

# St. Michael's Parish

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

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

**PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON** Karen Owens

## 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 10:00 to 11:00 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 19-21, 2010

*Priesthood/Religious Life* – Call Fr. Sample or Fr. Sharp

*Sacrament of the Sick* – available upon request

## PRAYER LINE COORDINATOR

Dorothy Solomon – 519-659-8242

## DIVINE MERCY HOLY HOUR

Fridays 3:00 to 4:00 p.m.

## 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



**10:15am** Huron/Wedgewood – Bus Stop east of Wedgewood  
Royal York Apts – 3 stops  
Go to St. Michaels Church

**Stewardship Reflection**

“Take care to guard against all greed, for though one may be rich, one’s life does not consist of possessions.” - Luke 12:15

The Gospel message today is so contrary to our modern culture where advertising continually tries to convince us that our value lies in the many things we possess. Jesus showed us that our true value lies in the way we live our lives. He challenges us to not store up or hoard material possessions. Rather, strive to be rich in that which matters to God.



The Committee for Parish Family Photo Album needs many people to help with telephone calling to confirm appointments. Please contact the parish office if you are able to help. Beginning next weekend, committee members will be available for three weekends before and after all masses to book portrait appointments for the August 23rd to 25th photography sessions.

**Sister Kathleen O’Keefe CSJ (Pastoral Minister)**

A warm welcome is given to Sr. Kathy O’Keefe as she takes on the ministry of Pastoral Minister. Sr. Kathy is a member of the Sisters of St. Joseph. She has been working as Chaplain in Victoria Hospital. We will have a Sunday of Welcome in September when everyone gets back to church from holidays.



**CWL News:** The next CWL meeting will be held on Monday, **September 13, 2010** at 7:00 p.m. Check our parish bulletin later this summer for further details.

**Moms and Dads.** A small faith sharing group meets every Wednesday morning @ 9:30 am. Come share Scripture and life, with other caregivers, in a small group setting. Come as you are and when you can. Babysitting will be provided. Meet in the foyer of the church. For info call Penny 519-642-7662.

**Bishop’s Anniversary Celebration**

Everyone is invited to attend a special celebration to honour Bishop Fabbro’s 30th anniversary of the priesthood as well as Bishop Sherlock’s 60th anniversary of the priesthood to be held **Thursday, October 14**, at St. Peter’s Cathedral Basilica. Mass will be at 6 pm followed by a reception from 7-9 pm in the parish centre.

**St. Michael’s Parish History**

In our search for items from the 100 year history, we found chalices and patens and an altar cross that belonged to the Parish during the time of the former building. They are in bad shape and need to be refurbished. If anyone would care to help us with refurbishing costs, please contact Fr. Murray 519-433-6689 ext. 202

**Coping With Relationship Loss** is a healing program for the separated and divorced. The ten week program will meet Tuesdays at 7:00 PM at St. Michael’s in London and will begin as soon as we have ten participants. The fee is \$30.00. Contact Don at 519-451-2829.

**New Horizons Support Group** Separated, divorced and widowed men and women meet Tuesdays at 7:30 PM at St. Michael’s Church, 511 Cheapside London. Contact: Don 519-451-2829 .

**Teacher References for Catholic School Boards**

**Teacher References:** It is the policy of Separate School Boards to ask for a Pastoral Letter from a candidate who is applying for a job. This letter requires the Pastor to witness that the candidate goes to Mass each Sunday and is involved in parish ministry. If you plan on asking for a letter of reference, make sure you are fulfilling the obligation.

**St. Michael’s Monthly Food Collection - Aug 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>**

On the 4th Sunday of each month there will be a food collection to assist St. Josephine Bakhita Catholic Community. Please bring your donations of non perishable food items and leave them in the designated containers at the doors of the church. Thank you for your generosity.



**YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER**

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



**WHAT’S PLAYING ON YOUR IPOD?**

Teens, have you ever thought about praying with your head phones?

Parents, do you want to deepen your relationship with your teens? Ever thought about connecting with them through their music?

Cornerstone Media, Inc., produces both print and audio materials to help parents, teachers, youth ministers, pastors, and others who work with teens. It uses the music that young people listen to everyday as a tool to spark dialogue about values and relationships. Anyone who has a teen or works with them can be more effective connecting with them.

