

## Weekend Liturgical Schedule

#### St. Michael's

29 Elliott Street Leamington, Ontario N8H 3M4 Phone: 519-326-2643 Fax: 519-326-2644 After hours emergency: 226-315-1932

#### Saturday 5:00 p.m.

#### Sunday

8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 3:30 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 8:30 a.m. -9:30 a.m. Saturdays Or call for an Appointment

#### **Bulletin Submissions**

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

### THE SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sunday, February 11, 2018

#### FROM THE DESK OF FR. JOHN:

#### Shrove Tuesday, February 13

This year, we will once again have the burning of the Palms. It will be at Ecole St. Michel at 10:00am and at St. Louis School at 3:00pm. Feel free to come to either event!

Also, on Shrove Tuesday, we have a pancake supper here in the Parish Hall from 4:30pm to 7:00pm - all profits will assist the young people attending the Steubenville Conference this summer. I encourage you to come out in support of the young people.

#### Ash Wednesday-Wednesday, February 14

There are numerous opportunities to attend Mass on Ash Wednesday. There will be Mass at St. Michael's at 8:00am, Mass at Cardinal Carter Secondary School at 9:30am, Mass at St. Louis School at 11:00am, a Paraliturgy at Ecole St. Michel (with the distribution of Ashes) at 1:00pm, and a Mass at St. Michael's at 7:00 pm. Attending one of these celebrations will provide a wonderful start to our Lenten journey.

#### Way of the Cross:

During Lent, the Way of the Cross will take place on Fridays at 7:00pm. It will be led by the various groups of the parish. Let us walk the "Via Delorosa" with the Lord.

#### Lenten Reflections on the Sunday Readings:

We will gather for about an hour and preview and discuss the upcoming Sunday Readings. These gatherings will be held after the 7:00pm Tuesday evening Masses on Feb. 13, Feb. 20, Feb 27, March 6, March 13 and March 20. I am certain that reflecting on the readings of the coming Sunday will be an excellent way to enter fully into the Season of Lent and I encourage you to consider taking advantage of this opportunity. We will be meeting in the Conference Room.

#### 5. Fish Dinners:

Once again we will be having Fish Dinners on the Fridays of

Have a great week,

Fr. John.

#### **Pastoral Team**

Rev. John M. Pirt Ext 25 Pastor

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#### Sacraments

**Baptisms** - Call office First Reconciliation -Preparation begins in September First Holy Communion -Preparation begins in February

**Confirmation** - Preparation begins in November

**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



## ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH WELCOMES YOU!



St. Michael's Church Office will close at **3:00pm on Tuesday, February 13th** instead of the usual 4:00pm.

#### ASH WEDNESDAY CELEBRATIONS FEBRUARY 14, 2018

8:00am~ St. Michael's Church (Mass and ashes)

9:30am~ Cardinal Carter High School (Mass and ashes)

11:00am~ St. Louis (Mass and ashes)

1:00pm~ Ecole St. Michel (Prayer Service and ashes)

7:00pm~ St. Michael's Church (Mass and ashes)



#### **CONGRATULATIONS** to

Brian and Maureen Iles on the occasion of their 62nd Wedding Anniversary!



The winner of the February Knights of Columbus/CWL Lottery calendar draw for \$100.00 is....

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**ROY RENAUD Congratulations!** 

This week the Leamington Ministerial Association Prays for:

#### **MEADOW BROOK CHURCH**



#### Day of Confessions: Wednesday, March 21

This year's Diocesan Day of Confessions will take place on Wednesday, March 21, enabling us to set aside our old ways, to be renewed in heart and soul, and to be reconciled with our merciful and loving

God. As Pope Frances reminds us, confession is where we encounter Jesus. Confession times in our parish are: Wednesday, March 21, 2018 from 9:00am to 12:00pm/1:00pm to 4:00pm/ 7:00pm to 7:30pm. Our Diocesan website (<a href="www.dol.ca">www.dol.ca</a>) offers a schedule of confession times for other parishes, as well as information about Lent, Day of Confessions and the Sacrament of Reconciliation.



#### FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Every year the Lenten season begins in the desert. Mark's brief account of Jesus' forty days in the desert takes place immediately after Jesus' baptism. Driven by the Spirit, Jesus' going to the desert is an act of obedience to the Father. This is a time for contemplation and discernment regarding the tremendous task before him.

First Reading (Genesis 9:8-15) Second Reading (1Peter 3:18-22) Gospel (Mark 1:12-15)



## FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 13 - FEBRUARY 17 ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH

Tues. 7:00pm	Tuliano and Nancy Visca and Deceased Family Frank and Ida Moauro Tom and Mary Nohra, Mary Ann Whittle	
Wed. 8:00am	Deceased Members of the Matthijs and Derikx Fam. Fernando & Rosalina DaPonte and Deceased Family Antonio Bernardes, Johnny Gomes and Dec. Family Steve and Mary Casper	
7:00pm Ash Wednesday	All Souls in Purgatory Adele Wahby Maria Carmo	
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Thurs. 8:00am	Ben, Elizabeth and Bernard Brown Armenda Festa, Jurmana Malo, Loraina Resendes Manuel, Teresa and Joao Oliveira	
Friday 8:00am	Manuel and Maria Carvalho and Deceased Family Sister Rafka Raffoul Jenny Guardado, Ermelinda DaSilva, Jose Alves	
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Sat 8:00am	Manuel, Merces and Alberto Aguiar Mass for All Forgotten Souls Conceicao Freitas	
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#### **ERIE GLEN**

#### **FEBRUARY 15**

Deceased Mem. of the Sleiman & Taouil Families	
Guido and Ennio Vernaroli	
Maria Da Conceicao Costa	

#### WHY GO TO CHURCH?

A Lenten Cluster Parish Mission Sunday, March 4<sup>th</sup> - Wednesday, March 7<sup>th</sup> **at St. John de Brebeuf Parish, Kingsville** 

With Fr. Enzo Del Brocco, CP.

