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† Mass Times & Schedule †

Monday ~ No Mass

Tuesday ~ 8 am (St. Gregory site)

Wednesday ~ 9:15 am (St. William Site)

Thursday ~ 7 pm (St. Gregory Site)

Friday ~ 8 am * (St. Gregory Site)

* or 9:30 am if there is a school mass

& 10 am (La Chaumière Retirement Home),
1023 County Rd. 22, Puce

Saturday ~ 5 pm (St. Gregory Site)

Sunday

8 am; 10 am; 12 noon (St. Gregory Site)

9 am; 11 am (St. William Site)

Baptisms

Please contact Sue Bitacola (St. Gregory Site)

Reconciliation

Sat. 9 - 10 am (St. Gregory Site)

Sun. between the 9 & 11 am masses (St. William Site)

New Parish Office Hours

Mon & Thurs: 9 am - 12:00 noon (St. William Site)

Tue - Fri (**Closed Mondays**): 9 am - 4:00 pm* (St. Gregory Site)

(*Closed 12 noon - 1:00 pm for lunch)

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT February 26, 2012



Dear Friends.

Once again this week I invite you to join us for the DVD series titled "Catholicism", by Father Robert Barron. Father Barron is an acclaimed author, speaker, and theologian. He is a professor of Faith and Culture at Mundelein Seminary near Chicago and is also the founder of WORD ON FIRE. Word on Fire is a global, non-profit media ministry that reaches millions of people by utilizing advanced technologies to draw people into or back to the Catholic Faith. Father Barron is the creator and host of Catholicism, a groundbreaking documentary and Study Program about the Catholic Faith. He is a passionate student of art, architecture, literature, music, and history, which he employs throughout the Catholicism series. It is one of the best series I have ever seen and the Parish Pastoral Team and Parish Pastoral Council sees this as one way we can continue to be faithful to our first goal of our pastoral plan...our call to Holiness. So I hope you will join us on Thursday afternoons from 1:30pm-3:00pm at St. Gregory Site, in the parish hall for our six week presentation of "Catholicism. Each week will watch a different presentation of our faith and have time for sharing and questions. Even if you missed last Thursday afternoon, it is not too late to share in this journey of faith. Come and join us and bring a friend.

As mentioned in the bulletin a few weeks ago we are preparing an update for the parish on the building and fundraising status. The building committee has been faithful in meeting every two weeks with the Architect. After our meeting with the Architect next Wednesday all the groups for the new Church will be coming together to prepare our presentation, where we hope that we can show how our plans are unfolding. Also, I met with the Diocese and CBRE who take care of the sale of properties for the Diocese of London, this past week. St. Gregory site will be going up for sale on the first of March after we sever off the rectory property. St. William site and rectory will go up for sale later, because we have to obtain access to our cemetery. The Diocese is now in process with the Town of Lakeshore for that to be complete. As you can see we are moving ahead. It has been a long hard journey, a lot of meetings and time spent working with both the Town of Lakeshore and the County of Essex. Please continue to pray for us. I want to once again thank those who have dedicated their time and talents throughout this process. They have been a gift to me and to the whole parish community.

Father Gary

**MASSES FOR WEEK OF
Feb 28 - Mar. 2, 2012**



**Tuesday, Feb. 28, 2012 ~ St. Gregory Site
Mass ~ 8:00 am**

Intention of Stanley Balakowski.....K of C Assembly #1789
Margaret Armaly.....Sue Dent
Generational Healing of the Family Tree.....

**Wednesday, Feb. 29, 2012
St. William Site ~ 9:15 am**

Bernice Derikx.....Marinus & Mary Lips
Ernest Clement.....Ray & Patricia Clement
Carole St. John.....Elaine & André LeBlanc
Zea Rossetta Russo.....Carol Emery

**Thursday, March 1, 2012
St. Gregory Mass ~ 7:00 pm**

Joe Indelicato (1st A).....Wife & Family
Leonard Poupard.....Regina Chauvin
Rita McGuire.....Bob & Agnes Sylvester

St. Anne's High School ~ Mass 8:20 am

Patricia Masse.....Shirley & Dude Raymond
Helen Greff.....Bob & Lucille Kane

**Friday, March 2, 2012 ~ St. Gregory Site
Mass ~8:00 am**

Jerry Lauzon (brother of Marguerite Hewer).....
The Pastoral Team, staff & Parish of Good Shepherd
Josephine Fenton.....Romeo Cada
Thomas Babbage.....Bernice Price