**Good news!** Our Parish is now currently a subscriber to one of Cornerstone Media’s programs called Top Music Countdown. This is a Catholic online resource that looks at the top 25 music hits on the billboard charts, links you to the music videos and lyrics and then offers questions/reflections from a Catholic perspective for discussion.

**Check it out!** All you have to do is go to [www.cornerstonemedia.org](http://www.cornerstonemedia.org) and click on the yellow box in the top right corner that says “Top Music Countdown Subscribers: Click Here.” Our parish’s **username is: tmc1553** and our **password is: michael**

**BY POPULAR DEMAND...SPORTS NIGHTS TO CONTINUE THROUGH SUMMER!!**

**Calling all Grades 5-8 and High School students:** Looking for a fun way to spend a Sunday evening? Come on out and join us for St. Michael’s Youth Sports Nights which will **begin Sunday June 20 and run 11 weeks in a row until Sunday August 29**. We gather from 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. at St. Catherine of Siena School’s field and courts (2140 Quarrier Rd). Please bring a water bottle and come dressed ready to play a variety of sports. See you there! *New participants must sign a waiver form which can be found on our parish website [www.stmichaels.dioceseoflondon.ca](http://www.stmichaels.dioceseoflondon.ca)*

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE FALL!**

**Sports Nights Coordinator and Volunteers**

St. Michael’s Youth Commission is looking for volunteers to help run the Youth Sports Nights for Grades 5-8 and High School next school year. Please contact Natalie Simek at the parish office for more information regarding roles and responsibilities. Last year was a great success, and we want to keep it going!

**Holy Land Pilgrimage—100th Anniversary**

There will be a meeting **September 19th** at 2:30 pm in the Parish Hall for anyone who is interested in the Pilgrimage to the Lord of Jesus. This meeting is for all who are interested and those who came to the first meeting. The Pilgrimage to the Holy Land is to read the Gospel with new sight. To spend time around the Sea of Galilee where Jesus spent three years preaching. To visit Bethlehem and Jerusalem.

This is an incredible journey of faith. Pope John Paul II invited all Christians to come to the Holy Land and read the 5th Gospel. The time for registering is September 19th at 2:30 pm. Once the numbers have been reached there will be no more space. All are welcome.

**Babysitting at 10:30 a.m. Mass** - We have a great group of volunteers eager to care for your child each Sunday during the 10:30 a.m. mass so you may relax and your active toddler can play.

Please give us the opportunity to show you how much your child will enjoy spending time with us in the Babysitting room decorated with Noah and the Ark located as you enter the church from the parking lot.

**“Have you ever thought about making a legacy gift to St Michael’s Parish in your Will?”**

“A legacy gift can leave a legacy of faith and hope to future generations.” If you would like to help St Michaels with such a gift, we encourage you to consult with your financial advisor or lawyer.

# AUGUST 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2010 EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## Mass Intentions for August 3rd to 7th

**Tuesday, August 3 - 12:00 noon**

Intentions of Sister Simone Batte requested by George Rogister  
Silene Damaren requested by Joe & Linda Damaren  
Ben Alsmeegeest requested by Don & Mary Kay

**Wednesday, August 4 - 8:00 am**

Leo & Cecile Meidinger requested by The Family  
Fay Mombourquette requested by Curriculum Support Teachers  
Jacques Gervais requested by Marie Marinan

**Thursday, August 5 - 12:00 noon**

Deceased members of the Morgan Family requested by The Morgan Family  
Gregory Evans, Q.C. requested by Fay Goodchild  
Ed Wolanski requested by Seniors on the Move

**Friday, August 6 - 8:00 noon**

Peter McIntyre  
Ed Wolanski requested by Don & Mary Kay  
Intentions of Senora Amezquita-Montoya requested by Lise Blokker

**Saturday, August 7 - 9:00 am**

Michael Said requested by Salvina & Family  
Special Intentions of Pauline & Norm Geiger  
requested by Bunny & Paul Harris  
Silvia Gentile requested by Mr. & Mrs. N. Circelli

### Readings for Next Weekend

**August 8<sup>th</sup>, 2010 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**First Reading:** *Wisdom 18:6-9*

**Second Reading:** *Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19*

**Gospel:** *Luke 12.32-48*



### Babysitting Schedule

**August 8<sup>th</sup>, 2010**

10:30 a.m.

