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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

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 at 2:00pm or mass of your choice.

Baptismal Preparation - Contact Anne Hanley

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

Marriage Preparation - Cancelled

Priesthood/Religious Life - Call Fr. Amszej or Fr. Murray

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.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Grand Knight - Bud Jardine


PRAYER LINE: Prayer requests are received at prayerline@rogers.com or call 519-433-6823

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.

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.

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Holy Week Schedule

Palm Sunday – Apr 12th & 13th
Apr 12th at 5:00 pm
Apr 13th 8:30 am; 10:30 am; 12:30 pm

Mass of Chrism – Apr 14th
7:00pm – St. Peter's Cathedral

Sacred Triduum (3 Days)
Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday

Holy Thursday – Apr 17th
Mass of the Lord's Supper - 7:30 pm
8:30 pm Adoration of the Eucharist until 12:00 midnight
Night Prayer at Midnight

On Holy Thursday the Church recalls the Last Supper where Christ institutes the gift of the Eucharist. The Church also remembers Jesus, the master, taking on the role of the servants by washing His disciples feet, and as He finished washing their feet, He invited them to do the same. **At our Holy Thursday celebration all are invited to share in washing the feet of another and having their feet washed.**

Good Friday – Apr 18th
10:00 am – Stations of the Cross Led by the Youth
3:00pm – Divine Liturgy

Holy Saturday – Apr 19th
9:00 am - Morning Prayer
10:00 am - Blessing of Easter Food (Tradition of many Europeans)

Easter Vigil – Apr 19th
8:30 pm Culmination of the Triduum.

We listen to Sacred Scripture; we renew our Baptismal Faith; We Feast on the Body and Blood of Christ, that feeds us to be the Body of Christ.;

Please come and join us for this most important celebration of the entire Church.

Easter Sunday – Apr 20th—8:30 am; 10:30 am; 12:30 pm
(at the 10:30 am mass there will be a second mass celebrated in the Parish Hall for the overflow crowd) *Please show courtesy in the parking lot, on the streets and do not block driveways.*

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Tues Apr 15th 10:00am-11:00am; 3:00pm-4:00pm; 7:00pm-8:00pm
(No confessions heard during the Sacred Triduum)

THE KNIGHTS TABLE– April Schedule

April 15 7:30 PM executive Meeting
April 27 9-12 AM Parish Breakfast



NOTE TO ALL PARISHIONERS: HAVE YOU FOUND ITEMS TO DONATE TO OUR PARISH YARD SALE ON 31 MAY???

A New Spring Project

Now that the spring is on it's way, have you thought about how you can become more involved in ministry? There are opportunities for babysitting on Wednesday and Sunday mornings. You might feel called to take the Eucharist to the elderly and infirm. How about assisting on Sunday mornings with our children's programmes? Perhaps you would like to join the Prayerline. Do you have a talent or another way to contribute? Contact Anne Hanley at the Parish Office.

Commissioning for Eucharistic Ministers

If you are a Communion Assistant at Mass or transport Communion to the Sick in care facilities or private homes, please note that commissioning will take place at the weekend Masses of June 21st /22nd . Watch the bulletin for more details.

Training for Eucharistic Ministers to the Sick

Those who were unable to attend the training day in January or would like to join this ministry to take the Eucharist to care facilities or private homes, your opportunity before the June 21st/22nd commissioning is 10am on Saturday, May 24th in Room "E". Contact Anne Hanley 519-433-6689 ext. 203.

SYNC YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER

Serving Youth in Christ at St. Michael's Parish

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

STATIONS OF THE CROSS LED BY YOUTH

10am GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

Come and join our parish family this Fri April 18 at 10am as over 30 youth from our parish lead us in the Stations of the Cross through tableaux and narration. This is a powerful and prayerful experience for all ages.

