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PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON Howie Wright

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

St. 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 during Mass or at 2:00 p.m.
Baptismal Preparation - Contact Fr. Don Pumputis
Marriage - Arrangements to be made at least six months in advance
Marriage Preparation - Feb 26th, 27th and 28th, 2016
Priesthood/Religious Life - Fr. Murray and Fr. Don
Sacrament of the Sick - available upon request
First Reconciliation (Gr. 2) - registration required in September
First Communion (Gr. 2) - registration required in September
Confirmation (Gr. 8) - registration required in September

Hearing assistance device to hear mass available.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK: Contact the Parish Office.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE (CWL): President - Margaret McGee

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Grand Knight - George J. Register


PRAYER LINE: Prayer requests are received at stmichlon@dol.ca or phone 519-433-6689

Exposition 1st Friday of every month & Benediction at 3:00 p.m.

OFFICE HOURS

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

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	

Items for Bulletin due by noon Monday.

WELCOME TO OUR NEW CATHOLICS

We welcome the following people who were received into the Catholic Church at Easter Vigil with the Sacraments of Initiation:

Jananisree Ananthababu, Aakash Ananthababu, Ramya Ramalingam and Ananthababu Ramalingam, Anna Liu, Richard Liu and Yu (Amanda) Zhao, Travis Walton and Andrea Walton, Lydia Salmon and Lewie Salmon.

We also welcome the following candidates who were received into full Communion with the Catholic Church through the Profession of Faith and the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation:

Cairo Salmon, Dylan Torhjel, Maximus Torhjel, Jaxon Torhjel, Oxana Torhjel and Milana Torhjel, Sophia Mavrokefalos, Cari Borduas, Carrie Thornton-Gyurics, Angela McCloskey, Darlene Walton, Jason Speiran, Tiago Neiva.

Please pray for all of them as they continue to journey in their faith.

Oremus (Let Us Pray)

To be a follower of Jesus, one must pray. Like the disciples we ask often "Lord teach us to pray". We are going to offer an eight week program to open our minds and hearts to this gift of prayer. Starting April 12/16 from 12:30 pm to 2:00 pm, immediately following the noon mass. Bring a bag lunch.



Knights Table Council 12820 - Coming Events

- April 12, 2016 - K of C General Meeting
- April 19, 2016 - K of C Executive Meeting
- April 24, 2016 - Parish Breakfast
- April 30 / May 1, 2016 - Rose Sunday

May 7, 2016 - Yard Sale - Now is the time to start setting aside your items for donation. Please remember that the K of C cannot accept mattresses, soiled or dirty items as donations.

Appreciation Night – If you have not responded to the invitation to our volunteers, please contact the office at 519-433-6689 before April 12/16 with your reply. Thank you.

**Development and Peace:
"Create a Climate of Change" Retreat**

The London Diocesan Council of Development and Peace is hosting a "Create a Climate of Change" Retreat at the beautiful Villa Angela Ursuline Residence, 20 Merici Way, Chatham ON.

Retreat Facilitator: Sr. Sheila McKinley; Sat May 07, 2016; 9:00 am – 3:30 pm Cost: \$20, includes refreshments and lunch. Please register early as seating is limited - RSVP: marian.blonde@hotmail.com

Year of Mercy Video - In celebration of the Jubilee Year of Mercy, Bishop Dabrowski has put together a video that explains what the Year of Mercy means for our Church, and how Catholics can participate and share mercy this Holy Year. To view the video, visit www.dol.ca and click the YouTube icon.

Eighth Annual Bishop's Dinner for London & Surrounding Communities:

Eighth Annual Bishop's Dinner for London & Surrounding Communities: Most Rev. Ronald P. Fabbro, CSB, will host the Eighth Annual Bishop's Dinner for London & Surrounding Communities on Wednesday, June 15th 2016 at the London Convention Centre. This year's musical performers will be an ensemble of the Amabile Choir. If you wish to join the St. Michael's table, tickets are \$125 per person and eligible for a \$50 tax receipt. First come, first served. Funds raised will support the mission of St. Peter's Seminary to provide education and formation for priests, permanent deacons, lay ministers and many others.

SYNC YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER
Serving Youth in Christ at St. Michael's Parish

Stations of the Cross – Thank you!

