

## 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., 6:00 pm. - 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

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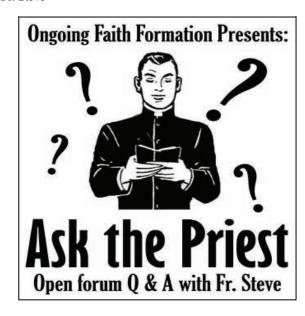
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#### OCTOBER 20, 2019 - 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

If you missed the first session-fear not! You have one more opportunity to bring your questions to Fr. Steve. If the evening is successful, we will likely have more in the future.

Friday, November 1 From 6:30pm – 8:00pm in the Conference Room

All are welcome from any degree of faith - all we ask is that you have a healthy curiosity! I remember when I was growing up, one of the biggest instruments to my "conversion" was being able to hear well-reasoned explanations to the typical questions I had about the faith. I discovered that what we believe isn't just a series of rules and ancient guidelines that have no application today, but a universal truth; the Universal Truth Himself-Jesus Christ. Thus it has always been very important to me to provide a means for deepening the understanding of the faith for God's people. There is no reason for us to believe "blindly". With great confidence we can ask the tough questions and ponder over them. I really hope you take this opportunity to join us one more time for Ask the Priest. If you do not have any questions to ask for yourself, just listening in on the many questions and answers of others can be quite enlightening. It's just like they used to tell me in school - there are no stupid questions. If you have a question, it's likely that someone else is wondering the same thing but might be too afraid to ask. In this spirit, don't be afraid to ask anything. If I can't provide a satisfying answer on the spot, I will do what I can to try and research and provide a better answer. Hope to see you there! ...Fr. Steve



#### **Pastoral Team**

Rev. Tom Ferrera Ext 222
Parish Administrator

Rev. Steve Marsh Ext 223
Parochial Vicar
www.FrSteve.ca

Alex Litt (retired)
John Vezina
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Veronica Costa Ext 227
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> St. Vincent de Paul Carol Lesinky

> > Office Staff

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Secretary

#### 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

#### WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

#### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2019





#### HOW DO I BECOME CATHOLIC?

Our lives sometimes go through seasons of change; of closeness to God and distance from Him. Yet God the Father's love is steadfast and ever-present to those who seek with a sincere

heart, no matter what sins or situations have caused separation. If you have thought about becoming Catholic and beginning a new "season" in your life, contact

Fr. Tom at (519) 326-2643.

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## Ongoing Faith Formation presents: **ASK THE PRIEST**

Join us for a night of open forum conversation with Fr. Steve where you can ask any questions you like about the faith. This is also a great opportunity to invite friends who may have fallen away from the faith to be able to learn that our faith is one of reason and not of blind fables.

6:30 – 8:00pm in the Conference Room Friday, November 1

Want to Grow in Holiness, But Too Busy?
On Saturday, November 2 at St. John's
Church in Kingsville, preparation will begin for
a 33-day Marian Consecration. For six weeks,
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we'll individually read about and reflect on four great Marian giants: St. Louis de Monfort, St. Maximilian Kolbe, Blessed Mother Teresa, and Pope John Paul II. They'll teach us the secrets to drawing closer to the Heart of Jesus through the Heart of Mary. In our weekly meetings on Saturday mornings from November 2 to November 30th (10:00am to 11:30am), we'll share our insights within our small group and then watch a 30-minute video. The video by popular author and speaker, Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC, brings our individual reflections and group experience into a clear and live-able focus. Consecration Mass will be on Sunday, December 8th at 11am Mass at St. John de Brebeuf. To register call 519-733-6591. Cost is by donation to offset materials ~ Deacon Anthony Rebkowec.

#### **CURSILLO**

Sometimes we are called to retreat in order to become refreshed and inspired to re-enter our world with a renewed spirit. A Cursillo weekend is a great way that we can be filled with God's Holy Spirit and love... and be inspired to share His Love. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Luis & Dina Sardinha at 326-0994 or <a href="mailto:sardinha600@gmail.com">sardinha600@gmail.com</a>

#### **MASS ONLINE**

St. George Parish in London offers live-streamed Mass every weekend at www.youtube.com/user/sgtvlondon



# DAILY MASS INTENTIONS October 21 to October 26

| Mon.<br>8:00am   | Barbar and Teresa Keyrouz, Deceased Family<br>All Souls in Purgatory<br>Deceased Family of Tony Braga    |
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| Tues.<br>7:00pm  | Sante Gualdieri<br>Edward B. and Edward Araujo<br>Lurdes Salsinha, Mario Meca, Deceased Family           |
| Wed.<br>8:00am   | John and Maria Oliveira<br>Maria Carmo<br>Teresa Carducci  |
| Thurs.<br>8:00am | Fred Zakaria<br>Jose Bento<br>Lloyd Doey, Joan Dresser, Rob Milkins                                      |
| Friday<br>8:00am | Manuel and Maria Carvalho, Deceased Family Fr. Albert Williams, Deceased Family Maria Margarida da Silva |
| Sat.<br>8:00am   | Marta Thuy<br>Maria Luisa Pavao<br>Ilda Carreiro   |



#### WEDDINGS SATURDAY OCTOBER 26

Our Lady of Blessed Sacrament - 1:00pm Matthew Cavasin and Marie Youssef

St. Michael's Church - 3:00pm Christopher Barraco and Sierra Heil



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

On **November 1st** we will begin to take Mass intentions for the period of **January to the end of June 2020.** We ask that families coming in or calling in to book Masses be limited to 2 for this time period. This gives everyone in the parish a fair chance to have a Mass intention said for their loved ones.



