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The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 16, 2017

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.

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

Bulletin Submissions

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

From the Desk of Fr John:

Phase one of the *Celebration Pathway* located between the Church and the Office Building is now completed. The names of those who made a donation for an engraved "keep sake" brick are incorporated within the pathway.

The pathway is a celebration of Life, Family or Events that represent our past, present and future as parishioners of St. Michael's Parish. Each 4" x 8" brick can have a name or short message engraved on it. Please call the office for more details.

A keep sake brick with your name or message can be put in place with a donation of \$500.00. All funds raised will go directly to paying down our building loan.

In Christ, Fr. John

Questions for summer time Homily:

From Isaiah: What holds us back from engaging our faith fully?

From Paul: Do we embrace the crosses of life, recognizing that they lead to new life.

From Jesus: Are we encouraged to press on — allowing the seed planted in us to bear much fruit.

Pastoral Team

Rev. John M. Pirt Ext 25
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Rev. Danny Santos Ext 27
Associate Pastor

Alex Litt John Vezina

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Deacon Alex Litt

Office Staff

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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



BAPTISM CLASS

Baptism Class will be held on **July 18th from 7:00-8:30pm** in the
Conference Room at St. Michael's.
The next Baptisms will be held during
any Mass on **August 6th and September 3rd.** Please come into the
office for a form.



RCIA

Have you or someone you know expressed an interest in learning more about the Catholic Faith? Have you ever wondered what makes Catholicism different than other faiths? Have you ever considered becoming Catholic?

Perhaps everyone in your family is baptized but you are not and would like to be? If you answered yes to any of these questions, please contact **Simone at**

St. Michael's Parish. (519) 326-2643 ext. 29.



We are looking for people to porter for a Communion Service on Sunday mornings at the Sun Parlor Home. If you feel called to this important Ministry, please contact Simone at 519-326-2643.

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

Upcoming **RETROUVAILLE** weekend for couples at **Holy Family Retreat House in Oxley** beginning on **August 11/17.**

Is your marriage going down the right road...or is it a little off track? Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage. **Retrouvaille** can help and offers hope for a better relationship. For more information about the next **Retrouvaille** weekend program for couples, contact the registration team: **Debbie or Darcy** @ 1-800-705-6356, 1015@retrouvaille.com or visit our website:

SaveOurMarriage.ca

Mass for the Deceased in Resurrection Mausoleum,

Heavenly Rest Cemetery

Tuesday, August 1, 2017 @ 4:30pm

Presider: Fr. Michael Parent

Mary Heath, Pastoral Minister 519-969-4836

All those grieving the loss of a loved one are welcome.



Congratulations to Joao & Isaltina Rego

on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Whatever parable Jesus uses to teach about the kingdom of heaven, always at issue is growth, abundance, increase. While the enemy may try to thwart the kingdom, in the end God will prevail and the righteous will shine like the sun.

First Reading (Wisdom 12:13, 16-19) Second Reading (Romans 8:26-27) Gospel (Matthew 13:24-43)



St. Michael's

July 18–July 22

Tues.	NO MORNING MASS
7:00pm	Paul Zeiter Antonio and Maria Bairos & Dec. Family Members Manuel and Maria Freitas, Maria da Gloria Soares
Wed. 8:00am	Manuel, Ana and Januario Mota Maria Cacilhas and Deceased Family Ed Feltz and Deceased Family
Thurs. 8:00am	Joao Simas and Deceased Family Mike Rauzino
Friday 8:00am	Boula and Jamila Mikhail Jose Carlos Cabral and Son Guilherme des Santos Fontes
Sat. 8:00am	Loreto Del Greco Maria Carmo & Antonio Murracas and Dec. Family Maurice Juliao and Deceased Family Members
Wedding 11:00am	CATHERINE PERAINO AND MICHAEL COUTURE
Wedding 1:00pm	LORA PIMENTEL AND GIOVANNI MOSCUZZA

