



# Our Lady of the Atonement

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**February 3, 2019–**

## **Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Our readings today invite us to reflect on what is known as one of the 4 marks of the church. In the Nicene Creed, we profess faith in One, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church. The use of the word Catholic here does not designate the Roman Catholic Church into which we have been baptized but rather, a church that is universal in outlook and expression. That is the true meaning of the word “catholic”. The church is found in all nations and among all peoples. The first reading speaks of the universal call given to all of God’s children. God knows us and calls us. The ministry of Jesus was one of including all in the proclamation of the Good News. Many resisted because they thought they knew better or had their own ideas.

Too often we limit ourselves and the working of God’s grace to what we know or experience ourselves. Discipleship is to be lived in a much broader, universal and inclusive way. Let us pray for a truly Catholic understanding of how we are to share the Gospel.

Please post last week’s special prayer that was on the back of the Bishop’s letter on your fridge or keep it handy and pray it daily for the needs of our Family of Parishes. Prayer is absolutely essential for all of us as we keep moving forward. Come Holy Spirit.

### *Parish Team*

#### **Pastor:**

Fr. Rob Rocheleau ext. 22

#### **Coordinator of Youth Ministry**

Maria Mollica ext. 23

#### **Office Coordinator**

Mary Mullins ext. 35

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#### **Office Receptionist**

Robin Orosz ext. 21

#### **Custodian:** Mike MacLellan

#### **Finance Council Chair**

Loretta Brennan

#### **Pastoral Council Chair**

Annemarie Bondy

### *Mass Schedule*

Saturday ~ 5:00 p.m.

Sunday ~ 10:00 a.m.

Daily Masses ~ Consult inside

### *Sacrament of Reconciliation*

Saturday ~ 11 a.m. to Noon

Weekdays by request

### *Baptism*

Expectant parents are asked to contact the Pastor to discuss baptism.

Baptism preparation is required

### *Marriage*

Contact the office at least eight months in advance. Marriage preparation is required.

### *Sacrament of the Sick*

Communal Celebrations Seasonally.

Individual anytime-contact Pastor for appointment.

Please Contact the office.

### *Office Hours*

Tue., Wed., Thur., & Fri.

9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Office is closed on Monday.

**Vocations Calendar**  
Please Pray for...



**Monday, February 4**  
**Fr. Gilbert Simard**

**No Mass Today**

**Tuesday, February 5**  
..... 2:00 pm  
*St. Agatha*  
..... 7:00 pm

**Riverside Place**

**Lola & Frank Manning**  
Delores & Dave Paquin  
**Janet Patihk-**  
Her brother John Sabga & Family  
**Salvatore Scalia-**  
Saade Family

**Mrs. Rachelle Leslie**  
**Pastoral Minister**

**Wednesday, February 6**  
..... 10:00 am  
**St. Paul Miki & Companions**

**George Lewsaw-**  
Paul & Maureen Gervais  
**Maureen Gervais-**  
Donna Mae Finn  
**Nan Cecile-**  
Stan & Lu

**Ministers to the Bereaved in the Diocese of London**



**Thursday, February 7**  
..... 9:30 am  
**\*Note Mass Time\***

**School Mass**  
**Ints. of Mimi-**

**Cecil DeCoteau-**  
Maurice & Claudette Mousseau  
**Rosina & Bernardo Ceccacci-**  
Their Family

**Deacon Ronald Vermette**

**Friday, February 8**  
..... 9:00 am  
*St. Josephine Bakhita*

**Zlatko Puskaric-**  
His wife Visnja & Family  
**Mato Mihalic-**  
His Family  
**Joseph Ferranti-**  
His wife Cecile

**Mrs. Rita Butler,**  
**Coordn. of Youth Ministry**

**Saturday, February 9**  
..... 5:00 pm  
**Mrs. Leonia Downie**  
**Pastoral Minister**

**Intentions of the Parishioners**

**Sunday, February 10**  
..... 10:00 am  
*5th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**Intentions of the Parishioners**  
*Isaiah 6.1-2a, 3-8*  
*1 Corinthians 15.1-11*  
*Luke 5.1-11*

**Fr. Gerald Craig O.F.M. Cap**

**YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS**



Join us Tuesday, February 5th  
for games night, 6:30-8 pm.



**FIRST RECONCILIATION AND EUCHARIST**



**Catechism sessions are underway on Thursday evenings at 6:30 pm until 7:45 pm in the Family Centre.**

We enjoy spending this special time with the children and helping them to learn more about their faith and prepare them to receive these sacraments. Please keep them in your prayers over these next few months.

**LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN**

We could always use a couple extra adults to help us share God's Word with the children at 10 am mass. It is a very rewarding way to witness to our faith and help them to grow as disciples. Speak to Maria for more information.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

*Upcoming dates for baptism are February 10th and March 3rd. There will be a preparation class on Tuesday, February 19th at 7:30 pm. This is the last class until after Easter. First time parents are asked to make arrangements now to attend.*



**FUNERAL MINISTRY**

We are blessed to have dedicated volunteers who step in when a death occurs. We are in need of some extra funeral servers so we have enough (some of our servers are snowbirds or busy volunteers already).

