

# EAST WINDSOR CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES

Our Lady of the Atonement | St. Anthony of Padua | St. John Vianney | St. Vincent de Paul

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Sunday, June 5, 2022 Solemnity of Pentecost

A message from Fr. Rob....

COME HOLY SPIRIT! These three powerful words form a prayer of intent. We open our hearts to allow the Holy Spirit to be our guide and strength. The gifts of the Spirit: wisdom, piety, counsel, knowledge, understanding, fear of the Lord and fortitude are given to us at baptism and further strengthened in confirmation. It is so essential for us to be attuned and attentive to the voice of the Holy Spirit. Let us continue to pray for an openness to all that the Lord is asking of us with the Spirit's help.

As we celebrate today, our Easter Season comes to a close with the promise of Jesus to be with us always. His gift is the gift of peace. Just as God spoke and breathed upon the earth bringing forth life (Book of Genesis) so too the Risen Lord speaks a word of peace and breathes upon the church the Holy Spirit.

As we enter the season of Ordinary Time, it will be important for each one of us to pray daily, intently and willingly, allowing the Lord to speak to our hearts and helping us to discern the path forward. Come Holy Spirit.

We are looking forward to celebrating with our 5 school communities the end of the school year masses in the next two weeks. These gatherings are always opportunities to help our children and youth hear the Gospel and respond to the invitation of Jesus to be missionary disciples. School has been challenging for the students, staffs, administration and parents these last two years. May the Lord bless them for their perseverance and dedication.

We also look forward to more people returning to inperson worship as the weeks go by. All are warmly encouraged to come and worship together.

#### WISDOM FROM THE SAINTS

"Jesus, help me to simplify my life by learning what you want me to be and becoming that person." **St. Therese of Lisieux** 

"There is a practice that is most powerful in keeping us united with God. That practice is the constant recollection of his presence." **St. Alphonsus Liguori** 

#### **Pastoral Team**

#### Pastor:

Fr. Rob Rocheleau

# Associate Pastor:

Fr. Jim Higgins

#### **Pastoral Minister:**

Rachelle Leslie

### **Coordinator of Youth & Family Ministry:**

Maria Mollica

#### **Priest Chaplains to St. Anthony:**

Fr. Barnabas Kiss OFM & Fr. Angelus Ligeti OFM

#### New Mass Schedule (Temporary times due to COVID-19):

#### Saturday

5 pm Our Lady of the Atonement 5 pm St. John Vianney

#### Sunday

8:30 am Our Lady of the Atonment for St. Vincent de Paul Parish 9:00 am St. John Vianney 10:30 am Our Lady of the Atonement The mass for Hungarian Community is on hold for time being

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Available by appointment only at this time.

Call the office to arrange a time.

#### **Baptism**

Contact the Pastoral Minister to discuss baptism.

## **Marriage**

Contact the office at least eight months in advance.

Marriage preparation is required.

#### Sacrament of the Sick

Communal Celebrations Seasonally.

Individually anytime - Speak to one of the priests.

### **Office Hours**

Monday: 9 am-3 pm Tuesday-Friday: 9 am-4pm

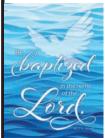
Vocations Calendar Please pray for	Raymond Bourdeau- Anna Meloche Nellie Drouillard- Alan & Stephanie Drouillard Ints. of Dan Badour & Family- Mary & Henry Bellemore Raymond Normandeau- Richard Normandeau- Richard Normandeau John Miller-Paula & Family Eliseo Riopay-The Marvilla Family Rosina & Bernardo Ceccacci- Maria & Family  Angela Alexander- Nicole Mancini Nabor Manzeralle 20th Anniversary-The Family	
Tuesday, June 7 9 am @ SJV Fr. Joseph Langlois		
Wednesday, June 8 9 am @ OLA  Mrs. Dianne O'Neil Pastoral Minister		
Thursday, June 9 9 am @ SJV Fr. Barnabas Kiss O.F.M.		
Friday, June 10 9 am @ OLA Deacon Carol Tamas	Darla Mac Master- Dave & Delores Paquin Jose Peralta-Harvey, Nilda & Family Lu Cecile— Beata Barfuss Leo Savard-wife Peggy & Family Gerald Savard-Mom Peggy & Family	
Saturday, June 11 5 pm @ OLA & SJV St. Barnabas	Intentions of the Parishioners	
Deacon Guy Alden  Sunday, June 12  Most Holy Trinity 8:30 & 10:30 am @ OLA 9:00 am @ SJV  Mrs. Monika Korzec Pastoral Minister	Intentions of the Parishioners	

# FAMILY OF PARISHES SUMMER PICNIC Sunday, August 14th

Mark your calendars now and plan to join us for a summer gathering where we can be together and celebrate God's abundant blessings to us.

We have chosen Sunday, August 14th. This will coincide with the visit of an icon of St. Joseph, guardian of families hosted by the Knights which will be with us for two weeks. This is also the day before the Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary.

