

St. Michael's Parish

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PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY

OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON Corrie Gicante

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 Fr. Murray/Fr. Peter

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

Marriage Preparation - Feb 28-Mar 2, 2014 Call the Parish Office

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.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Grand Knight - Bud Jardine

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE: President - Margaret McGee

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
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.

Baptism

We welcome the following children into our Parish Community through the Sacrament of Baptism.

*Hannah Katarina Acero, Oliver Richard Chu,
Reign Declan Daite-Rump, Rogue Craig Daite-Rump,
Thomas Arthur Iansavitchous, Maria Pham Quynh Anh Jenifer
& Hannah Grace MacLachlan.*

RITE of CHRISTIAN INITIATION of ADULTS (RCIA)

Are you interested in taking a closer look at what it is to be a Roman Catholic? Here is your opportunity. If you or a family member, neighbor, friend or coworker have never been baptized or are non-active members of another faith tradition, come join us and find answers to some of your inquiries. We will begin our process on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. beginning October 9, 2013. If you are interested, please contact Helen Green, Pastoral Minister at hgreen@dol.ca or call the parish office at 519-433-6689 X215

GOD IS SO GOOD!!!!

We are planning to create a Baptismal Team to assist our priests with the celebration of the wonderful sacrament of Baptism. If you are available to help either during a Mass or during an afternoon, please call or email Helen Green, Pastoral Minister. We will provide the training and a schedule in September for all those who come forward to welcome these beautiful gifts from God into our faith community. Helen's phone number is 519-433-6689 X215 or email is hgreen@dol.ca

Dan Schutte, Composer of 'Here I Am, Lord' Coming To London For Concert/Workshop

Dan Schutte is the composer of countless well-loved hymns, including, Sing a New Song, City of God, and Here I Am, Lord.

Dan will be offering a concert on **Friday, August 23, 2013** 7:30 p.m. at Elizabeth A. "Bessie" Labatt Hall, King's University College, London. Cost \$10 per person. For information and to download registration forms, go to: www.danschutte.dol.ca. or call Christine Gilmore 519-432-1824 ex. 282.

Hosted by Institute for Catholic Formation in partnership with King's University College



The next **CWL meeting** will be held on Monday, **September 9 at 7:00 p.m.** Check our parish bulletin later this summer for further details.

Attention: St Michael's Parishioners

Mark your calendar for **October 6th 2013.**

Elvis is coming to St Michael's to entertain you!! Tickets will be on sale soon in the foyer of the church following all masses.

There is a limited number of tickets so get them early!

Lac-Megantic and Calgary

Two of our Canadian dioceses have recently experienced tragic circumstances which, in addition to structural and environmental damage, resulted in many deaths. As in the past, the generous faithful of the Diocese of London have been seeking to assist these dioceses. If you would like to make personal donations, **please send cheques directly to the dioceses:**

Archdiocese of Sherbrooke
130, rue de la Cathedrale
Sherbrooke, QC J1H 4M1

Diocese of Calgary
Room 290, The Iona Building
120-17th Avenue South West
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Catholic Websites

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

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!

WEEKLY TIPS FOR LIVING FAITH AS A FAMILY
From the National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry
(www.nfcym.org)

Pray Together – Think of all the sacred family moments in which prayer can be integrated: birthdays, anniversaries, crises, trips, church and civic holidays, anniversaries of a family member's death, achievements, proms, engagements, Confirmation and other occasions large and small. Use traditional prayers such as the rosary or Our Father or try composing your own prayers right from the heart.

CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK AND TWITTER!

For Youth Ministry updates, Catholic links and inspirational quotes check us out on our new Facebook page (www.facebook.com/sync.stm) and new Twitter account (@syncstm)

MARK YOUR CALENDARS...
YOUTH MINISTRY FAIR SEPT 14-15

Are you in grades 5-12 and are looking to have fun and explore your faith at St. Michael's Parish? Are you in high school or are you an adult who is looking to volunteer in Youth Ministry? After all masses on September 14 and September 15, the Youth Commission will be running a Youth Ministry Fair where you will have the opportunity to check out what is going on in the parish **this coming school year**. See you there!

Spiritual Journey to Spain and Portugal
March 6-16, 2014

Join John Paul II Secondary School students and staff as they visit Portugal and Spain in March 2014 to take in stunning scenery, historic towns and villages, places of great faith and friendly people. The journey includes stops to Lisbon and Fatima in Portugal and Santiago de Compostela and Madrid in Spain. The cost of the trip is \$3499.00 (Canadian). For more information contact Anita Rodrigues at arodrigues@office.ldcsb.on.ca or see the poster on the parish bulletin board.

To Restart in September 2013—You Are Not Alone

The faith-sharing group for people supporting a loved-one with a mental illness will resume again in September.

For inquires or information call Cathie Gauthier 519-850-0600.

King's University Religious Life - Lecture Series 2013-2014

Joanne and Kenny Theatre at 7:30 pm. Free Parking & admission.
Thurs Sept 19/13, Thurs Oct 3/13, Wed Oct 23/13, Wed Nov 27/13,
Thurs Jan 16/14, Thurs Mar 6/14 & Thurs Mar 27/14

For more information visit www.kings.uwo.ca/campus-ministry

Priesthood Vocation Discernment Groups

Are you a man 18-55 years old? Are you a practicing Catholic? Do you love the Mass? Are you unmarried? Are you basically happy but missing something in life? Perhaps God is calling you to the priesthood.

The Priesthood Vocation Discernment Groups, starting this September in various locations across the diocese, provide an opportunity for men to gather monthly to talk about priestly life and ministry, to pray together for one another as vocations are discerned, and to provide support among those who are considering a call to follow after the heart of Jesus in the priesthood.

