



EAST WINDSOR CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES

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Sunday, May 14, 2023

Sixth Sunday of Easter

A Message from Fr. Rob

St. Peter reminds us in the second reading today, "Always be ready to make your defence to anyone who demands from you an accounting for the hope that is in you: yet do it with gentleness and reverence." We are called to be witnesses of the Risen Lord by the grace of our baptism. Each day we are invited and encouraged to allow the gifts of the Holy Spirit to be active within us as we go about our daily lives.

Christians must always be beacons of hope for our world. The Resurrection of the Lord must make a difference in our lives. Having chosen to follow Jesus, we must strive each day, with the help of the Holy Spirit to do our best.

The world needs our witness. That's why Jesus told the disciples that even though He was departing from them, He would remain with them through His Holy Spirit. The Gospel recounts His promise to send the Advocate to be our helper and guide. As we prepare for Pentecost, let us pray for the grace to be open to the Holy Spirit.



"A good heart, as well as a soul Inflamed with charity can do nothing but good and holy works."

St. Angela Merici

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

Mass Schedule

Saturday

5 pm Our Lady of the Atonement

5 pm St. John Vianney

Sunday

8:30 am Our Lady of the Atonement

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

1st Saturday 11 am - noon @ SJV

3rd Saturday 11 am - noon @ OLA

or by appointment

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...	 Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK
Tuesday, May 16 9 am @ SJV Fr. Ray Lawhead	Katie Mc Taggart – Joe & Elsie Mc Taggart Simone Mellot -Bonita Elahee-Kearns Rose Laundry -- lovingly, Marie Catherine Mc Taggart - Joe & Elsie Mc Taggart
Wednesday, May 17 9 am @ OLA Mrs. Sue Hoftgartner Pastoral Minister	Noela Alexander - Angela & Mary Lou DeMeester Angela Mariani -Her Family Suzanne Belanger -Renee & Jim Little Frances McGaffey -Renee & Jim Little Gustina DiPietro -Denise Masse
Thursday, May 18 9 am @ SJV Fr. T. Kuriacko C.S.T.	Len Noel -Michelle Bryne Don Boutette -Pauline Soulliere Jerry Fairlie -K of C #9865
Friday, May 19 9 am @ OLA Fr. William Thompson O.M.I.	Sr. Mary St. Louis - Sr. Mabel & Sr. Pat St. Louis Joseph Doumani - Lu Manley Damaso Mendoza -His Family Shirley Kavanaugh -Shari Daher Gail Sabga -husband, John & Family
Saturday, May 20 5 pm @ OLA & SJV <i>Diocesan Centre</i> <i>Administrative Assistants</i>	Intention of the Parishioners
Sunday, May 21 Ascension of the Lord 8:30 & 10:30 am @ OLA 9 am @ SJV Dcn. Bernard McCartney	Intention of the Parishioners



*Holy God,
you compared your own love for your people
to love of a mother for her children.
Look with kindness on all mothers
who share in your creating love
by the gift of their children.*

*We thank you for the joys and
sorrows of their lives,
the giving and sharing,
and, especially for your love
that has formed us in your image.*

*Listen to our prayers
and bless all mothers
who nurture and sustain us.
Give them patience in abundance,
and let them find joy and satisfaction
as they guide their families.*

*Glory and praise to you, loving God,
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who was born of the Virgin Mary,
and who reigns with you in the glor
y of
heaven, for ever and ever.*



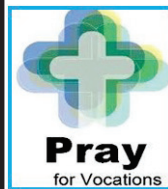
Chicken Pot Pie Sale

The Catholic Women's League (OLA) will
once again sell their pies on **Monday, May
15th & 29th** from noon to 2 pm at the
Our Lady of the Atonement Family Centre.

No pie sale on Monday, May 22nd
Victoria Day Holiday.

The cost per pie is \$6.00. There is no limit as to
how many can be purchased.

YEAR OF PRAYER FOR PRIESTLY VOCATIONS



On Sunday, May 28th, Pentecost Sunday
our Diocese will begin a prayer campaign for
a Year of Prayer for Priestly Vocations. The
theme of this year is ***"The Priesthood: Not
an Ordinary Life."*** Prayer cards have been
ordered and will be available soon that will enable all of
us to pray each day for vocations to the priesthood. The
year will conclude on Pentecost Sunday, 2024. Let us
pray to the Good Shepherd to inspire in the hearts of
disciples a desire to serve God's people as a priest.


Knights of Columbus


East Windsor Family of Parishes
Councils 8919, 9528, 9865
AWARDS BANQUET
Atonement Family Centre
Saturday, June 10, 2023
Mass: 5:00 pm Dinner 6:30 pm
Tickets: \$35 each-ADVANCE SALES ONLY

For tickets: Lou Lafontaine : (519) 948-2599
 Dan Pergolesi (519) 735-6253
 Vince Buglisi : (519) 981-9607

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:

Mary Grimwood, Donna Masse & Robert Proulx

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.

What's Happening

Tues. May 16 @ 6:30 pm	OLA	OLA-SSVDP Meeting (St. Francis)
Tues. May 16 @ 6:30 pm	OLA	Parish Family Youth Group (Atonement Centre)
Thurs. May 18 @ 7 pm	SJV	Parish Council (Vianney Hall)

Sacrament of Reconciliation 11 am-Noon

The first Saturday of the month at St. John Vianney

The third Saturday of the month at Our Lady of the Atonement

Saturday, May 20th OLA

Saturday, June 3rd SJV



SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION: BAPTISM, CONFIRMATION AND EUCHARIST

We welcome into our family: those received in to the church through the Sacraments of Initiation:

***Nnamdi John
Ndidiamaka John
Easton Lefrancois
Layla Walker***

Those welcomed through the waters of Baptism:

***Carly Adams,
Yousef Habtemarian
Deacon Lefrancois
Linus Walker***

Those who received Confirmation:

***Stratus Cuning
Alice Le Blanc
Logan Madigan***

May the Lord bless them as they begin their new lives as disciples of the Risen Lord.

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 post-secondary 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 pursue post-secondary 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.

The Outpouring:

An Evening of Renewal for Young Adults

All young adults (18-35 years of age) are invited to an evening of renewal and revival of the Holy Spirit. This evening will be full of powerful music, testimonies, prayer & amazing Keynote speaker: David Patterson.

Friday, June 2nd in Windsor -

Corpus Christi Church from 6:30 - 10 p.m.

Visit <https://dol.ca/the-outpouring-an-evening-for-young-adults-1> for more details. . If you have any questions, please contact Christine Coyle at ccoyle@dol.ca.

UPCOMING EVENTS- MARK YOUR CALENDAR

*Save
the
Date*

Sunday, August 20th– Family of Parishes Picnic call Robin if you would like to help out

Tuesday, August 22nd: 9am to 4 pm East Windsor Family of Parishes Shrine Day at Our Lady of the Rosary Shrine in Merlin

Celebrating an anniversary? We love to honour couples with a blessing at mass. It is a great witness to the vocation of marriage. Just call the office with your names, the date you are requesting and the number of years and we will gladly give you a blessing at a weekend or weekday mass.

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meeting & activities
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