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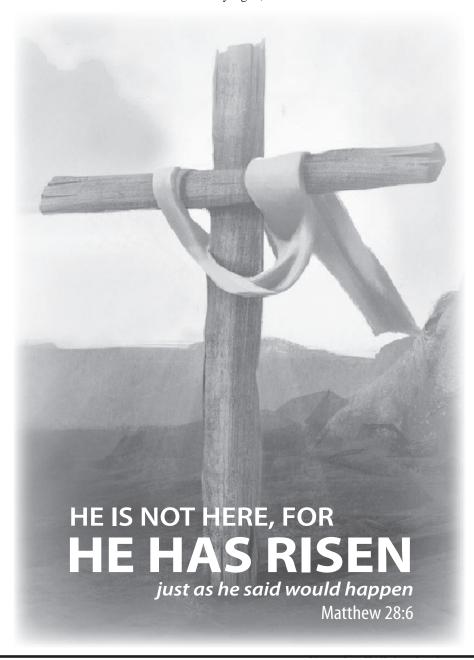
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APRIL 1ST, 2018 EASTER SUNDAY

Ordination of Deacon Paul Kim to the Priesthood

Deacon Paul Kim has been called by Bishop Fabbro to be ordained to the Priesthood on April 28, 2018. The ordination will take place at the Cathedral at 11:00 a.m. Paul grew up in St. Michael's Parish so it is with great joy that we invite you to join Paul and his family, Joseph and Lucy Kim. On Sunday April 29, Paul will celebrate his First Mass here at St. Michael's at 3:00 pm. All are welcome to join, Paul and his family.



Father Murray, Father Glen and the Parish Staff Wish You A Blessed Easter

Our Parish Website - Please visit our parish website. It is a helpful place to find many things such as sacramental registration, information on the groups and committees at the parish and also current and upcoming news. You can make your contribution to the Thanksgiving Appeal and you can also support the Give to Grow capital campaign through the website. While you are there, don't forget to register if you have not already! www.stmichaelslondon.ca

The FIAT Team at St. Kateri - A group of faith-filled students in blue t-shirts will be leading the congregation for one mass each month. What is FIAT you ask? FIAT stands for: Faith In Action Team. These grade 3-8 students are passionate about social justice and finding ways to help out their community. The next mass we are leading is Apr 29 @ 12:30pm, May 27 @ 10:30am and Jun 23 @ 5pm).

St. Michael's Moms' Group - Calling all mothers! Come to learn more about the Catholic faith together, connect with other moms and share faith and fellowship over coffee. Babysitting provided most days. No registration necessary. Our dates are twice monthly on Tuesday mornings from 10am-12pm, next session is Apr 10/18 For more information, contact Yana Adkinson ext. 203.



Knights Table - April 2018

April 3rd - General Meeting April 22nd - Parish Breakfast April 17th - Executive Meeting April 28th - Ordination Breakfast



CWL News - Please join us for "Fun Night" on April 2nd at 7:00 in St. John Paul II room. Following the business session of our meeting we will enjoy snacks, refreshments and fun. We are having a games night so bring along your favourite

board or card game or just yourself. In recognition of our 90th Anniversary, Diocesan President Angela Pellerin will present us with Certificates from National, Provincial and Diocesan. Looking forward to seeing you there!

Pyx's- If you have borrowed your pyx from the parish and have more than one or have a pyx that you no longer require, please return to the parish office. If you require a pyx, please see the parish office to sign one out.

SAFETY IS KEY - In the interest of caring for each other, you can be a great help in maintaining a safe environment. If you are entering or leaving the Church and feel that the walkways on premises are at all unsafe or that weather may be cause for concern; please advise one of the priests, staff or ushers of this fact. We will deal with it in a timely manner. Thank you for your attention.

Call for Conscience Campaign - The Ontario legislature has the power to protect conscience rights for individuals and facilities, and to provide adequate palliative care and mental health services, so that people will not see assisted suicide as their only option. For more information visit http://www.canadiansforconscience.ca/

Capital Corner - Hall inspections and discussions are soon to be underway. Keep checking here for updates. Any and all continued support of Give to Grow is encouraged and appreciated.

Youth Ministry

Syl Patry spatry@dol.ca or 519-433-6689 ext. 206



We would like to welcome everyone especially young families to all 12:30 pm Sunday Masses, as our new LIFETEEN Encounter worship will lead us into contemporary Sunday Eucharistic worship.

All students are strongly encouraged to participate as ushers, readers, altar servers and choir members. Please contact Syl

LIFETEEN Youth - For all Grade 8-12, will be starting in April so please follow us on all our social media under LIFETEEN LONDON for all details.



