St. Michael's Parish

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Weekend Liturgical Schedule

St. Michael's Phone: 519-326-2643 Fax: 519-326-2644

(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.

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Happy Father's Day! Masses are being offered for the intentions of all our fathers, and for those who have gone before us, marked with the sign of faith'.

By the time this bulletin appears, Pope Francis' new encyclical on ecology will be available. It will echo the teaching of St. Paul which we hear in this Sunday's second reading: "See, everything has been made new". His letter is entitled: "Laudato Sii" (Praised Be), which is a quotation from a St. Francis's prayer praising God for creation.

Congratulations to all our grade 8's and grade 12's who graduated this week. At one of our school's last celebration of Mass this week, the following poem, set to music, was shared by grade four students. The words are provocative and inspiring:

"Carry your Candle"

There is a candle in every soul Some brightly burning, some dark and cold There is a Spirit who brings fire Ignites a candle and makes His home. Carry your candle, run to the darkness Seek out the hopeless, confused and torn Hold out your candle for all to see it Take your candle, and go light your world. Frustrated brother, see how he's tried to Light his own candle some other way

See now your sister, she's been robbed and lied to Still holds a candle without a flame. Carry your candle, run to the darkness Seek out the lonely, the tired and worn Hold out your candle for all to see it Take your candle, and go light your world. We are a family whose hearts are blazing So let's raise our candles and light up the sky Praying to our Father, in the name of Jesus Make us a beacon in darkest times. Carry your candle, run to the darkness Seek out the helpless, deceived and poor

Pastoral Team

Rev. Patrick W. Fuerth Ext 25 **Pastor**

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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 Holy out your candle for all to see it
Take your candle, and go light your world
Carry your candle, run to the darkness
Seek out the hopeless, confused and torn
Hold out your candle for all to see it
Take your candle, and go light your world.

Thanks to everyone who participated in our annual meeting this week. The process of negotiating for a contractor to meet our budget is well underway. On the operational side of things, the Finance Committee reports a 95% viability but sets a budget for the current year that puts us back 'in the black'.

The position of Pastoral Minister is now advertised on the diocesan web-site: go to dol.ca to find the job description and invitation to candidates to apply for Patricia Fox's role on the pastoral team.

Our prayers are united especially with the poor and for anyone who

is suffering in any way.

Fr. Pat Fuerth

As Mordomos of this year's Imperio Do Divino Espirito Santo Festa in the Portuguese Tradition, Luis and Dina Sardinha would like to send a tremendous THANK YOU to everyone in our Parish that helped and pariticipated in the continuation of this wonderful, traditional Festival. Special THANK YOUS to: Fr. Patrick Beneteau for your inspiration, guidance, prayers and the Holy Spirit Mass, to Frs. Pat Fuerth and Chris Pietraszko for your help and for joining us, to Francisco Santos and the Portuguese Choir for the outstanding music you created to make the Mass inspirational for all of us. As Mordomos and together, as a community of believers, it was truly a memorable journey to honour, glorify and give thanks to the Holy Spirit. Congratulations to the new Mordomos: Paul & Isabel Oliveira. Viva Espirito Santo! Viva!



Fr. Fernando Suarez will be here August 19th. He is renowned for his healing ministry all over the world and especially in the Philippines. To bring him to the parish, we're in need of developing a committee to prepare for this event. Please call the office 519-326-2643 or speak

to Fr. Chris if you are interested in helping out with this event.



Farewell to Fr. Patrick. On Wednesday, June 24th, Fr. Patrick will celebrate the 7pm Mass and there will be a reception in the foyer to follow. Although we're sad to see you go, we are happy for you as you mentor new

labourers in the vineyard for the kingdom of God!

Priest Pension Collection

This weekend all parishes and Catholic communities in the diocese are holding a special collection to support the needs of retired priests. This special collection will assist those dedicated priests who are elderly, seriously ill or incapacitated and in need of supplementary assistance.

As the number of retired priests increases every year, the Priests' Pension Plan will need to be adequately funded to meet future needs. Your generous contribution not only supports current retirees but will also help provide for the retirement needs of priests who will retire in the future. Say "thank you" to our retired priests by giving to the Priests' Pension Plan. Your donation shares the same love and generosity that diocesan priests have shown us for generations.

Mass for the Intentions Week		
St. Josep	h's June 22-27	
Mon. 8:00am	Antonio Pacheco, Manuel & Joe Andrade Antonio, Assunta & Lucia Abbruzzese Joe Abbas, Thomas Jraige & Deceased Family Mem.	
Tues. 8:00am	Antonio Moreira, Leonardo & Antonio Freitas Deceased Family Members of Tony Braga Jose Bento	
Wed. 8:00am	NO MORNING MASS	
7:00pm	Nicola Salvati Tony & Salim Keirouz Manuel Cabral, Mariade Conceicao, Rosalina Medeiros	
Thurs. 8:00am	NO MORNING MASS	
Fri. 8:00am	Ernest & Marguerite Tremblay & Deceased Family Mem. Ed Zdziarski & Dale Moauro Hortencia & Silvino Furtado & Deceased Parents	
Sat. 8:00 am	Carlo Minaudo Manuel Duarte Paul Zeiter	
New Beginnings June 25		
Thurs. 10:00am	Teresa Cappelli Diane Cloke	
Mennonite Home June 25		
Thurs. 1:00pm	Eddy Anthony Sanchez Santino Paglione	



This week the Leamington Ministerial Association prays for Salvation Army



On July 26th at 2:00 pm we will be hosting our <u>Parish Picnic at the Kiwanis</u> Camp, 1948 Seacliff Dr, Kingsville, ON

This will be a joint Parish picnic and Volunteer Event to honour those who tire-

lessly give of their time, treasure and talents to the parish. Please mark your calendars! More details to come.