FAMILY FAITH FESTIVAL SUN MAY 4, 2:30-6:00pm

What: a FREE afternoon for families to spend time together and grow in their Catholic faith. Activities and workshops for adults, teens and youth include: Christian Meditation for Children and families, The Importance of Family Prayer: Building the Family Rosary, The Great Outdoors: A Wonder of Creation, Reading A-Z, At the Table: Family, Food and Faith, Generation Life, Building a Culture of Life, and Explore the Face of God

When: Sun May 4, 2:30-6:00pm (BBQ at 5:30pm)
Where: St. Andre Bessette High School (2727 Tokala Trail, London)

****Special performance by Matt Maher at 7pm – Limited FREE tickets available – contact Natalie MacKay for more info**
****Daycare nursery is available for parents with young children**

SYNC TEEN NIGHTS

April 27: Basketball & Indoor Soccer, 7:30-9:00pm: (St. Michael's School Gym)
May 4: Coffee House, 7:30-9:00pm (Church Hall)
May 25: Kin-Ball, 7:30-9:00pm (St. Michael's School Gym/in the field if it's nice weather)
June 1: Plasma-Car Races, 7:30-9:00pm (Church Hall)
June 15: Pitch and putt golf, 7:30-9:00pm (School yard)

News from DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE

"Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food..."
Matthew 25:37

"And the King will answer them, 'Truly, I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these... you did it to me.'" Matthew 25:37

Thank you to the parish community for your generosity in this year's **Share Lent** collection. As one global human family, we are helping to build God's reign of justice and peace based on human dignity, where everyone has a place at the table and their daily bread.

NEW LECTOR TRAINING:

For those persons interested in becoming a lector for our liturgies, either during the week or weekend, we will have training sessions on the first Wednesday evening of the month from 7 – 8 p.m. in the church (next session May 7/14). If you are interested, please let Helen Green know and she will make the necessary arrangements. John Mombourquette and Kelly Wharton will be the trainers so please let us know if you would like to serve in this ministry. Helen can be contacted at hgreen@dol.ca or at the parish office at 519-433-6689 X215.

Are you willing to represent the People of God by taking the gifts to the celebrant of the Mass?

All it takes is putting your name forward to Helen Green, who will enter the info on the scheduler and you will be given a Mass, date, and schedule. A family is always a nice representation but it could be three individuals from different families. All we ask is that we have people who are willing to present the gifts at a Mass where you are already present. We need three people per Mass to take the gifts but if a family has more members, they can all go forward to the altar. This is the perfect ministry for those who want to be involved but do not want a speaking role. Please pray about this ministry and call Helen at 519-433-6689 X215 to have your name (s) included in the schedule.

APRIL 13TH, 2014 PASSION (PALM) SUNDAY

Mass Intentions

Monday, April 14 - 12:00 noon

Cathy Palmiere requested by Tony Palmiere
Muriel Belange requested by Al & Louise Murphy
Joseph Glavin requested by Jim & Rita Thorne

Tuesday, April 15 - 12:00 noon

Ann Corke requested by Dorothy McClelland & Family
Thomas & Evelyn Laurie requested by Agnes McAdam
Souls in Purgatory requested by Irene Poelmann

Wednesday, April 16 - 8:00 am

Jean Helen Wojcik requested by The Wojcik Family
Special Intentions of the Kovacic Family
Louis McKeon requested by Sr. Caroline Bering

Holy Thursday, April 17 - 7:30 pm

No Mass Intentions

Good Friday, April 18

10:00 am Stations of the Cross
3:00pm Divine Liturgy

Holy Saturday, April 19 - 8:30 pm

Easter Vigil

Tuesday, April 22 - 12:00 noon

Roy Jones requested by Maureen Jones
Linus Bruder requested by Ann Bruder & Bette Chapman
Wanda Da-Prat requested by Lidia Favaro

Wednesday, April 23 - 8:00 am

Tom Stretton requested by Bunny & Paul Harris
Lucille Haspeck requested by Adele Zeversenuke
Mary Dietrich requested by Bea Kinahan

Thursday, April 24 - 12:00 noon

Al Jasinski requested by Anne Matkowski
Ann Corke requested by Mary & George Roberts & Family
James & Margaret Irving requested by Agnes McAdam