We also need people willing to sing in our resurrection choir. This is a dedicated group who come together to provide music for our funeral mass. No experience necessary, you just need to like to sing as part of a group.

If you are able to help, contact Robin in the office so we can put you on the phone list.

Thanks also to our Bereavement Luncheon crew for always providing such great hospitality.



**SCHOOL MASS**

Join us this Thursday at 9:30 am as we gather with the children of our two schools for mass. In preparation for Family Day this month, we will be celebrating the gift of family. Parents, grandparents and all parishioners are always welcome to join us so we can celebrate the joy of being family.

### World Day for Consecrated Life:

"Today we rejoice and celebrate World Day for Consecrated Life. Over the years, many men and women have chosen to live out their baptismal vocation by professing the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity, and obedience. They do this by joining a religious congregation, a secular institute, or through private vows. Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation."

### *There is a Time for Everything under Heaven...*

*Let us all pray for all those who are in need of healing, at home, nursing homes or in hospital, and all those who care for them. Let us pray also for those who have died: Jack Morgan, Muriel Birch, Stefania Garbata, Yolanda Alvarez. Lawrence Chittle*  
***May the Lord comfort those who mourn them.***

## Upcoming Events

Tues. Feb 5	6:30 pm Youth Group 7:30 pm Knights of Columbus General Mtg.
Thurs. Feb 7	6:30 pm 1st Reconciliation Class
Fri. Feb 8	10 am Centering Prayer
Feb 9/10	Coffee Social following weekend masses hosted by CWL & K of C, Baby Shower before & after mass
Tues. Feb 12	6:30 pm Youth Group
Thurs. Feb 14	6 pm Catholic Women's League General Mtg. 6:30 pm 1st Reconciliation Class
Feb 15, 16, 22, 23	10 am Centering Prayer

### Life at St. Peter's Seminary Video

To watch a short video about vocations and life at St. Peter's Seminary, please visit the seminary Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/SPSeminary](http://www.facebook.com/SPSeminary). Please pray for an increase of vocations to the priesthood and religious life, and please keep the students and faculty of the seminary in your prayers. To learn more about St. Peter's Seminary visit [www.stpetersseminary.ca](http://www.stpetersseminary.ca).

### PARISH MISSION COLLECTION

Today is our annual collection for our parish mission projects. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. Over the last four years, we have been able to support a number of projects in Northern Canada, Peru, Africa and India. Together we have the responsibility to support those who work in the Mission field both with our prayers and our financial support. The green mission envelopes are in the offertory boxes but are also available at the doors of the church. Donations can be made year round.

Our mission group will gather in a few weeks once the majority of the donations have come in so we can distribute the funds to our mission partners. Please keep all missionaries and the projects we support in your prayers.

### Vocation Discernment Groups for Catholic Men

Quo Vadis is Latin for "where are you going?" Is Jesus calling me to be a Catholic priest? It's not an easy question to answer. It takes prayer and study to discover your true vocation. Quo Vadis is a discernment group of men, ages 18 to 35, who love Jesus Christ and His Church, and who are willing to talk with other like-minded men about their future. The group meetings aren't meant to convince you that priesthood is your vocation. You could very well be called to marriage or to another vocation, but openness to God's will is the goal of these groups. Contact Fr. Patrick Bénéteau at [vocations@dol.ca](mailto:vocations@dol.ca) or 519-432-1824 ext. 204, for meeting times and locations or see the bulletin board poster for more details.



Windsor-Essex Catholic District School Board  
Kindergarten Registration

[www.wecdsb.on.ca](http://www.wecdsb.on.ca)

**Tuesday, February 19<sup>th</sup> to Friday March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019**

**Open House/Evening Registration at your**

**local Catholic School on**

**Wednesday February 20<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm**

**Requirements:** Birth Certificate, Baptismal Certificate  
Health Card and Immunization Record

Jr. Kindergarten: Children must be 4 years of age by December 31, 2019  
Sr. Kindergarten: Children must be 5 years of age by December 31, 2019

### INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

We are currently preparing them and will be ready for pick up after mass in St. Francis Hall beginning next weekend. This will save us mailing costs.

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS.....

Lent begins Wednesday, March 6th. Bring in your old palms and leave at the Welcome Desk.

**Lenten DVD series:** we will offer a series of dvd sessions on Conversion. Each session is 20 minutes. We will show the dvd Tuesdays: 6:30 pm before the 7 pm mass and Wednesdays: 9:30 am before the 10 am mass. Each vignette offers a biblical person and an application of their conversion story to help us in our own journey.

**SUMMER BIBLE CAMP:** once again we will offer an exciting week for kids sponsored by the Family Life Office of the Diocese. July 15-19 in the Family Centre. Stay tuned for more information.



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