Greg Nugent  
Danielle Crecca

### Sunday Collection

**July 25<sup>th</sup>, 2010**

Regular \$7,652

Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,527

SVDP Outreach \$230

Refugee Fund \$0

Parish Hall Roof /Capital Fund  
envelope collection to date \$37,796.50

*Thank you for your  
continued generosity!*



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

### Loose Collection for SVDP Outreach



The 2nd Sunday of each month will be a loose change collection for the S.V.D.P. Outreach to the Needy.

### ALTAR SERVERS AUGUST 7TH & 8TH

**5:00 p.m.**

Stephanie Li  
Vivian Li  
Kendra Squire

**8:30 a.m.**

Chantal Denomme  
Angela Denomme  
Andrew Denomme

**10:30 a.m.**

Nissren Toto  
Joshua Makin

**12:30 p.m.**

John Marshall  
Nicholas Marshall  
Thalia Stenton



*"Serving God With  
Gladness!"*



*All those who are sick, including:*

**Aiden Burns, Ken True,  
Rosemary Darmanin, Werner Eyer, Dave Watt,  
Lucille Charron, Paul Bossons, Betty Haggarty,  
& Mary Thompson.**

*And all those who have died.*

### Medaille Retreat House

Has many upcoming programs, retreats. For more information phone (519) 641-1379 or email [medaille@csj.london.on.ca](mailto:medaille@csj.london.on.ca).

### Holy Family Retreat House - Oxley ON

For information on retreats at the Holy Family Retreat House please visit their web site at [www.holyfamilyrh.com](http://www.holyfamilyrh.com) or phone 519-738-6136.

**Sister Maria Request**—I'm looking for a place for a single male refugee, 20 years old to live, either a room and board or to rent a small bachelor apartment as of the middle of Aug 2010. If you can help out please call me at 519-432-3781 ext. 343. Thank you!

### Pre-Authorized Offertory Gifts

At St. Michael's Parish we have an Automatic Bank gift giving program to make your regular donations to the Parish easier for you. Your Offertory donation may be made by authorizing a monthly deduction from your bank account. You will never need to worry about forgetting your envelope and your regular support of St. Michael's Parish.

If you would like more information about this program please call Jolanda Squire at the Parish Office at 519-433-6689 ext. 208.

A special thank you to all our Parish families who are participating in our monthly Pre-Authorized Gift Giving. We presently have 169 families participating.

### THIS WEEK AT ST. MICHAEL'S

**Monday, Aug 2**

- Parish Office Closed

**Tuesday, Aug 3**

- 7:30 pm—New Horizons—Room E

**Wednesday, Aug 4**

- 9:30 am—Moms & Dads Small Faith Sharing Group
- 8:00 pm—A.A.—Rooms B & C

**Thursday, Aug 5**

- 1:00 pm—Cards—Hall
- 3:30 pm—Blood donor clinic

**Friday, Aug 6**

- 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon—Exposition—Church
- 12:00 noon—Benediction—Church

### Please Mark Your Calendars

**African Caribbean Catholic Mass - Aug 22nd - 2:30 pm**

**Parish Photo Album August dates - Aug 23rd, 24th & 25th - 3 to 8 pm**

**CWL Meeting - Sept 13th - 7:00 pm**

### Canadian Certificate in Youth Ministry Studies

St. Peter's Institute for Catholic Formation is offering the following Cycle One courses for Canadian Certificate in Youth Ministry Studies:

- September 11-12: Principles in Youth Ministry
- December 4-5: Practices of Youth Ministry
- March 5-6, 2011: Foundations of Christian Leadership
- May 28-29, 2011: Skills for Christian Ministry

For more information on the Canadian Certificate in Youth Ministry Studies program, pick up a brochure from your parish office, visit [www.spicf.ca](http://www.spicf.ca), or contact Jean Beneteau, Youth Ministry Formation Specialist, at [jbenete6@uwo.ca](mailto:jbenete6@uwo.ca).

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