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Weekend Liturgical Schedule

St. Michael's

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Saturday

5:00 p.m.

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

3:00 p.m. - Spanish

Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament

22 Middleton Line
Wheatley, ON

Sunday: 10:30 a.m.

Divine Mercy

Every Friday at 3:00 p.m.

Reconciliation

St. Michael's

½ hour before each Mass

8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Saturdays

Bulletin Submissions

In writing or by email by
Monday at 4:00 p.m.

Sunday School

Every Sunday from
September - June at
the 10:00am Mass.

August 18, 2019 - 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

From Fr. Steve:

Has God been opening in your heart a desire to deepen your knowledge of your faith and the Scriptures? We will soon be starting a new 5 week series called "**Genesis to Jesus**" where we will learn about the covenantal salvation and history of our faith. We will discover how God has been working from the beginning of time through the Scriptures up to the time of Jesus.

This is a new direction for the **Ongoing Faith Formation** group so that more people can join in and gain the benefits of our discussions without feeling like they've missed something or that it's too intellectual. Moving forward, we will have smaller periods of study and this will hopefully be the first of many!

We will be meeting on Fridays from 6:30 - 8:00pm in the Conference Room on the top floor of the office (come in the back door to get around the construction). We will meet for five consecutive Fridays on the following dates: **August 23 and 30th, September 6th, 13th and 20th.**

If you are interested in joining us please contact Fr. Steve at smarsh@dol.ca or 519-326-2643 ext. 223. You are still welcome to come if you can't make all the meetings and I will be happy to try and fill you in on what you've missed.

Also a reminder that the **Divine Intimacy** group is meeting regularly every Wednesday from 7:00 - 8:30pm in the Conference Room except for the second Wednesday of every month. If you have not been a part of this group you are more than welcome to join in as we continue to learn how to deepen our prayer and to grow in the spiritual life.



Pastoral Team

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Sacraments

Baptisms - Call office

First Reconciliation -
Preparation begins in September

First Holy Communion -
Preparation begins in September

Confirmation - Confirmation
to begin in September

Marriage - Meeting with Clergy
minimum six months in advance.
Marriage classes Spring and Fall

Holy Orders - See clergy

Sacrament of the Sick -
Upon request

RCIA and RCIC - Call office

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HOW DO I BECOME CATHOLIC?

In celebrating this month of Our Lady's final journey to God in her glorious Assumption, let us ask her motherly intercession to draw souls to the Sacred Heart of her Son. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a journey too—of conversion to God and what he intends for us. RCIA is the process by which persons who were never baptized, or were baptized in another Christian tradition, become members of the Church, a people on pilgrimage to our Heavenly Father. For more information contact **Fr. Tom at (519) 326-2643.**

Join Fr. David Johnston, Fr. Tom Ferrera and Deacon Morgan Treacy on a **Pilgrimage to The Holy Land and Petra Jordan** from April 16 - April 28, 2020. Included in the tour is round trip air from Toronto to Tel Aviv, deluxe air-conditioned motor coach, Four Star hotel accommodation, breakfast and dinner daily at the hotels, visits and entry fees as per itinerary, booking of the daily private Mass. The cost is \$3595.00 CAD per person double sharing plus taxes. Deposit of \$500 required on registration. Half of the balance is due November 1, 2019 and the remainder balance January 14, 2020. **For more information please contact George Cifa at Travel Merchant Tours in London at 1-800-361-1334 or travelmerchant@quadro.net**

The **September Ultreya** for Windsor/Essex County is being held at **St. John de Brebeuf Church** in Kingsville on **Friday, September 13 at 7:30pm.** If you have made a Cursillo Weekend, please come and share in a faith-filled evening.
All Cursillistas are WELCOME!

You are invited to an exclusive screening of **"The Land of High Mountains"** being shown at **Migration Hall** in Kingsville on **Sunday August 25th at 3:00pm.** This film seeks to respect, support and celebrate the children and families of Haiti and highlight the remarkable individuals who are serving the most vulnerable at St. Damien Pediatric Hospital. The guest will be **Fr. Enzo Del Brocco** and is free to attend. Donations to St. Damien will be collected after the film. View the trailer to the film at **nphusa.org/trailer.**

The Leamington Ministerial Association Prays for:
LAKEPOINT FAMILY CHURCH



Please pray for those in our Parish Family who have recently passed away: **DONALD COSME**, who passed away in Florida; brother of Luby Feyen, **ROSINA PIROLI**, **BISHOP JOHN SHERLOCK**

AUGUST 25, 2019 - 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
First Reading (Isaiah 66:18-21)
Second Reading (Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13)
Gospel (Luke 13:22-30)



DAILY MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF August 19 to August 24

