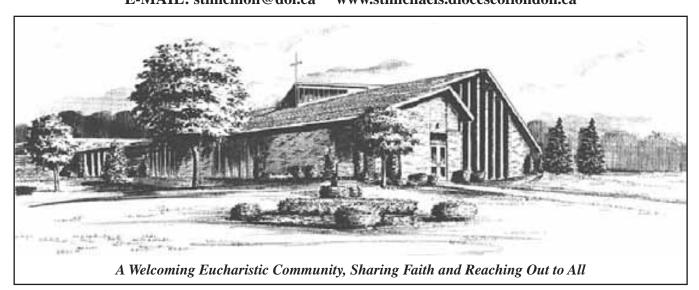
# St. Michael's Parish

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# **PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)**

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

# PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON Ozzie Buhrmann

# 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 - Contact Sr. Kathy O'Keefe Marriage - Arrangements to be made at least six months in advance Marriage Preparation - Call the Parish Office Priesthood/Religious Life - Call Fr. Amszej or Sr. O'Keefe Sacrament of the Sick - available upon request First Reconciliation (Gr. 2) - registration required in September First Communion (Gr. 2) - registration required in Septmember Confirmation (Gr. 8) - registration required in September

Hearing assistance device to hear mass available.

# **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Grand Knight - Bud Jardine

# 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.

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
	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 Adelaid
	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.

# St. Peter's Seminary Annual Appeal

Did you know that the word seminary is from the Latin, meaning "the place where seeds are sewn"? Together with the parable of the Mustard Seed, this concept has become the central theme in this year's Appeal for St. Peter's Seminary. St. Peter's Seminary was founded in 1912 and for over a century has sown the seeds of future servant-leaders: priests, permanent deacons, lay ministers, and others.

Please give as generously as you are able. By supporting and nourishing the seminary this year, you are assuring the harvest of Christ's kingdom for years to come. Whether or not you can give financially, please joins us in praying for vocations.

This Sunday is the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. This weekend St. Peter's Seminary is making an urgent appeal for your support. Your financial gifts and prayers for vocations will help ensure the formation and education of present and future priests, permanent deacons, lay ministers, Catholic educators and others.

We have put a seminary appeal brochure in every parish bulletin. You can mail a gift in the enclosed, postage-prepaid envelope or leave it in the weekly parish collection basket. Please open your heart to the messages from St. Peter's Seminary and give as generously as you can. Whether or not you can give financially, we encourage you to pray for vocations.

# READY FOR A RECHARGE???

If you are struggling to see what faith has to do with everyday life... If you are asking if our Faith and Catholicism is still relevant in the modern world... If you want to know what your faith means for

our relationships and our families... Then come and get these answers...and so much more! Each Wednesday morning 10:00am - 11:30am or evening 7:30pm-9pm we will have a study group to examine what it means to REDISCOVER CATHOLICISM in the 21<sup>st</sup> century. Babysitting provided for the morning program. Come! • Be energized! • Invite someone!



The St. Michael's <u>CWL</u> will meet on Monday May 6, at 7:00 pm in Room E. This month we will be welcoming special guest speaker Cathie Gauthier, with a presentation on St. Michael's Mental Health Outreach Ministry.

All women of the parish are welcome to attend.

# Development & Peace Share Lent Campaign

To all the parishioners of St. Michael's, a warm thank you for your kind contributions to our Share Lent campaign. Our current total for the parish is \$3600 with an additional \$600-\$1000 in cheques to D&P. Your continuing commitment to Social Justice and generosity will help to better the lives of people in need throughout the Global South. If you would like to see a video of one of the fine projects supported by D&P in Haiti please connect to the following link www.youtube.com/watch?feature=player\_embedded&v=dN2JmUt9NnE

# Sunday School Parent Announcement

If you are new to the Parish and your child is going to Sunday School for the 1st time, please accompany your child. Introduce yourself to the Sunday School Leader, so in the case of an emergency, we will know whom to connect with in the Church: This is for the safety of the child. We welcome all newcomers.