Congratulations to all the students in grade 8-12 who led our Parish Family in prayer through the Stations of the cross at the Good Friday Liturgy. Your dedication to attending practices and your willingness to enter into the roles really paid off! Through your example, you allowed parishioners to enter into the last moments of the life of Jesus. I would also like to thank all the parents for committing to this as well. The Parish is also grateful for the creative talents of everyone in the choir; Mark David, Diane Campbell, Alexandra De Vincenzo, Dorothy Solomon, Fiona David and Claire David. Our crew stations leaders; Christina Safar, Maddie David and Keaghan Campbell.

Confirmation Rehearsals

Our rehearsal dates have changed due to a new Diocese of London teen event. The evening will begin in the church, then activities and snacks in the parish hall. We are asking that a parent AND a sponsor are present to enjoy the night. Those with last names from A – L will rehearse on Thursday, April 28th from 7-9pm and those with last names with M – Z will practice on Wednesday, April 27th from 7-9 pm.

GR8FEST

This year's fest for Grade 8 students will be on April 26th
More info to come!

CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK AND TWITTER!

For Youth Ministry updates, Catholic links and inspirational quotes, be sure to "Like" our Facebook page (www.facebook.com/sync.stm) and follow our Twitter account (@syncstm)

TEEN NIGHT

All teens in grades 8-12 are invited to attend our Teen Nights that take place on the 1st and 3rd Sunday's of the month. Come and join us for games, prayer, prizes, snacks and an opportunity to learn more about your Catholic faith. 7:30 pm -9 pm.

YouNight – GRADE 5-7 YOUTH GROUP

We invite all youth in grades 5-7 to join us for YouNight on the 1st Wed of the month in the Parish Hall for prayer time, games, a main teaching theme at each meeting, snacks and lots of opportunity for youth to ask questions about their faith. **YouNight is from 7:00-8:30 pm.**

YOUTH COMMISSION IS RECRUITING!!

We are inviting people from elementary to high school and adults to consider joining our team to discern and brainstorm new ways to meet the needs of our youth. Commitment is 1 hr per month. To apply please contact Sylvain at spatry@dol.ca

Follow Syl our CYM on INSTANGRAM!! Follow him to events, school visits or daily updates on prayer, memes and other fun stuff!!!
Follow @ STMICHAELSYM

Follow us on Facebook for events and info!!!

www.facebook.com/sync.stm

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

The Wedding Anniversary Mass honoring all married couples in Southwestern Ontario will be held Sunday, May 1, 2016 at 2:30 p.m., at Visitation Parish in Comber, Ontario. Bishop Fabbro will preside at the Mass. All married couples are invited to attend. If you are planning to attend, call the parish office or use the sign up forms in the back of Church to register. Please have your registration forms back to the parish office by April 25, 2016.

ST ANNE DE BEAUPRE PILGRIMAGE, July 24-28, 2016

with Father Michael Michon. Tour & presentation on St Brother Andre @ St Joseph Oratory, overnight at Cap-de-Madeleine and at St-Anne-de-Beaupre, Holy Door at Notre Dame in Old Quebec City, and Shrine of St Kateri., \$612 + \$83 taxes. Call Marie Alexandre (519)352-6913 or George Cifa (519)660-6966 ext 234.

Canadian Catholic Bioethics Institute Bioethics Matters are available on line at www.utoronto.ca/stmikes/bioethics

APRIL 10TH, 2016 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, April 12 - 12:00 noon

Michael Said requested by Salvina Said & Family
Clive Dinner requested by Mary Lewis & Family
John Hoevenaars requested by The Fitzpatrick Family

Wednesday, April 13 - 8:00 am

Souls in Purgatory requested by Alice Costa
Mary Williams requested by Ann & Jim McCarvell
Intentions of Theresa & Jesse Wilson
requested by Ann & Jim McCarvell

Thursday, April 14 - 12:00 noon

Rebecca Rijavec requested by Marcella, Michael Rijavec & Family
Clive Dinner requested by Tom Ryan
Paul Bae requested by Lucy & Joseph Kim

Friday, April 15 - 8:00 am

Sofia Paiva requested by The Paiva Family
Cathy Palmieri requested by Tony Palmieri
William Johnson requested by Audrey Prendergast

Saturday, April 16- 9:00 am

In Thanksgiving
Rev. Stephan Bodnar requested by Julianna Bodnar
Special Intentions requested by Candace Schiestel

April 17th, 2016 Fourth Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 13:14, 43-52

