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PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY

OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

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SCHEDULE OF EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.
St. Josephine Bakhita (African Caribbean Catholic Community) Mass - 4th Sunday of each month at 2:30 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday No mass
Tuesday & Thursday 12:00 noon
Wednesday & Friday 8:00 a.m.
Saturday 9:00 a.m.

PARISH SCHOOLS

Blessed Kateri School 519-675-4410
St. Mark's School 519-675-4421
St. Michael's School 519-675-4424
St. Catherine of Siena School 519-675-4437
Mother Teresa Secondary School 519-675-4433

MINISTRIES TO CHILDREN

10:30 a.m. Mass
Liturgy of the Word – Grades 2, 3 and 4
Sunday School – Age 3 to Grade 1
Babysitting – Toddlers under age 3

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. & 4:00 to 4:30 p.m.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism – 1st Sunday of each month at 2:00 p.m. or mass of your choice.

Baptismal Preparation – by appointment. Please call the Parish Office

Marriage – Arrangements to be made at least six months in advance

Marriage Preparation – Weekend Feb 4, 5, 6, 2011

Priesthood/Religious Life – Call Fr. Sample, Fr. Sharp or Sr. O'Keefe

Sacrament of the Sick – available upon request

PRAYER LINE COORDINATOR

Dorothy Solomon – 519-659-8242

Hearing assistance device to hear mass, available for those in need. Please see a member of the Welcoming Committee at the Welcome Desk.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

1st Friday of every month & Benediction at 12:00 noon.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. - Noon & 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE BULLETIN MUST BE IN NO LATER THAN NOON ON MONDAY.

Free Bus Service to 10:30 a.m. Mass

9:50am 64 Wyndham
Blackwater east of Adelaide – Bus Stop
Grenfell just east of Blackwater
Fanshawe/Trossacks – Bus Stop on Corner
770 Fanshawe – east of Fremont (Bus Stop)
Fanshawe – west of Fremont
Adelaide/Fanshawe – Bus Stop south of Fanshawe
Kipps Lane/Adelaide – Bus Shelter just east of Adelaide
Kipps Lane/Barker
Kipps Lane – Bus Stop east of Barker
Kipps Lane/Kenmore Place – Bus Stop
295 Briarhill
Cheapside/Boullee
Huron/Wedgewood – Bus Stop east of Wedgewood
10:15am Royal York Apts – 3 stops
Go to St. Michaels Church



APRIL 10TH, 2011 FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Stewardship Reflection

"So they took away the stone." - John 11:41

Perhaps one of Our Lord's greatest miracles was the raising of Lazarus. Yet, we see that even in this great miracle Jesus calls others to act. He tells the crowd to roll away the stone from the tomb. And they protest, saying it will stink. How often do we think that something God is asking us to do might "stink" – whether it is giving more of our time, our talent or our treasure? Yet if we are willing to follow Our Lord's command and take away the stones that block us from participating in God's work, we can expect great miracles in our lives.

Baptism

We welcome the following children into our Parish Community through the Sacrament of Baptism.

*Kaitlin Sarah Favento, Teagan Louise Favento,
Michael Ryan Itterman, Hailey Marie Mogan
& Rachel Alexis Mogan.*

Weekday Masses During Lent

There will be a 12:00 noon Mass each day Monday to Friday and a 9:00 a.m. mass on Saturday during Lent.

NO Masses at 8:00 am on Wednesdays and Fridays during Lent

Triduum Celebrations

*The three Days of Easter are treated as one day.
The celebration of Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday are about our faith: these days flow into each other.*

*Please make every effort to celebrate
Holy Thursday 7:30 pm, Good Friday 3:00 pm and
the greatest celebration of all, Holy Saturday 9:00 pm*

Palm Sunday - April 17th - 7:00 pm

Taizé Prayer, the Newman and Sunday 12:30 pm Choir will lead in song a time of Taizé Prayer. Taizé Prayer is a time of reflection, scripture and song. The evening prayer will focus on the gift of the Eucharist.

Visitation of the Major Reliquary of St. Andre Bessette

April 30th to May 6th, 2011

The Major reliquary of Canada's newest saint, Brother Andre Bessette will be visiting the following locations in the Diocese of London:

April 31st - May 2nd - St. Peter Parish, St. Joseph

May 3rd - May 4th - Assumption Church, Windsor

May 4th - St. Anne's, Tecumseh

May 5th - St. Peter's Basilica, London

May 6th - St. David's Parish, Maple, Archdiocese of Toronto

This is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate the call to holiness and spiritual renewal. Everyone is welcome. Full details on website: www.bluewater.dionet.ca.

"The Way of the Cross; The Way of Our Lives"

How the Stations are Realized in our Lives!

