



Windsor Heritage

Catholic Family of Parishes

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Patrimonio di Windsor

St. Alphonsus - St. Angela Merici - Our Lady of the Assumption
St. Benedict - St. Daniel Comboni

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Public Office Hours / Orario d'ufficio

Main Office at Assumption: Monday to Thursday: 9:00am to Noon and 1:00pm to 4:00pm (Closed Fridays)

St. Angela Satellite Office / Ufficio satellitare Di Sant'Angela: Monday to Friday / Dal lunedì al venerdì: 9:30am to noon and 1:00pm to 4:30pm

Sunday Masses / Messe domenicali

Assumption

Sunday: 9:00am, 11:00am
and 7:30pm (Student Mass)

St. Alphonsus

Saturday: 5:00pm
Sunday: 12:00pm and 5:30pm

St. Angela

Saturday/Sabato: 4:30pm (Italian)
Sunday/Domenica: 9:30am (Italian)
and 11:30am (English)

St. Daniel

First Sunday: 2:00pm at St. Alphonsus

St. Benedict

First Sunday:
2:00pm at Holy Name
Second to last Sunday:
2:00pm at St Alphonsus

Weekday / Messe nei giorni feriali

Assumption

Monday to Friday
8:00am in Rosary Chapel

St. Alphonsus

Wednesday to Friday
12:00 noon

St. Angela

Monday and Tuesday
lunedì e martedì
7:00pm (English/Inglese)

Wednesday and Thursday
mercoledì e giovedì
7:00pm (Italian/Italiano)

St. Benedict

Tuesday
7:00pm at Holy Name of Mary

Confessions / Confessioni

Assumption – Rosary Chapel

Saturday: 11:00am to 12:00pm
Sunday: 6:30pm to 7:15pm

St. Alphonsus

Wednesday: 11:00am to 11:45am
Saturday: 3:45pm to 4:45pm

St. Angela

Wednesday/Mercoledì: 6:30pm to 6:55pm
Saturday/Sabato: 3:30pm to 4:15pm

Adoration / Adorazione

Rosary Chapel

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday: 8:30am to 9:30am
(Chapel open until 4:00pm for prayer)

Wednesday: 8:30am to 8:00pm

Friday: 8:30am to 4:00pm

St. Angela

Wednesdays / Mercoledì: 6:00pm to 7:00pm

St. Alphonsus

Wednesday: 11:00am to 12:00pm

Pastoral Team

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Carmen Archibald | Rose Marie Ruston

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Ministro del Lutto
Marilyn Morrison

BAPTISM:

Must take a preparation program. Contact the parish office at least two months ahead.

MARRIAGE:

Couples should be registered and active in the parish. Contact the parish office at least one year ahead.

RCIA:

Program for those interested in the Catholic Faith. Contact Jean Beneteau at jbeneteau@dol.ca.

YOUTH:

Contact Lynne Tibor for sacrament and program information at ltibor@dol.ca.

FUNERALS:

Have the Funeral Director contact the office for arrangements.

CAMPUS MINISTRY:

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MARCH 19, 2023 - 4TH SUNDAY OF LENT /A 4a Domenica di Quaresima/A— 19 marzo, 2023

From the Administrator's Desk...

Every time I read this weekend's Gospel, I am struck by what Jesus tells the disciples about the reason for the man's blindness. In an age where physical impairments were seen as a sign of sin and failure at some point in the family's history, Jesus tells the disciples that the man was born blind "so that God's works might be revealed in him." This simple statement of Jesus has huge implications for the way in which we approach persons with disabilities in our day and age.

Often, there is a tendency in our society to marginalize those with disabilities- to think that they are somehow "less than" simply because of a physical or cognitive malady. Certainly, this is what the pharisees do to the man born blind in the Gospel, even after he has been healed of his blindness. He is still labeled a sinner, and the Pharisees refuse to listen to him, simply because they don't like what he is saying.

And yet, it is the man, healed of his blindness, who possesses great spiritual insight, and is able to truly see who Jesus is, and why Jesus was able to heal him of his blindness. The man has great wisdom, which he tries to convey to the Pharisees. Sadly, the Pharisees shut him out, and refuse to listen. In doing so, the Pharisees reveal that they are the ones who are truly blind- their physical sight may be ok, but they lack true Spiritual vision, and are unable to see God, present in their midst.

