



## Shepherd's Corner

Dear Parishioners,

I do not have to remind you that confusion is the order of the day. Nor do I have to remind you that the cause of this wholesale confusion is the rejection of God, who is the principle of right order. Confusion is the predictable result of a godless society. Now, basic logic is hotly denied. When logic falls, all other branches of learning fall too, including morality. (Actually, corrupt morals cause faulty logic.)

**Security.** The Church has weathered storms of confusion before. Her members are affected by the intellectual rot either more or less depending. Regardless, the Church remains the immovable rock of safety in the midst of the storm. Many of her members may detach from the rock; this is their choice; the rock remains.

**Clarity.** Putting God, the principle of right order, back where He belongs, must be done in all facets of life: intellectual, moral, political, social, and often underestimated—religious. This dispels the confusion.

**Liturgical Clarity.** We believe as we pray: *Lex credendi, lex orandi*. The veil is used to protect or to honor sacred persons or things. Tabernacles, for instance, are veiled to indicate that our Lord is home; left unveiled to indicate his absence (according to the old rules). A ciborium, the vessel holding the hosts, is treated similarly. If you see one sitting on the altar before Mass, how do you know whether the Blessed Sacrament is within or not? If it is bare, no; if veiled, yes. (During Mass and the distribution of Communion the ciborium is not veiled for practical purposes.)

We see (R) the sacred vessels in the tabernacle at St. Aloysius. The white veils indicate the purity, holiness, and divinity of the One contained. These linen veils (prepared during the 'lock-down') recall the burial shroud, while the lace indicates the beauty of the resurrection.

God love you,

Fr. R Novokowsky,  
FSSP



# St. Aloysius Parish

*Bulletin of Information for  
19 July 2020*

*Traditional Latin Mass  
Apostolate of the  
Diocese of St. Catharines  
Served by the  
Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter*



## INTERIM Sunday Mass Times:

**8:30 am, 10:30 am, 1 pm**

Weekdays: please see inside cover.

**Confessions:** 30 minutes before each Mass, Saturdays 4—5 pm or by appointment.

## Solemn Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

First Fridays 6—7 pm.

**Baptism:** Contact the office one month prior to proposed date.

**Marriage:** Contact the office six months prior to proposed date; preparation is required.

**Legion of Mary:** Praesidium Meeting, Tuesdays 2 pm.

**Holy Face of Jesus Devotion:** Tuesday following 7:30 am Mass.

**First Friday:** Hour of Reparation 6-7pm, followed by 7 pm Mass.

**First Saturday:** Rosary and Meditation after 9 am Mass.

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# Schedule of Masses and Intentions



# Announcements

| Date              | Liturgy  | Mass Intention   | Requested by                                  |
|-------------------|--|--|---|
| Sun.<br>19 July   | 7th Sunday aft.<br>Pentecost, 2nd cl.                                | 8:30 am M & C Paquette<br>10:30 am Pro populo<br>1 pm + Frank Lawrence                         | Paquette Family<br>——<br>Manon Kawula         |
| Mon.<br>20 July   | St. Jerome Emiliani, C,<br>3rd cl.<br>(Comm. St. Margaret)           | ——   | ——  |
| Tues.<br>21 July  | St. Lawrence of Brin-<br>disi, C, D, 3rd cl.<br>(Comm. St. Praxedes) | 7:30 am SOLI Novena  | SOLI Sisters                                  |
| Wed.<br>22 July   | St. Mary Magdalene,<br>Penitent, 3rd cl.                             | 7:30 am Waldemar<br>Wypych & Family  | Private                                       |
| Thurs.<br>23 July | St. Apollinaris,<br>B, M, 3rd cl.<br>(Comm. St. Liborius)            | 7:30 am Emilia Witek   | E. Witek                                      |
| Fri.<br>24 July   | Feria, 4th cl.<br>(Comm. St. Christina)                              | 7:00 pm Joan & Tom<br>Bauer  | Private                                       |
| Sat.<br>25 July   | St. James the Greater,<br>Ap, 2nd cl.<br>(Comm. St. Christopher)     | 9 am Faustina Arsenault  | C & M Arsenault                               |
| Sun.<br>26 July   | 8th Sunday after<br>Pentecost, 2nd cl.<br>(Comm. St. Anne)           | 8:30 am Michael & Kata-<br>line Somogyvari<br>10:30 Pro Populo<br>1 pm + Msgr. W.<br>Gallagher | J.J. Somogyvari<br>Pro Populo<br>Joanna Sword |

■ Shading indicates a special schedule.

- Welcome to our visitors and new parishioners.**
- Monday:** There is no public Mass on Monday. The office is closed. Emails will not be read or answered.
- TODAY:** Three Masses at 8:30 am, 10:30 am, and 1 pm. We must maintain ‘social distancing.’ If you are experiencing flu or cold-like symptoms, please stay home. Face masks are encouraged by the authorities but not mandatory. **(The City of St. Catharines passed an ordinance about face masks; this does not apply to Thorold.)** If the priest experiences these symptoms, all the Masses will be cancelled, and notification will be sent by email.
- Lastest Sunday Schedule:** Masses at 8:30 am, 10:30 am and 1 pm. Until further notice, I will send an invitation to “register for Mass” on Tuesday and reply to your request by end of day Friday. Please register by NOON Friday. Thank you for your patience with this process.
- Home grown flowers?** Do you have blooming flowers with which you’d like to adorn the altar of God? A bucket of fresh water at the rectory entrance (between garage and church) will receive your flowers from Fri. morning to Sat. afternoon.
- Our YouTube Channel:** Search for “**St. Aloysius—Thorold**” or click this link : [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMUG3-27shTAtU-o87XRrUpg?view\\_as=subscriber](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMUG3-27shTAtU-o87XRrUpg?view_as=subscriber)
- Email Communication:** You can request to receive email notices from this parish office at: [staloyuspastor@yahoo.ca](mailto:staloyuspastor@yahoo.ca).
- Collections 12 July:** Offertory—\$1,388; SOLI Sisters—\$5; Thank you for your material support of the parish.
- Interac e-Transfers:** These are easily made and can be directed to any fund. With no specification, your donation will be considered a regular offertory donation. For any special collection (i.e. Building Fund, SOLI Sisters), specify your intention in the memo line. One transfer can be specified for one or more purposes.