



# Our Lady of the Atonement

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## March 17, 2019– Second Sunday of Lent

All of our readings this weekend invite us to look up. Too often we go through life with our heads down and we miss out on so much. Since the invention of the mobile phone this has gotten worse. We could now have an Olympic sport comprised of manoeuvring our way through a crowd while looking down at our cell phone and texting or checking our email or playing a game. Today we are invited to renew our perspective and to look up to heaven and see as God's sees. Lent is all about gaining a new perspective for our faith journey.

This journey of conversion has two parts. First is the awareness of our own sinfulness, our faults and failings. But secondly and more importantly, we are reminded of God's gracious love and mercy. God is a loving Father who constantly calls us back to the life of grace.

Many thanks to all who supported our Pancake Supper by your presence. Proceeds will be sent to StreetHelp on Wyandotte Street. Special thanks to all our kitchen helpers and servers for their hard work and for making it such a success.

Tuesday, March 19th is the Solemnity of St. Joseph, the principal patron of the Universal Church and of the Church in Canada. Come and join us for mass at 7 pm.

Happy St. Patrick's Day today!

## *Parish Team*

### **Pastor:**

Fr. Rob Rocheleau ext. 22

### **Coordinator of Youth Ministry**

Maria Mollica ext. 23

### **Office Coordinator**

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### **Events Coordinator**

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### **Office Receptionist**

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### **Custodian:** Mike MacLellan

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Loretta Brennan

### **Pastoral Council Chair**

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## *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, March 18**  
**Fr. Stephen Savel**

**No Mass Today**

**Tuesday, March 19**  
..... **7:00 pm**  
*Solemnity of St. Joseph*

**Mildred Magone-**  
Her husband Willie  
**Antonio Valente-**  
Margherita Panaccione  
**Margaret Vrabel-**  
Darryl & Jerry Demars & Family

**Sisters of St. Joseph**

**Wednesday, March 20**  
..... **10:00 am**  
*Ministers to Migrant Workers in the Diocese of London*

**Ints of Stan & Lu Cecile-**  
Their daughter Diane  
**In Thanksgiving-**  
Judy Haslam  
**Andree Hall-**  
Kay & Carole

**Thursday, March 21**  
..... **9:00 am**

**Cecil Decoteau-**  
The Arkell Family  
**Mary-Ellen Secord-**  
Mom, Dad & Family  
**Leo & Marie Louise Gauthier-**  
Their daughter Veronica

**Deacon James Panchaud**

**Friday, March 22**  
..... **9:00 am**  
**With exposition until noon**  
**& resuming at 6pm**

**Yolanda Alvarez-**  
Henry & Mary Bellemore  
**Emanuele Labadie**  
His Wife & Family  
**Keith Wilbur-**  
Bob & Suzanne Cayea



**7 pm Stations of the Cross**  
**Fr. Murray Sample**

**Saturday, March 23**  
..... **5:00 pm**  
**Deacon Brad Lewis**

**Intentions of the Parishioners**

**Sunday, March 24**  
..... **10:00 am**  
*Third Sunday of Lent*  
**Mr. Sylvain Patry**  
**Coordn. of Youth Ministry**

**Intentions of the Parishioners**  
*Exodus 3.1-8a, 13-15*  
*1 Corinthians 10.1-6, 10-12*  
*Luke 13.1-9*

## FIRST EUCHARIST

Classes resume this Thursday at 6:30 pm (March 21st) in the Family Centre as we begin learning about the Eucharist.

Let us continue to keep the children in our prayers during this special time as they discover the wonderful gift of the Eucharist.

## PASTORAL CARE OUTREACH

We would like to **update our list** of those receiving communion at home by volunteer ministers. Please phone Robin in the office if you are taking communion to one of our **homebound parishioners** so we can ensure we are up to date and not missing anyone. Also we would like to have a complete list of our **parishioners who are in nursing homes**. Many times due to sickness or circumstances, a family member is placed in a home or the home is changed and the many details required can be overwhelming and families understandably neglect to inform us so we are unaware. We would like to be able to keep providing spiritual outreach and ensure they are cared for by pastoral care teams across the city. Please let Robin know in the office of the name of our parishioner (your spouse etc.) and which nursing home and room number. Most nursing homes have some sort of spiritual outreach provided by the neighbouring parishes.



## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM



*The next baptism preparation class will be on Tuesday, March 26th at 7:30 pm. Baptisms will take place on Saturday, April 27th at 11 am following Easter. The next dates are Sunday, May 19th and Sunday, June 23rd. Please make arrangements with Fr. Rob now.*

**PLEASE NOTE:** No confessions on Saturday, March 30th due to a Transition Team meeting. Confessions: St. Anne's Parish 9 am -10 am.



**FASTING AND ABSTINENCE:** On Fridays during Lent, it is highly encouraged for all those who are able, to fast from large meals and abstain from eating meat. These ancient spiritual practices of self-denial help us to strengthen our resolve to better ourselves.



## Works of Mercy & Love:

Lenten donations to the St. Vincent de Paul Food Cupboard

**Suggested items for the 3rd Sunday of Lent – March 23/24:**

Canned meat, tuna, canned vegetables, kleenex, toilet paper etc.

## OUR LENTEN JOURNEY

Please join us on Fridays for prayer before the Blessed Sacrament following the 9 am mass until noon. Adoration resumes at 6 pm with Stations of the Cross at 7 pm and ending with Benediction. This weekly time of prayer is an opportunity to come before the Lord in silence and listen prayerfully.

### Journey through Lent with Madonna House!

Monday nights beginning March 11 from 6 – 8 PM we will be offering a time of reflection and preparation for the great Feast of Easter. After a bowl of hearty soup we will share some of our Madonna House traditions and prepare for Easter using the Sunday readings as a starting point for our discussions.

**Pysanky Classes.** Madonna House is once again offering pysanky classes Saturdays during Lent from 1 – 3 PM. Pysanky is the ancient Eastern European art of egg decorating. The name comes from the verb *to write*, as you use a stylus (called a *kistka*) to write with wax on the egg shell. The process is similar to *batik*. Come and push back the darkness and create a beautiful egg to decorate for Easter.

For more info and to sign up please phone 519-252-9236.

*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:*

***May the Lord comfort those who mourn them.***

## Upcoming Events

Tues. Mar 19	6 pm St. Vincent de Paul Mtg. 6:30 pm Youth Group 7 pm mass Solemnity of St. Joseph
Thurs. Mar 21	6:30 First Eucharist Class
Fri. Mar 22	10 am Centering Prayer 4:30-6:30 K of C Fish Fry
Sat. Mar 23	10 am Centering Prayer
Mon. Mar 25	9:30 am Rosary, 10 am mass for the Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord
Tues. Mar 26	6:30 pm Youth Group 7:30 pm Baptism Preparation
Thurs. Mar 28	6:30 pm First Eucharist Class

**Our Lady of Guadalupe Church –  
Day of Reflection with Sister Linda Parent  
Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, starting with mass at 9:30 a.m.  
\$5 at the door of Our Lady of Guadalupe Hall –  
includes lunch  
Please call Brigitte McFadden at 519-948-5466 for a  
reservation by Sunday, March 31<sup>st</sup>.**

### LENTEN DVD SERIES

This year we will offer two opportunities each week to watch a short video on Conversion. Bishop Robert Barron from Los Angeles (wordonfire.org) will use 6 Biblical figures and the story of their conversion to help us on our journey of conversion. The DVD will be shown on Tuesdays (6:30 pm) and Wednesdays (9:30 am) immediately proceeding the daily mass in church. Each session is 20 minutes and will offer us plenty of inspiration for our Lenten journey. Please join us!

**Please note:** because of the DVD series, you are asked to pray the rosary privately on Wednesday mornings rather than communally.


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### Lenten Fish Fry Fridays

March 15, 22, 29 &  
April 5, 12 4:30 -6:30 pm



Good Friday, April 19th  
from 4-7 pm



<b>1pc Haddock \$10.00</b>	<b>2pc Haddock \$15.00</b>
<b>10pc Shrimp \$15.00</b>	<b>8 pc Scallop \$15.00</b>
<b>Combo (Shrimp, Scallops, Haddock) \$20.00</b>	

All dinners include:

Salad Bar, Fries or Baked Potato, Dessert, Coffee/Tea

All are Welcome!

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## 40 DAYS FOR LIFE.

**Mid-point Rally - Sunday, March 24th, @ 2 pm  
Closing Rally - Sunday, April 14th, @ 2 pm**  
(along sidewalk bordering Tecumseh Rd outside Met Hospital)

**Vigil hours: 7 am - 7 pm every day until April 14th**  
*Pray to end abortion!*

To register call Laurie Eberhardt at 519-300-6792  
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