

# St. Francis of Assisi Parish

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## Lord's Day Masses

Saturday 5:00 pm  
 Sunday 9:00 & 11:00 am

## Weekday Masses

Tuesday to Friday 9:00 am  
 Wednesday 7:00 pm

## Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 – 4:30 pm  
 or by appointment

## Sunday Children's Liturgy

Sunday 9:00 am Mass

## Prayer Network

Call parish office to request prayers

## Communal Baptism

Monthly, please call the parish office to register.

## Marriages

Congratulations! Please contact the parish one year before wedding date.

**Pastor:** Fr. Tim Uniac, C.R.  
 ([tuniac@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:tuniac@hamiltondiocese.com))  
**Pastoral Minister:** Miss Ruthann Fisher  
 ([rfisher@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:rfisher@hamiltondiocese.com))  
**Music Ministry:** Mrs. Terriane Moulton  
**Admin. Assistant:** Ms. Alice Soeder  
**Building Manager:** Mr. Gary Howell  
**Seminarian:** Raphael Ma, C.R.

**Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8:30 am to 12 noon  
 1:00 pm to 4:30 pm**

## Vocations Information:

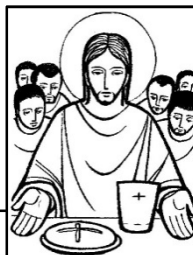
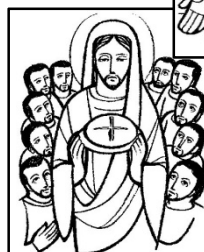
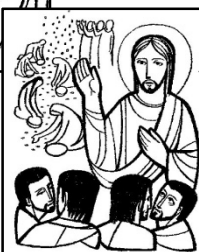
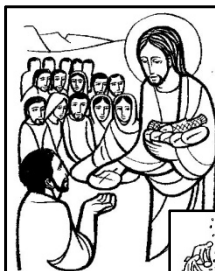
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*"We are a Christ-centred faith community seeking to be instruments of God's peace."*

# 17<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> SUNDAYS of ORDINARY TIME

## July 29 - August 19, 2018



## MASS INTENTIONS July 31 – August 5, 2018

**Tuesday, 31<sup>st</sup>** 9:00 am - *St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest*  
 Intentions of Eileen Cox – Betty Corrigan  
**Wednesday, 1<sup>st</sup>** 9:00 am - *St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop & Doctor of Church*  
 7:00 pm - *Sacrament of the Sick at Masses*  
 +Bernice Koebel – Ruthann Fisher  
 Intentions of Madeline Haller – Marj Simon  
 +Debbie Alamenciak – Natalie Dineen  
 +Josie & Gaetan Côté – St. Vincent de Paul St. Francis Conference  
 +Shirely Caddick – Catholic Women's League  
 +Albert MacDonald – the Family  
**Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup>** 9:00 am - *Weekday*  
 +Marlene & Erwin Preiditsch – Sr. Rose Gabriel & Sr. Anne Karges, CSJs  
**Friday, 3<sup>rd</sup>** 9:00 am - *Weekday First Friday*  
 9:30 am +Aileen Philomena (Phil) MacMahon – Jim & Maryan Lynch  
 Adoration & Benediction  
**Saturday, 4<sup>th</sup>** 5:00 pm - *18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
 Intentions of Maria Ferreira & Family  
 Intentions of Kathleen O'Grady – Eileen & Mary Longo  
 Intentions of Gerry Lamers – Lucille & Cathy Vanzielegem  
 +Dora Lamers – Lucille & Cathy Vanzielegem  
 +Edna Munro & Family – Barb & Donna Munro  
 +Martin O'Grady – Kathleen & Martin O'Grady  
**Sunday, 5<sup>th</sup>** 9:00 am - *18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
 11:00 am +David Gray – Joan Ferraccioli & Family  
 Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi

## July 29, 2018

### 17<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Collection June 30/July 1	\$4,291.00
Collection July 7/8	\$5,733.00
Collection July 14/15	\$5,104.00
Collection July 21/22	\$4,734.38
<b>2018 Collection to date</b>	<b>\$170,904.84</b>
<b>2018 Total Budgeted Collection</b>	<b>\$366,600.00</b>

## DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Mon. July 30: Rev. Michael Anderson  
 Tues. July 31: Rev. Edward Mahony  
 Wed. Aug. 1: Parish Staff  
 Thurs. Aug. 2: Most Rev. Anthony Tonno, DD  
 Fri Aug. 3: Rev. Charles Scheffer  
 Sat. Aug. 4: Rev. Fulbert Jonas Ahouansou

## Looking ahead August 5, 2018 18<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

Exodus 16: 2-4, 12-15, 31  
 Ephesians 4: 17, 20-24 John 6: 24-35

## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE PARISH

**Monday August 6**  
 Office Closed for the Civic Holiday  
**Saturday/Sunday August 11/12**  
 Food Drive for St. Vincent de Paul At Masses

*"Prayer is never in vain: it always brings forth something new that, sooner or later, bears fruit."*

~ @Pontifex July 24, 2018



**MASS INTENTIONS**  
**August 7 - 12, 2018**

**Tuesday, 7<sup>th</sup>** - *Weekday*  
 9:00 am +Joachim Gringel – Madeline Haller

**Wednesday, 8<sup>th</sup>** - *St. Dominic, Priest*  
 9:00 am +Don Cameron – Don & Linda MacDonald & Family  
 7:00 pm +Oscar Lorentz – Catholic Women’s League  
 +Cosmo Ferraro – Gary & Marion Howell  
 +Lorne MacDonald – Dorothy MacDonald  
 +Dora Lamers – Joan & Robert Frank

**Thursday, 9<sup>th</sup>** - *Weekday*  
 9:00 am +Bernice Koebel – Marj Simon

**Friday, 10<sup>th</sup>** - *St. Lawrence, Deacon & Martyr*  
 9:00 am Intentions of Luann & Bryan Mahn – the Madlensky Family

**Saturday, 11<sup>th</sup>** - *19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
 3:00 pm Wedding of David Vrljic and Monika Ohl  
 5:00 pm +Deceased Members of Longo & O’Grady Families – Eileen & Mary Longo  
 +Dorothy Sobisch – Alvina & Mary Bergamin  
 +Maria Barbosa – Catholic Women’s League  
 +Anna Janette Angeles Dazon – the Buendia Family  
 +Josie Côté – Ruthann Fisher  
 +Mary Christopher – Erna Spoenlein

**Sunday, 12<sup>th</sup>** - *19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
 9:00 am +Gabriel Prudnikowicz – the Prudnikowicz Family  
 11:00 am Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi

**MASS INTENTIONS**  
**August 14 - 19, 2018**

**Tuesday, 14<sup>th</sup>** - *St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest & Martyr*  
 9:00 am +Rosemary Clarke – Kevin Clarke & Family

**Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup>** - *Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary*  
 9:00 am +Elaine Woods – Madeline Haller  
 7:00 pm Josie Côté – Dorothy MacDonald  
 +Ivan Zuzek – Mary Anderson  
 +Tony Hayden – Marie & Ryan Fitzgerald  
 +Bernice Koebel – Alice & Bernie Preiditsch

**Thursday, 16<sup>th</sup>** - *Weekday*  
 9:00 am +Debbie Alamenciak – Marilyn Alston

**Friday, 17<sup>th</sup>** - *Weekday*  
 9:00 am +Andrej Markes – Mary & Joan Novak, Anne Kastelec

**Saturday, 18<sup>th</sup>** - *20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
 5:00 pm +Ken Fisher – Mildred Fisher & Family  
 +Bernice Meyer – the Family  
 +David Gray – Donna Renaud & Michelle Krulicki  
 +Don Cameron – Cathy Vanzielegem  
 +Dora Lamers – Sheila Jankura  
 +Dorothy Herzog – Catholic Women’s League

**Sunday, 19<sup>th</sup>** - *20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
 9:00 am +Luigi Trovato – Angela Ianni  
 11:00 am Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi

**FOOD DRIVE AUGUST 11/12**

Our St. Vincent de Paul Conference invites you to share the bounty of the summer with our neighbours in need. For our Food Drive on Aug. 11/12 we especially need pasta sauce, dry pasta, canned tuna and Kraft Dinner. Thank you for your generosity and care!



**DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR**

Mon. Aug. 6: **Transfiguration of our lord**  
 Tues. Aug. 7: **Rev. Kevin Cull**  
 Wed. Aug. 8: **Sister Servants of Mary Immaculate (SSMI)**  
 Thurs. Aug. 9: **Rev. Vernon Boyd, SJ**  
 Fri. Aug. 10: **Rev. Roger Yaworski, SJ**  
 Sat. Aug. 11: **Rev. Stanislaw Kuczaik, S.Chr.**

**Looking ahead August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2018**  
**19<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME**

1 Kings 19: 4-8  
 Ephesians 4: 30 – 5: 2  
 John 6: 41-51

**LITTLE BOOKS**

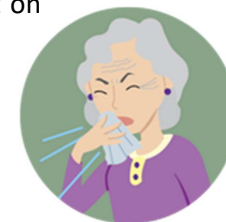
Looking for a way to enrich your spiritual journey through the coming Advent, Lent and Easter seasons? *Little Books* offer daily reflections based on the gospel readings and appropriate topics for the liturgical season. You can purchase a set of three *Little Books* (one for each season) for \$5. Please call the parish office or sign up at the entrance of the church by Sept. 17 to order. Payment will be collected when the Advent books arrive.

**Looking ahead August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018**  
**20<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME**

Proverbs 9: 1-6  
 Ephesians 5: 15-20  
 John 6: 51-58

**BE AWARE & BE PREPARED!**

Tues. Sept. 11 the Health and Wellness Cmte invites you to Be Aware and Be Prepared! Come and learn how vaccines protect yourself and others. Speaker Ann Marie Sims, Public Health Nurse, will present on vaccines for influenza, shingles, pneumonia and more. Bring your family and friends. 7pm in the Parish Hall.



**DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR**

Mon. Aug. 13: **Rev. Jan Michalski, S.Chr.**  
 Tues. Aug. 14: **Rev. Juan Carlos Saenz**  
 Wed. Aug. 15: **Congregation of the Resurrection (CR)**  
 Thurs. Aug. 16: **Very Rev. Jerzy Tomon**  
 Fri. Aug. 17: **Rev. Joseph LeClair**  
 Sat. Aug. 18: **Rev. Leszek Szczygiel**

**GARAGE SALE**

Our annual Garage Sale, organized by the Catholic Women’s League, will take place Sat. Sept. 22. Donations accepted Sept. 20 & 21 from 6-9pm, and volunteers are needed to help with setup and during the sale. This is the perfect chance to pass along those things you don’t want around the house anymore. Bring your kids!

**MASS INTENTIONS  
August 21 - 26, 2018**

<b>Tuesday, 21<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>- St. Pius X, Pope</b>
9:00 am	+Don Cameron – Alice & Bernie Preiditsch
<b>Wednesday, 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>- Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>
9:00 am	Intentions of Maria Cabral
7:00 pm	Intentions of Gerry Lamers – Anne Darby-Watchorn
	+Dora Lamers – Elizabeth Sauer
	+David Gray – Catholic Women’s League
	+Mary Christopher – Catholic Women’s League
<b>Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>- Weekday</b>
9:00 am	+Ronald Frank – Rob & Joan Frank
<b>Friday, 24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>- St. Bartholomew, Apostle</b>
9:00 am	+Marcella Eby – Ron Eby & Family
<b>Saturday, 25<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>- 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
5:00 pm	+Mary McCarville – the Family
	+Josie Côté – Volunteers from Canadian Food for Children, Kitchener Depot
	+Irene Thibeault – Victor Thibeault
	+Elaine Woods – Marg Beckner
	+Bernice Koebel – Mary Anderson
	+Dorothy Sobisch – Catholic Women’s League
<b>Sunday, 26<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>- 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
9:00 am	Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi
11:00 am	+Rosemary Morgan – Marguerite Reinhart

**DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR**

- Mon. Aug. 20: **Rev. Paul Hrynczyszyn**
- Tues. Aug. 21: **Rev. Gerald Mulhall**
- Wed. Aug. 22: **Married Couples**
- Thurs. Aug. 23: **Rev. Dennis Noon**
- Fri. Aug. 24: **Rev. Bernard Carroll, SJ**
- Sat. Aug. 25: **Rev. William Clarke, SJ**

**Looking ahead July 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018  
21<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME**

Joshua 24: 1-2a, 15-17, 18b  
Ephesians 4: 32 – 5: 1-2, 21-32  
John 6: 53, 60-69

**CORRESPONDENCE COURSES**

If your child is planning to receive 1<sup>st</sup> Communion or Confirmation this year, and they do not attend a Catholic School, they must complete a correspondence course through the Diocese. Families work through the programs at home and submit work to a volunteer at the parish. Please contact Monica in the Catechesis Office at 905-528-7988 ext 2238 or go to the Sacraments page on the St. Francis website and click on the link to register for the Correspondence Courses.

