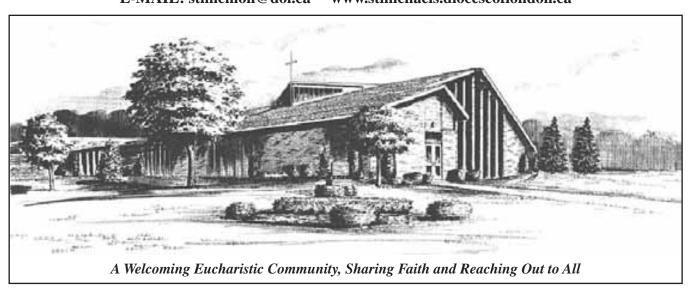
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PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY **OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)**

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON John Coderre

SCHEDULE OF EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 12:30 p.m. Sunday

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 4, 5, 6, 2011

Priesthood/Religious Life - Call Fr. Sample, Fr. Sharp or Sr. O'Keefe Sacrament of the Sick - available upon request

PRAYER LINE COORDINATOR

Dorothy Solomon - 519-659-8242

Hearing assistance device to hear mass, available for those in need. Please see a member of the Welcoming Committee at the Welcome Desk.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

1st Friday of every month & Benediction at 12:00 noon.

OFFICE HOURS

10:15am

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 Huron/Wedgewood – Bus Stop east of Wedgewood Royal York Apts – 3 stops

Go to St. Michaels Church

JANUARY 16TH, 2011 SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Stewardship Reflection

"Now the Lord has spoken who formed me as his servant from the womb..." - Isaiah 49:5

God has formed each of us as His servants from the womb. He blessed us with unique gifts and He provided us with the talents and skills we would need to do His work. If we do not fulfill the unique vision that God had for us alone, who will do it?

Go Build My Church Becoming a Living Stone in the body of Christ January 23rd to 26th, 2011, each evening at 7:30 pm

Fr. Philip Chircop will preach a Mission to celebrate our 100th Anniversary

Monday Jan 24th - A Church that Rocks and Rolls Tuesday Jan 25th - A Church on Fire Wednesday Jan 26th - A Church of Easter People Hallelujah is Our Song

REMEMBERING YOU ARE INVITED to share a favourite memory from the last 100 years of St. Michael's Parish to be published in our FAMILY CENTENNIAL DIRECTORY. Please describe this memory in 30 words or less and send it to the church office by e-mail at stmichlon@dol.ca or by regular mail to St. Michael's Parish-Remembering.

JOIN THE SEARCH: The Family Centennial Directory Committee is looking for photos of 4 former pastors: Father Hanlon, Father Morrison, Father Ford and Father Flynn. Please call 519-439-9072.

Special Wedding Anniversaries During 2011

February 12/13 is fast approaching and the Anniversary Committee would like to make sure that all couples are identified this year who are celebrating a "marker" wedding anniversary of 10, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50 and 60 or more years. To help us in planning for our special Wedding Anniversary Mass and reception, please sign your names in the white binder at the Welcome Desk in the front foyer if you did not complete the survey which was in the December bulletin. Thank you.

Old and Antique Items Are Needed

Do you have something in your home that is 50 or more years old or that dates back to pre 1960? The Anniversary Steering Committee would like to borrow items (furniture, articles such as wedding dresses or clothing, telephones, tools, kitchen utensils, pictures, typewriters, records and record players, religious articles, etc.) which can be used for displays at our Wedding Anniversary reception and our Heritage Tea. These items will help our elderly parishioners "walk down memory lane" and also help our younger parishioners learn more about our past. Please leave your name and phone number at the parish office or write them in the white binder on the Welcome Desk in the front foyer and someone from the committee will contact you. Thank you for sharing with us.

YOU ARE NOT ALONE!

Have you or your family been touched by mental illness?

Henri Nouwen writes; "it is possible to live the wounds of the past, not as gaping abysses that cannot be filled and that keep threatening us, but as gateways to new life."

In our brokenness we are to help each other into the gateway to joy.

We gather monthly in friendship and prayer to share thoughts, and deepen our Christian awareness and support.

For information call Cathie Gauthier at 850-0600, or Deacon Bob & Joanne Hartman at 473-2263

Holy Hour of Vocations

All are invited to **St. Peter's Seminary at 1040 Waterloo St.** in London for a special Holy Hour for Vocations on **Thursday, January 20, 2011** starting at 7:00 pm. This is open to all parishioners in the London Deanery. Special prayers for vocations, music and a reflection by one of the seminarians will invite us to be open to God's call of service — especially to the priesthood.