# <u>St. Michael's Parish Mission</u> "<u>Unwrapping the Gift of Faith" - May 19<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup>, 2013</u>

Mon May 20<sup>th</sup> 7:30 pm - Faith as Radical Trust Tues May 21<sup>st</sup> 7:30 pm - Faith as Fidelity to all our Relationships Wed May 22<sup>nd</sup> 7:30 pm - Faith is Looking at Life with Easter Eyes *Fr. Philip Chircop S.J. will also preach at all masses Sat May 18<sup>th</sup>, Sun May 19<sup>th</sup> & Weekday masses: Mon May 20<sup>th</sup> to Wed May 22<sup>nd</sup> at 10:00 am* 

# 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!

# TEEN NIGHT

SUN APRIL 21, 7:30-9PM, ST MICHAEL'S PARISH HALL Attention all grades 8-12: Come and join in the next Teen Night for games, snacks, prizes and learning more about the Bible and our

#### C.O.R. EAST INFO MEETING AND WINE AND CHEESE FOR NEW AND RETURNING ADULT VOLUNTEERS, Tues April 23, 7:30-9pm (CHRIST IN OTHERS RETREAT)

Catholic faith. New youth are always welcome.

Our parish is looking for adult volunteers to make this life-changing retreat available for St. Michael's youth ages 17-20 on the weekend of Nov 15-17, 2013, at JPII High School by serving on the upfront or back up teams. The COR upfront team leads the youth on the weekend in prayer, discussion and reflection. The COR back-up team is the back-bone of the COR retreat weekend: preparing items for the retreat in advance, cooking, cleaning, packing, unpacking, driving and praying. The back-up team is welcome to stay for the whole weekend or to serve for part of the weekend. To learn more, come and join us on Tues April 23 from 7:30-9pm for an info meeting. Please RSVP to Natalie at <u>nmackay@dol.ca</u> by Thurs April 18.

#### FAMILY FAITH FESTIVAL, SUN MAY 5: Real Fun, Real Families, Real Faith!

What: Join other families from our diocese for Mass with Bishop Fabbro, a FREE BBQ lunch, FREE workshops for adults, teens & youth When: Sun May 5, 10:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Where: Mother Teresa High School, 1065 Sunningdale Rd E R.S.V.P. to Shari Bastiaansen at:

sbastiaansen@office.ldcsb.on.ca or call 663-2088 ext 42221

# ONE WORLD TALENT SHOW, SUN MAY 5, 2-4p.m.

Children are invited to perform at the annual One World Talent Show (i.e. sing/play an instrument). Sunday School has registration forms or they are on the website <u>www.oneworldtalentshow.ca</u> Please register before April 15. Everyone is welcome to attend this free show – bring your friends and neighbours. A free will offering will be taken in support of Lifewater Canada (lifewater.ca) to build a Clean Water Well in Liberia, Africa. The show will be held on Sun May 5, 2-4 p.m. in St. Michael's Parish Hall. For more info, contact Nancy Hoevenaars 519 858-0131 or nancy@alarmtech.ca



# Knight's of Columbus April Events Sun Apr 21/13 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree at St. George's Parish Sun Apr 28/13 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree at St. George's Parish

# St. Michael's Parish 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual YARD SALE JUN 1<sup>st</sup>/13

Hosted by St. Michael's Knight's of Columbus. All funds that are raised will go to St. Michael's Parish. Last year over \$3,000 was raised. This year we are asking all members of the parish to once again come together and support us with your generosity. Remember this is a parish effort. This event is in 3 months and it is never too early to start setting items aside to donate to the cause. Remodeling or redecorating, do not throw out your unwanted items, donate them to the YARD Sale! More details to assist you will be announced in the near future. On behalf of your Knights of Columbus it is our pleasure & privilege to organize and assist with this special Parish event. THANK YOU FOR YOUR ONGOING SUPPORT Bud Jardine-Grand Knight -Council # 12820

Catholic Education Week 2013 begins on Sunday, May 5 with the theme 'Growing Together in Faith.' The Catholic schools in our parish will engage in a series of events to celebrate the ongoing gift of publicly-funded Catholic education. You are invited to discover what celebrations are happening in your children's school and if possible, attend. Call your school or check on your school's website. You can find it at <u>www.ldcsb.on.ca</u>

# APRIL 21<sup>st</sup>, 2013 FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

# Mass Intentions for April 16<sup>th</sup> to April 20<sup>th</sup>

Tuesday, April 23 - 12:00 noon Genowefa Amszej requested by Residents of Polonia Towers Souls in Purgatory requested by Sara Wills Paul Bailey requested by Grant & Margaret Sgariglia

> Wednesday, April 24 - 8:00 am Kemathai & Joseph Pallikaya

requested by Thomas & Shaimy Kallumadyil Intentions of Mary Hagan James Walsh requested by Elizabeth Lewis & Family

Thursday, April 25 - 12:00 noon Ann King requested by Ann Bruder & Family Wib Bruder & Family Elizabeth Day requested by Gisele Hamilton