La Chaumière Retirement Home ~ 10:00 am

Angela & Mikeangela Farina.....Malfda Antonucci
Maria Luisa and Domenico
Antonucci.....Malfalda Antonucci
Sp. Intentions for the Residents of La Chaumiere

**Saturday, March 3, 2012
Mass ~ 5:00 pm ~ St. Gregory Site
Special Intentions of All Parishioners
Confessions ~ Saturday 9:00—10:00 am
(St. Gregory Site)**

**Sunday, March 4, 2012
Second Sunday of Lent
Special Intentions of All Parishioners
(Regular Mass Schedule)**

8:00 am; 10:00 am; 12:00 noon (St. Gregory Site)
9:00 am & 11:00 am (St. William Site)
Confessions (Sunday) between 9 & 11 am masses
(St. William Site)

Prayers for vocations...

Feb. 27 ~ Rev. Hoang Nguyen, O.F.M. Capt.
Feb. 28 ~ Deacon Bernard McCartney
Feb. 29 ~ The Seminarians of the Diocese
of London
Mar. 1 ~ Rev. Kazimieras Kuknevicus
Mar. 2 ~ Rev. Msgr. Patrick Morand
Mar. 3 ~ Rev. John Pirt
Mar. 4 ~ **Second Sunday of Lent** / Missionary Society of St.
Thomas the Apostle (M.S.T.)



MEETINGS for the Good Shepherd Parish

Mon. Feb. 27	7:15 pm to 8:45 pm	- Arise Youth Group (St. Gregory Rm)
Tues. Feb. 28	8:30 am 2:45 pm 5:30 pm 6:30 pm	- Fr. Al's Group (St. Gregory Rm) - Passion Play Youth Meeting (St. William Site) - Soup (St. William Site) - Stations (St. William Site)
Wed. Feb. 29	9:30 am	- Faith Sharing (Marian Rm) - Adoration (St. V. de Paul Rm.) (7 pm Wed—7 pm Thurs)
Thurs. Mar 1.	1:30 –3 pm	- Lenten Series (Hall)

****Please note: Above meetings are held at the
St. Gregory Site unless otherwise specified.**



In Memoriam

We pray for the repose of the soul of **Giovanni
Brotto**, Brother of Theodore (Luisa) Brotto.
May he rest in God's love and peace.

2011 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

**All remaining income tax receipts that were not
picked up at both sites have now been mailed.**

Offertory Collection January 29, 2012

Regular\$9,020.00
Loose20.00
Missions.....45.00
Christmas.....40.00
New Years Day25.00
Diocesan Assessment.....130.00
Par Weekly.....615.00

Offertory Collection February 5, 2012

Regular\$9,036.00
Loose15.00
Par Monthly.....4,185.00
Par Weekly.....615.00

Thank you for your generous donations!



Day of Prayer for Nurses

Join with other nurses & set aside a day for
reflection & prayer, **Sat., March 3rd from
9 am—3 pm** at the Michaelite House Retreat Centre, London.
Cost: \$40 (includes lunch). RSVP to Michelle O'Rourke at mi-
chelle@selahresources.ca or #519-351-0140 or #519-350-4684
by Feb. 27th. All nurses (active or retired). For more info. visit
www.stpetersseminary.ca/institute/parish nursing.



**~ Readings for March 4, 2012 ~
Second Sunday of Lent**

1st Reading: Genesis 22:1-2, 9-13, 15-18
2nd Reading: Romans 8:31b-35, 37++
Gospel: Mark 9:2-10

ARISE GROUPS FOR TEENS

will be offered on Monday nights starting **February 27th** in the **St. Gregory Room** at **7:15 p.m. — 8:45 p.m.** Groups are limited to 10 so please register soon. Registration forms and Parental Permission forms can be found at the church entrances or on the Good Shepherd website.



Come out and arise to the experience!

stations
of the
cross

ATTENTION TEENS

Next **Tuesday, February 28th**, at **2:45 pm** - that is - **right after school** - a meeting will take place at the **St. William Site** for teenagers interested in participating in this year's **Good Friday Living Stations of The Cross**.