St. Martin of Tours Parish Lenten Mission (46 Cathcart St, London)

Guest Speaker - Fr. John Jasica, Vocations Director for the Diocese of London Saturday, April 9th during the 5:00 p.m. Mass, Sunday, April 10th - 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Monday, April 11th - 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m., Tuesday, April 12th - Finish up with Lenten Confessions at 2:00 p.m. Everyone Welcome! For information, call the Parish Office at (519) 433-8175 or by email at smartinoftours@dol.ca

St. Michael's Parish 100th Anniversary Cookbook: Available in the Parish Office during business hours for \$10 each. If interested please contact the office at 519-433-6689.

YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER

Check out the Youth Ministry bulletin boards at the main entrances to the church for other good news in Youth Ministry!

WORLD YOUTH DAY SPRING RAFFLE AND BAKE SALE - THIS WEEKEND! April 9 & 10 after all Masses

The World Youth Day pilgrims will be hosting their final raffle and bake sale on April 9 and 10. There is a wonderful variety of donated raffle items including Massage Therapy gift certificates, hair salon gift certificate, golf gift bag, photo shoot gift certificate, Unico food gift basket, 3 large wall frames, children's blow up pool, bath and body gift baskets, etc. Thank you for your continued generosity.

This is also Coffee Sunday Weekend.

All are invited to enjoy fellowship over coffee, juice and timbits!

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

For the youth who have joined the Stations of the Cross, the upcoming practices are Sunday April 10 from 7-9pm, *Monday April 18* from 6-9pm (*please note this date was changed from Sunday April 17*), and our dress rehearsal will be held on Thursday April 21 from 9pm until midnight following Holy Thursday Mass. The Stations of the Cross led by youth in grades 8-12 will be part of the 10 am Good Friday service on Friday April 22.

DIOCESAN CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP CAMP

Are you going into grade 9, grade 10 or grade 11 in September and looking for a fun and exciting way to spend the week of July 11-15? The Diocesan Catholic Christian Leadership Camp is a 5 day, 4 night summer camp opportunity where youth have the opportunity to strengthen their leadership skills by participating in group activities with elements of faith, social justice and prayer. This opportunity is designed to give young people confidence in their faith journey and strengthen them as witnesses of hope in their families, schools, parishes and communities. The cost of the camp is \$190 which includes all meals, lodging and activities. For more information about registering and receiving parish sponsorship please call Natalie at the Parish Office and see the camp poster on the Youth Ministry bulletin board.

Catholic Education Week will be celebrated from May 1 to May 6

This year's theme, Catholic Education: Celebrating the Spirit comes from St. Paul's letter to the Romans where he writes, "All who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God." (Romans 8:14) St. Luke also refers to the Spirit when he writes, "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me." (Lk 4:18) During this week, schools will be celebrating the gift of Catholic Education with special prayers and presentations. We ask that the Parish continue to pray for our Catholic schools, that they may be enlivened by God's Spirit and help in the sacred work of "renewing the face of the earth." (Ps 104:30) Contact your local Catholic school for more details.

You are Not Alone!

A friendship and faith-sharing group for people in recovery from mental illness and people supporting loved ones with mental illness. Next meeting is **Monday, April 18**, 7:00 to 8:30 p.m., in Room D. More information, Cathie Gauthier 519-850-6000.

3RD ANNUAL PASSOVER SEDER MEAL

The Centre for Jewish-Catholic-Muslim Learning at King's University College is pleased to announce the celebration of a Traditional Seder Meal to mark the Jewish celebration of Passover on Sun. Apr. 10, 2011 at 5:00 pm at Or Shalom Synagogue (534 Huron Street, London). The celebration will be led by Rabbi Ammos Chorny of Or Shalom Synagogue and will include a full, traditional meal. The cost is \$25 for adults and \$10 for students. Registration is required and seating is limited, so register early. For more information on the event, or to register, please contact the Centre at cjcm1@kings.uwo.ca or by phone at (519) 963-1477. Information and registration forms visit www.kings.uwo.ca/cjcm1

Hospital Chaplains

As you know, there have been many changes in Hospital Procedures, including Pastoral Care. Now, as a Catholic, when you are admitted to the hospital you need to request the services of the Priest for a visit or Blessing of the Sick through the Pastoral Care Department. Each of the hospitals in London has a Chaplain assigned to them by the Bishop.

APRIL 10TH, 2011 FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Mass Intentions for April 11th to April 16th

Monday, April 11 - 12:00 noon

For favours received requested by A Parishioner
Helen Devereaux requested by St Michael's CW.L.
Peter McIntyre

Tuesday, April 12 - 12:00 noon

Intentions of Joanne Walker requested by Mary & Ron Hall
Ann King requested by Ann & Wib Bruder
Audrey & Tom O'Neill requested by Kevin & Mary Catherine Flynn

Wednesday, April 13 - 12:00 noon

Antonio Michienzi requested by Elizabeta Vecchio
Raymondo Palanglan requested by Maria Mina
Duy-An Nguyen requested by Cong Dinh