The picnic will take place on the grounds of Our Lady of the Atonement so we can make use of the hall (air conditioning) and bathrooms. Would you like to be involved in the planning? Contact Robin in the office 519-735-6023. We will be reaching out to our parish groups for their involvement as well.



We warmly welcome into our family through the waters of baptism:

# Benjamin Olejniczak

Please contact Rachelle in the parish office at (519)735-6023 x 32 for any baptism inquiries.

#### FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

Come and join us for mass on Monday, June 13th to honour one of our parish patrons. Mass will be at 9 am at St. John Vianney church. St. Anthony was a great evangelizer and witness to the Gospel of Christ. May the Lord send his blessings upon our St. Anthony of Padua Hungarian community. We hope to be able to resume masses with this community soon.

## **FUNERAL MINISTRY ALTAR SERVERS**



We are ready to resume having our wonderful adult servers to assist with this important ministry. It is an appreciated

presence at a time of loss. We hope to create one ministry of servers who will be willing to serve whenever a funeral arises at either church. Rachelle will be reaching out to our present list of servers but we welcome new members to join us in this ministry. Training will be provided. If you would like to help, please contact Rachelle. We will plan training sessions soon.



God's Gardening Crew: thanks to our garden volunteers who have been hard at work cleaning up after winter and planting. Do

you like to garden? Come and join them. Just come when you can and look for weeds etc. Every little bit helps to keep the grounds looking wonderful all summer long.



#### JUNE WEDDINGS

Let us pray for the engaged couples preparing for marriage this month

# Kristi Campbell & Zachary Lachance (June 11) Lana Vince and Dale Sandison (June 24)

May the Lord bless them as they accept the call to witness to God's love in this sacrament.

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

We love to celebrate with couples special anniversaries with a blessing at mass. Contact Robin at the parish office to make arrangements.

# 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 our deceased parishioners and family members who have died:

# Wolfgang Grohs & Frances Wood

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. May the Risen Lord bring peace and comfort to those who mourn.



Date & Time	Parish	Group & Location	
Mon. Jun 6 @ 7 pm	SJV	Society of St. Vincent de Paul (St. John Vianney Hall)	
Tues. Jun 7 @ 7 pm	OLA	K of C General (St. Francis Hall)	
Thurs. Jun 9 @ 7 pm	SJV	K of C General (St. John Vianney Hall)	
Thurs. Jun 9 @ 2 pm	OLA	CWL General (St. Francis Hall)	
Tues. Jun 14 @ 7 pm	SJV	CWL General (St. John Vianney Hall)	
Tues, Jun 21 @ 6 pm	OLA	Society of St. Vincent de Paul (Atonement Family Centre)	
Tues. Jun 28 @ 7 pm	SVDP	K of C General (Atonement Family Centre	

# SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS



St.Vincent de Paul | The Society is urgently requesting donations of gently used clothing for the Windsor Essex Central Council Stores.

During the weekend of June 18/19th 2022 a SSVP truck will be in the OLA church parking lot a half hour before and after each mass on both Saturday and Sunday to collect your generous donations of gently used clothing that you no longer require. St. John Vianney Conference will host a bundle drive later this summer for the same purpose.



We really appreciate your ongoing support of the less fortunate in our

#### WINDSOR MIRACLE FOOD DRIVE

This year rather than home pick up, the organizers are asking people to donate to a local food pantry. The Society has benefitted from this drive in the past and so once again we appreciate your support. Bring food donations the weekend of June 25/26 and society volunteers will be on hand to gratefully accept them.

## **Catholic Women's League News Bursary Program (OLA)**



A \$500.00 bursary will be awarded to a graduating student from high school who will be pursuing postsecondary education in the fall. The following criteria to be considered:

The student must be a parishioner of Our Lady of the Atonement and planning to purse postsecondary education upon graduating from high school this year.

Please pick up an application form and criteria outline in the parish office or St. Joseph H.S. guidance office to parish office by June 15th.

#### COVID UPDATE FROM BISHOP FABBRO

-wearing of masks in indoor settings is still encouraged; sensitivity to one another is essential.

-hand sanitizer units are available at church entrances on the walls

-dispensation from the Sunday mass obligation has been extended until 6 September as there are still some people uncertain of attending mass -sign of peace should be extended in a manner that makes people comfortable without necessitating actual contact with those not in our own household i.e. nod of head or gesture of peace

-communion ministers will continue to wear masks in the distribution of communion.

-those wishing to receive communion on the tongue must come last in line; minister must sanitize hands after each of these communicants -offertory collection will return to within the mass

#### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH

We will host our 3rd parish meeting on Wednesday, July 6th @ 6:30 pm in Our Lady of the Atonement Church. This will be an opportunity to present the latest status reports both pastoral and financial as well as present the plans moving forward. Members of the parish are invited to come and join us so you can be informed.

FAMILY & COSMETIC DENTISTRY

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For Women Over 16 Years See inside for dates of meeting & activities Call Parish Office for more info

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