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

YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER

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

CONFIRMATION CLASSES FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL, PRIVATE SCHOOL, HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

There will be 3 mandatory Confirmation Preparation classes for all Confirmation Candidates who attend public, private or high school. The dates are **Tuesdays January 4, 11 and 18 from 7-8:30pm in the Parish Hall**. Please arrive with the Confirmation booklet that was handed to you at the November 2 meeting.

CONFIRMATION REMINDERS

Attention all Confirmation Candidates! A reminder that your **Confirmation Journal** Project was due to the parish office on <u>Tuesday December 7</u>. Please hand it into the Parish Office.

If you do not yet have an **interview** set for January 31, February 8 or February 10 please call the Parish Office to book a time.

The Confirmation Retreat led by the National Evangelization Team of Canada will be held on Tuesday February 1 for those students who attend a Public School, Private School, High School, French Immersion School, French First Language School, St. Mark's School and St. Michael's School. There is also a retreat on Wednesday February 2 for those who attend St. Mary's Choir School, St. Catherine of Siena School and Blessed Kateri School. The day runs from 9:30-4:45 and you will be receiving a permission form soon from the parish. Any questions? Call Natalie at the Parish Office.

WORLD YOUTH DAY BREAKFAST SUNDAY JANUARY 30, 9:00 a.m.- 12:00 noon ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH HALL

Come out and enjoy a delicious breakfast, build community and help support our pilgrims who are going to World Youth Day 2011. There will be a variety of choices such as bacon, eggs, pancakes and sausage. If you are in High School and are interested in volunteering at this breakfast, please contact Natalie at the parish office.

SPORTS NIGHTS, GRADES 5-8 AND 9-12

New Year, New Schedule!

St. Michael's Parish Youth Ministry will continue to host sports nights, now once a month. The next three nights are Sunday January 30, Sunday February 27 and Sunday March 27. Grades 5-8 are invited to come out from 5:00-6:30pm and High School students are invited to come out from 7:00-9:00pm. The location for both age groups is St. Michael's Catholic School Gym (926 Maitland Street, please enter the side doors by the school yard). There will be a variety of sports such as volleyball, soccer and basketball. Take advantage of this opportunity to get some exercise, meet new friends and have fun! See you there! The waiver form is found on the parish website and it must be signed by a parent and returned at sports nights before youth can participate.

COFFEE HOUSE FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS – Sunday Feb 13, 7-9

Come on out to St. Michael's High School Coffee House on Sunday February 13 from 7-9 p.m. for live music and poetry – Admission is free! Enjoy a hot cup of coffee, tea or hot chocolate all for a good cause. Bring your loonies and toonies because all proceeds from coffee, tea and sweet treats will go to local charities in our community. See you there!

Are you interested in performing (singing, playing an instrument, reading poetry, etc.) at the coffee house? Sign up sheets are located on the Youth Ministry bulletin boards at the two main entrances of the church!

Junior and Senior Kindergarten Registration (for September 2011)

Schools within the London District Catholic School Board will be accepting registrations for Kindergarten classes for the 2011-2012 school year from **January 24 - February 4, 2011**.

Children born in 2007 may register for Junior Kindergarten. Children born in 2006 may register for Senior Kindergarten.

Please contact individual schools should you have any questions or if you would like to book an appointment to register. Blessed Kateri Catholic School (519) 675-4410 St. Catherine of Siena Catholic School (519) 675-4437 St. Mark Catholic School (519) 675-4421 St. Michael Catholic School (519) 675-4424

Those students who are currently enrolled in the JK program do not need to re-register for SK.