Become an EDGER! All grade 5-7 students can participate in youth gatherings on the 1st & 3rd Wed of every month. Registration is required that night. Gatherings are from 7-8:30pm and include games, sports, skits and snacks!

As a young Adult, Grand-parent or Parent you can help by sharing your talents in our events. EDGE T-SHIRTS are now available! Our next EDGE NIGHT is on Wednesday, April 4th & April 18th



Public & Non-feeder Schools - Reminder CHOSEN that the last Confirmation Chosen session will be on Apr 29th from 11am-12:30pm.

Information Boards - Please refer to these displays for all ongoing and upcoming information here at St. Michael's!

Pre-Authorized Giving - Why not make 2018 the year you move to Pre-Authorized giving? Your contribution is taken safely and simply the first day of each month and a great way to ensure your gift is received each and every week. Enrollment kits are available at the welcome desk or from the office. Thank you for considering the switch!

You Are Not Alone - Are you giving support to a person struggling to manage a mental illness? Come share your wisdom and resources, lighten your worries and deepen your faith. We will be meeting at 7:00 pm the second Wed. of the month. Our next meeting is Wed Apr 11th. Mark your calendar. All are welcome. If you would like to chat first to see if Y.A.N.A. is the support you are looking for, please call Cathie Gauthier at 519-850-0600 or Dorothy Solomon at 519-204-2931

New Day - A faith-based support group for people living with a mental illness. Come - receive and share in the compassion and strength of this welcoming group. We meet every Tues. afternoon 1:30 - 3:00 pm at Parish Office building of St. Peter's Basilica. If you wish further information call Cathie at 519-850-0600 or Theresa at 519-850-3627

Women of Grace meets every 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 12:30pm (January-May). Women of all ages are welcome. For more information, contact Pastoral Minister Yana Adkinson, ext. 203.

Lost and Found - Lost and found items are kept in the Parish Office. In the last few months many hats, scarves, mittens and gloves (singles and pairs) and glasses (reading and sun) have been turned in. If you have recently lost any of these items please inquire. Items will be available until the end of April.

Retrouvaille is a marriage program dedicated to helping couples grow closer and develop a stronger bond. You give your heart and soul to everything you do, between your work and your family. Are you giving your heart and soul to your marriage? Sometimes the distance between a husband and a wife can seem so wide that it cannot be repaired. Retrouvaille is a marriage program designed to bring couples closer together. Our next weekend program begins Friday April 6th. For more information please email retrouvaillelondonstthomas@gmail.com, call Greg or Anita at (519) 243-0687, or visit our website: HelpOurMarriage.com

APRIL 1ST, 2018 EASTER SUNDAY

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, April 3 - 12:00 noon

Joe Mangano requested by Frank & Dalia Difazio Ferdinand Albrechtas requested by Don & Valerie Pumputis Krystyna Binkley requested by Claire Callaghan & James McDermott

Wednesday, April 4 - 8:00 am

Cheryl Ann MacDonald requested by Rosemary Motz Paul & Marguerite Jaster requested by Doug & Audrey Meidinger Antonio & Concetta Del Re requested by Claudio & Carmen De Vincenzo

Thursday, April 5 - 12:00 noon

Steve Morgan requested by Marilyn Morgan David Flinn requested by Patricia & Michael Power Rose Mary Ferguson requested by Joe & Marilyn Dewan

Friday, April 6 - 8:00 am

Sofia & Gabriel Sr. Paiva requested by The Paiva Family Martina Glavin requested by Rita & Jim Thorne Paul Lucey requested by The Jasinski Family

Saturday, April 7 - 9:00 am

Michael Said requested by Salvina Said & Family Martina Glavin requested by Rita & Jim Thorne Ursula Percic requested by The Percic Family



April 8th, 2018 Second Sunday of Easter First Reading: Acts 4:32-35

Second Reading: 1 John 5:1-6 Gospel: John 20:19-31 http://www.usccb.org/bible/

All those who are sick, including:

John Hunt Paula Lenardon **Cherylann Robinson** Joanne Carson **Shannon Gasparotto** **Greg Giesen Nick Greeson** Han Kiewiet **Edward Smith Gary Parker**

Zeina Kassouf **Cathy Meyers** Jennifer Ackford **Emma Reiter**

And all those who have died, including:

Iris Dunn-mother of Linda Velocci Mikka Tapiaz—neice of Beth Gonzales, Lourdes & Linda Hans Beretta—husband of Brenda Callaghan-Beretta

Everyone is welcome to come to pray for their loved ones.