If you are interested, please complete the registration form found in Vocations at www.dol.ca or contact the Diocese of London Vocations Office at (519) 432-1824, ext.204 or vocations@dol.ca

Our Lady of The Rosary - www.olshrine.ca

Special Shrine days Aug 13-22 inclusive & Sept 12,13,14,15

11:00 am to 3:00 pm, bring a picnic lunch and lawn chair.

Special Evening Masses Aug 14th to Aug 21st at 9:00 pm
(Shrine and Trails are lighted)

Rev. Peter Amszej will preside Aug 22, 2013

For more information ph: 519-689-7760 or email: olshrine@bell.net

AUGUST 18TH, 2013 TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, August 20 - 12:00 noon

Virgilio Lopes requested by Maria Yuliett
John Patrick Duffy requested by Kevin & Mary Catherine Flynn
Arnold McKee requested by Lynn & Jim Vanmie & Family

Wednesday, August 21 - 8:00 am

Georg Knab Sr. requested by John & Theresa VanderHoeven
Rob Hardy requested by Moe & Rudy Jansen
Florence Manners requested by Mary Slegers & Family

Thursday, August 22 - 12:00 noon

Carolyn Russelle requested by Bernice Green
Arnold McKee requested by Monique & Paul Robert & Family
Audrey Parker requested by Bernice Green

Friday, August 23 - 8:00 am

Wib Bruder & Family
In celebration of Laura Thorne's 100th Birthday
requested by Dianne Lawrence
Ron Verbeem requested by Linda & Terry McBride

Saturday, August 24 - 9:00 am

The Souls in Purgatory requested by Irene Poelmann
Jean-Paul Clancy requested by Richard & Marian Zientara
Felix Araneta requested by Bryan Araneta

August 25th, 2013 Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Isaiah 66:18-21
Second Reading: Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13
Gospel: Luke 13:22-30
<http://www.usccb.org/bible/>



All those who are sick, including:

**Nick Greeson, Gabriel Dugand,
Sue Cavender, Greg Giesen, Aldo Iurman,
Doug Murray, Maria Tallieu, Kathleen Graham,
& Julie Cooper.**

And all those who have died.

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.
Upcoming mass dates: **Tues Sep 10, Tues Oct 8, Nov 12 & Dec 10**

Eucharist to Shut Ins

Parishioners from other Catholic Faith Communities, please bring a note from your Pastor/Pastoral Minister that you have permission to bring communion to shut-ins. This is truly a wonderful ministry you carry out, but we must be vigilant about the Eucharist and that it is given the reverence it deserves. Please bring your note of permission to the Priest or Pastoral Minister before mass begins. Thank you.

Babysitting Room Volunteers Needed for September!

We are looking for adult and teen volunteers to help take care of the young children in our parish! Commitment time average is one Mass every month. If you would like to help during the 10:30am Mass, please contact Melissa Veenvliet (519-488-5292)

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/>.

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



Sunday Collection August 11th, 2013

Regular \$7,456
Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,289
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 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.

Thank you from St. Vincent de Paul

Thank you for your donations to the monthly loose change collection and SVDP envelopes found at the back of the church. This year we have been able to visit 129 homes and distribute food, clothing and furniture vouchers to 232 adults and 151 children living within our parish boundaries.
God bless you

This Week at St. Michael's

Monday, August 19

- 7:30 pm—Knights of Columbus Executive—Library Room

Tuesday, August 20

- 7:00 pm—Baptismal Preparation—Room E

Wednesday, August 21

- 8:00 pm—AA—Room B&C

Sunday, August 25

- 2:30 pm—African Caribbean Catholic Mass—Church

Please Mark Your Calendars

Parish Office Closed - Sep 2 - Labour Day
Knights of Columbus - Sep 3 - 7:30 pm
Exposition - Sep 6 - 8:30 am to 12:00 noon
Benediction - Sep 6 - 12:00 noon
Baptisms - Sep 8 - 2:00 pm
CWL - Sep 9 - 7:00 pm
Property & Maintenance - Sep 10 - 4:00 pm
Social Justice - Sep 10 - 7:15 pm
SOTM Exercise - Sep 11 & Sep 13
Mom's & Dad's Group - Sep 11 - 9:30 am to 11:30 pm
Youth Commission - Sep 11 - 7:00 pm
You Are Not Alone - Sep 11 - 7:00 pm
Bible study with Gaston - Sep 16 - 7:30pm (six weeks)
Elvis Show - Oct 6

BIBLE STUDY WITH DEACON GASTON

Come and join us for six Bible study sessions to be held on Mondays Sept. 16, 23, 30, and Oct. 7, 21, 28, 2013 at 7:30 pm in the Room D. Bring a friend and register at the Parish Office.

Employment Opportunities

Our Lady Help of Christians, Watford and St. Christopher, Forest is seeking a part-time (10 hours/week) contract Coordinator of Youth Ministry. Details available at www.dol.ca.

Tenth Annual Bishop's Dinner for Windsor-Essex

The Tenth Annual Bishop's Dinner for Windsor-Essex will be held on Wednesday, October 30 at the Ciociaro Club. Tickets are \$125 each and eligible for a \$50 charitable tax receipt. For more information or to order tickets, please contact Mrs. Frances Barnard at the St. Peter's Seminary Foundation at 1-888-548-9649 x255) or bishopsdinner@dol.ca.

Disaster relief donation cheques directed to the Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace (CCODP) should be made payable to St. Michael's Parish with a memo line indicating the relief country you would like your donation to go to.

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