



# EAST WINDSOR CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES

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## **October 27, 2019 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time From the desk of Fr. Rob.....**

Discipleship is all about putting our trust in the Lord and humbly submitting to God's will. Easier said than done but absolutely necessary. Humility is essential for all disciples, especially in our relationships with one another. The Gospel challenges us to stand quietly and humbly before the Lord in prayer, not concerned about how the world sees us but how God sees us. God looks on us with mercy and asks that we do the same with each other.

In our family of parishes, we have stressed over the last number of months the importance of praying for each other and striving for holiness. This requires of all of us a commitment to be PATIENT, HUMBLE AND UNDERSTANDING. We all could benefit from a few more lessons in these virtues. This is a new road we are travelling on and the entire parish team is working incredibly hard to enact the Bishop's vision for the Diocese.

This Thursday, October 31st, the parish office will be closed for the morning. Bishop Fabbro will be meeting with all the staff members (approximately 30 people) of the 3 families of parishes in this area (East Windsor, North Central Windsor, Lasalle/River Canard). This will give the Bishop a chance to meet with all of us and get some feedback from our experiences over the last few months. Please keep us in your prayers. He will be celebrating the 9 am mass at St. John Vianney that morning if any would like to join us in prayer.

## **From Pope Francis on Characteristics of Mission (Evangelii Gaudium-The Joy of the Gospel) cont'd.**

3. New vision- we need to recognize the current needs and abandon the complacent attitude that says "we have always done it this way."

### **Pastoral Team**

#### **Pastor:**

Fr. Rob Rocheleau

#### **Associate Pastor:**

Fr. Daniel Bombardier

#### **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 St. Vincent de Paul

9 am St. John Vianney

10 am Our Lady of the Atonement

10:30 am St. Anthony of Padua (Hungarian) @ SVDP

11 am St. John Vianney

Weekdays: see inside for details

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Tuesday: 6:15-6:45 pm Our Lady of the Atonement

Friday: 8:15-8:45 am St. Vincent de Paul

Saturday: 11am-noon St. John Vianney

### **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...



**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

Next month baptism take place on:  
November 2/3. Contact Rachelle for any  
baptism inquiries.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO WORK WITH  
OUR CHILDREN AND YOUTH**

Our youth group is up and running and the kids are growing in faith. They gather each Tuesday evening 6:30 pm to 8 pm in the Atonement Family Centre. Adult leaders are required to assist with our high school leaders.

We also need volunteers to help with our Sunday School programs: 10 am mass at OLOA and 11 am mass at SJV. Phone the office for more information.

The month of November begins with two important solemnities: **All Saints (Nov. 1) and All Souls (Nov 2)**. All Saints celebrates all those holy men and women, known and unknown, who now share around the throne of grace in the Kingdom and whom the Church acknowledges as saints. They pray for us and encourage us on our journey. **Mass will be on Friday at 9 am at St. Vincent de Paul church followed by Exposition of the Eucharist until 10:30 am.**

All Souls is a remembrance of all those who have gone before us and who await the fullness of the Resurrection to new life. This day reminds us that through the Risen Lord, we have the promise of eternal life with the Father. Jesus has conquered death. **We invite all to a special mass on Saturday, November 2nd at 10 am. This mass will remember in prayer especially all parishioners from our 4 parish communities who have died this past year and whose funeral was celebrated in one of the parishes. It is also the day set aside to remember in prayer all of the deceased.**

**Mass will be celebrated at Our Lady of the Atonement Church followed by a reception in St. Francis Hall.**

We will also place the Book of the Names of the Dead in the sanctuary area of all 3 churches so you can put in the names of your deceased loved ones whom we will remember in prayer during the month of November.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE** November 16/17 Membership Renewal and New Members sign-up at all parishes in the parish hall (SJV) and St. Francis Hall (OLOA). We will also have a table at St. Vincent for any ladies there who would like to join. A chance for all the women in the parish to continue their participation in the League or to consider joining and getting involved.

**SOCIAL SUNDAY** will be the same weekend with the opportunity to purchase Right to Life Christmas cards, Keep Christ in Christmas lawn signs and magnets, CWL members December mass and social (SJV Dec. 3rd & OLOA Dec. 12) as well as the Family of Parishes Festive Dinner sponsored by K of C Council 8919 on Sat. Dec. 7th in the Atonement Family Centre.