JANUARY 16TH, 2011 SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions for January 18th to 22nd

Tuesday, January 18 - 12:00 noon

Mrs. G China requested by Anita & Fred Molinero Anna O'Reilly requested by Kevin & Mary Catherine Flynn Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday, January 19 - 8:00 am

Edith McWhirter

Fr. Frank White requested by Lary & Mona Wilkins Ernest & Antonietta Castrilli requested by Rosa & Antonio Castrilli

Thursday, January 20 - 12:00 noon

Deceased Family Members requested by Marg Jacyno Cesario Soriano requested by Teresa & Des Tyrrell Lin Swee Lee requested by Linda Lee

Friday, January 21 - 8:00 am

Antonio Michienzi requested by Fedrico & Rosa Febbraro Ida Willett

Nora Daley requested by Kim & Dan Gallant

Saturday, January 22-9:00 am

Victoria Dychangco requested by Manuel & Evelyn Dychangco Michael Said requested by Salvina Said & Family Joao Carlos Amaral requested by Gabriella Amaral

Readings for Next Weekend January 23rd, 2011 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Isaiah 9:1-4 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17-18 Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23

All those who are sick, including:

Rita Irving, Rosemary Darmanin,
Paul Bossons, Len Crover, Linda Plooard,
Theresa McClusky, Greg Giesen, Marie Jones,
Ryan O'Quinn, Mary Thompson & Corrie Kox.

And all those who have died, including:

Joe Villani father of Ken Villani &

Mary McColeman mother of Rob Anderson.

St. Mary School London Choir and Orchestra Program

The St. Mary School, London Choir and Orchestra Program has begun the application process for entrance to Grade 5 for 2011-2012. Brochures with application forms will be available in all Catholic elementary schools. Please contact your principal for further details on the application and audition process or call St. Mary School at 675-4423. Applications are due to St. Mary School by December 17, 2010. Application to the program is open to all Grade 4 students of the London District Catholic School Board. The brochure is also available online at www.ldcsb.on.ca/schools/malo/index.html

<u>Coping With Relationship Loss</u> 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 on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 PM at St. Michael's Church (Room E), 511 Cheapside London. Contact: Don at 519-451-2829.

Medaille Retreat House

Has many upcoming programs, retreats. For more information phone (519) 641-1379 or email 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 or phone 519-738-6136.

Babysitting Schedule January 23rd, 2011

10:30 a.m. Danielle Gorski Erica Glatt



Sunday Collection Jan 9th, 2011 Regular \$7,367

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Thank you for your continued generosity!

For those who would like information about the Christmas Collection, please contact Fr. Murray Sample at 519-433-6689 ext. 202.



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

ALTAR SERVERS JANUARY 22ND & 23RD

5:00 p.m.

Stephanie Li Vivian Li Aakaash Dominic

8:30 a.m.

Guillaume Hewitt Chantal Denomme Angela Denomme Andrew Denomme

10:30 a.m.

Barbara Mboko Willy Mboko Mauricio Rocha Valeria Rocha

12:30 p.m.

John Marshall Nicholas Marshall Giuliana Strano



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THIS WEEK AT ST. MICHAEL'S

Tuesday, January 18

- 7:00 pm—Confirmation Catecheses—Hall
- 7:00 pm—SVDP Outreach—Room D

Wednesday, January 19

- 8:45 am—Exercise—Hall
- 9:30 am—Moms & Dads Group—Room E
- 7:00 pm—Youth Commission Group—Room D
- 7:30 pm—RCIA—Room E
- 8:00 pm—A.A.—Rooms B & C

Thursday, January 20

- 1:00 pm—Cards—Hall
- 3:30 pm—Finance Committee—Room D
- 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm—Altar Servers—Ball Hockey—Hall
- 7:30 pm—Pastoral Parish Council—Room D

Friday, January 21

• 10:30 am—Exercise—Room E

Sunday, January 23

Parish Mission

Please Mark Your Calendars

Parish Mission "A Church that Rocks & Rolls"- Jan 24 - 7:30 pm Parish Mission "A Church on Fire" - Jan 25 - 7:30 pm Parish Mission "A Church of Easter People" - Jan 26 - 7:30 pm WYD Breakfast - Jan 30 - 9:00 am to 12 noon

Knights of Columbus - Feb 1 - 7:30 pm

First Communion Parents Meeting - Feb 1 - 7:00 pm Grade 8 NET Retreats - Feb 1 & 2 - 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Blood Donor Clinic - Feb 3 - 3:30 pm

First Friday Exposition - Feb 4 - 8:30 am to 12 noon

First Friday Benediction - Feb 4 - 12 noon

Marriage Prep Weekend - Feb 4, 5 & 6

Baptism - Feb 6 - 2:00 pm

WYD Retreat - Feb 5 CWL - Feb 7 - 7:00 pm

Property & Maintenance - Feb 8 - 4:00 pm

Social Justice - Feb 8 - 7:15 pm





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