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PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY

OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON Wayne Wolanski

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.

Baptism



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

Hudson Garrett Folino, Lydia Eleanor Patterson, Evelyn Celia Tapiwa Teixeira, Decker Alexander Umbelina & L. Madden James Umbelina.

6th Annual Men of Faith Conference - Sat Jan 20th, 2018

All men and young men are invited to this conference. It will be held at St Michael's Church in London. Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, known around the world as the "Dynamic Deacon" is one of the most sought after speakers in the Church today. Come join us for the fellowship and opportunity to grow in your faith. Hot lunch, refreshments and registration kit are included; \$30 adults, \$25 students or \$45 at the door. Sign up on line at www.famfi.ca or call 519-518-2025 ext. 22 (Mike) Registration starts at 8:00 am.

Save the Date - February 3rd, 2018

CWL and K of C of St Michael's Parish are sponsoring a social event on Saturday February 3rd 2018 in the church Hall. The evening begins with meet and greet at 6.30 pm, a delicious chicken dinner with salad and desert served at 7 pm. This will be followed with a Silent Auction and a D.J., and a Share-the-Wealth draw for your entertainment. Tickets are \$25.00 per person and can be purchased by contacting Maggie McGee 519-951-1827 or Keith Rodrigues at 519-852-1867. Tickets will also be available at the Parish Office during regular business hours. Donations for the Silent Auction are most welcome, and may be left at the Parish Office. Tickets will be available until January 31st 2018.

The FIAT Team at St. Kateri is excited to begin its journey with St. Michael's parish! A group of faith-filled students in blue t-shirts will be leading the congregation for one mass each month. What is FIAT you ask? FIAT stands for: Faith In Action Team. These grade 3-8 students are passionate about social justice and finding ways to help out their community. The masses we are leading are as follows: [Jan 14 @ 12:30pm](#), [Feb 25 @ 10:30am](#), [Mar 24 @ 5pm](#), [Apr 29 @ 12:30pm](#), [May 27 @ 10:30am](#) and [Jun 23 @ 5pm](#). We are looking forward to growing in our relationship with God and His Church.

Pre-Authorized Giving – Why not make 2018 the year you move to Pre-Authorized giving? 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!

2018 Parish Offertory Envelopes - Parishioners who use envelopes and haven't yet picked up their 2018 boxed set, can pick them up in the parish office during regular business hours. Parishioners who use the pre-authorized gift (PAG) process do not have envelope numbers assigned to them.

Our Parish Website – 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. You can make your contribution to the Thanksgiving Appeal and 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

Capital Corner – Our renovated washrooms are now complete. Thank you for your patience and continued generosity in funding this work through your gifts to the Give to Grow Capital Fund. We hope you are pleased with the results. Next considerations are for fixing the appearance of the parish hall. Gifts to our capital debts are always appreciated and a good way of further reducing your taxes.

Youth Ministry

Public & Non-feeder schools Confirmation Candidates

Reminder our next few Confirmation sessions will be on January 28th from 11am-12:30pm in the Parish Hall.



Next EDGE Night - Wed Jan 17th

Calling all students, families and volunteers! We have a TON of events planned for elementary, high school and families to be a part of EDGE youth group for Gr. 5-7 students, Life teen for Gr. 8-12 high school students. Family members of ANY age can help change a young person's life in so many ways; contact Syl Patry in the parish office or at spatry@dol.ca for more info.

EDGE Youth t-shirts will soon be available for purchase for \$10. You can pre-order by email with Syl – spatry@dol.ca with your name, contact and youth size.

LIFETEEN High School Youth Group 2018!!! We are finalizing some details to share some great news of St Michael's NEW High school ministry! Please continue to pray for our Team, this ministry and most importantly God's will to be done. We would love to have teachers, principals and other professionals join our ministry team!!! Contact Syl in the parish Office @ spatry@dol.ca

Stations of the Cross for Youth - Good Friday 2018

Grade 8 and High School Students are invited to be part of the Stations Of The Cross as actors and crew members.

Practices will be on Mondays from 7-9pm on Jan 15th, 22nd & 29th; Feb 5th, 12th & 26th; Mar 5th, 19th & 26th. Holy Thursday Mar 29th from 7:30-10pm and Good Friday Mar 30th at 8am.

Also looking for a few leaders with drama and theatre experience. For more information please contact our Coordinator of Youth Ministry Syl Patry at spatry@dol.ca or 519-433-6689 ext. 206.

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



CWL News - St. Michael's CWL financial statement is available upon request. If interested please call Maggie McGee at 519-951-1827. Reminder that there is no January meeting! Next meeting will be February 5th, 2018."



Knights Table - January 2018

21st – Parish Breakfast
27th – Council 12820 basketball Free Throw

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.

Remembering Tree Ornaments with requested names have been removed from the Remembering Tree. If you have not already done so, please pick up your ornaments from the table at the back of the church by the main entrance.

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.