**1<sup>ST</sup> COMMUNION &  
CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION**

If your child is entering Grade 2 in Sept. 2018 and would like to receive the Sacrament of 1<sup>st</sup> Communion, please come to a registration meeting in the Parish Hall on Tues. Sept. 25 at 7pm. If your child is entering Grade 7 and would like to receive Confirmation, please come to the Parish Hall on Tues. Sept. 18 at 7pm. More information is available on our website under Sacraments. Please mark your calendars for the fall!

**ANNUAL MISSION APPEAL**

On the weekend of Aug. 11/12 we welcome Fr. Andrew Berinyuy, Sch. P., a member of the Piarist Fathers. Fr. Andrew will speak to us about the work the Piarists do in Central Africa, specifically the countries of Cameroon, Equatorial Guinea, Gabon and the Democratic Republic of Congo. In these countries the Fathers run 11 elementary schools, 5 high schools and 2 technical schools, as well as 6 parishes with attached Socio-educative and cultural centres for less formal education. With our help the Piarists hope to build more classrooms to welcome even more students, renovate current schools (some of which do not have electricity, potable water or bathrooms), assist parents with tuition so that more children can afford to go to school, and ensure that teachers are better compensated for their hard work and have the supplies they need. To learn more about the Piarist Fathers please visit [www.piaristesafriquecentrale.org](http://www.piaristesafriquecentrale.org) Aug. 11/12 there will be envelopes in your pews, please place your donations in these envelopes and mark your contact info or parish envelope number on them. Please make cheques out to St. Francis so we can send all the monies together. Thank you for helping ensure that the Piarists can continue their ministry to God’s people.

**CHRISTMAS BAZAAR PLANNING**

If you have ideas for our annual Christmas bazaar or want to get involved as a convener, please come to a planning meeting on Wed. Sept. 12 at 7:30pm in the Emmaus Room. Our bazaar will take place on Sat. Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> from 9:30-2:00.



**AROUND TOWN**

**Adoration for Life** Come let us adore Jesus in the Eucharist and pray for respect for the dignity of life. Four locations:

- Thur. Aug. 2, 9:30am St. Agnes, Waterloo
- Fri. Aug. 3, 6-7pm St. Teresa, Kitchener
- Sat. Aug. 4, 11am-noon St. Mary, Kitchener
- Tues. Aug. 28, Spanish, 7:30pm, St. John’s

**Prayer Vigil** Thurs. Aug. 2 from 9 - 10 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 in Schneider Park. Any queries, please contact Cathy at: [kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com](mailto:kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com)

**Links Fore Learning** Golf Classic in support of Waterloo Region Catholic Schools Foundation at the Conestoga Golf & Country Club on Aug. 23. Cost, including breakfast and lunch is \$150. Call 519-578-3660 x 2373 for info and to register.

**50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Pilgrimage to Italy – St. Padre Pio** Sept. 16-27. Join Fr. Tom Sullivan on a faith filled pilgrimage to Rome, Vatican Museum, Assisi, Montecassino, San Giovanni Rotondo, St. Michael’s Cave, Lanciano, Loreto, Greccio and much more. Cost is \$3995 + taxes, includes all travel accommodations and two meals daily. For more info contact Louise Kunkel, Tour Leader at 905-664-1871/289-941-1938, [louisekunkel@yahoo.ca](mailto:louisekunkel@yahoo.ca).

**Carmel of St. Joseph Luncheon & Card Party** will be held at St. Anthony Daniel Church, Kitchener on Wed. Sept. 19 from 12 noon – 4pm. Doors open at 11:30am. Admission is \$15 which includes lunch and door prizes. Only advance tickets will be sold, contact Angie Bateman at 519-569-7493 or [anabateman307@gmail.com](mailto:anabateman307@gmail.com).