



St. Michael's Parish

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Weekend Liturgical Schedule

St. Michael's

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(No Masses)

St. Joseph's

310 Sherk St.

Leamington, ON

Saturday - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday

7:30 a.m.

9:00 a.m. -

Italian/English

10:30 a.m. - Family

12:00 NOON -

Portuguese/English

3:00 p.m. - Spanish

7:00 p.m. - Youth

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday 2:30 p.m.

Followed by

Divine Mercy -

3:00 p.m.

Reconciliation

Saturday

3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Or call for an

Appointment

Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament

22 Middleton Line

Wheatley, ON

Sunday - 10:30 a.m.

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Welcome once again to Fr. Michael O'Brien who is helping us with the celebrations of Masses this weekend. This is also Father Eduardo's first time to celebrate Mass at Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament church. Here are some reflections on today's Scripture: The story Jesus tells in today's Gospel is not about need, but about greed. Greed is like a fire – the more wood you pile on it, the hungrier it gets. One of the chief problems in our times is that many people don't realize how well-off they really are. Have we fallen into greed which is idolatry and made possessions a god and become enslaved by material things?

Speaking to hundreds of thousands of young people at World Youth Day this week in Poland, Pope Francis challenged them. A big soccer fan himself, when Pope Francis mentioned the sport, young people cheered. When he referred to the World Cup, it brought even louder cheers. Then he paused, looked at the sea of youth and said, "Jesus is a greater prize than the World Cup!" Young people stood, raised their hands and gave a sustained cheer.

Here is a thought from Pope St. John Paul II which is truly challenging and makes us think: "Pervading materialism imposes its dominion on man today in many different forms and with aggressiveness that spares no one. The most sacred principles, which were the sure guides for the behaviour of individuals, and society, are being hollowed out by false pretences concerning freedom, the sacredness of life, the indissolubility of marriage, the true

Pastoral Team

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Sacraments

Baptisms - Call office

First Reconciliation -

Preparation begins in January

First Holy Communion -

Preparation begins in March

Confirmation - Preparation

begins 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

sense of human sexuality, the right attitude towards the material good that progress has to offer.

"Many people now are tempted to self-indulgence and consumerism, and human identity is often defined by what one owns. Prosperity and affluence, even when they are only beginning to be available to larger strata of society, tend to make people assume that they have a right to all that prosperity can bring, and thus they can become more selfish in their demands.

"Everybody wants a full freedom in all the areas of human behaviour and new models of morality are being proposed in the name of would-be freedom. When the moral fibre of a nation is weakened, when the sense of personal responsibility is diminished, then the door is open for the justification of injustice, for violence in all its forms, and for the manipulation of the many by the few. The challenge that is already with us is the temptation to accept as true freedom what in reality is only a new form of slavery."

As we continue into August holidays, we pray daily for our young people, for the safety of all who travel on holiday, for workers in our fields and greenhouses, for our sick and for people who can't get out. In your Family Prayer, please pray for all vocations: marriage, single life, religious life of Sisters and Brothers, and the ordained priesthood and diaconate.

Father Patrick



St. Michael's Church office will be closed on **Monday August 1, 2016** for the Civic Holiday. We will reopen on Tuesday, August 2nd at 8:00am.

LEAMINGTON BLOOD DONOR CLINIC

Kinsmen Recreation Complex

Wednesday August 3rd

1:00-7:00 pm

New Donors and Walk Ins Welcome!

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. Joseph's

August 1- August 6

Mon 8:00am	Living and Deceased Members of the K of C Serafina Arruda and Deceased Family Members David Kuli
Tues 8:00am	Living and Deceased Members of the CWL Joaquina and Carlos Borges Edward Araujo
Wed. 8:00am	NO MORNING MASS
7:00pm	Gino Imperioli Pierino and Natalina Imperioli Suor Pasqualina Fiacco
Thurs 8:00am	Intentions of Henriette Trautman Danny and Mesias Pavao & Souls in Purgatory Fr. Silvio Gasparotta and Fr. Ugo Rossi
Fri 8:00am	Carol Authier Nabiha Azar Alana McNaughton
Sat 8:00am	Paul McDonell Maria and Joao Costa John Dodson

GET A PIECE OF ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH HISTORY!

For **\$125.00** you can buy an original pew from St. Michael's, or for **\$10.00** you can buy a hymn rack that is great for use as a spice rack or book/tool holder. Come in to the church office to see the samples we have on display.



