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PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON Peter Valiquet

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 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. & 4:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism - 1st Sunday of each month during Mass or at 2:00 p.m.
Baptismal Preparation - Contact Fr. Glen Ball
Marriage - Arrangements to be made at least six months in advance
Marriage Preparation - Feb. 23rd, 24th, and 25th, 2018
Priesthood/Religious Life - Fr. Glen Ball
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 - Bob Gauthier

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

9:35am 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.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

ARE YOU SOMEONE OR DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO...

- Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic or wants to learn more about Catholic Faith?
- Has never been baptized or was raised in another faith tradition?
- Someone who is married (or engaged) to a Catholic and might consider joining his/her spouse in the Catholic Faith?

Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

ARE YOU A PARENT WHO...

- Has a child over the age of 7 or older who has not been baptized?
- Someone whose children are approaching Sacraments (First Reconciliation, First Communion, and Confirmation) and you would like to learn more about Catholic Faith so you can share it with your child?

ALREADY CATHOLIC AND YOU ARE PASSIONATE ABOUT YOUR FAITH?

- Consider joining RCIA Team and helping to mentor someone on their journey of faith.
- Commit to praying for RCIA candidates and RCIA Team.

There are many people who are waiting to be invited to take a closer look at our Catholic Faith. It is never too soon to invite someone to consider the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our Catholic Faith. We will meet every Wednesday at 6:30 pm, from October-May.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Children (RCIC) will take place on Mondays, 5:30-6:30pm from October –January. For more information, please contact Yana Adkinson at 519-433-6689 x 203 or email yadkinson@dol.ca

Wedding Anniversary Mass – Save the Date

Most Reverend Ronald Fabbro, C.S.B., Bishop of London invites all married couples to celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage at the Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sun Sept 10 at 3pm at St. Peter's Cathedral Basilica, London. All married couples are invited to register by contacting the parish office or by filling out a Registration Form which can be found at the back of the Church. Please return your registration forms to the **parish office no later than Aug 24**. Thank you.

Parish Website – Our Parish Website - if you have not done so, please visit our parish website. It is a helpful place to find many things such as sacramental registration, information on the groups and committees at the parish and also current and upcoming news. Currently we have added important information from the CCCB as well as an interview with the CBC from Dr. Ramona Coelho from our parish family. You can also support the Give to Grow capital campaign through the website. While you are there, don't forget to register if you have not already! www.stmichaelslondon.ca

St. Michael's Library

The library consists of appropriate Catholic material from light inspirational reading to more complex scripture study. Free to use as long as you like; no need to sign out books. Suggested reading list available in the library. Contact dorothysolomon41@gmail.com Please do not leave donated material in the Library. Thank you.

Capital Corner – Thank you for your ongoing support of the Give to Grow - Foundations for Our Future capital fund. Thank you to those who continue to faithfully honor your pledges. The renovations to the washrooms are into the planning stages and hope to have the tender to contractors before the end of the month! Actual work might not be starting as soon as we had hoped but it is coming!



EDGE NIGHTS

Have a Safe Summer!
See you in September.



We are in the works of preparing for next year's launch of **LIFETEEN** for the older group. Students from Grade 8 to 12 will be encouraged to know we are ramping things up with a deep and cooler program, action packed sports and of course as always food! If you would like to change a young person's life, and are considering how to help out, please contact Syl as the monthly commitment is between 4-5 hrs with all the resources and training provided, it's fun and easy!

Please see youth bulletin boards or contact Syl Patry Parish office. There might be financial help available.

Shrine Summer Days

The Shrine Days at Our Lady of the Rosary Shrine and St. Patrick's Church in Merlin, Ontario, are on August 13-22; and September 12-15, all from 11am-3pm. 2017 is the 100th Anniversary year of Our Lady of Fatima, an especially important year for the shrine. For more information call 519-689-7760.