Thank You

Dear Friends of Good Shepherd
It has been a pleasure working at such a wonderful parish for the past ten years. I would like to thank everyone for the cards, gifts and good wishes sent my way. To Fr. Gary for your leadership and spirituality, which is an inspiration for me. To all the committees of the parish (so many) especially the Parish Pastoral Council and the Finance Committee. It was enjoyable working along side of everyone. Your dedication was very heartwarming to me. I thank you for my farewell gift, which is greatly appreciated. To all the friends I have made, I will miss you. The Office Staff is awesome and I will miss all of you very much. You will always be in my thoughts and prayers. It has been a blessing for me to have worked in the church for the past 35 years. God is Good! **God Bless Heather**



FREE Presentation for Parents on "Adolescent Stress"

**At St. Anne's High School
Wed., February 29, 2012 at 7:00 pm**

St. Anne High School Parent Council has invited Dr. C. Sturdy to speak to parents on issues facing teens today & how we, as parents, can assist & guide our teens in this transitional time in their lives. Dr. Sturdy will be presenting an overview of the "dirty dozen" sources of stress as well as providing tools for parents to add to our "toolbox" of strategies. Dr. C. Sturdy is a professional speaker based in Toronto and an educational consultant. He writes a column for the magazine "Fit to Learn" & serves on its Editorial Advisory Board. Dr. Sturdy has taught for 27 years - 17 yrs. as a classroom teacher & 10 yrs. as a school principal. **For more info. & to RSVP, please call St. Anne High School at #519) 727-8908.**



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PASTA FUNDRAISER ~ FEB. 29TH, 2012

Good Shepherd (St. Gregory Site Hall)
Dinner Times: 4:30 pm - 8:00 pm
Ticket Prices: Adults - \$10.00 each
Children 12 & Under - \$5.00 each
Children under 5 free

Beautiful door prizes to be raffled.



Be a "Shining Star" for God

**In our Good Friday
Presentation of the Living
Stations of the Cross!**

(No acting experience necessary ~ No lines to memorize) Earn your service hours!

Who: Calling all Teen actors, actresses, narrators, lighting, props & costume assistants...

What: You are invited to take part in our Good Friday presentation of the Passion of Jesus.

Interested?: Don't Delay! Contact Mrs. Marg Hewer at the Parish Youth office. #735-9517, Ext. 22 today!



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SUMMER CAMP

We are now accepting resumes for camp counselors & assistants. Please apply to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Summer Camp c/o Brenda Kormandy, 80 King St. E., Chatham, Ont. N7M 3M8



World Day of Prayer

Everyone Welcome. March 2nd at Banwell Community Church, 2400 Banwell Road, Windsor at 1:30 p.m. This year's theme is "Let Justice Prevail" and was prepared by the women of Malaysia.



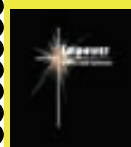
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ~ GOOD NEWS

We have successfully completed 2 years of Eucharistic Adoration & are entering our 3rd year at Good Shepherd Parish. Spending 1 hour with the Blessed Sacrament would be a wonderful Lenten Devotion. If you would like to participate, please contact Jeff Cada at #979-9310 or Deacon Roy Brothers at #735-4836 to confirm your special time.



Empower Youth Conference for Teens Saturday, March 3, 2012

8:30 am to 8:30 pm



Registration begins at 8:30 - Conference starts at 9:00. Come and join us for a full day of fun, games, song, and prayer. This conference will be geared to **High School Aged Youth** and will feature **Brian Kissinger** as our keynote speaker. Brian was the host for Steubenville High School 4 Conference in 2011. **\$30 includes both lunch and dinner!** Registration will be accepted on this website. In lieu of workshops we will be having breakout sessions in the afternoon which you will choose at the time, so there is no need to register for workshops! A vigil Mass at 7:00 pm will fulfill your Sunday obligation. Want more info? Visit empoweryouth.weebly.com or Contact Mrs. Marg Hewer in the Parish Youth Office at # (519) 735-9517 ext. 22.

ST. PETER'S SEMINARY "COME AND SEE WEEKEND"

March 2 - 4, 2012



Calling all Catholic single men in grade 11 and older who are considering the call to the priesthood!! Join us for a wonderful retreat weekend at St. Peter's Seminary, 1040 Waterloo St., London, Ontario. If you have any questions or for further info. please contact your parish priest or the Vocations Director, Fr. John Jasica at vocations@dol.ca or 1-888-548-9649 ext. 204.



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