CWL Harvest Bazaar @ Our Lady of the Atonement, Friday November 1st from 3-6 pm & Saturday, November 2nd from 9 am-1 pm.  
Crafty Ladies Bazaar @ St. Vincent de Paul Parish, Saturday, November 9th from 10 am-4 pm & Sunday, November 10th after the 8:30 am Mass.



## NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

Keeping you up to date with our church Announcements, Events and Latest News.



### Knights of Columbus News:

**OLOA** General Mtg. Tues. Nov. 5 @ 7:30 pm  
**SVDP** General Mtg. Tues. Nov. 5 @ 7:30 pm  
 Church Breakfast Nov. 3 following Sun. mass  
 Bingo Sun. Nov. 24 @ 7 pm  
**SJV** General Mtg. Thurs. Nov. 14 @ 7 pm  
 Cards Sat. Nov. 9 @ 7 pm



### Catholic Women's League News:

**SJV** General Mtg. Tues. Nov. 12 @ 6:45 pm

**OLOA** General Mtg. Thurs. Nov. 14 @ 6 pm

### St. Vincent de Paul Society News:

**OLOA** Mtg. Tues. Nov. 19 @ 6 pm  
**SJV** Mtg. Mon. Oct. 28 & Nov. 11 @ 7:30 pm



## Children's Ministry



### Youth Group:

Tuesdays @ 6:30 pm for all children in our Family of Parishes Grades 3-8 at OLOA-Family Centre

### Confirmation Classes:

**SJV** Classes Nov. 6 & 7 & Nov. 20 & 21 @ 7 pm  
**OLOA** Super Sunday Nov. 17th 11 am-4 pm,

### Prayer Shawl Meeting:

**OLOA** Thurs. Nov. 21 @ 1 pm in St. Francis Hall

### Crafty Ladies:

**SVDP** Tuesdays @ 7 pm @ SVDP Basement Hall except the 1st Tuesday of the month.

**Parish Council Meeting:** Wed. Oct. 30 @ 7 pm @ OLOA in St. Francis Hall

### CEMETERY SUNDAY LITURGY OF THE WORD

Heavenly Rest Cemetery, inside St. Francis Mausoleum  
 Sunday, November 3, 2019 at 3:00 p.m.  
 Celebrant – Bishop Ronald P. Fabbro, CSB  
 Bishop of London  
 Please join us...all are welcome.

### Mass for the Deceased

Heavenly Rest Cemetery, inside Resurrection Mausoleum  
 Tuesday, November 5, 2019 at 4:30 p.m.  
 Presider: Fr. Bob Champagne

*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: **Aurise Durocher, Vincenzo Ganci**  
**May the Lord comfort those who mourn them.***



Anointing the sick

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

**Tuesday, Nov. 26 @ 7pm mass @ OLOA,**  
**Wednesday, Nov. 27 @ 10 am mass @ OLOA,**  
**Thursday, Nov. 28 @ 9 am mass @ SJV and**  
**Friday, Nov. 29 @ 9 am mass @ SVDP.**

This sacrament is for those preparing for surgery, undergoing treatment, in a weakened condition due to illness and needing healing. We pray for all those in need of healing and strength in mind, body and spirit. The sacrament can only be received once that week but all are welcome to join us each day to pray with the sick.

## GOD'S GARDEN CREW

Our thanks to the many people who spent the last few months lovingly tending the flowers and trees at our three locations. Your dedication and green thumbs kept us in bloom all summer long and looking great. Thanks to all who helped in any way to keep us looking so colourful,

## CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in January 2020 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

## BINGO WORKERS NEEDED (OLOA):



Do you have an hour or two to spare and would like to represent our parish at bingos on occasion? No money counting is required. Training is provided. Call Paul Ratko at 519-971-7555 or email him at: [pjratko@gmail.com](mailto:pjratko@gmail.com)

**The St. Vincent de Paul Society** for the St. Vincent de Paul Church conference is looking for new members to volunteer in various capacities. If interested please call (226)345-8948 and speak to Lloyd. Indeed all three conferences are in need of additional helping hands. Come join in the work.



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