Relics of Saints

In the area where the statues of Mary and Joseph are found, the former Ambry has been adopted to become a reliquary. In the reliquary are relics of St. Thérèse of Lisieux, St. Jean de Brébeuf and Canadian Martyrs, St. John Neumann, St. Andre Bessette, St. Francis Xavier and St. Pius X.

Holy Land October 18-30, 2018

Come and join Fr. Don and myself as we walk in the Footsteps of Jesus. We will visit Nazareth, the home town of Jesus. We will celebrate mass in Bethlehem. We will walk the shores of the Sea of Galilee where Jesus spent his 3 years of preaching. We will visit Jerusalem and the place of the Death and Resurrection of Jesus. If you would like information of the pilgrimage contact Joan Bolt at 519-471-6373 or speak to me. *Rev. Murray Sampson*

Information Boards - Please refer to these displays for all ongoing and upcoming information here at St. Michael's!

FORMED - last summer the pastoral team embarked on a program that would allow parishioners to deepen their faith by providing free access to the on-line Catholic resource site FORMED. This project is coming to an end. As of August 23rd the parish access to the site will be ended. To those who signed up and made use of it, we hope that you found it enlightening and helpful. Your feedback on it would be welcomed. The site was promoted throughout the past year in the bulletin, on the bulletin boards and with cards being distributed throughout the parish. Upon review, the numbers of people who had signed up and were making use of the site could not justify the continuation of the program. Thank you to those who used the resource and we hope that you found it to be a compliment to your faith journey.

You Are Not Alone - Are you giving support to a person struggling to manage a mental illness? Come share your wisdom and resources, lighten your worries and deepen your faith. We will be meeting at 7:00 pm the second Wed of the month. Our next meeting is Wed Sept 13th. Mark your calendar. All are welcome. If you would like to chat first to see if Y.A.N.A. is the support you are looking for, please call Cathie Gauthier at 519-850-0600 or Dorothy Solomon at 519-204-2931

New Day - A faith-based support group for people living with a mental illness. Come - receive and share in the compassion and strength of this welcoming group. We meet every Tues. afternoon 1:30 – 3:00 at Parish Office building of St. Peter's Basilica. If you wish further information call Cathie at 519-850-0600 or Theresa at 519-850-3627

AUGUST 20TH, 2017 TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, August 22 - 12:00 noon

Margaret Sgariglia requested by Grant Sgariglia
Allison Twohey requested by The Twohey & Burke Families
William Anglin requested by Frank & Mary Elena Kelly

Wednesday, August 23 - 8:00 am

George Knab Sr. requested by John & Theresa Vander Hoeven
Steve Morgan requested by Don & Mary Kay
Intentions of Fr. Don Pumputis requested by Steve Dietrich & Rooke

Thursday, August 24 - 12:00 noon

70th Birthday of Bunny Harris requested by The Harris Family
Antonio Minelli requested by Rita & Antonio Terron
William & Theresa Uniacke requested by Lillian Hennessy

Friday, August 25 - 8:00 am

Sofia Paiva requested by The Paiva Family
Marisa Zorzit requested by Aldo & Rito Cotton
Intentions of Anna Kovacic requested by St. Michael's CWL

Saturday, August 26 - 9:00 am

Wib Bruder requested by Ann Bruder
Intentions of Frances Egan requested by Mike & Mary Egan
Stefan Konigsberger requested by Erika

August 27th, 2017 Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Isaiah 22:15, 19-23

Second Reading: Romans 11:33-36

Gospel: Matthew 16:13-20

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



All those who are sick, including:

Nina Da Ponte
Gerald Tracey
Cherylann Robinson

Jane Tyers
Paula Lenardon

John Hunt
Nishan Anton



And all those who have died, including:

Richard Munn brother and in-law of Janet & Bob Peckham
Mil Winter sister of Fran Flynn & Margaret Prosser
Reverend Paul Mooney of the Diocese of London
Reverend Edward (Ted) G. Brereton

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.