# OCTOBER 27, 2019 - 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading (Sirach 35:15-17, 20-22)
Second Reading (2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18)
Gospel (Luke 18:9-14)

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

Oct. 20 Rev. Keith Morrison

Oct. 21 Mrs. Debby Brown

Oct. 22 Rev. David Johnston

Oct. 23 Deacon Cyril Cogghe

Oct. 24 Rev. Raymond Masse Oct. 25 Rev. Jozo Grubisic

Oct. 26 Rev. Murray Kuemper





#### LIVING COMPLETELY FOR GOD

Wealthy and headstrong, Teresa was an unlikely choice for a great reformer. But after years as a complacent Carmelite, she learned from divine inspiration what living totally for God could be. **Watch now on formed.** 



#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

St. Michael's Church offers Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesdays 9:00am-6:30pm. On mornings with funeral Masses, Eucharistic Adoration will follow. "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

#### **COR WEEKEND**

All students in Grades 10, 11 and 12 are invited to the next **COR weekend on November 8-10th.** Applications are available at the back of the church and at the office.

Come for the fun, enjoy the experience!

## PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY CIRCLE "God's Work, Our Hands"

Our Prayer Shawl Ministry is looking for donations of yarn acceptable for knitting and crocheting prayer shawls. We will have a bin both in the lobby of the church and in the lobby of the office if you wish to donate. Thank you!

"Not all of us can do great things, but we can do small things with great love." Saint Teresa of Calcutta.



~Members are encouraged to attend the Fall Regional Meeting at <u>Visitation Parish in Comber</u> this Saturday, October 26 from 8:30am – 3:00pm. The guest speaker will be

Penny Vanderbroek from Chatham. She will speak about the protest of abortion and how she has "Come to the Well" for strength and wisdom. The cost is \$10 for lunch. We will be carpooling from the church parking lot at 7:45am. Call Mary at 326-8253 if interested.

~2020 Calendars and memberships are available at the office. They will also be sold before and after the Masses on Nov. 2-3/Dec. 7-8.

~Anyone who bought a membership at the 10:00am Mass two weeks ago please contact Romana at 519-398-9619 to confirm for her membership list.

~The CWL was well represented at the Living Rosary last Thursday evening. It was a beautiful experience! **October** is dedicated as the **Month of our Lady** and we are reminded to pray the rosary for our special intentions.

"The Holy Rosary is the storehouse of countless blessings" Blessed Alan de la Roche

#### VERONICA'S CORNER



#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Volunteers are needed for our sacramental preparation programs. Consider mentoring a child or young person in the sacraments of Reconciliation, First Communion and/or Confirmation. If interested, contact Veronica at 519-326-2643 ext. 227 or vcosta@dol.ca

#### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Please note that the registration forms for the sacraments are now due. The preparation for the Sacrament of Reconciliation begins the weekend of October 26/27 during the 5:00pm and 10:00am Masses. For the Sacrament of Confirmation, we will begin with a Commitment Ceremony on October 20th. If you require more information regarding any of the above, please contact Veronica at 519-326-2643 or vcosta@dol.ca

FALL HARVEST FEST (a.k.a. Halloween Party)
All families are invited to join us for our annual
Halloween Party on Friday, October 25 from
6:00-8:00pm in the Parish Hall. Come decorate
"saint-o-lanterns," play games, have dinner and more. The
cost is \$10 per family which includes dinner and a pumpkin
for each family. If you plan on attending, please RSVP
Veronica at 519-326-2643 ext. 227 or vcosta@dol.ca.

#### **Baptism Preparation**

The next preparation classes for the Sacrament of Baptism will be held on **Saturday**, **October 26th and Saturday**, **November 30th.** If you wish to have your child baptized this year, you must attend one of these classes as there will not be a class in December. To register contact Veronica.

#### 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 - feel free to call us at 519-439-1553 or toll free at 1-866-603-4317 or email tribunal @dol.ca.

A November Ultreya for Windsor/Essex County is being held at St. Anne's in Tecumseh on Friday, November 8 at 7:30pm.

If you have made a Cursillo Weekend, please come and share in a faith-filled evening.

All Cursillistas are welcome!

#### Collection for October 13, 2019

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