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### THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME October 23, 2016



Today's Scripture readings call us to reflect on HUMILITY ... here's some "food for prayer", a brief reflection on this basic virtue in our Christian lives:

"Not until you have failed can you learn true humility. Humility arises from a deep sense of gratitude to God for giving us the strength to rise above our past failures. Humility is consistent with self-respect. The true person has self-respect and the respect of others and yet is humble. The humble person is tolerant of others' failing, and does not have a critical attitude toward the foibles of others. Humble people are hard on themselves and easy on others."

As we prepare for the opening of the new St. Michael's, here are some things to keep in mind:

The last Mass at St. Joseph's will take place on Wednesday November 2nd at 7:00pm. This will be the bereavement Mass in remembrance of our faithful departed. We will also have the consecration of two new chalices and the rite of closing the church as a place of worship.

The first Mass at St. Michael's will take place on **Friday, November the 4th at 7:00pm** presided over by Bishop Fabbro who will dedicate and consecrate our new church of St. Michael and chapel of St. Peter.

Please remember those struggling in any way in their spiritual and/or temporal needs.

.... Fr. Patrick

## 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 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. - Family 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

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Sunday - 10:30 a.m.

### **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

ATTENTION ALL MINISTERS AND SERVERS OF **THE ALTAR!!!** There is going to be a meeting for **Lectors** and Eucharistic Ministers on Tuesday, October 25th at **6:30pm** at St. Michael Church. We will be going over how things are going to flow for the dedication Mass with you at that time. Please mark your Calendars!!!

There will also be a meeting for ALL altar servers, ushers and parking lot attendants for the opening of the new church on Wednesday, October 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm at St. Michael Church. Altar servers will be fitted for the new altar gowns, and ushers and parking attendants will be briefed on how the opening mass will flow. Please do not miss this meeting.

### WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today, for World Mission Sunday, along with Catholics throughout the world, we are called to offer our prayers and generous financial support, through the Propagation of the Faith, for the worldwide mission of Jesus. Your gift on World **Mission Sunday** helps:

- -People in remote villages, towns and cities through the witness and work of missionaries and local priests.
- -Children, the elderly, refugees, the sick and orphans through the service of Religious Sisters and Brothers.
- -To bring the Gospel to the poorest of our human family
- -Catechists proclaim the message of hope and peace that only Christ can give.

Please offer prayer for the work of the Church in the missions today - the Pacific Islands, Latin America, Africa and Asia.

If you know of someone who would like to receive the Sacrament of **Reconciliation** or **First Holy Communion**. please call Simone at the office at (519) 326-2643 ext. 29



The Choir for the closing Mass at St. Joseph's Church on November 2nd is looking for more singers. Our next choir practice is on October 27th at 4:30pm at St. Joseph's Church. Please come out if you are interested in singing in this closing Mass.



### HAPPY 60TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CONGRATULATIONS

To **Florence and Irene Creve** on the occasion of their 60th Wedding Anniversary!

This week the Leamington Ministerial Association prays for: Iglesia L Buena Semillia

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

### THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Zacchaeus's short stature kept him from seeing Jesus with his physical eyes. His ardent desire to encounter Jesus, however, indicates that he had already seen him with the eyes of his heart. Encountering Jesus does not depend upon the goodness of one's life, but encountering him can bring about conversion of life.

> First Reading (Wisdom 11:22-12.2) Second Reading (2 Thessalonians 1:11-2.2) Gospel (Luke 19:1-10)



St. Jose	eph's October 24–October 29	
Mon. 8:00am	Manuel and Maria Carvalho and Deceased Family Luis and Almedina Pimentel Dale Moauro and Ed Zdziarski	
Tues 8:00am	NO MORNING MASS	
Wed. 8:00am	NO MORNING MASS	
7:00pm	Manuel Farias Terry Butterman Roberto and Angela Gabriele and Deceased Family	
Thurs 8:00am	NO MORNING MASS	
Fri 8:00am	Larry and Kamiel Verhaeghe Fernando and Rosalina DaPonte and Deceased Fam. Boula and Jamila Mikhail	
Sat 8:00am	Cisaltina Pimentel Jose and Maria Barros and Deceased Family Antonio Oliveira and Davido Cardoso	
NEW BEGINNINGS October 27		

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Thurs	All Souls in Purgatory
10:00am	Fiorina Ingratta

#### **MENNONITE HOME** October 27

Thurs	Sarkis and Yvette Tannous Danny and Manuel Cardoso and Deceased Family
1:15pm	Danny and Manuel Cardoso and Deceased Family
	Joe Mendonca and Americo Marques & Dec. Family

The Refugee Committee is looking for storage space the size of a double car garage to store furniture for our refugee family. If you are able to help please call Frank at (519) 990-2732 or Bruce at (519) 322-7082 or Zena at (519) 326-9704.