Thursday, April 14 - 12:00 noon

Ernesto Castrilli requested by John & Luciana Caranci
Intentions of Veronica & Gerrard Duguay
requested by Margot M Rivard & Family
Stephen Czynowski requested by Mary Taylor

Friday, April 15 - 12:00 noon

Helen Devereaux requested by Margaret & Jack O'Reilly
Earla Carroll-Harkes requested by Brian & Pat Estabrooks
Marie Jones requested by The Social Justice Committee

Saturday, April 16 - 9:00 am

Joao Carlos Amaral requested by Gabriella Amaral
Rita Jacobs requested by Friends
Daniel Goncalves requested by Janet Plaxton

Readings for Next Weekend April 17th, 2011 Passion Sunday

First Reading: *Isaiah 50:4-7*
Second Reading: *Philippians 2:6-11*
Gospel: *Matthew 26:14 - 27:66*



All those who are sick, including:

**Cathy Overholt, Gerda Scheid,
Rosemary Darmanin, Paul Bossons,
Theresa McCluskey, Rita Irving, Corry Kox,
Ryan O'Quinn & Mary Thompson.**

And all those who have died, including:

George Miller brother of Anna Merkley &
Jeannine Thompson sister of Dick Kelly.



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

Piano Replacement

We are in need of a new Piano to serve the community for worship. It is used many times and so the replacement is going to be expensive. We are looking for contributions to help us make this replacement possible. If you can give, place contributions in an envelope marked piano. Thank you.

The **Diocese of London Vocations Office** is proud to sponsor an amazing and unique event taking place throughout our diocese leading up to the ordinations to the priesthood. The diocese will be hosting three performances of **VIANNEY** performed by Leonardo Defilippis. The play will take place:

Wed. April 27, 2011 at Our Lady of the Atonement Parish, Windsor
Thurs. April 28, 2011 at Our Lady Help of Christians Church, Wallaceburg
Fri. April 29, 2011 at Holy Family Parish, London

ALL PERFORMANCES WILL TAKE PLACE AT 7:30 pm. NO TICKETS REQUIRED --- FREE WILL OFFERING DONATIONS ACCEPTED.

Please note: No Sunday School on Easter Sunday

Babysitting Schedule

Apr 17th, 2011

10:30 a.m.
Jacqueline Mboko
Deborah Mboko

Sunday Collection April 3rd, 2011

Regular \$8,848
Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,327
SVDP \$405

Parish Hall Roof /Capital Fund
envelope collection to date \$66,725

*Thank you for your
continued generosity!*



St. Vincent de Paul Outreach

Loose Collection for SVDP is the
2nd Sunday of each month.

St. Vincent de Paul store located at 585
York Street has an immediate need for
couches and dressers. Please call 519-
438-7071 for pick up. Any clothing
should be dropped off at the store.

St. Peter's Cemetery

Spring Cleanup April 30, 2011

Seasonal rules & bylaws strictly enforced
519-451-9120

ALTAR SERVERS

APRIL 16TH & 17TH

5:00 p.m.

Stephanie Li
Vivian Li
Aakaash Dominic

8:30 a.m.

Guillaume Hewitt
Chantal Denomme
Angela Denomme
Andrew Denomme

10:30 a.m.

Luis Barrios
Keaghan Campbell
Raleigh Henderson
Ashley Inglis

12:30 p.m.

Mauricio Rocha
Valeria Rocha
Daniel Gyenis
Darryl Murray



*"Serving God With
Gladness!"*

THIS WEEK AT ST. MICHAEL'S

Monday, April 11

- 4:00 pm—1st Communion Interviews—Office

Tuesday, April 12

- 7:15 pm—Social Justice—Room D
- 7:30 pm—New Horizons—Room E

Wednesday, April 13

- 8:45 am—Exercise—Hall
- 9:30 am—Moms & Dads Group—Room E
- 7:30 pm—RCIA—Room E
- 8:00 pm—A.A.—Rooms B

Thursday, April 14

- 1:00 pm—Cards—Room E
- 4:00 pm—1st Communion Interviews—Office

Friday, April 15

- 10:30 am—Exercise—Hall

Sunday, April 17

- 7:00 pm—Taize Prayer—Church

Please Mark Your Calendars

Stations of the Cross Practice - Apr 18/11 - 6:00 pm to 9:00pm

Mass of Chrism - Apr 18/11 - St. Peter's Cathedral

Confessions - Apr 19/11 - 10:00am-11:00am; 3:00pm-4:00pm; 7:00pm-8:00pm

Confessions - Apr 20/11 - 10:00am-11:00am; 3:00pm-4:00pm; 7:00pm-8:00pm

(No Confessions heard during the Sacred Triduum)

Holy Thursday - Apr 21/11

Adoration - Apr 21/11 - 8:30 pm until midnight

Good Friday - Apr 22/11

Holy Saturday - Apr 23/11

Do not be afraid and alone any longer.

We can help. **Call 1 888 355 1110.**

A weekend retreat for women whose hearts have been broken by abortion: **April 8-10, 2011**

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