

29 Elliott St. Leamington, Ontario N8H3M4

June 30 -Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our Diocese entered into a Year of Prayer on Pentecost Sunday as promulgated by Bishop Fabbro. Three weeks have now passed and it's time to check to see how we're doing as a parish; ensuring that we are doing everything we can to make the most of this year to build up our personal and communal prayer lives.

Pentecost Sunday started off with a bang as we celebrated the Holy Spirit Festival beginning with a beautiful Mass followed by a procession to the Portuguese Club. The entire community was invited to join together for a meal and fellowship from our Mordomos, Kevin & Solange Soares. The evening culminated with the new Mordomos being chosen for next year. Congratulations Cristiano & Gina Goncalves!

The following Thursday we enjoyed another Praise and Worship evening which was enjoyed by all - thank you Mary Vezina! Corpus Christi Sunday offered us many wonderful Masses to enjoy along with an evening spent in Eucharistic Adoration. That same weekend, Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Church brought their festival to the community. They celebrated the Feast of St. John the Baptist with Mass and a procession to Joe & Edie Amaral's home where they graciously hosted a meal for everyone. Once again new Mordomos were chosen to host this event next year. Congratulations to Tony and Lisa Antunes!

Along with all of this, we also enjoy all day Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesdays and Divine Mercy on Fridays. The Portuguese prayer group meets regularly on Wednesday evenings and a Centering Prayer group meets every Monday morning. Many of our parishioners have small prayer groups in their homes that meet regularly.

On July 3rd we are hosting the seminarians of the Companions of the Cross coming to offer us an evening called Exult 2019 where we will enjoy contemporary worship with a live band. The seminarians will offer us preaching and teaching in an effort to empower us as the people of God that we are. You don't want to miss this one! This is the community where Fr. Steve first began his discernment to religious life.

As you can see, our parish is alive and thriving well. I am always amazed at the many varied opportunities and prayer experiences that our parish has to offer. If you are looking for new ways to enhance your prayer life, look no further-we have a lot of it going on right here!

Happy Canada Day!

Deacon John Vezina

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Sacraments

Baptisms - Call office

First Reconciliation -Preparation begins in September

First Holy Communion -Preparation begins in September

Confirmation - Confirmation to begin 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

Weekend Liturgical Schedule

St. Michael's

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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 ½ hour before each Mass 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Saturdays

Bulletin Submissions

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

Sunday School

Every Sunday from September - June at the 10:00am Mass.







St. Michael's parish office will be closed on Monday, July 1st for Canada Day



HOW DO I BECOME CATHOLIC?

With the gift of Jesus' Precious Blood on the Cross and in the Eucharist, let us reflect on the freedom given to us through our Baptism into him—to be heirs of the promise and liberated

from Sin. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the way by which persons become "citizens of the Kingdom" through Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. Inquiry sessions are ongoing. Ask about the RCIA inquiry sessions for those who are not baptized, are of other faiths, or are adult Catholics who were not confirmed. For more information contact

Fr. Tom at (519) 326-2643.



33 Days to Morning Glory RETREAT

Where: Conference Room (upstairs from the offices) at St. Michael's.

When: Thursday Evenings 6:30pm-8:00pm from July 11 to August 15.

Cost: Free will offering (book package value \$55). Please register by calling St. Michael's church office at 519-326-2643.

If you would like a simple way to be spiritually renewed, develop a deeper relationship with Our Merciful Savior and grow in holiness, join us for 33 Days to Morning Glory Small-group Retreat.



CONGRATULATIONS to Gary and Rosemary Heisler on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary! May niversary God continue to bless them as they carry out their marriage commitment.

The Leamington Ministerial Association Prays for: LEAMINGTON CHRISTIAN CENTRE

EXULT 2019

St. Michael's welcomes seminarians from Companions of the Cross on Wednesday, July 3rd from 6:30-9:00pm for an evening entitled Exult 2019. This evening is intended to revitalize contemporary worship with a live band through preaching, teaching and empowering the people of God. For more information please contact Mary Vezina at vezinafamily@hotmail.com or by calling (519) 322-5964.

Leamington Blood Donor Centre Wednesday, July 3 from 1:00-7:00pm **Leamington Kinsmen Recreation Complex** 249 Sherk Street New Donors & Walk Ins Welcome!!

