

# Good Shepherd Parish

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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)

## **Parish Office Hours** ~ Monday - Friday

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

9 am - 4:00 pm\* (St. Gregory Site)

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

## **BAPTISM OF THE LORD**

**January 9, 2011**



Dear Friends:

Today we celebrate the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. At first glance, the Baptism of the Lord might seem an odd feast. Since the Catholic Church teaches that the [Sacrament of Baptism](#) is necessary for the remission of sins, particularly Original Sin, why was Christ baptized? After all, He was born without Original Sin, and He lived His entire life without sinning. Therefore, He had no need of the sacrament, as we do. In submitting Himself humbly to the baptism of St. John the Baptist, however, Christ provided the example for the rest of us. If even He should be baptized, though He had no need of it, how much more should the rest of us be thankful for this sacrament, which frees us from the darkness of sin and incorporates us into the Church, the life of Christ on earth! His Baptism, therefore, was necessary—not for Him, but for us. Many of the Fathers of the Church, as well as the medieval Scholastics, saw Christ's Baptism as the institution of the sacrament. His Flesh blessed the water, and the descent of the Holy Spirit (in the form of a dove) and the voice of God the Father announcing that this was His Son, in Whom He was well pleased, marked the beginning of Christ's public ministry. The Baptism of the Lord has historically been associated with the celebration of [Epiphany](#). Even today, the Eastern Christian feast of Theophany, celebrated on January 6 as a counterpart to the Western feast of Epiphany, focuses primarily on the Baptism of the Lord as the revelation of God to man. After the Nativity of Christ ([Christmas](#)) was separated out from Epiphany, the Church in the West continued the process and dedicated a celebration to each of the major epiphanies (revelations) or theophanies (the revelation of God to humanity): the Birth of Christ at Christmas, which revealed Christ to Israel; the revelation of Christ to the Gentiles, in the visit of the Wise Men at Epiphany; the Baptism of the Lord, which revealed the Trinity; and the miracle at the wedding at Cana, which revealed Christ's transformation of the world. Thus, the Baptism of the Lord began to be celebrated on the octave (eighth day) of Epiphany, with the miracle at Cana celebrated on the Sunday after that. In the current liturgical calendar, the Baptism of the Lord is celebrated on the Sunday after January 6, and, a week later, on the Second Sunday of Ordinary Time, we hear the Gospel of the Wedding at Cana. As we celebrate Christ's Baptism, as adults let us renew our Baptismal promises and live them out faithfully, and in the same spirit be good examples of faith to our young people among us so they will grow strong in their faith. Especially let us remember our Confirmation Candidates who will soon stand up in the presence of God and the community and take on for themselves the commitment made for them at their Baptism. We pray that they be faithful members of Christ's Body.

Father Gary

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF  
JAN 11, 2011 - JAN 16, 2011**



**Tuesday, January 11, 2011- St. Gregory Site**  
**MASS ~ 8:00 am**

Ivan & Mildred Raymond..... Diana, Anita & Family  
Jay Botsford..... The Faith Sharing Group  
*Sp. Intention of Tony Laforet on his final journey  
of priesthood*..... Marilyn & Roger St. Pierre  
*Sp. Intention of Denise Cota*..... Janet & Buel Quirk

**Wednesday, January 12, 2011 ~ St. William Site**  
**MASS ~ 9:15 am**

Mario Mannarino..... Isabelle Mannarino  
Youssef Zakaria..... Sam Zakaria  
Raymond St. Pierre..... Isabelle Mannarino  
*Intentions of the Quinn Families*..... Dr. Thomas & Julie Poisson

**Thursday, January 13, 2011**

**St. Anne's High School ~ 8:20 a.m. Mass**

John Kuzniak..... Jeff & Nicole Kuzniak

**St. Gregory Site ~ Mass 7:00 p.m.**

Henry Marentette..... Dorothy & Family  
Antonio Lanzi..... Dennis Gaudette  
Leo Hammer..... Ed & Lucille Tellier

**Friday, January 14, 2011 ~ St. Gregory Site**  
**MASS ~ 8:00 a.m.**

Lottie Truman..... The Family  
Martha Cecile..... Romeo Cada  
Marianna Borg..... Paul Moynahan & Family

**La Chaumière Retirement Home ~ 10:00 am Mass**

Jerome Tobin..... Frank Del Papa  
Terry Arsenault..... Fran  
*Int. for Residents of La Chaumière Retirement Home*

**Saturday, January 15, 2011 ~ St. Gregory Site**  
***1pm ~ Wedding—Katie Cada & Thomas Johnson***



**MASS ~ 5: 00 p.m.**  
***Special Intentions of All Parishioners***  
***Confessions (Saturday ) 9:00 - 10:00 a.m.***  
***(St. Gregory Site)***

**Sunday, January 16, 2011**  
**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

***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)



**~ Readings for January 23, 2011 ~**  
**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**First Reading:** Isaiah 9:1-4  
**Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17-18  
**Gospel:** Matthew 4:12-23

**Sunday Offertory Collection December 19~ 2010**

Good Shepherd ..... \$12,404.50  
Loose..... 830.50  
Christmas..... 1,965.00  
Giving Tree ..... 305.00  
Flower Donations ..... 719.00

***Thank you very much for your generous donations!***

***Prayers for vocations...***

January 10 ~ Rev. Jozef Denys  
January 11 ~ Rev. Francis Thekkumkattil, C.S.T.  
January 12 ~ Rev. Richard Bester  
January 13 ~ Rev. Michael Parent  
January 14 ~ Rev. Howard Venette, F.S.S.P.  
January 15 ~ Rev. George Beaune, C.S.B.  
January 16 ~ **Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
Deacon Paul Giroux



***A HEARTFELT THANK YOU*** to our Decorating Teams, Choirs, Lectors, Ushers and all Ministries who helped out in any way to make our Christmas celebrations so beautiful. Your gift of time & talents is very much appreciated.

