# St. Michael's Parish

29 Elliott St. Leamington, Ontario N8H3M4 www.smp.dol.caPastoral Team Rev. Patrick W. Fuerth Ext 25, Pastor Rev. Danny Santos Ext 27, Associate Pastor Rev. Eduardo Barrera, F.M.M., Hispanic Ministry Alex Litt, John Vezina, Deacons Veronica Costa Ext 28, Youth Co-ordinator Simone Seres Ext 29, Pastoral Minister prepare the way...



PLEASE NOTE: As we approach the end of the year, we want to remind those of you who wish to make a donation to St. Michael's and have it count for the 2016 TAX year, to please make that donation as soon as possible. The cut off date is Friday December 30th. Thank You for your ongoing support of our new Church!



#### 2016-2017 SUNDAY MISSALS ARE HERE

Missals for this liturgical calendar year are available for purchase at the Church Office for \$5.00

#### \*\*\*CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE:\*\*\*

#### St. Michael's Church: Saturday, December 24th:

- 5:00pm (children's pageant)
- 8:00pm
- Midnight Mass

#### Sunday, December 25th:

- 8:00am
- 10:00am
- 3:00pm (Spanish)

## Our Lady of Blessed Sacrament:

Sunday, December 25th: 10:30am

\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE\*\*\*

The New Year's Eve and New Year's Day Schedule will remain the same as the regular weekend Mass times.

#### \*\*\*CONFESSIONS\*\*\*

St. Michael's: December 21st -6:00pm to 7:00pm and 7:45pm to 9:00pm

Every Saturday 3:30-4:30 except Dec. 24th



Please note that the Church Office will be closed Friday **December 23rd at 12 noon** for the Christmas Holidays and will re-open on **Wednesday December 28th at 8:00am.** 



HAPPY **100TH** BIRTHDAY TO **MADELINE BAILEY** OF OUR PARISH!



#### THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

From the exalted heavenly host of angels to the shepherds, a newness of God's Presence and glory are announced. This Good News cannot be contained in highest heavens, but must be made known to all creatures on earth.

First Reading (Isaiah 52:7-10) Second Reading (Hebrews 1:1-6) Gospel (John 1:1-18)

# Mass for the Intentions Week

St. Michael's December 19—December 24	
Mon. 8:00am	Steve and Mary Casper Giuseppe Aiello Laura Tannous, Sam Jabbour and Deceased Family
Tues 8:00am	Joao Simas and Deceased Family Giovanni Latino Manuel and Maria Resendes and Deceased Family
Wed. 8:00am	NO MORNING MASS
7:00pm	Michele and Gina DiMenna Fayez Zakaria Antonios (Tom) and Mary Nohra, Mary Ann Whittle
Thurs. 8:00am	NO MORNING MASS
Friday 8:00am	Natalina and Antonio Grossi Manuel and Maria Freitas and Fred Freitas Joe Bento, Louis and Gloria DaPonte
Sat 8:00am	NO MORNING MASS SEE CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE
NEW BEGINNINGS December 22	
Thurs 10:00am	Maria da Conceicao Costa Anne Kuli

MENNONITE HOME December 22

Thurs	Anibal Cardoso and Jose Medeiros & Dec. Family
1:15pm	Davido Cardoso and Cecilia Cardoso & Dec. Family

May we be gifted in unity to serve God and all peoples in authentic love



#### **DIVINE MERCY**

The last Divine Mercy of the year will be on **December 16th** and will resume again in the new year on **January 6th.** 

This week the Leamington Ministerial Association prays for:

Faith Everlasting Congregational Church

#### LEAMINGTON Blood Donor Clinic Leamington Kinsmen Recreation Complex

Wednesday, January 4th

1:00pm - 7:00pm

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- Submit. The next time you log in you will only need your email and password.
- This will get you to the main site to get to the programs.

**Hearts Together For Haiti Gala** February 11, 2017 — Fogolar Furlan Club Tickets \$75/Students \$50 "All money raised goes to help the people of Haiti"

#### BIRTHRIGHT VOLUNTEERS URGENTLY NEEDED

If you are Pro-Life and want to save babies from abortion, consider becoming a Birthright volunteer. You can make a difference in a young girl's life. Call Cathy @ 519-969-9500.

Stress in Your Marriage? - Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. For confidential info. or to register call **1-800-705-6356** or email: 1015@retrouvaille.org or visit www.retrouvaillewindsor.com or facebook.com/

#### Family Services Windsor-**Essex Presents:**

THE WELLNESS PROGRAM: LEARNING TO Leamington and Area Family Health Team, 197 Talbot St. W : ANXIETY Leamington 519-966-5010 **Program is Free of Charge** Tuesday Jan. 10/17 5-6:30pm Tuesday Jan. 17/17 5-6:30pm: Tuesday Jan. 24/17 5-6:30pm Tuesday Jan.31/17 5-6:30pm This program is designed to

provide tools to respond to the daily challenges of life.

#### Family Services Windsor-**Essex Presents:** MANAGE YOUR South Essex Community Council, 215 Talbot St. E Leamington 519-966-5010 Begins: Friday Jan. 13/17 from 1:00-

3:00pm\*First session 1 hour.\* An 8 week therapeutic treatment group program.



#### **CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST**

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Visit their website at catholicmen.volasite.com The next get together will be on Saturday January 14th with guest speakers.

For more information please contact Deacon Mike Horoky at (519) 969-1348

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Families are invited to join us as we visit our shut-ins and deliver baskets. Join us on Sunday, December 18th starting at 4:00pm at St. Michael's Church followed by pizza and ending with the 7:00pm Mass. Hope to see vou there!



#### PUBLIC SCHOOL CONFIRMATION PREPARATION

The preparation meetings for those who attend public school or who are in high school will be held as follows: Thursday's, January 19th and 26th, February 2nd and 9th at 7:00pm in St. Michael's Conference Room. For more information please contact Veronica at 519-326-2643 ext. 28.



#### **SMYL YOUTH PROGRAM**

All youth in grades 3-8 are invited to our next youth event on Tuesday January 10th from 6:30 to 8:00pm in St. Michael's Church Hall.



#### YAGOTTAWANNA FOR TEENS

All teens in grades 8-12 are invited to our "Is this a good idea?" youth event on Sunday January 8th starting with Mass at 7:00pm followed by a youth gathering until 9:30pm in St. Michael's Church Hall.

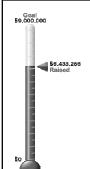


Mass for the Deceased in Resurrection Mausoleum at Heavenly Rest Cemetery -Tuesday, January 3, 2017 @ 4:30pm All those grieving the loss of a loved one are welcome. Presider: Fr. Gary Goyeau



Christmas in Heaven – Candlelight Prayer Service for those grieving the loss of a loved one during this Christmas season. Wednesday, December 28, 2016, 7pm

St. Francis Mausoleum - Heavenly Rest Cemetery~ Presider: Fr. Chris Bourdeau ~ Music: Songbird ~Pastoral Minister: Mary Heath - 519-969-4836 Candles are provided.



#### Offertory Collection-December 11, 2016

299 Regular Sunday \$5947.00 Loose: 894.00 **TOTAL:** \$6841.00

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