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS: JULY 7, 2019 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time First Reading (Isaiah 66:10-14) Second Reading (Galatians 6:14-18) Gospel (Luke 10:1-12, 17-20)



DAILY MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF July 1 to July 6

Mon. 8:00am	Elias Pacheco Teresa Carducci Verina Del Ciancio
Tues. 7:00pm	Living and Deceased Members of the C.W.L. Living and Deceased Members of the K. of C. Ernesto, Evelina and Jose Pimentel
Wed. 8:00am	Josephine DeGoey, Brenda Goodeve Manuel and Margarida Pavao Intentions of the Jubilarians of the Sr's. of St. Joseph
Thurs. 8:00am	Joe and Victor Oliveira Teresa and Luigi Cicchelli Antonio Pacheco
Friday 8:00am	Mass of Thanksgiving Fiorina Capussi Suzette Dorego
Sat. 8:00am	Gus Mattei and Deceased Family Manuel, Angelina and Guilherme Costa Antonio and Cecilia Branco, Deceased Family

SUN PARLOR HOME

JULY 4

10:00am	Intentions of Gary and Rosemary Heisler—50th Ann. Luigia Carnevale Manuel Couto
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Please pray for those in our Parish Family who have recently passed away:

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We collected 30 bags of items for distribution to the Women's Shelters. Thank you to all who contributed to this H.U.G. project. Your generosity will greatly benefit many needy women and children.

"For it is in giving that we receive." St. Francis of Assisi

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

June 30 Deacon Charles Stevens

July 01 Mrs. Colleen Hanley

July 02 Deacon Wayne Waechter

July 03 Deacon Roy Brothers

July 05 Rev. Frank O'Connor

July 06 Rev. Ted. Johnson



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

St. Michael's Church offers Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesdays 9:00am-6:30pm.

"When you look at the Crucifix, you understand how much Jesus loved you then. When you look at the Sacred Host you understand how much Jesus loves you now." Saint Teresa of Calcutta

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Mass Online

Did you know that Mass is live-streamed every weekend in the Diocese of London? Courtesy of St. George Parish, London, Mass is available at www.youtube.com/user/sgtvlondon. There is even an archive of past Masses, homilies, and special liturgical events. Online viewing is a great option for those who are unable to attend Mass in person due to illness, infirmity, travel, or any other reason. And if you know someone who is "interested" in the Catholic Church but not quite ready to make the leap, this may be an easy introduction.

Rediscover Your Marriage - Retrouvaille simply means 'rediscovery'. The program offers the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse and a loving relationship in your marriage. Thousands headed for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending. Retrouvaille is not a spiritual retreat, a sensitivity group, a seminar or a social gathering. You will never have to share your story with anyone else on the weekend. For confidential information about or to register for the August program call 1-800-705-6356 or email: 1015@retrouvaille.org or visit the web site at www.retrouvaillewindsor.com



Please note that the chapel area of the church is a scent-free zone to accommodate those who are sensitive to fragrances.

Join Basilian Fathers Maurice Restivo and Bob Holmes on the 2019 Peace and Justice pilgrimage to the Holy Land, from September 24 through October 8. On this unique pilgrimage we visit many of the holy sites and meet with individuals and organizations—Palestinians, Israelis, Christians, Muslims and Jews who work for peace. The trip is only \$4400 for 15 days, including round-trip airfare from Windsor, breakfast and dinner daily, and all transfers, guides and tips. For more information, contact Fr. Maurice Restivo, CSB, at 519-253-2493 or mrestivo@dol.ca.

VERONICA'S CORNER





Digging for Treasure VBS ~ All youth entering JK to Grade 6 are invited to join us July 22-26 from 9:00 am

to 12:00 noon. During the week we will hear bible stories, play games, prepare crafts, sing songs and more. The cost is \$30 for the 1st child, \$15 for the 2nd and \$10 for the

3rd. Registration forms can be found at the back of each church and must be returned **by July 15th.** If finances are an issue, please contact Veronica.



FAMILY FIREWORKS PARTY

Deacon John and Mary Vezina invite everyone to their home at 12 Sutton Drive on Sunday, June 30 from 7:30-10:00pm. Come join us as we roast marshmallows and hot dogs. We will end the evening with fireworks. ALL ARE WELCOME!

Summer Leadership Camp (CCLC)

The Diocese of London is offering a Leadership Camp this summer. The *Full Impact Camp* is geared to those youth presently in Grades 8-11 and the *Empower Intro Camp* is for youth in Grades 6 and 7. (Cost is dependent on which camp you attend). More information can be found at www.dol.ca/cclc. St. Michael's Parish would like to sponsor 2-3 high school teens to attend this camp. All you have to do in return is give a year of service back to the parish. If interested, please contact Veronica at (519) 326-2643 or at vcosta@dol.ca

MARRIAGE ANNULMENT

Are you hoping to get married in the Catholic Church or to have a new union blessed? Are you simply looking for some closure after a painful divorce? If so, consider applying for a Declaration of Nullity (annulment) from the Marriage Tribunal of the Diocese of London. The process is free of charge. We are here to help. If you want to start the process, or if you just have some questions about obtaining a Declaration of Nullity, feel free to call us at 519-439-1553 or toll free at 1-866-603-4317, or email tribunal @dol.ca.

Our Lady of the Rosary Shrine

On August 15, Bishop Fabbro will celebrate a solemn Mass at 11:00 am to be followed by a Rosary Procession and benediction at Our Lady of the Rosary Shrine in Merlin.

Collection for June 23, 2019

351 Regular Sunday \$5689.00 Loose 1727.63 **Total** \$7416.63

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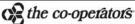
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