

Mass Intentions**January 1 – 7, 2018****Monday, January 1 – 10:00 a.m.****Happy New Year****Tuesday, January 2 – 7:00 p.m.****NO MASS****Wednesday, January 3 – 8:30 a.m.****Thursday, January 4 – 8:30 a.m.****Friday, January 5 – 8:30 a.m.****Saturday, January 6 – 9:00 a.m.****Saturday, January 6 - 5:00 p.m.****+Mrs. Gallant – Stella Lemieux****+Gill Lemieux – Stella Lemieux****Sunday, January 7 - 10:00 a.m.****Mass for the People of St. Teresa Parish****Prayer Network:**

For those not on the internet there is an envelope on the bulletin board at the main entrance marked 'PRAYER NETWORK'. Please take a copy of the prayer intentions inside this envelope and pray for fellow parishioners.

Hospitals and Privacy Laws:

Because of privacy laws, hospitals do not notify us when parishioners are admitted. If someone in your family is admitted to hospital and you want the Parish Office to know, please call and tell us. Many hospitals, Catholic or not, have a priest assigned to visit the Catholic patients and bring them Communion, but the family must tell the admittance office of their wish for a clergy visit.

Prayer Shawl

Prayer Shawls are blessed and available. Please call the parish office if you would like one.

**Bingo**

Matinee on **Saturday, January 20, 2018** from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. at the Charities Bingo Hall, 510 Krug Street, Kitchener. To assist with this fundraiser for our parish, please call the office: 519-743-4525.

**Euchre Results**

Next Euchre Night will be **Friday, January 12, 2018** in the church hall.

Stewardship Report**December 17, 2017**

Sunday Envelopes.....	\$2,252.00
Sunday Loose.....	160.00

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar 2018

Monday, January 1 – Rev. Thomas Vermiglio
Tuesday, January 2 – Rev. Gabriel Morais Catarino

Wednesday, January 3 – Holy Cross Fathers

Thursday, January 4 – Rev. Octavio Cidadao

Friday, January 5 – Rev. Jose Edson Moreira

Saturday, January 6 – Rev. Peter Raymond

Sunday, January 7 – Epiphany of the Lord

Pillar Course – Reminder

The Pillar Course will be on Thursday, January 4, 11, 18 & 25 at 7:00 p.m. Mark your calendars.

CWL General Meeting

Our next general meeting will be on **Tuesday, January 16, 2018 (date just changed for January)** after the 7 p.m. Mass. This will be election night. Come out and vote. We welcome all our members.

**Feast of the Holy Family**

By Baptism we are God's holy family. Pray today for the grace to live faithfully your vocation as a single, married, ordained or consecrated person. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton, 905-528-7988, x2246. www.HamiltonVocations.com
Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

Adoration for Life

A great prayer for life is urgently needed, a prayer which will rise up throughout the world to God, the Creator and lover of life...St.JP2. Come, let us adore Jesus in the Eucharist - Console His Heart Wounded by abortion and sins against the Sanctity of Life.

Two Locations: **Friday, January 5, 2018** at 8:45-10:00 a.m., St. Boniface Roman Catholic Church, 1355 Maryhill Rd., Maryhill. Also, **Saturday, January 6, 2018** at 11 a.m.-12 noon, St. Mary Our Lady of Seven Sorrows Roman Catholic Church, 56 Duke St. W., Kitchener. Call KW Right to Life for more information or how you can start an Adoration for Life at your church at 519-746-5433. Prayer and fasting are the first and most effective weapons against the forces of evil. Mt 4:1-11

2018 World Day of Prayer Planning Meeting

Our planning meeting for the World Day of Prayer 2018 will be **Friday, January 5, 2018** from 1-3 p.m. at Pioneer Park Christian Fellowship Church (68 Biehn Drive, Kitchener). Please mark it on your new calendars now. I hope to see you all in January. Have a great Christmas season with your families.

Prayer Vigil - Thursday, January 4, 2018, from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. in front of Freeport Hospital, 3570 King St. E., Kitchener, for babies being aborted. All are welcome to pray quietly. Park across the road, Schneider Park. Contact Cathy at: kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com

**St. Teresa School Playground Fund**

St. Teresa School is working hard to raise funds for a new safer and more accessible playground. Your help would be greatly appreciated!

Consider a donation, for a charitable tax receipt, through the Waterloo Region Catholic School's Foundation to St. Teresa Kitchener Playground fund. Donations can be made online at: <http://www.wrcsf.ca/give-your-support/>

You can send a cheque (payable to Waterloo Region Catholic Schools Foundation) to:

Waterloo Region Catholic Schools Foundation
35 Weber Street West, Unit A, Kitchener, Ontario N2H 3Z1.

Please include your name, address, and phone number, and specify the area you would like your donation designated to.

David, the King - Bishop Barron's DVD

This 6 part program starts on **Monday, January 8, 2018** at 7:30 p.m. at St. Louis Parish (53 Allen St. East, Waterloo). The whole Bible opens up once it's viewed through the person of King David in Bishop Robert Barron's newest Bible study. Course is free. Fee for optional materials. For more information or to register call: St. Louis Parish at 519-743-4101.

True Reformers - Christopher Blum's DVD

This 6 part program starts on **Thursday, January 11, 2018** at 1 p.m. at St. Louis Parish (53 Allen St. East, Waterloo). Dr. Christopher Blum will lead us on a journey with the saints who led the Church's rebirth from the ashes of the confusion caused by the Protestant Reformation. This study looks at lives of: Thomas More, Ignatius of Loyola, Philip Neri, Charles Borromeo, Teresa of Avila, Francis de Sales. Course is free. Fee for optional materials. For more information or to register call St. Louis Parish at 519-743-4101.