Friday, April 25 - 8:00 am

Ann King requested by Ann Bruder
Intentions of Fr. Ted Gatfield requested by Joe & Marylin Dewan
Dora Pirocchi requested by Leda Dimarcelli

Saturday, April 26 - 9:00 am

Nicola Castrilli requested by Tony & Rosa Castrilli
Special Intentions requested by Clare Robinson & Rick McDonald
Arnold McKee requested by Christiane McKee & Family

April 20th, 2014 Easter Sunday

First Reading: Acts 10:34a, 37-43

Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-4 or 1 Corinthians 5:6b-8

Gospel: John 20:1-18

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



All those who are sick, including:

**Greg Giesen, Mabel Marshall, Steve Morgan
Evelyn Quigley & Aldo Iurman**

And all those who have died, including:

**Sister Loretta Heeman, sister of St. Joseph
Isabela Grylak**

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.

**Tuesday May 13, 2014, June 10, 2014, July 8, 2014, August 12,
2014, September 9, 2014, October 14, 2014, November 11, 2014,
December 9, 2014 & January 13, 2015.**

Are you on Twitter? Looking for some daily inspiration?
Fr. Peter tweets a short reflection on the daily Mass readings
in 140 characters or less - no long, boring homily here!
You can follow him at @FrPeterAmszej

Please Note:

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

Prayer requests/petitions can be submitted to St. Michael's Prayer Line email address
prayerline@rogers.com
or call 519-433-6823



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.

English Learning

For any person from a non-English speaking country wanting to learn about the Mass and it's responses in English. Please come to a class offered on Mondays 5:30 to 6:30 pm in the Library Rm.

This Week at St. Michael's

Monday, April 14

- 5:30 to 6:30 pm—English Learning—Library Room
- 6:00 pm—Stations of the Cross Practice—Church
- 7:00 pm—Mass of Christ—St. Peter's Basilica

Tuesday, April 15

- Confessions—10am-11am; 3pm-4pm & 7pm-8pm
- 7:00 pm—SVDP Meeting—Room D
- 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm—Baptismal Preparation—Room E
- 7:30 pm—Knights of Columbus Executive—Library Room

Wednesday, April 16

- 8:45 am—Exercise—Hall
- 9:30 am to 11:30 am—Mom & Dad Group—Room E
- 7:00 pm—Rosary Guild—Library Room
- 7:30 pm—RCIA—Church
- 8:00 pm—AA—Rooms B & C

Thursday, April 17 - Holy Thursday

- 9:00 pm to midnight—Stations of the Cross Practice

Friday, April 18 - Good Friday

- Parish Office Closed

Please Mark Your Calendars

Easter Monday - Apr 21 - Parish Office Closed
Youth Commission - Apr 23 - 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm
Finance Committee - Apr 24 - 3:30 pm
Pastoral Parish Council - Apr 24 - 7:30 pm
CWL Central Committee - Apr 28 - 6:30 pm
Exposition - May 2 - 8:30 am to 12:00 noon
Benediction - May 2 - 12:00 noon
CWL - May 5 - 7:00 pm
Knights of Columbus - May 6 - 7:30 pm
Confirmation - May 5 & 6
Lector Training - May 7 - 7:00 pm

Parking

Please note that parking during the week is very limited. The Parish has only **5 parking spaces**, and the rest of the parking spaces belong to the school. We are fortunate that they graciously allow us to park our cars in their parking spaces for Mass. Please be considerate of the teachers and staff at the school. If you block cars either by parking behind or too close to another car, you may prevent a teacher from carrying out their responsibilities. Please consider parking on the street. Thank you.

Eucharist to Shut-Ins and Nursing Homes

We have a great number of volunteers who bring Communion each Sunday to our Brothers and Sisters who cannot join us because of illness. You will notice that after mass is finished they will receive the hosts and be sent in our Parish's name. Please pray for the Ministers and those who receive the Eucharist. We are asking that if you are in the habit of taking Communion to a family member, to please have your pyx prepared before mass and then come forward at the end of mass to receive the Eucharist.

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