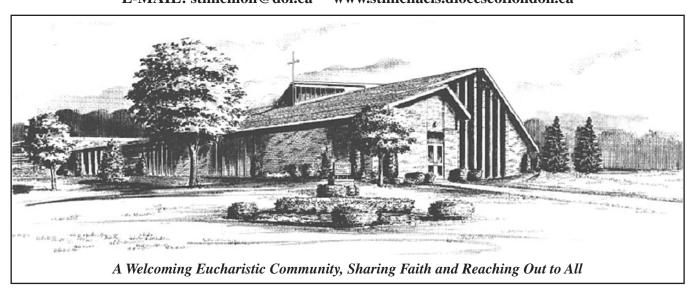
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## PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

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
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 519-675-4424

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 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. Rogister

**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.

#### Knights Table Council 12820 - Coming Events

April 30 / May 1 - Rose Sunday - Knights will be available at the doors of the Church to accept donations for "Respect for Life Rose Appliques" - Proceeds are donated to Fresh Start Maternity Supports and London Area Right to Life Association.

May 3-6 - Collection of Donations for the Yard Sale - Knights and other volunteers will be available in the Church Hall (Please use SE door) to take donations of items for the Yard Sale from 7:00 to 10:00 am and from 4:00 to 7:00 pm daily. Collection of larger items can be arranged by calling the Parish Office. Please remember that we cannot accept mattresses, soiled or dirty items as donations.

May 7 - Yard Sale - 8:00 am to 1:00 pm (There will be no pre-sales of items available). The CWL will provide a refreshment booth.

#### Thank you

Father Murray and the staff would like to extend many thanks to the Social Committee for another incredible volunteer appreciation evening! It was a spectacular event to show the deep gratitude for all that our volunteers give to St. Michael's parish family. Specific thanks go to the committee members Judy & Howie Wright, Vina & Tommy Wang, Margaret & Geoff Hutton, Joanne Zwolski, Marinette Laureano, Pat Galloway, Anita Rodrigues, Claire & Dan Vickery, Gil & Karen Owens and members of Parish Council who helped to clean up. God bless all our volunteers!

St. Michael's CWL invites to a May Crowning of Mary May is the Month of our Mother, Mary. Please join us in praying the Rosary together and crowning Mary our Queen on Monday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 pm surrounding the blessed Virgin's statue. All are welcome. Tell your friends, bring your children and make this a family event in honour of the Mother of Jesus.

#### 12 Hour Prayer of Palliative Care

The Catholic Women's League of Canada calls all people of faith to join nationwide in 12 Hours of Prayer for Palliative Care on May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2016. This is designed to take place during the National Hospice Palliative Care Week (organized by the Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association) as a profound witness to the sanctity of human life. All parishioners are invited to join St. Michael's CWL in prayer and solidarity between the hours of 8 am to 8 pm in the Church. Those unable to attend are encouraged to join in prayerful support!

We are happy to announce that we have hired Rod Tramble as the new Custodian/Hall manager. Rod brings experience in maintenance and facility upkeep from his work in the funeral industry. Rod will work with Sid for 5 weeks to learn the processes and intricacies of both the building and of parish life. We welcome Rod and are sure that he is the right person to carry on the important work that Sid performed so responsibly.

#### **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.

#### **Parish Newsletter**

If you have not already read the latest edition of the parish newsletter, don't forget to grab your copy after Mass. It contains wonderful reflections on parish life her at St. Michael's and there is no charge! The newsletter committee does a wonderful job of getting this information to you, please take multiple copies and share them with people you know!

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

#### **CONFIRMATION REHEARSAL**

Our rehearsal dates have changed due to a 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 sponsor are present to enjoy the night. Those with last names from A - L will rehearse on Thursday, April 28th from 7-9 pm and those with last names with M Z will practice on Wednesday, April 27th from 7-9 pm.

#### **CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION**

Candidates with the last names A-L will be confirmed on Saturday May 14th, 5pm (please arrive ½ hr early) and those with last names M-Z will be confirmed on Sunday, May 15th at 12:30pm (please arrive ½ hr early). Candidates and sponsors are to meet in hall before the mass. A reception in the hall will be held after each celebration with light refreshments.

#### **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 <a href="mailto:spatry@dol.ca">spatry@dol.ca</a>

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!!!