If we consider how this Gospel applies to our lives, we are left with some very real questions. Do we allow ourselves to see God at work in all things? Or do we allow our spiritual blindness to keep us from seeing God, simply because we have already judged who is and is not worthy of speaking to us about spiritual realities? This Gospel serves as a reminder to us that all people are called to reveal the works of God in and through our lives. It challenges us to combat the stigma that often surrounds disability, and to make sure that we do not marginalize or exclude persons with disabilities from the Christian life.

As we go through this week, I encourage you to spend some time in prayer, asking God to help you to truly open the eyes of your heart, and to give you true spiritual sight, so that you can see the world as God sees it. May this spiritual sight help us all to be beacons of mercy and compassion to those who are in need, and to truly recognize God's presence in all people.

Sincerely in Christ,

Fr. Steven Huber, CSB

Day of Confessions

This year's diocesan Day of Confessions will take place on **Wednesday March 29th**. The season of Lent is a time to be renewed and to be reconciled with our merciful and loving God. An important part of our Lenten call to personal holiness is the Sacrament of Reconciliation

Assumption: 8:30 am to 10:30 am in Rosary Chapel

St. Alphonsus: 11:00 am to 12:00 pm & 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm

St. Angela: 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm and 7:30 pm to 8:00 pm

Youth and Family Ministry News

FIRST RECONCILIATION Families continue this week to prepare for their children to receive God's love and forgiveness with the Sacrament of First Reconciliation on April 1, 2023. Please keep these 40 families in your prayers.

SAVE THE DATE! FAMILY MINISTRY will host a **"Glow in the Dark" Family Stations of the Cross at Assumption parish, Friday, March 31, 2023. Soup at 6 pm provided by the Knights of Columbus and Stations afterwards at 7 pm.** This is open to everyone! Families will have the use of battery candles and glow in the dark wands while processing around the church as the Stations are prayed. The version of the Stations of the Cross will be a "trimmed" version which introduces this devotion to those who may have not prayed it before. **Help is needed!** Please contact Lynne at 519-253-2493 x227 or at ltibor@dol.ca

-Lynne Tibor CPM CYM, Pastoral Minister, Family and Youth

EUCCHARIST: FOOD FOR THE JOURNEY LENTEN RETREAT – MARCH 25

You are invited to a Lenten retreat Saturday, March 25th at St. Alphonsus parish hall starting at 11:00 AM and ending with the 5:00 PM Mass. A simple lunch will be served. A retreat is a time to step aside from your ordinary activities and routines to focus on God and on your faith. At this retreat, we will spend time in prayer with others, share faith in small groups and reflect on the Eucharist and how it sends us out to live as disciples.

Register online at windsorheritageparishes.ca or call Anne at 519-972-0589.

SHARE LENT COLLECTION MARCH 25 – 26

The Development and Peace Share Lent collection will take place at all masses over the March 25 – 26 weekend. Information on the 2023 STAND FOR THE LAND campaign and giving envelopes will be available next weekend

PRAYING WITH the SUNDAY GOSPEL RESOURCE

The United States Catholic Conference of Bishops has developed a new resource to help us pray with the weekly Sunday Gospel. The resource includes everything you need to pray alone, with family or friends.

Collections for the week of February 26, 2023

This report includes both online and collection basket donations

Assumption

Regular	\$ 4,543.68
Restoration	1,449.25
Misc.	525.15
Total	\$ 6,518.08

St. Alphonsus

Regular	\$ 3,213.27
Building	25.00
Misc.	68.00
Total	\$ 3,306.27

St. Angela Merici

Regular	\$ 1,847.05
Building	50.00
Misc.	367.00
Total	\$ 2,264.05

Thank You!

*Gracias Danke Schön. Arigato Rahmat
Grazie Obrigada Merçi Baha*

Mass Intentions - Assumption

Monday March 20th - 8:00 am

- † For the repose of the soul of Dora Marie Doig by Lisa Marie Doig and Michael Jozwik
- † For the souls in purgatory by Tess and Carlos Franco
- † Manuel Banez by Helfa and Helma Yu and family
- † Margaret Elizabeth Layland-50th anniversary by Pat Nantais

Tuesday March 21st - 8:00 am

- † For the repose of the soul of Prena Nikac by Deda Elezovic and family
- † Jackie Pouget by Rose Marie Ruston
- † Yvette Lanthier by Rose Marie Ruston

Wednesday March 22nd - 8:00 am

- † For the souls in purgatory by Sheila & Theresa
- † Salvina and Mike Said by Joe and Liddy Spiteri
- For the intentions of the Franco family by Eleanore Sedge
- † Nicola and Francesca Mandato by Agripina Roberto and family

Thursday March 23rd - 8:00 am

- † For the repose of the soul of Ryan Cervi by Erselia Cervi
- † Art Isip by Helfa and Helma Yu and Family