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/>

JANUARY 14TH, 2018 SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, January 16 - 12:00 noon

Margaret & Catherine Chechak requested by The Watt Family
 Ceferina Besinio requested by Manuel Besinio
 Magdalena Van Hal requested by Don & Helen Yakobchuk

Wednesday, January 17 - 8:00 am

Gwen Woermke requested by The Bradley Family
 Robert & Emma Howatson requested by The Howatson Family
 Frank Santoro requested by Kathleen Van Alphen

Thursday, January 18 - 12:00 noon

Pauline Geiger requested by Bunny & Paul
 Intentions of Margot Rivard
 requested by Lina, Theresa, Bruna & Dorothy
 Marcel Timmerman requested by Doris Barrett

Friday, January 19 - 8:00 am

Sofia & Gabriel Sr. Paiva requested by The Paiva Family
 Connie Schleuter requested by Kaye McKenna & Family
 Michael Nash requested by Bob & Maeve Johnston

Saturday, January 20 - 9:00 am

Brendan Flynn requested by Kevin & Mary Catherine Flynn
 Ronald McCarron requested by Dorothy & Larry McGuire
 Raphael Nyamuli requested by The Nyamuli Family

January 21st, 2018 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Johan 3:1-5, 10

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:29-31

Gospel: Mark 1:14-20

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



All those who are sick, including:

Jane Tyers

Paula Lenardon

Cherylann Robinson

Dan Eldridge

John Hunt

Nick Greeson

Cathy Meyers

Han Kiewiet

Greg Giesen

Grace Wren

Jennifer Ackford



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.

Looking for Healing? Closure? - If you are divorced, separated, or civilly remarried, consider applying for a declaration of nullity (an "annulment"). The Roman Catholic Diocese of London would like to help you. If you are interested in a Declaration of Nullity or if you simply have questions, please give us a call at 519-439-1553. There is no obligation in calling, and the process is free of charge.

Housing Request - The office is currently assisting a parish family with six children in their search for rental housing. If you have any information about, own a rental property or connection to a source, will you please contact Fr. Murray in confidence. Thank you for your kindness.

St. Michael's Moms' Group - Calling all mothers! Come to learn more about the Catholic faith together, connect with other moms and share faith and fellowship over coffee. Babysitting provided most days. No registration necessary. Our dates are twice monthly on **Tuesday mornings from 10am-12pm**, next session is **Jan 16/18**. For more information, contact Yana Adkinson ext. 203.

CCH-Music Extension Program-Applications are OPEN for 2018/2019!
 Catholic Central High School has a tradition of musical excellence through the String and Vocal Music Extension Program. Students with musical interest and background are invited to apply and audition to determine eligibility to be part of the 2018/2019 Gr. 9 classes. Application deadline: Feb 1st, 2018. For application and audition requirements, visit: <http://www.ldcsb.ca/school/CCH/Programs/musicextension>



Sunday Collection December 31st, 2017

Regular Offertory \$6,135
 Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,689
 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, January 15

- 5:30 pm—Northern Hospitality Community Meal—Hall
- 6:00 pm—English Learners—St. Kateri Room
- 7:00 pm—Youth Stations of the Cross Practice—Nave

Tuesday, January 16

- 10:00 am—Moms Group—Hall
- 7:00 pm—SVDP Meeting—St. Anthony Room
- 7:00 pm—Baptismal Preparation—St. John Paul II Room
- 7:00 pm—Knights of Columbus Executive—St. Francis Library

Wednesday, January 17

- 8:45 am—Seniors on the Move Exercise (SOTM)—Hall
- 10:00 am to 12:00 noon—Art Club—Library Room
- 6:30 pm—RCIA—St. John Paul II Room
- 7:00 pm—EDGE Youth Group—Hall
- 8:00 pm—AA—St. Andre Bessette & St. Kateri Rooms

Thursday, January 18

- 10:30 am—McGarrell Place Mass—McGarrell Place
- 1:00 pm—Young at Heart Cards (YAH)—Hall
- 3:30 pm—Finance Committee—St. Francis Library
- 7:30 pm—Pastoral Parish Council—St. John Paul II

Friday, January 19

- 10:30 am—Seniors on the Move Exercise (SOTM)—Hall

Saturday, January 20

- 9:00 am to 4:00 pm—6th Annual Men of Faith Conference—Hall

Sunday, January 20

- 9:00 am to 12:00 noon—Parish Breakfast—Hall

Please Mark Your Calendars

CWL Convention Planning - Jan 22 - 6:30 pm
 Women of Grace - Jan 23 - 12:30 pm
 CWL Ukulele Group - Jan 24 - 7:00 pm
 Yarning with Love - Jan 27 - 10:00 am to 12:00 noon
 African Caribbean Catholic Mass - Jan 28 - 2:30 pm
 CWL Regional Meeting - Jan 29 - 6:30 pm
 Mom's Group - Jan 30 - 10:00 am to 12:00 noon
 Exposition - Feb 2 - 8:30 am to 3:00 pm
 Benediction - Feb 2 - 3:00 pm
 Baptisms - Feb 4 - 2:00 pm

Have You Amazed Yourself Lately? - Are you in the second half of your life? If so, please join us for a thought provoking and spiritual retreat led by Fr. Michael Prieur, professor emeritus St. Peter's Seminary and Fr. Patrick Beneteau, Director of Vocations, Diocese of London. God calls all of us in every aspect of our lives, even in our retirement years - what amazing adventures is GOD calling YOU to in your fifties, sixties, seventies, eighties and beyond! Sat Feb 24/18 - 10am to 2pm-lunch provided-St. Justin's Parish Hall. To register call 519-685-2795 ext. 21 or email mbertens@dol.ca

2018 Pure Life Summit- February 17, 8:30 am- 10:00 pm

For High School, College & University Young Adults and Parents.
"Beauty from Ashes" featuring David Patterson @ St. André Bessette Catholic Secondary School, 2727 Tokala Trail, London 300+ in attendance. \$50/per person (includes lunch and dinner). Register online at www.ffipurelife.com or contact Connie at cvanderheyden61@gmail.com for more info. Like us on Facebook at Pure Life Ministry Team

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