**ATTENTION Parishioners!** We are looking for volunteers to visit the Sun Parlour Nursing Home to do a prayer service and give communion once a week or even every other week. Please call Simone at the office 519-326-2643 ext. 29 for more information.

Cemetery Sunday Prayer Service—Heavenly Rest Cemetery, 5005 Howard Ave., Windsor, Ontario. Sunday November 6th at 3:00pm in St. Francis Mausoleum.



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

BEATRICE BRAGA who passed away in Massachusetts, sister of Georgina Freitas;

**DAWNE WAHBY**, niece of Adele Wahby; ANTONIO CRISTOFARI, who died in Italy, father of Augusto and Giovanni Cristofari and Maria Roma: VERA FURMANEK of our Parish.



The Knights of Columbus and the Catholic Women's League have formed a committee to sell Lottery Calendars with the proceeds going to our new Church opening next month.

There is an early bird draw on **December 15th**, monthly draws on the first Friday of every

month, a draw on July 1st and another on September 22nd for the feast of St. Michael.

All winners go back into the drum for the grand prize of \$5000.00 on December 25, 2017.

There are a limited number of calendars available and will be sold after Mass each weekend and at the Church office. The price is just \$20.00 and would make an excellent stocking stuffer! The Knights and CWL thank you for your support! The Knights will also be selling Banquet Tickets after the 5:00pm/8:00am/10:00am Masses this weekend for their banquet to be held on Saturday November 19th for \$25.00.

The Lutheran World Federation and the Vatican have invited Lutherans and Catholics around the world to make use of the Prayer to prepare developed Common iointly commemorations for the 500 years of Reformation in 2017. St. Michael's and St. Paul's Lutheran Church of Leamington have decided to accept this invitation to make use of the Common Prayer Service which will be held on Saturday Oct. 29th at 7:30pm at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. All are welcome!

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CHURCH - FALL FESTIVAL

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WORLD MISSION SUNDAY—Please pray for our Northern Canadian Missionaries.

**CWL MEMBERSHIPS**—will be available after all Masses this weekend. Don't forget, if you re-

new your membership by October 31st, you will be entered into a draw to win your membership free!

LOTTERY CALENDAR—please support our Knights and CWL with the purchase of one of our lottery calendars for just \$20.00, available after Masses and at the Church office.

ROSARIES FOR SALE— please purchase your Rosary for just \$10.00 to be blessed by Bishop Fabbro at the dedication Mass on Friday, November 4th. Available at the church office.

CALLING ALL BAKERS— We are looking for ladies who can help us out for our annual apple pie baking on November 19th and November 20th.

"The Bestest Holiday Bazaar Ever" - takes place at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, 804 Grand Marais Road, East (off of Howard) on Sat. Nov. 5, 2016, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 There will be a wide array of handmade crafts, decorations, baked goods, homemade take-out foods, country store, "recyclable treasures" table, pasta lunch starting at 10:00 a.m. and much more. Don't miss it !!

### **BISHOP'S DINNER**

Please join Bishop Fabbro and Honorary Co-Chairs Paul and Mary Ellen Mullins at the 13th Annual Bishop's Dinner for Windsor and Essex on Thursday October 27, 2016 at the Ciociaro Club. For tickets and sponsorship information, please contact Christina Rivest at 519-432-1824 ext. 222 or 1-888-548-9649 ext. 222, or by email at crivest4@uwo.ca.

# eronica's Corner



All youth in grades 3-8 are invited to our next youth ministry program on Tuesday, November 1st from 6:30-8:00pm in St. Michael's Conference room. The theme for the evening will be "You are Holy". Hope to see you there.



### YAGOTTAWANNA FOR TEENS

All teens in grades 8-12 are invited to our next youth program on October starting with the 7:00pm Mass followed by a youth gathering until 9:30pm. The theme for the evening is "This is My Voice".

### **SOUTH COUNTY YOUTH COR**

All youth ages 16-21 are invited to an amazing retreat experience on October 28-30 at Holy Name of Jesus Church. The cost is \$35 and forms are available at the back of each church.



If you missed the information meeting for Confirmation, please pick up your package at the office as meetings will begin soon. For more information contact Veronica at (519)326-2643 ext. 28



### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed in several ministries. We need help with our youth ministry (especially our teen group), confirmation program, and our youth and family commission. For training and more information, please contact Veronica at (519) 326-2643 ext. 28.

### ST MICHAEL COMMEMORATIVE PRINT

St. Michael's Parish is offering for sale a commemorative print for a limited time, honouring the event of the opening and dedication of the new Church for \$55.00 (framed)

### ADVANCE ORDERS ONLY

**ALSO**, we will be taking orders for Rosaries for \$10.00 each. These Rosaries will be blessed by the Bishop on the night of the dedication of the new St. Michael's. Please call St. Michael's Church office for more details.



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