Second Reading: Revelations 7:9, 14b-17

Gospel: John 10:27-30

<http://www.usccb.org/bible/>



All those who are sick, including:

**Eleanor Gil, Joseph Leckie, Thelma Coleman,
Greg Giesen, Stefan Konigsberger,
Eleanor Gallant, Tristan Miskiewiez, Emma Begg
Renato Gasparotto, Hans Bischoff & Ursula Percic.**

And all those who have died, including:

**Rev. Mark Barron
Mary Gallagher** mother of Teresa Johnston

Memorial Masses at St. Peter's Cemetery

On the 2nd Tues each month, Rosary at 4:00 pm, Mass at 4:30 pm
Everyone is welcome to come to pray for their loved ones.

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 Wednesday of the month. 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 at 519-850-0600.

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 Tuesday afternoon 1:30 - 3:00 pm at the 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.

Theology on Tap is a discussion series for Catholic young adults and their friends, married and single, in their 20s & 30s hosted by Holy Family and St. George parish communities. For information visit https://www.facebook.com/ToT.SGHF/timeline?age_internal

London Area Right to Life Annual Dinner & Silent Auction

May 5th, 2016 at the Hellenic Centre (133 Southdale Rd W)
Tickets \$35 for adults & \$20 for students. For tickets and enquiries contact Bonnie at 519-659-3334 or info@right2life.ca

Rosaries for Sale - The office now has rosaries of various colours available for \$5.00. These rosaries are hand made by the Rosarian Monks from Our Lady of the Rosary Shrine.



Sunday Collection

March 27th, 2016

Easter \$29,081

Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,355

Thank you for your continued generosity!

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



St. Vincent de Paul Outreach

SVDP Loose Collection is the 2nd Sun of each month. (Please make cheques payable to St. Michael's Parish and write on the memo line SVDP.)

This Week at St. Michael's

Monday, April 11

- 5:30 pm—Community Meal—Hall
- 7:00 pm—Newsletter Meeting—St. Anthony Room

Tuesday, April 12

- 10:00 am—Moms Group—St. John Paul II Room
- 4:00 pm—Property & Maintenance Committee—St. Francis Library
- 7:15 pm—Social Justice Committee—St. Anthony Room
- 7:30 pm—Knights of Columbus—St. John Paul II Room

Wednesday, April 13

- 8:45 am—SOTM Exercise—Hall
- 10:00 am—Art Club—St. Francis Library
- 7:00 pm—RCIA—St. John Paul II Room
- 7:00 pm—YANA You Are Not Alone—St. Francis Library
- 8:00 pm—AA—St. Andre Bessette & St. Cecilia Rooms

Thursday, April 14

- 9:00 am—New Day Volunteers Meeting—St. Francis Library
- 1:00 pm—YAH Cards—Hall
- 7:00 pm—Bible Study—Hall
- 7:30 pm—Bereavement Meeting—St. John Paul II Room

Friday, April 15

- 10:30 am—SOTM Exercise—Hall
- 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm—Teen Night—Hall

Sunday, April 17

- 7:00 pm—Volunteer Appreciation Night—Hall

Come to the Holy Land

Honour Mary in the Holy Year. Celebrate Mary's role in Salvation History. Come to the Holy Land Nov 6-17, 2016.

I look forward to sharing this pilgrimage with you. Fr. Murray Sample
For info contact: Joan Bolt 519-471-6373 joanbolt@execulink.com

Fr. Don's Bible Study, 'The Bible Timeline—The Story of Salvation' by Jeff Cavins

HALL at 7 pm: 04/14, 05/12, 05/26, 06/2, 06/9, 06/30
Room E at 7pm: 04/28, 05/5, 06/23, 07/7

Parking – Our parking arrangement here at St. Michael's during the week is available ONLY along the fence line. All spots beside the church and against the School building are for school staff ONLY. Thank you for continuing to be courteous and respectful. In addition, please DO NOT park down the centre for weekday Noon Masses. This blocks teachers and others from leaving the parking lot.

Pre-Authorized Giving – We have seen a noticeable increase in enrollment in the PAG program. Thank you to those parishioners who have taken this step to simplify! You can sign up anytime during the year. Being a part of PAG helps household budgeting and also assists the office staff. The program is safe, it is simple and is considerate of our ecology in reducing the need for the printing of envelopes. Your contribution is taken the first day of each month. It really is the modern way of making your gift to the parish.

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