Friday March 24th - 8:00 am

- † For the repose of the soul of Tom Menard by Janet Menard
- † For the repose of the soul of Laura Cuzzocrea by Angela and Leo Cuzzocrea
- † For the repose of the soul of Piero Venditti by Venditti family
- Tim and Theresa McKinley-50th wedding anniversary by Ted and Teresa Jankowski

Sunday March 26th - 9:00 am - 11:00 am - 7:30 pm

For all Parishioners

Sanctuary Light Memorial

For the week of March 19th – Rosary Chapel
In honour of St. Joseph by Rosena

For the week of March 19th - Assumption Church
For the Intentions of Rhonda Martin



Soup and Rolls — Fridays In Lent

In keeping with the Lenten practice of prayer, fasting, almsgiving, and abstaining from eating meat on Fridays, a simple soup supper will be served prior to Stations of the Cross. Donations from the soup supper will benefit the St. Vincent de Paul conferences in our Family of Parishes.

Assumption: 6:00pm **St. Alphonsus:** 5:00pm

Stations of the Cross — Fridays in Lent

Assumption: 7:00pm
St. Alphonsus: 6:00pm
St. Angela: 7:00pm (In Italian)

*The world of the generous gets larger and larger....
The one who blesses others is abundantly blessed; those
who help others are helped.*

Proverbs 11:24-25 MSG

Mass Intentions - St. Angela Merici

Monday March 20th - 7:00 pm

- † Giuseppe Marrocco by Annalisa Rossi
- † Anna D'Anna by Susi Massara Campa
- † Pierina Scatamburlo by Gazzola family
- † Urbano, Maria e Michelangelo Lemmo by Juan Hernandez and family
- † Anita, Vivian and Dario Arfiero by Bruna e Cipriano Arfiero
- † Vincenza Malfara by Taylor and Ivan Mactovic

Tuesday March 21st - 7:00 pm

- † Dora D'Agostini by Filomena Recchia
- † Domenica Mandarinò by Teresa and Assunta Marrazzo
- † Maurizio Cafueri by Joe Mariani and family
- † Giovanna Pernasilici by Joe Mariani and family
- † Salvatore, Francesco, Estera, Filippo e Maria Gualtieri by G. Gualtieri and family
- † Anna, Michele & Ada De Napoli by G. Gualtieri and family

Wednesday March 22nd - 7:00 pm

- † Angelina Truant by Ettore, Lucy, Scott and Stefani
- † Nicola DiGioia by Alberto Iannetta
- † Onorio Iacobelli by family and friends
- † Angelina e Francesco Del Balso by Maria Carriero e famiglia
- † Rosa Lecce by Alberina Vitella
- † Nadia Spadotto by Crema e Grantmyre family

Thursday March 23rd - 7:00 pm

- † Maria Carmela Paciolla by marito e figlie
- † Adelina Lori by figli
- † I defunti famiglia Carnamucio by Antonio e Maria Bertuccio
- † I defunti famiglia Bertuccio by Antonio e Maria Bertuccio
- † Rocco Iannetelli by cognata Onoria
- † I defunti di Natale Roma e Maria Russo

Saturday, March 25th - 4:30 pm - Per tutti parrocchiani

Sunday, March 26th - 9:30 pm—Per tutti parrocchiani
11:30 am - For all parishioners

Mass Intentions St. Alphonsus

Wednesday March 22nd - 12:00 pm

- † John Devine by Velma Fantin
- † Special intention for Fr. William Capitano by Frances Friemann

Thursday March 23rd - 12:00 pm

- † For the repose of the soul of Alex Rocha by Rocha family

Friday March 24th - 12:00 pm

- † For the repose of the soul of Maliah Touma by Yozo Senjanin

Saturday March 25th - 5:00 pm

For all parishioners

Sunday March 26th - 12:00 and 5:00 pm

For all parishioners



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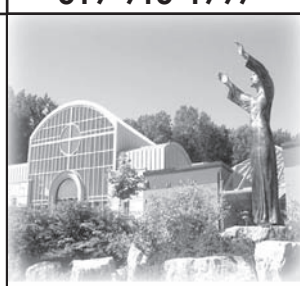
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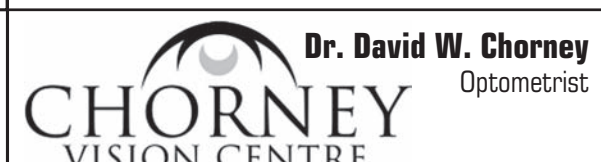


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