Daily Mass, Confessions, Adoration, Anointing of the Sick All presentations at 7:00 p.m. Sunday-Wednesday

## Please pray for the Intentions of our Brothers and Sisters working in the Diocese of London:

Feb. 11 Rev. Arthur Hathaway, C.S.B.

Feb. 12 Mrs. Christine Tuffolon, Pastoral Minister

Feb. 13 Rev. Glen Ball

**Feb. 15** Rev. Philip Joseph

Feb. 16 Rev. Clare Coleman

Feb. 17 Rev. Adriano Barbeiro, C.S.



SC. MICHAEL'S VOCACIONS LEARNINGCON

Please pray for those in our Parish Family who have recently passed away:

ELDA PETRIGLIA, who died in Italy, sister of Elena Salvati of our parish;

## WORLD DAY OF THE SICK - FEBRUARY 11, 2018 PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Dear Jesus, Divine Physician and Healer of the Sick, we turn to You in this time of illness. O dearest Comforter of the Troubled, alleviate our worry and sorrow with Your gentle love, and grant us the grace and strength to accept this burden. Dear God, we place our worries in Your hands. We ask that You restore us to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge Your holy will and know that whatsoever You do, You do for the love of us. Amen.

#### Announcing Our Lady of Guadalupe Home 2018 Benefit Dinner - "Spring into Life!"

Venue: Fogolar Furlan Club Date: Friday, April 27, 2018

Time: Doors open at 6:00pm/Dinner at 7:00pm. Tickets: \$60.00 each or \$550.00 for a table of 10 Contact: Marina Kowalsky (519) 962-4861 or

ologhomewindsor@hotmail.com.

A March Ultreya for Windsor/Essex County is being held at Holy Name of Jesus Church, Essex, Ontario On Friday, March 2 at 7:00pm.



If you have made a Cursillo Weekend, please come and share in a faith-filled evening.

All Cursillistas are WELCOME!

## World Day of Prayer - Friday March 2 at 1pm

"Inspired by the Spirit, Women Respond to God's Call".

All ladies are welcome to our Lenten retreat on Saturday, February 24 at 8:30am until 2pm in the Church hall. Snacks and lunch will be available. The theme - "Heart of Hope." Call Claudia to register at

519-322-1927 or claudiazioutis66@gmail.com.

Help is needed at the Fish Fries on Fridays February 16 to Friday, March 23 beginning at 4:00pm until 7:00pm. Desserts are also needed. Call Mary at **519-326-1484.** 

The Diocesan convention is in London on **April 23-25**. Call Mary by March 1st if your are interested.

**Support** The Bridge Fundraiser - have a delicious soup lunch at the new Youth Resource Centre (formerly St. Joseph's Church) Saturday, February 17 and Sunday, February 18th from 11:00am-2:00pm.

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# VERONICA'S CORNER





SMYL: FAMILY. All youth in Grades 3-8 are invited to our next youth event on Tuesday, February 20 from 6:30 to 8:00pm in St. Michael's Church Hall.



Congratulations to all those who received the Sacrament of Confirmation this month. May you continue to keep your eyes on Christ.



#### PANCAKE SUPPER

Join us for a pancake supper on Shrove Tuesday February 13 from 4:30 to 7:00pm in the Church Hall. The menu includes all you can eat pancakes, sausage, dessert and refreshments.

Donations of \$10 per person is suggested. The proceeds from the supper will go towards our young people who will be attending the Steubenville Conference this summer.



**Youth COR:** All teens in Grade 10 and up are invited to join us for an amazing retreat experience the weekend of **March 23-25.** The cost is \$35/person and registration forms can be found at the back of each church. Forms are due at the office by **March 17th.** 

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

#### Windsor-Essex Catholic District School Board Kindergarten Registration

www.catholicboard.ca

Tuesday, February 20th to Friday, March 2nd, 2018
For your added convenience, the Windsor-Essex Catholic
District School Board invites you to attend an Open House/
Evening Registration at your local Catholic School on

Wednesday February 21st from 5:00pm to 7:00pm.
Requirements: Birth Certificate, Baptismal Certificate,
Health Card and Immunization Record.

**Junior Kindergarten:** Children must be 4 years of age by December 31, 2018

**Senior Kindergarten:** Children must be 5 years of age by December 31, 2018

#### Offertory Collection-February 4, 2018

284 Regular Sunday: \$5,118.00 Loose: 931.50

Total \$6,049.50



Average per envelope: \$ 18.02 Pledges for the week: \$1,305.00 Christmas envelopes: \$ 10.00

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