



# St. Michael's Parish

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## Weekend Liturgical Schedule

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### **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

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.

## **NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST**

**June 24, 2018**

### **From the Desk of Fr. John:**

#### **1. 2018 Municipal Elections - *Becoming a Catholic School Trustee***

On October 22, 2018, Catholic school board elections will be held throughout Ontario. In an effort to encourage members of our Catholic community to consider a vocation as a Catholic school trustee, the Ontario Catholic School Trustees' Association has produced a brochure entitled "*A Call to Service*." This brochure illuminates the distinctive role of a Catholic trustee and outlines some of the legal qualifications required prior to running in the election.

These brochures may be found on the table in the Narthex. It is essential that we have trustees with strong faith in order to ensure the Catholicity of our schools. If you are looking at a way to serve our Catholic community, I encourage you to pick up a brochure and give running for a Catholic trustee position some serious thought.

#### **2. Priest Pension Fund Collection**

In announcing this year's collection, Bishop Fabbro stated "I am most grateful to you for responding so generously to this urgent need over these past four years. Last year, we raised a record \$315,965. This money is held and invested, expertly and independently, in a dedicated Pension Fund. Your financial gift will help ensure that our elderly priests are able to receive a modest pension, health and dental benefits, and to take an annual retreat." I would also like to thank all who contributed to the Priest Pension Fund Collection this year.

Have a great week!

Fr. John

## Pastoral Team

**Rev. John M. Pirt** Ext 25

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**Rev. Danny Santos** Ext 27

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**Alex Litt**

**John Vezina**

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## Office Staff

**Beth Impens** Ext 21

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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

# Welcome



Beginning **Monday July 9th**, St. Michael's will be adding a weekly **Monday morning Mass at 8:00am**.

## FAREWELL/WELCOME CELEBRATIONS

The parish is invited to bid farewell to Fr. John and Fr. Danny at a Mass of Thanksgiving which will be held on **Tuesday, June 26th** starting at 7:00pm followed by a reception in the Church Hall. To welcome Fr. Tom and Fr. Steve, we will be serving coffee and donuts after all of the Masses the weekend of **July 7/8 and July 15th**. Hope to see you there!

## ST. MICHAEL'S GOLF AND STEAK BBQ FUNDRAISER - Saturday, July 28th

The Plans are for 18 holes of golf with cart at Orchard View Golf Course, 1357 County Rd. 34 followed by a steak dinner at the course for \$100/person. There may be a 50/50 draw, closest to pin and longest drive prizes along with a few surprises. The cost for the dinner alone is \$25. The golf will start at 11:00am with the dinner to follow at 5:00pm. This is a fundraiser for St. Michael's Church. Tickets must be purchased by July 1st and are available by calling **519-322-5727 or 519-324-9775**. **Everyone is welcome to attend.**



## ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH KEEPSAKE BRICK CAMPAIGN

Celebrate a memory in a permanent way at St. Michael's with a keepsake brick in our beautiful Celebration Pathway.

Each keepsake brick is available with a contribution of \$500. Your name and/or message will be etched on the brick. All funds raised by this initiative will go directly to decreasing the building loan and will support any future capital projects the parish may have. Please pick up a brochure at the back of the church or at the church office. For more information, please call the Church office.



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

## PARISH REGISTRATION:

Please help keep our records up-to-date! You may bring this form to the parish office or place it in the collection.  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ I am new in the Parish and I wish to register  
☐ I wish to use contribution envelopes  
☐ I am unsure if registered, please check  
☐ I have recently moved



## DAILY MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF June 26-June 30

<b>Tuesday 7:00pm</b>	Manuel & Maria Cabral and Deceased Family Intentions of Moe Trepanier Edward Jr. & Edward Sr. Araujo, Barros Family In Thanksgiving for Answered Prayers
<b>Wed. 8:00am</b>	Raffaele Mastronardi Lora Perciballi Maria Dos Anjos Machado
<b>OLBS 7:00pm</b>	Irene DeMello For Forgotten Souls Jose Freitas, Maria and Manuel Medeiros
<b>Thurs. 8:00am</b>	Margarida Pavao Jose & Maria Do Conceicao Ernesto, Dec. Fam. Theresa Georges
<b>Friday 8:00am</b>	65th Anniv. Thanksgiving - Joe & Margaret Herhalt John and Maria DaSilva Adele Thomas and Sarkis Obeid
<b>Saturday 8:00am</b>	Elias Pacheco Deceased Relatives of Tony Braga Boutros and Mariam Daraiche



**WEDDING-Friday June 29**  
**7:00pm at St. Michael's**  
**DELLA GABRIELE & ALLEN PARADIS**

*This week the Leamington Ministerial Association  
Prays for:*

**FAITH MENNONITE CHURCH**

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

**June 24** Rev. Lucio Couto

**June 25** Rev. Canon Peter Sanczenko

**June 26** Mrs. Melissa Pacitti-Fallone, Y.M. Coordinator

**June 27** Rev. Tom Ferrera

**June 28** Rev. Patrick Fuerth

**June 29** Rev. Paul Baillargeon



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**MAY WE BE GIFTED IN UNITY TO SERVE GOD  
AND ALL PEOPLES IN AUTHENTIC LOVE**

## THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mark holds up both Jairus and the unnamed woman in today's gospel as models of faith. The message of the two healings is clear: "Do not be afraid, just have faith." The chronically ill woman is so convinced that Jesus not only **can** help her but **will** help her that she fights her way through the pushing and shoving crowds just to touch the cloak of Jesus. Her faith is rewarded.