<u>Bereavement Ministry</u> - Several inquiries have been made, requesting information and access to this support program, offered on the second Thursday of each month from 3:00 to 4:30 pm in the Parish Rooms above the office. Should you wish more information and an opportunity to speak with the Facilitator, please contact Mary, the Parish Secretary, and she will pass along your name. You can expect to be contacted by telephone shortly thereafter to receive a personal explanation of the process involved. No obligation is implied on the part of those making inquiries.

Rev. Mr. Paul Kim, a Seminarian at St. Peter's Seminary, has petitioned to be ordained to the priesthood for the Diocese of London. Bishop Ronald P. Fabbro, has agreed to ordain him on Saturday, April 28, 2018. please continue to pray for Paul as he prepares for his Ordination.

You are invited to attend the 2018 Annual Women's Seminar hosted by Family Foundations Institute on Sat Apr 7th, 2018 at John Paul II High School, London. This year's theme is: Resilience - Facing Life's Challenges and Landing on Your Feet. Our main speaker, Eliza Trotter, holds the position of Diocesan Coordinator of Campus Ministries for the Archdiocese of Toronto and will deliver the key address. Three afternoon workshops will give you encouraging and practical ideas and an opportunity to network with others. Tickets are \$35 Advance / \$40 at the Door. To read more information or register online at www.famfi.ca. For more details email info@famfi.ca or phone Trisha at 519-936-1141.



Sunday Collection March 18th, 2018 Regular Offertory \$7,433

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Some of our Parishioners have allergies and are sensitive to perfume. We invite people to refrain from using perfume and cologne.



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collection for the needy within our parish boundaries

is the 2nd Sunday of each month. Thank you for your support. (Make cheques payable to St. Michael's Parish and write SSVP on the memo line.)

This Week at St. Michael's

Monday, April 2

- Parish Office is Closed for Easter Monday
- 5:30 pm—Northern Hospitality Meal St. Michael's—Hall
- 7:00 pm—CWL—St. John Paul II Room

Tuesday, April 3

- 7:00 pm—Knights of Columbus—St. John Paul II Room Wednesday, April 4
- 8:45 am—Seniors on the Move Exercise (SOTM)—Hall
- 10:00 am to 12:00 noon—Art Club—Library Room
- 1:00 pm—Faith Sharing—St. Francis Library
- 7:00 pm—EDGE Youth—Hall
- 7:00 pm—Rosary Guild—St. Anthony Room
- 8:00 pm—AA—St. Andre Bessette & St. Kateri Rooms

Thursday, April 5

- 1:00 pm—Young at Heart Cards (YAH)—Hall
- 7:00 pm—Bible Study—Hall

Friday, April 6

- 8:30 am to 3:00 pm—Exposition—Nave
- 3:00 pm to 3:30 pm—Benediction—Nave
- 10:30 am-Seniors on the Move Exercise (SOTM)-Hall

No Children's Ministries on Sunday April 1, 2018

(Easter Weekend)

Eucharist for Gluten Intolerance - We continue to have a choice of the Precious Blood that is for those with gluten intolerance located at the entrance to the Eucharistic Chapel. We will now also have the Precious Body available for those with a gluten intolerance. If you have this need please contact one of the Priests or a member of the Pastoral Team.

Eucharistic Ministers Needed at Mount Hope - Training provided. For details please email Fr. Peter Poel at ppoel@dol.ca or leave a message at 519-646-6000 ext. 64793 or email Deacon Joe Manazara at jmanzara@dol.ca

Great Saints of Italy Pilgrimage - Sept 6-19, 2018 (14 days)

Rome, Assisi, Florence, Siena and Rome. For Information Contact: Joan Bolt 519-471-6373 or joanbolt@execulink.com

COR Youth Retreat (Youth in grade 11 & 12 and up to age 21)

Another exciting COR retreat will unfold during the weekend of April 13th-15th in Dublin, ON. It is a weekend where teens discover more about themselves, respecting others, experience a reconnection with God, meet new friends, and just have a whole lot of fun through games and music. Fr. David Butler will be with us all weekend to celebrate COR 32. To receive an application form ,contact Vicki or at 519-319-4171 or by email Whelan at vickiwhelan@rogers.com. Please submit applications by April 9th for this amazing weekend!

K of Col annual yard sale will be held on Saturday, May 5 in the parish hall. Any items that you wish to donate can be dropped off to the hall the week of May 1-4 ONLY. Thank you for your donations, please no junk.

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