

**Mass Intentions****February 5 – 11, 2018****Tuesday, February 6 – 7:00 p.m.****Wednesday, February 7 – 8:30 a.m.****Thursday, February 8 – 8:30 a.m.****Friday, February 9 – 8:30 a.m.****Saturday, February 10 – 9:00 a.m.****Saturday, February 10 - 5:00 p.m.****Sunday, February 11 - 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.

**Euchre Results**

High Score - Erma Williams

Most Lone Hands - Lucy Baker

Low Score - Jane Grein &amp; John Lawler

1st Draw - Bernard Brohman / 2nd Draw - Stella

Lemieux

Next Euchre Night will be **Friday, February 9th** in the church hall.

**Bingo**

Matinee on **Saturday, February 17th** 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.

**Stewardship Report****January 21, 2018**

Sunday Envelopes.....	\$2,437.00
Loose.....	221.55
Initial Offering.....	40.00
New Year's Day.....	40.00
Building & Maintenance.....	30.00

**Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar 2018**

Monday, February 5 – Rev. Jozo Grubisic

Tuesday, February 6 – Rev. Marco Puljic

Wednesday, February 7 – Discalced Carmelite Fathers

Thursday, February 8 – Rev. Jason Kuntz

Friday, February 9 – Very Rev. John Van Hees

Saturday, February 10 – Rev. Ilija Petkovic

Sunday, February 11 – Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**CWL Pancake Breakfast**

Join us on **Sunday, February 11th** following the 10:00 Mass for Pancakes and more! Free will donations gratefully accepted!

**CWL Family Day Soup and Sandwiches**

Join us on Family Day (**Monday, February 19th**) at noon for a soup and sandwich lunch. Come and enjoy homemade soup and great company. Free will donations gratefully accepted.

**CWL Annual Twilight Retreat – Save-the-Date**

Please mark your calendars for St. Teresa's CWL annual Twilight Retreat, **Wednesday, March 14th** beginning at 5:00 p.m. with Mass. Father Dave Walter of St. Michael's Parish will be our retreat leader this year, 'A Journey to the Cross: Reflections on our Lord's Passion'. More details to come.

**Shrove Tuesday** is **February 13th**. The Knights of Columbus, 145 Dearborn Pl., Waterloo is having a pancake and sausage dinner from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00

p.m. Adults - \$9.00 / Children under 10 - \$5.00. All Welcome.

**Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Jesus created much excitement in His day through His preaching, teaching, and healing. Today, the Church communicates that same wonder and grace by those active in priesthood, religious life, and lay ministries. If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x2246. Email: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)

[www.HamiltonVocations.com](http://www.HamiltonVocations.com)**Rite of Election 2018 – Hamilton**

On **Sunday, February 18th** the Rite of Election for those parishes in the Brant, Halton, and Hamilton deaneries takes place at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 p.m. This is an occasion where the Church is invited to celebrate with the catechumens who will be celebrating the Sacraments of Initiation at the upcoming Easter Vigil. The celebration will be presided by His Excellency, Bishop Crosby who, in the presence of the community, declares the Church's approval of the catechumens for the celebration of the three initiation sacraments. All are welcome to join us for this beautiful celebration.

**Annual Valentine Supper** sponsored by the Maryhill Knights of Columbus & St. Boniface Catholic Women's League are hosting the Valentine supper at the Maryhill Heritage Park Community Centre on **Saturday, February 10th**. Doors open at 4:30. Seatings are at 5 and 7 p.m. Advance tickets only at the cost of \$20 per adult and \$10 for children 7-12 and 6 and under is free. Rolled ribs, mashed potatoes & all the fixings followed by coffee, tea & desserts. Contacts – Mike Runstedler (519) 648-3394 / Doug Zinger (519) 648-2939 / Mary Campagnaro (519) 822-9287.

**Band of Christian Brothers Men's Conference**

On **Saturday, February 24th** will join Hector Molina and Bishop of St. Catharines, Gerard Bergie along with hundreds of men for Serviam Ministries' 3rd annual Band of Christian Brothers Men's Conference at Canada Christian College in Toronto. The theme is "Manly Virtue". It is a one day intensive men's retreat consisting of spiritual talks, Mass, Adoration, Confession, fraternity and prayer. Special Father/Son rates available. All information and tickets: <https://www.serviamministries.com/events/virtue/>, [info@ServiamMinistries.com](mailto:info@ServiamMinistries.com) or 1-888-522-2070.

**Potato Blitz at Supermarket sponsored by the House of Friendship**

Help feed your neighbours in need. Volunteers are needed to collect donations of cash and spuds at area grocery stores on Saturday, February 10th from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. (2 hr. shifts). Please sign up no later than Tuesday, February 5th. For more information, or to sign up, contact Dawn at: [specialevents@houseoffriendship.org](mailto:specialevents@houseoffriendship.org) or 519-742-8327, ext. 119. Also, can bring directly to the Charles Street Men's Shelter, 63 Charles St. E., Kitchener **OR** Emergency Food Hamper Program, 807 Guelph Street E., Kitchener (Monday-Friday, 9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.)

**KW Right to Life Charity Dinner Gala**

Culture vs. Christ: In Search of Authentic Love with Jonathon Van Maren **Thursday, February 8th** at the Polish Legion Hall, 601 Wellington St. N., Kitchener. Dinner at 6 p.m. Speakers begin at 7 p.m. Cash bar and Silent Auction. Tickets are \$40. Contact: [kwrtl.ticketleap.com/love](http://kwrtl.ticketleap.com/love) or KW Right to Life Office at: 519-746-5433.

**Waterloo Catholic District School Board is Hiring**

We are currently accepting applications for the following opportunities:

- Occasional Teachers
- Uncertified Early Childhood Assistants
- Lunch Hour Supervisors

Please visit our website for job details and application criteria: [www.wcdsb.ca](http://www.wcdsb.ca)

**Parenting Tip**

Parents often ask their children what they would like to be when they grow up, but the better question to reflect on is 'who you want to be' when you grow up. Lessons learned in childhood, along with the modelling from significant adults in their lives set a foundation for the adults our children become. Do you expect respect, the use of manners, that your children treat others with caring and compassion? Are you modelling the traits of a good parent and spouse? Do you help them to see how God can and does support them as they grow to develop the gifts they have been given to use in our world? Good people are happier and healthier people, so help your child develop the 'who' part of themselves and what they will be will take care of itself!