and Gr. 7 at 11:00 a.m.

The Knights of Columbus invites everyone to a ST. TERESA OF AVILA SPAGHETTI DINNER on Friday, November 8th at St. Teresa of Avila Church Hall, 19 Flamingo Drive, Elmira. The meal will be served from 5:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Tickets can be purchased through the Parish Office, Monday to Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. or by calling 519-669-3387. Ticket prices are: Adults \$12.00; Children 6-12 years \$6.00, Children 5 & under are free and a Family of 4 is \$25.00. Those who have purchased take-out tickets can pick their meals up at 4:30 p.m. There will be a quilt auction as well. Last chance to purchase tickets is Wednesday, November 6th. All are welcome! Funds raised from the quilt auction will go towards the Building Maintenance Project.

IN HOPE OF THE RESURRECTION: In our Catholic tradition, **November** is set aside as a month dedicated to the Souls in Purgatory. It is a time for us to reflect on our lives as a pilgrim journey to the Lord, as well as an opportunity to prayerfully remember our loved ones and friends who have gone before us. As a parish, we will highlight this month of grace by preparing a book entitled "In Hope of the Resurrection" into which will be placed the names of our departed family members and friends. This memorial book will be enshrined before the altar throughout the month of November and the recorded names will be remembered daily during the Mass. A special sheet on which to record the names of those you wish to remember may be found at the entrances to the church. The completed forms should be returned to the church next weekend. A special box for the page will be at each entrance to the church.



OLOL 1st PARISH CHRISTMAS DINNER: OLOL Social club is hosting our first-ever event. Mark your calendars. Sunday, November 24, 2019, at 5:00 p.m. in our parish hall. Adults \$25, Youth (11-18) \$20, Children 5-10 \$10. Children 4 and under free. Please contact Patrycja at the parish office to purchase your tickets at 519-886-0342 or email at lourdeswaterloo@rogers.com. Everyone's welcome. Tickets are

limited. The event will be held in our parish hall. Tickets will be sold after each Mass on the weekends.



Catholic Women's League Membership Form

(For women of the parish ages 16+) It's time to JOIN or RENEW your Catholic Women's League (CWL) Membership.

Catholic women today possess immense potential to serve church, community and the world.

The unique strength of Catholic women is the faith that binds us together.

We pray for each other, care for the less fortunate, and support our parish and community. Our monthly events are informative, prayerful and fun-loving.

Please PRINT the information required below, and along with the membership fee of \$30.00, place it in an envelope marked "CWL" and place it in the collection basket by November 30th.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

(if you wish to receive notifications of upcoming events)

Payment (please check one): cash _____ cheque _____ (payable to the Our Lady of Lourdes CWL)