Spiritual Direction: Are you struggling in your faith? Are events in your life making you question God? Are you experiencing lack of excitement in prayer? Are you grieving? If you would like to discuss any of these issues or if there is some other matter concerning God, faith or prayer, please contact Simone Seres at **519-326-2643 - Ext. 29** for a confidential consultation.

*This week the Leamington Ministerial Association prays for **KNOX PRESBYTERIAN***

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Next Sunday's Gospel says that both Jesus and the thief come to us 'at an hour we least expect'. But there the similarity ends. The thief comes to rob us. Jesus comes to surprise us with his gifts.

First Reading (Wisdom 18:6-9)

Second Reading (Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19)

Gospel (Luke 12:32-48)

RETROUVAILLE

Stress in Your Marriage? - There are only three weeks left to sign up for Retrouvaille. Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, frustrated or angry in their marriage.

Some experience coldness and simply shut down. Others experience conflict and arguments in their relationship. Most don't know how to change the situation or even communicate with their spouse about it. This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples who experience marital difficulty at all levels including disillusionment and deep misery. For confidential information about, or to register for the upcoming program beginning with a weekend on August 19, 20, and 21, 2016, call **1-800-705-6356**. More information can be found at retrouvaillewindsor.weebly.com.

FORMED

NEW PROCEDURE FOR ACCESSING FORMED:

Type: www.formed.org in the URL box

This will bring you to the

cover or front screen of Formed.

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This will take you to a form that you fill out. Fill out the form with your name, email and develop your own password. Then submit. (The next time you login you will only need your email address and password.)

This will get you into the main site where all the programs are. Pick & choose to read, listen or watch at your own leisure.



DIVINE MERCY IN THE SECOND GREATEST STORY EVER TOLD

Episode 3 - If an entire nation can be "God's Suffering Servant," then Poland served that role throughout history by helping to save the civilized world through its fidelity to it's Catholic faith.

PLEASE JOIN US

Thursday, August 11th at 7pm in the Conference Room at St. Michael's Parish Centre

All are welcome!

World Youth Day—Jubilee of Mercy

Let us pray for all the pilgrims from around the world in Poland at World Youth Day.



Tuesday, August 2 at 8 a.m. is this month's CWL mass. Join us as we remember all of our living and deceased members, and those who are ill and recovering.

Are you moving or will soon be doing so? Please let us know your new address ASAP so that you won't miss out on your League Magazine.

Thank you to all who supported our successful summer Fundraiser!!

Veronica's Corner



Are you looking for a life-changing event for yourself and your family? Do you need something to "reboot" your faith? All youth ages 12-112 are invited to join us on **Wednesday**

October 5 from 7 to 9:30 pm at Visitation Parish in Comber.

This event will include Chris Stefanick who is an internationally acclaimed speaker, author and Catholic evangelist. Also joining us will be Jon Niven, a musician and recording artist. Tickets are **\$25** and are available at the office, Settrington's Bookstore and Fletchers Cleaners. St. Michael's is co-hosting this event. For more information contact Veronica at 519-326-2643 ext. 28.

Thank you to all those who helped with our Vacation Bible School program this year. We couldn't have done it without you. A HUGE thank you to our participants who were open to hearing God's word this week. Can't wait till next year!



PILGRIMAGE 2017



St. Michael's Parish is considering organizing a pilgrimage for **September 2017** to Fatima, Lourdes & the Shrines of Spain.

We would be joining the parish of All Saints in Strathroy. If you are interested in going on this pilgrimage, we ask you to call the office at **519-326-2643 Ext. 29**. If there is considerable interest in it, we will have the travel company come and speak on it. For more information call **Cheryl at 1-877-735-5633 ext. 6225**.

MARY PRAYER CAMPAIGN

The Mary Prayer Campaign is still ongoing. Ribbons are found at the back of each church. Write any petitions you have on the ribbons provided and place them on the fence. We also encourage you to pray for those intentions that are found on the fence. This campaign will be ongoing until November.

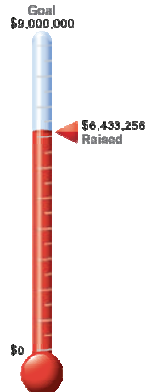
Offertory Collection for July 24/16

402 Regular Sunday Env.	\$6,506.00
Loose:	830.75
TOTAL:	\$7,393.00

Average per envelope: \$16.32
Pledges for the week : \$200,435.00

Total Construction cost to date:
over **\$6,489,388.00**

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