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

**RETRouvaille WEEKEND - August 17-19th at Holy Family Retreat House, Oxley. 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. Does the distance between you seem wide? Are you already separated? Looking for a better way? Retrouvaille can help and offers hope for a better relationship. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. For more information contact Debbie or Darcy at 1-800-705-6356 or 1015@retrouvaille.com or visit [SaveOurMarriage.ca](http://SaveOurMarriage.ca).**



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

~The white rose bush we planted last June to commemorate the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation is in full bloom at the front entrance of the Parish Center. Check it out.

~Please bring baked goods for the farewell reception for our priests on Tuesday, June 26.

They can be brought to the Church hall any time on Tuesday before the farewell Mass at 7:00 p.m.

*"The world needs an invasion of love and this depends on each one of us." (Chiara Lubich)*

**CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING**

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in September 2018 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service.

Call Liturgical Publications at  
**1-800-268-2637.** Thank you for your support!

**A RETREAT FOR YOUNG ADULTS  
"LIVING FAITH"**

Join other young adults (men and women 18-39) and Sisters of St. Joseph on a pilgrimage to North Bay, Ontario. Through interactive activities, prayer and fellowship, we will delve deeper into our living faith.

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 24 TO SUNDAY, AUGUST 26**

Sisters of St. Joseph Motherhouse on Lake Nipissing and camp on Trout Lake.

Cost \$150, including meals and accommodations (single-bed cottages) \$70 if you do not require accommodations.

Register by August 15 by contacting Kataryna Ryba at  
**416-457-2645 or at [faithconnections@csj-to.ca](mailto:faithconnections@csj-to.ca).**

Early bird registration before July 2-cost \$120. Carpooling is available. If cost is a concern, please contact us.

**PILGRIMAGE TO QUEBEC HOLY SHRINES**

with Father Paul Duplessis O.F.M. Cap. from July 24-28/18, to visit St Anne de Beaupre, St Joseph Oratory, Our Lady of the Cape (Blessed Mother), St Francois de Laval in Old Quebec City and St. Kateri Tekakwitha; \$639 + \$110 tax. Call Marie Alexandre (519) 352-6913 or George Cifa (519) 639-4971.

**HEALING MASS**

HEALING MASS at Immaculate Heart Parish, 2153 Parkwood Avenue at Tecumseh Road East. It will be celebrated on the following Fridays at 7:00pm:

**July 6/August 3/September 7**

Teams are available to pray with you after Mass  
Elevator accessible.

**VERONICA'S  
CORNER**



**Vacation Bible School Volunteers Needed**

Volunteers are needed for our Vacation Bible School program being held the week of **July 30-August 3**. Our next training/preparation meetings will take place on **June 27, July 11, and July 18 from 6:30 to 8:30pm** in St. Michael's Church hall. Youth in Grade 7 to adulthood are invited to help out. It is important that volunteers attend the meetings so that we can train you to be effective leaders. Volunteers must attend the meetings in order to be involved. If you are interested, contact **Veronica at 519-326-2643 or [vcosta@dol.ca](mailto:vcosta@dol.ca)**.

**DISCOVERY MISSION VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

All youth entering JK to Grade 6 are invited to participate in our VBS program being held the week of **July 30 to August 3 from 9:00am to 12:00pm**. During the week we will be focusing on vocations, listening to stories, playing games, preparing crafts and much more. **The cost is \$30 for the 1st child, \$15 for the 2nd, \$10 for the 3rd child. The deadline to register is Monday, July 23rd.** Please note that the price increases to \$5 per student if the registration is not received by the deadline. If finances are an issue, please contact Veronica.



**FIREWORKS PARTY!**



Teens and their families are invited to join us on **Saturday, June 30th from 7-9:00pm** for an amazing party. Deacon John and Mary Vezina have opened up their home at 12 Sutton Drive for a fun night roasting hotdogs and marshmallows. We will end our night with fireworks. We hope to see you there and don't forget to bring your lawn chair!



**CHILDREN'S LITURGY**

Today is our last Children's Liturgy Program before we break for the summer. The program will resume again in September.

**CARMELITE SAINTS**

The Carmelite community of Windsor, which meets at Corpus Christi, is open to receive new aspirants. If you feel called to deepen your faith with the Carmelite Saints, call **Loretta at 519-969-6639 or Cathy at 519-969-1348** no later than June 30th.

**Collection for Sunday - June 17, 2018**

354 Regular Sunday:	<b>\$5737.00</b>
Loose:	<b>\$1417.55</b>
Total :	<b>\$7154.55</b>
Average per Envelope:	<b>\$16.21</b>
Pledges this week:	<b>\$100.00</b>
Priest Pension Fund:	<b>\$750.00</b>



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