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#### YOUTH GROUP ELECTRONIC RECYCLE FUNDRAISER

Our teens will be hosting a recycling event on the same weekend of our Knights Of Columbus yard sale (May 7th). The youth group will receive funds based on the weight of all donated electronics working or not. For a complete list of wanted items please see the youth billboards or contact Sylvain in the office. Please clearly "mark" your donated items for "youth". You are welcomed to drop items off the week of May 2<sup>nd</sup>. If you are between Grade 8-12 and wish to participate that 1 day, please contact Syl.

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

Euthanasia and Assisted Suicide: What I need to know? Come to an information night Wednesday, April 27th at St. John the Divine in the Parish hall, 390 Base Line Road West, London, 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. Guest Speaker: Alex Schadenberg, Executive Director, Euthanasia Prevention Coalition. This is a excellent presentation. There will be sample letters and post cards available. Come to this presentation and learn what is happening and how we can let our voices be heard! Sponsored by the CWL and K of C. Refreshments.

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.

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

#### APRIL 24<sup>TH</sup>, 2016 FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

#### Mass Intentions

#### Tuesday, April 26 - 12:00 noon

Rebecca Rijavec requested by Marcella, Michael Rijavec & Family Paul Bae requested by Lucy & Joseph Kim Intentions of Jillian requested by Nick & Candace Schiestel

#### Wednesday, April 27 - 8:00 am

John Thomson

Mac Ducharme requested by Alice Ducharme Mabel Marshall requested by Alice Ducharme

#### Thursday, April 28 - 12:00 noon

Arnold McKee requested by Christiane McKee Intentions of Shelley Norman requested by Mary Dawdy Intentions of Cora Reynolds requested by Mary Dawdy

#### Friday, April 29 - 8:00 am

Sofia Paiva requested by The Paiva Family Tony De Groot requested by John & Sandra Denys Deceased Members of the Machado Family requested by Sofia Machado

#### Saturday, April 30 - 9:00 am

Manuel Rodrigues requested by The Rodrigues Family Franco & Sandra Depierro requested by Rosa & Antonio Castrilli Bryan Simmers requested by Rosemarie Simmers

#### May 1st, 2016 Sixth Sunday of Easter



First Reading: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29 Second Reading: Revelations 21:10-14, 22-23 Gospel: John 14:23-29

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



All those who are sick, including:

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

And all those who have died.

#### Memorial Masses at St. Peter's Cemetery

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

#### PERMANENT DIACONATE FORMATION & STUDY PROGRAM

Inquiry Sessions, the Diocese of London Permanent Diaconate Formation & Study Program will invite inquiries from men considering a call to the permanent diaconate:

#### Sun Apr 24/16, 1:30 - 4:00 pm

St. John Vianney Parish 385 Dieppe St WINDSOR N8S 3V3

#### Thurs May 19/16, 7:30 - 10:00 pm

St. Agnes Parish 52 Croydon St CHATHAM N7L 1L3

#### Sun May 29/16, 1:30 - 4:00 pm

St. George Parish 1164 Commissioners Rd W LONDON N6K 1C7 For information contact St. Peter's Seminary 519-432-1824 ext 281.

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 5<sup>th</sup>, 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

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

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



#### **Sunday Collection** April 10th, 2016

Regular Offertory \$8,719 Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,436 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  $2^{nd}$  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 25

5:30 pm—Community Meal—Hall

#### Tuesday, April 26

- 10:00 am-Moms Group-St. John Paul II Room
- 12:30 pm to 2:00 pm—OREMUS Prayer—Hall

#### Wednesday, April 27

- 8:45 am—SOTM Exercise—Hall
- 10:00 am-Art Club-St. Francis Library
- 7:00 pm—Confirmation Rehearsal (M-Z)—Church
- 8:00 pm—AA—St. Andre Bessette & St. Cecilia Rooms

#### Thursday, April 28

- 1:00 pm—YAH Cards—Hall
- 7:00 pm—Confirmation Rehearsal (A-L)—Church

#### Friday, April 29

10:30 am—SOTM Exercise—Hall

#### Sunday, May 1

7:30 pm to 9:00 pm—Teen 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

### **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 7, 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.

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.

#### St. Peter's Cathedral Pilgrimage

The Cathedral parish is sponsoring a pilgrimage to two churches in our area designed by Joseph Connolly, architect of St. Peter's Cathedral. On Mon May 9th we will visit St. Patrick's in Kinkora and the Basilica of Our Lady in Guelph. Price: \$30. The bus will leave the Cathedral parking lot at 9:00am, returning in late afternoon. Please send your cheque (with Bus Trip in the subject line) to St. Peter's Cathedral, 533 Clarence St., London N6A 3N1. For more information, call Hilary Neary at 519-433-3288

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