MENNONITE HOME

JULY 19

Wed.	Americo Marques, Maria Mendonca and Dec. Fam.
10:00am	Jose Cacilhas

LEAMINGTON COURT

JULY 20

Thurs.	Cristiano Mendonca, Rosalina and Manuel Cardoso
10:00am	Gilda Melo

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

July 16 Rev. Peter Amszej

July 17 Rev. Graham Keep

July 18 Deacon Marcel DeClerk

July 19 Ms. Patricia Hickey, Pastoral Minister

July 20 Rev. Antoine (Tony) Laforet

July 21 Rev. Andrew Sipek

July 22 Mrs. Christine Bresette, Coordinator of Youth

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



MANUEL BRAGA, who died in Massachusetts, brother of Tony Braga; FERNANDO BRAGA PERIERA, who died in Oakville, nephew of Tony Braga

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

The Wedding Anniversary Mass honouring all married couples in our Diocese will be Sunday, September 10 at 3 p.m. The Mass will be celebrated at St. Peter's Cathedral Basilica, London with Bishop Fabbro as the main celebrant. All married couples are invited to register by contacting the parish office or by filling out a Registration Form which can be found at the back of the Church. Please return your registration forms to the parish office no later than August 24, 2017.

IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF THE CANADIAN MARTYRS' YOUTH PILGRIMAGE

Young adults ages 18-35 are especially invited to participate in a two-day pilgrimage in the footsteps of the Canadian Martyrs' leading up to our Diocesan Mass at the Martyrs Shrine, Midland, Ontario, on August 22 with Bishop Fabbro and Dabrowski. Participants under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a parent/guardian and those over 35 are welcome as well. The pilgrimage will begin at the Shrine with an evening vigil, on **Sunday**, **August 20**. Monday morning we will visit Ste-Marie-among-the-Hurons and then head to the St. Louis mission and walk approximately 6 kms. to St. Ignace, the site of the martyrdom of St. Jean de Brebeuf and St. Gabriel de Lalement, where we will camp for the evening. Tuesday morning we begin the 14km walk to the Martyrs' Shrine in time for the Diocesan Mass. Interested pilgrims can contact Fr. Patrick Beneteau at vocations@dol.ca to register and for more information. Cost is \$75.00



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

CWL ladies are needed to help set out the

"Pot luck" food at the Parish picnic on Sunday, July 16 at the Kiwanis Camp -Seacliff Drive.

> Wed., July 19—CWL Diocesan Retreat at Our Lady of Rosary Shrine, St. Patrick's

Shrine, Merlin. (10:30 am -

Prayer / 11 am - Mass / 12 noon -Lunch / 1 pm - Rosary (on the trail or in air-conditioned church) / 2:30 pm – Benediction. Please bring your own lunch and lawn chair. Meet at St. Michael's parking lot at 9:15 am to car pool.

Pray for increased access to good quality palliative care for all Canadians.

Youth Encor

All youth who have participated in a Youth COR are invited to an Encor on Sunday, July 23 at 3 pm at COR Mom & Dad Thorne's home at 174 Delmer Crescent S., Cottam. Bring a snack to share. R.S.V.P. to Veronica at 519-326-2643



Parish Picnic: Sunday July 16 at Kiwanis Campground starting at 2 pm with Mass followed by a picnic and games. The parish will provide hot dogs, hamburgers and refreshments. Bring your favourite dish to share with others.



St. Michael's Parish is looking for a few good people to help out with our many Youth Programs. Preparation has already begun. If you are interested in working with children within our

Youth Ministry, Sunday School or Confirmation Programs, please contact Veronica at 519-326-2643.

CCLC – Diocese of London Summer Camp

Calling all young people: Are you ready to make this summer count? Join students from around Southern Ontario for an overnight summer camp experience you won't soon forget. CCLC FULL IMPACT is for anyone who will be attending High School in September 2017. And for the first time we bring you CCLC EMPOWER INTRO. Camp for anyone entering grade 7 & 8 in September 2017. At CCLC we find God in great adventures like canoeing, low-ropes courses, rock wall climbing, swimming, daily Mass, crafts, sports, campfires, and more! Visit www.cclcamp.ca for info or email cclc@dol.ca. Also, check out camp photos on the Diocese of London Facebook page!

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376 Regular Sunday: Loose: **TOTAL:**

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