Become an Usher! – We still need more individuals for this very important Ministry of help and hospitality. Younger or older, long time parishioners or newly joined, male or female, all are welcome! Please consider offering that little bit extra – your time. Additional ushers are needed for most Masses. No experience necessary, training happily provided. This invitation is open to everyone. The role of usher is an important part in the care of the public and seamless flow of the Mass. Please speak with Father Glen for more information.

Eucharist for Gluten Intolerance

We continue to have a choice of the Precious Blood that is for those with gluten intolerance located at the entrance to the Eucharistic Chapel. We will now also have the Precious Body available for those with a gluten intolerance. If you have this need please contact one of the Priests or a member of the Pastoral Team.

Parking Reminder – As school starts again soon, we will be back to our limited parking during the week for Masses. Please do not park along the school building. Please DO NOT park along the East wall of the Church building or in front of the garage doors. These are vital laneways for emergency vehicles and blocking the garage doors may restrict the needed movement of our Priests. Thank you for being considerate.

Laudate Catholic App - Free "Laudate" includes Daily Mass Readings, Liturgy of Hours, Rosary, the Bible, Stations of the Cross, Daily Meditations, Vat II documents and more. Visit <http://catholicapps.com/laudate/>



Sunday Collection August 6th, 2017

Regular Offertory \$7,790
Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,686
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.



The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

collection for the needy within our parish boundaries is the 2nd Sunday of each month. Thank you for your support.
(Make cheques payable to St. Michael's Parish and write SSVP on the memo line.)

This Week at St. Michael's

Monday, August 21

- No Northern Hospitality Community Meal (next meal Aug 28)

Wednesday, August 23

- 10:00 am to 12:00 noon—Art Club—St. Francis Library
- 7:00 pm—CWL Ukulele Group Practice—St. Francis Library
- 8:00 pm—AA—St. Andre Bessette & St. Kateri Rooms

Thursday, August 24

- 1:00 pm—Young At Heart Cards (YAH)—Hall
- 3:30 pm—Bereavement Group—St. Anthony Room

Saturday, August 26

- 10:00 am to 12:00 noon—Yarning with Love—St. Francis Library

Sunday, August 27

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

Please Mark Your Calendars

Northern Hospitality September Schedule - Sept 11, 18 & 25
Knights of Columbus Meetings - restarts - Sept 2017
CWL Meetings - restarts - Sept 2017
Seniors on the Move - restarts - Sept 2017
Moms' Group - restarts - Sept 2017
EDGE Youth Group - restarts - Sept 2017
SVDP Meetings - restarts - Sept 2017

No Children's Ministries on Sunday September 3rd, 2017
(Labour Day Holiday Long Weekend)

Changes to the Bereavement Group - Any person who has experienced a personal loss, recent or past, the Parish offers ongoing grief support in a shared setting. Meetings have been moved to afternoons in place of evenings. Our next scheduled meeting will take place on Thursday, August 24th from 3 - 4:30 pm in the St. Anthony Room (second floor above the Parish Offices, access either by stairway or elevator). September's meeting will be on the 28th at the same time (3 - 4:30 pm). Interested persons who have not previously engaged this outreach, should register with the Parish Secretary and make known their wishes to attend. Participants are contacted prior to each meeting.



Young At Heart - Cards

Drop in for an afternoon of cards, on **Thursdays at 1:00 pm to 3:30 pm**. Light refreshments, conversation and bridge in the Parish Hall. Cards are provided. Friends are welcome!
Registration is not required—simply bring a loonie and pay as you go!

Pre-Authorized Giving – It is never a bad time to enroll in the PAG program. Your contribution is taken safely and simply the first day of each month and a great way to ensure your gift is received each and every week. Enrollment kits are available at the welcome desk or from the office. Thank you for considering the switch!

50th Reunion – Former members of the St. Andrew the Apostle Folk Choir (London) are gathering for a 50th Reunion! Labour Day Weekend – September 2nd & 3rd, 2017 – all former choir members and their families are invited to participate in the celebration. Please spread the word. Let us know if you will be coming. Email st-andrewsfolkchoir50th@gmail.com or phone Peter at 519-913-1921.

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