***Fr. Gary, Fr. David & Fr. Al***

**C.W.L. NEWS—Upcoming Event**

Used book sale and magazines (only 2 years old) **NO** text books, encyclopedias or National Geographics. Please bring your books to the church hall on **Sat., Jan. 15th**. Book sale will take place after masses on the weekend of **Jan. 15th & 16th**. Thanks for your support! Have a happy and Holy New Year!



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PASTA FUNDRAISER**

**Sunday, January 16, 2011 4pm—7:30 pm** at the K of C Hall, 152 Lesperance Rd., Tecumseh—salad, penne pasta rolls, tea, coffee & homemade deserts provided by The Good Shepherd Parish Ladies Auxiliary. **Tickets will be sold after masses or at the door: Adults \$10 / 5-10 yrs \$5 / 4 & under Free. Advance Tickets for sale by mail.** Please make cheques payable to Knights of Columbus, Tickets, 13789 St. Gregory Rd., Tecumseh N8N 1K3  
**Proceeds to support the Good Shepherd Parish, Building Fund.**



## MEETINGS for the Good Shepherd Parish

DATE	TIME	GROUP & ROOM
Tues Jan. 11	7:00 p.m.	- RCIA (Marian Rm)
Wed. Jan. 12	9:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	- Faith Sharing (Marian Rm) - Bob's Choir - St. Vincent de Paul (Marian Rm) - C.W.L. (Hall) - Adoration (St. V.de P. Rm)
Thurs Jan. 13	7:30 p.m.	- K of C (St. Gregory Rm)
Fri. Jan. 14	8:30 a.m.	- St. Vincent de Paul (Meeting Rm)
Sun. Jan. 16		- <b>Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> - Sunday School

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



*There is a Promise of Marriage between*

**Katie Cada & Thomas Johnson**

**Sat., January 15, 2011 at 1:00 p.m.**  
(St. Gregory Site)

### VOCATIONS AWARENESS WEEK

**Sun. Jan. 9th to Sun. Jan. 16th**

During this week, parishioners & students in all the schools across the diocese will be invited to pray a novena for God's call of service. During these 9 days of prayer, everyone will reflect on God's call throughout the scriptures & how we are called to follow Him.



### SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

will take place at The St. Gregory Site on **Wed., Jan. 19th, 2011 and Thurs., Jan. 20th at 7:00 p.m.** Please keep these candidates in your prayers as they continue their journey towards Confirmation.

### ATTENTION LECTORS

If any Lectors are planning to be away for extended winter vacations, please call Toni Allevato at #519-979-8558 or e-mail her at patoni@windsor.igs.net.



**In Memoriam**  
We pray for the repose of the soul of  
**James DeFroy**  
Brother of Jeanne Janisse  
&  
**Genevieve Lafond**  
Wife of Don & Mother of Yvette Campeau  
&  
**David Belanger**  
Brother of Rene Belanger

**May they all rest in God's love and peace.**

### ULTREYA ~ Jan. 14, 2011 ~ 8:00 pm

Due to Fr. Costello's heart surgery, Sacred Heart Parish in LaSalle has become unavailable. We have moved the venue to Good Shepherd Parish—St. William Site. Please keep Father Costello in your prayers during his recovery.

### NOTICE FROM THE CWL

Many thanks for the great response to the CWL Blind Auction. We made \$300 for the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

**ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL** is having a **Gr. 8 Parent Night ~ Open House on January 12, 2011 at 7 p.m.** for anyone interested in attending St. Anne's next year. All parents and students in gr. 8 are welcome to attend and will have the opportunity to talk with teachers and administration as well as see the programs offered at the school. Take this opportunity to check out our local Catholic High School.



The next **Healing Mass** at St. Anne's Parish in Tecumseh will take place on **Friday, Jan. 21st at 7:30 p.m.** There will be an opportunity for personal prayer with prayer teams after the Mass. All are welcome!

### FIRST RECONCILIATION FOR GR. 2 STUDENTS —

reminder that their 4 weeks of **preparation classes during mass begin Jan. 23rd.** If you have any questions, please contact Sue Bitacola at #735-9517.



**Jake Edward Francis**, son of Jason & Jeanie  
**Kayden Ivan Gerald Gilbert**, son of Gerald & Janey,  
**Nicholas Joseph Ray**, son of Paul & Jennifer,  
**Angelina Marietta Aquino**, daughter of Marco & Carla,  
**Alexia Marie Da Sacco**, daughter of Ferruccio & Margaret,  
**Olivia Isabella Aubin**, daughter of Timmy & Danielle,  
**Ellisyn Gloria Moor**, daughter of Sean & Gloria,  
**Madison Joy Watson**, daughter of David & Jessica,  
**Noah Anthony Joseph Mennell**, son of Fraser & Christina,  
**Gavin Anthony James Istl**, son of Anthony & Jennifer and  
**Emmitt James Richard**, son of Wayne & Charlotte,  
**Emerson Anthony Marsh Burns**, son of Michael & Krysten were all baptized at Good Shepherd Parish during the month of December.



**Congratulations & may God continue to Bless you.**



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