Friday, April 26 - 8:00 am Mary Lou Beechie requested by Nancy Erskine Rose Cullen requested by Michael Murray Anthony Lazar requested by Carolina & Lilly

Saturday, April 27 - 9:00 am For All Souls requested by Tony & Rosa Castrilli Bernice Reily requested by Jane & Jay Jeffery Keith Wales requested by Bill & Elaine Buchner

# April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2013 Fifth Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 14:21-27 Second Reading: Revelation 21:1-5 Gospel: John 13:1, 31-33, 34-35



# All those who are sick, including:

Marie White, Bernard Kelly, Gabriel Dugand, Jean-Paul Clancy, Greg Giesen, Doug Murray & Kathleen Graham.

And all those who have died, including: Patricia Travers

# Memorial Mass 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. Upcoming mass dates: Tues May 14, Tues Jun 11, Tues Jul 9, Tues Aug 13, Tues Sep 10, Tues Oct 8

DivorceCare is a friendly, caring group who will help you through a separation or divorce. Join us June 1 & 15, from 9-5, at St. Michael's. Call Don at (519) 451-2829, to register.

# A Celebration of Scouting - Mon Apr 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2013 St. George Roman Catholic Church

Assembly 6:30 pm , Mass 7:00 pm & Reception at 8:00 pm Celebrant: Fr. John Jasica

This Mass is open to all members of Scouts Canada and their families. For more info contact Scouter Jane at 519-473-1731.

# Our Lady Of Sorrows Parish - CWL - 116 John Street, Aylmer

Rummage Sale – Friday April 26th, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm Enjoy a Springtime drive to our lovely town of Aylmer and see what we have at our annual rummage sale.

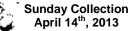
# The Word On The Page - A CREATIVE WRITING BLOG

The Word on the Page, our creative writing group has evolved into an online blog at http://stmichaelswordonthepage.blogspot.com/.

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

#### **Catholic Websites**

www.stmichaels.dioceseoflondon.ca, www.catholicnews.com, www.vatican.va, www.dol.ca, www.catholic.net, www.saltandlighttv.org



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# **Please Note:**

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 2<sup>nd</sup> Sun of each month. Please make cheques payable to St. Michael's Parish and write on the memo line SVDP. Thank you.

# "Feast of St. Mark"

Presented by St. Mark Catholic School (Supporting Technology Needs) Saturday April 27/13 - 6:00 pm to 12:00 am Cocktails, Silent Auction, Italian Dinner & Entertainment Live Band: Three Penny Piece - Also Performing: Irish Dancers Advanced Tickets Only: \$30 per person (adults only-no tickets at door) Call Robert at 519-435-1415 or email stmarks.dinnergala@hotmail.com

Bishop's Dinner - Tues Jun 18/13 London Convention Centre - Tickets \$125 per person Hosted by Most Rev. Ronald P. Fabbro, CSB Musical Performance by John McDermott bishopsdinner@dol.ca or call Frances at 519-432-1824 Proceeds benefit the Institute for Catholic Formation at St. Peter's Seminary

# This Week at St. Michael's

#### Monday, April 22

7:00 pm—English Learning—Library Room

**Tuesday, April 23** 7:30 pm — COR Organizing Meeting—Room E

# Wednesday, April 24

- 8:45 am—Exercise—Hall
- 10:00 am—11:30 am—Rediscover Catholicism—Room E
- 7:00 pm—You Are Not Alone—Room D
- 7:30 pm—9:00 pm—Rediscover Catholicism—Hall
- 8:00 pm—A.A.—Rooms B & C

#### Thursday, April 25

1:00 pm—Cards—Hall •

#### Friday, April 26

10:30 am-Exercise-Hall

# Sunday, April 28

2:30 pm—African Caribbean Catholic Mass—Church

# Please Mark Your Calendars

Confirmation A-L - Apr 30/13 - 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm Confirmation M-Z - May 1/13 - 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm Exposition - May 3/13 - 8:30 am to 12:00 noon Benediction - May 3/13 - 12:00 noon Baptisms - May 5/13 - 2:00 pm CWL - May 6/13 - 7:00 pm Property & Maintenance - May 7/13 - 4:00 pm Knights of Columbus - May 7/13 - 7:30 pm You Are Not Alone - May 8/13 - 7:00 pm Youth Commission - May 8/13 - 7:00 pm

# 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 from 7-8pm in the Library Room.

#### For Employment Postings in the Diocese of London please visit

http://wp.dol.ca/webportal/diocese/job\_search/1/3