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Next week's gospel speaks of how a sick woman had the most amazing faith in Christ. All she had to do was touch the hem of his robe and she would be healed. As soon as she touched it, he felt the power flow out from him. Here we can draw closest to Christ depending on the depth and intensity of our faith. We too need his healing touch in our lives.

First Reading (Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24) Second Reading (2 Cor 8:7-9, 13-15) Gospel (Mark 5:21-43)



CCLC- CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP CAMP

Catholic Christian 9-12 in the fall. Would you like to Calling all youth entering in grade _eadership_Camp join us for a fun faith-filled camp experience? You will have the

opportunity to learn leadership skills and meet new people. The best part is that the parish will pay for you to go. All you have to do is offer to commit back to the parish by volunteering in a ministry of your choosing for the next year. What can be better than that? For more information, please contact Veronica at 519-326-2643 ext 28.



Congratulations to all those students who have graduated from school this year. May Congratulations! the learning you received help you to build up the kingdom of God.



C.W.L.

Jesus I Trust in You

Happy Fathers Day to all the dads of our parish.

Please continue to donate your used eyeglasses, cancelled postage stamps and yarn of any amount to our ongoing projects, these items can be left in the church foyer.

ATTENTION ALL GOLFERS!!! Our Golf Tournament has



been set for July 11th at Orchardview Golf Course. Cost is \$120 per person. Includes 18 holes, cart and Dinner along with prizes. Dinner only is also available for \$38. Please call the office to register your team. Tickets available at St. Michael's Parish Office. Come on out and enjoy a friendly game of golf and fellowship.

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

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Fundraising Campaign

To date we have received 713 (1-5 yr) Pledges totaling: \$5,193,290.77 **Building Fund Total:** \$4,288,030.35 Pledged Dollars received since last report

\$570.00

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PA'S COFFEE HOUSE

All fathers and their families are invited to celebrate Father's Day in a special way. Join us on Sunday, June 21st starting with the 7 pm Mass at St. Joseph's Church followed by an evening of entertainment and refreshments.



July 27 to July 31, 2015 9 a.m. to Noon at Ecole St. Michel (33 Sherman St.) (33 Sherman St.)

For youth entering JK to grade 6. Youth entering grade 7 to adulthood may become leaders. Those that wish to volunteer must attend the training sessions and complete the police clearances as per Diocesan policy. This is a wonderful way for teens to obtain their community hours. *Our next volunteer meeting will be held* on Monday, June 22nd at 7 p.m, in St. Mike's Conference Rm.

The cost of the program is: \$30 for the 1st child, \$15 for 2nd child, \$10 for 3rd child. Registration forms are available at the back of each church and the deadline to register is July 20, 2015. Finacial assistance is available upon request. For more info call Veronica at 519-326-2643 ext. 28.

YAGOTTAWANNA DEFEND FOR TEENS

All teens in grade 8-12 are invited to join us for our "LOL Party" to be held on Sunday, June 28th starting with the 7:00 pm Mass at St. Joseph's followed by an evening of fireworks and refreshments. This will be our last youth event before September.



Our last day for Children's Liturgy/ Sunday School program will be on Sunday, June 28th. The program will resume in September.

Spiritual direction is the practice of being with people as they attempt to deepen their relationship with the divine, or to learn and grow in their own personal spirituality. If this is something you may be interested in, please call Simone at 519-326-2643 Ext.10

The St. Michael's Knights of Columbus Council 4501 will be sponsoring a community yard Sale in St. Michael's Church parking lot on Friday, August 21st - 1-8pm and Saturday, August 22nd from 8-6pm. In the event of inclement weather, the sale will be held the following weekend. The K of C will be renting space for vendors: 10'x10' for \$30 or 10'x20' for \$60 for the sale time. Vendors are responsible for their own tables, displays etc. Vendors will sell their own wares and keep the proceeds. Vendors are responsible for cleaning their space at the end of the sale. No food, drinks, furniture, appliances or children's car seats to be sold by vendors. K of C / CWL will have a concession stand for food, soft drinks and water. All moneys raised by the K of C /CWL will go to K of C charities. Deadline to register to rent a spot is 4pm Monday, August 10th. Payment to accompany registration to guarantee spot once registered. No refunds. K of C or St. Michael's Parish is not responsible for any loses. Registration forms available at the parish office and general meeting on June 16th at St. Joseph's Church.

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