Mon. 8:00am	Irene Amaral, Carolina and Cristiano Resendes Antonio Freitas, Leonardo Resendes, Dec. Family Vitorino Battista
Tues. 7:00pm	Augusto Viveiros, Maria de Viveiros Pierrette Voyer and Deceased Family Antonio Guadencio Barbosa, Deceased Family
Wed. 8:00am	Liz Bedore Najm Najm Luke David Hugo Kwiat
Wed. 7:00pm Wheatley	Francisco and Alice Amaral Jose Luis Pereira, Rosemary Andre, Dec. Family Teofilo Couto
Thurs. 8:00am	Joe, Antoinette and Tony Semaan Laura Szyra Blanca Parra
Friday 8:00am	Rita Santaniello Jaime Rodrigues Teresa Carducci
Sat. 8:00am	Maria do Carmo, Maria and Joao Costa Damonas Alfredo Carlesmo



WEDDING SATURDAY AUGUST 24, 2019
ST. MICHAEL'S 3:00PM
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AUGUST 21

Wed. 10:00am	Jose Fernandes, Lourdes Oliveira, Dec. Family Maria C. Andrade Lina Freitas
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**Please pray for the Intentions of our
Brothers and Sisters working in the
Diocese of London:**



Aug 18 Rev. Richard Cartier
Aug 19 Mrs. Natasha Contestabile
Aug 20 Rev. Paul McGill
Aug 21 R.C.I.A. Teams
Aug 22 Ministers to the Separated and Divorced
Aug 23 Rev. Terence Runstedler
Aug 24 Deacon Leonard Tetreault



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

St. Michael's Church offers Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesdays 9:00am-6:30pm. On mornings with funeral Masses, Eucharistic Adoration will follow.

"When you look at the Crucifix, you understand how much Jesus loved you then. When you look at the Sacred Host you understand how much Jesus loves you now." Saint Teresa of Calcutta

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MARRIAGE ANNULMENT

Are you hoping to get married in the Catholic Church or to have a new union blessed? Are you simply looking for some closure after a painful divorce? If so, consider applying for a Declaration of Nullity (annulment) from the Marriage Tribunal of the Diocese of London. The process is free of charge. We are here to help. If you want to start the process, or if you just have some questions about obtaining a Declaration of Nullity, feel free to call us at **519-439-1553 or toll free at 1-866-603-4317 or email tribunal@dol.ca.**



Congratulations to Mary Shaw for being honoured as Hospice Volunteer Heart to Heart Award Recipient at Erie Shores Hospice!

Mark your calendar for our next General Meeting on **Wednesday, September 11**. Monthly meetings will always be scheduled for the second Wednesday of the month unless otherwise specified.

"Volunteers do not necessarily have the time; they just have the heart." Elizabeth Andrew

Windsor Bishop's Dinner

Please mark your calendar to join Bishop Fabbro, Bishop Dabrowski, and Honorary Co-chairs Bill and Andrea Altenhof for the **16th Annual Bishop's Dinner** for Windsor and Essex County, **October 24** at the Ciociaro Club of Windsor. Individual tickets are \$130, reserved tables of ten are \$1150. **For tickets and sponsorship information, contact Frances Barnard at the Seminary Foundation at 1-888-548-9649 or bishopsdinner@dol.ca.**



Please note that the chapel area of the church is a scent-free zone to accommodate those who are sensitive to fragrances.

VERONICA'S CORNER



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Our parish is looking for volunteers to help in various ministries. We especially need volunteers for:

Sunday School - 12 volunteers working with a partner once per month.

Family Ministry - 10 volunteers to help once per month.

Mentors of Sacramental Preparation - 10 volunteers for each sacrament of Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation. Each sacrament is a commitment of 5 weeks. If you are able to help with any of the above commitments, **please contact Veronica at 519-326-2643 or at vcosta@dol.ca.** Training will be provided in September.

Family Ministry Events

One of our focuses this year is to provide opportunities for our families to gather together in fellowship and faith. Please mark your calendars for the following events:

- **Sunday September 8: Ice Cream social 11am-2pm**
- **Sunday September 15: You Belong Bash from 11am-12pm**

More information about these events to follow shortly.

Mass Online

Did you know that Mass is live-streamed every weekend in the Diocese of London? Courtesy of St. George Parish in London. Mass is available at **www.youtube.com/user/sgtvlondon**. Online viewing is a great option for those who are unable to attend Mass in person due to illness, infirmity, travel, or any other reason. And if you know someone who is "interested" in the Catholic Church but not quite ready to make the leap, this may be an easy introduction.

Avow – Vocation Discernment Groups for Catholic Women

Every woman is called to make a gift of herself in love.

Discovering the form the gift will take is the art of discernment. Avow is a small group for Catholic women, ages 18 to 35, who gather for heart-to-heart conversation and study as they embark on the journey of discernment together. Avow is not a program to recruit or convince you of your vocation; rather it is designed to create an atmosphere of freedom and openness for the authentic pursuit of the Father's will. Groups are guided by the discernment principles of St. Ignatius of Loyola. In the Windsor-Essex & Surrounding Regions, meetings are held monthly. **Please contact Maureen at the Madonna House, Windsor at mhwindsor@dol.ca.**

Collection for August 11, 2019

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