

# St. Michael's Parish

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## PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY

### OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

**FINANCE COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON** Cherylann Grace

**PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON** Theresa O'Leary

## 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 & Saturday No mass  
Tuesday & Thursday 12:00 noon  
Wednesday & Friday 8:00 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

Restart date to be advised.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9:00 am to 10:00 am or by appointment.

## SACRAMENTS

*Baptism* – 1st Sunday of each month at 2:00pm or any Sunday Mass

*Baptismal Preparation* – Contact Fr. Paul Kim

*Marriage* – Arrangements to be made at least six months in advance

*Marriage Preparation* – tba

*Priesthood/Religious Life* – Fr. Daniel Bombardier, Fr. Paul Kim

*Sacrament of the Sick* – available upon request

*First Reconciliation (Gr. 2)* - registration required in December

*First Communion (Gr. 2)* - registration required in December

*Confirmation (Gr. 8)* - registration required in September

**COMMUNION TO THE SICK:** Contact the Parish Office.

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE (CWL):** President – Dorothy Solomon

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:** Grand Knight - Marty McAllister

**PRAYER LINE:** Prayer requests are received at  
[stmichlon@dol.ca](mailto:stmichlon@dol.ca) or phone 519-433-6689

## OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. - Noon & 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**Items for Bulletin due by noon Monday.**

# JANUARY 30<sup>TH</sup>, 2022 FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## **Sunday Mass - Reservations are Needed to Attend**

**Saturday 5:00 pm, Sunday 8:30 am, 10:30 am and 12:30 pm.**

The number of people in the church will be guided by the directives of the government and the Bishop of London. **We require registering.** This can be done by going to the Parish website <https://stmichaelslondon.ca/mass-reservations> or by phone 519-433-6689 for those who are unable to use the website.

**Arrival for Mass:** We would like to remind everyone that we are still required to maintain COVID protocols to attend Mass. This includes registering for Mass as well as checking in at the entrance to the Church. Our volunteers dedicate their time and are here 45 minutes before Mass to do this properly. Our volunteers also wish to celebrate Mass with the congregation, and they cannot do this when they are checking in late arrivals. This is a reminder to arrive early for Mass as the doors will be closed and late admittance cannot be permitted.

### **Stay Up To Date - Visit St. Michael's Parish Website**

Please visit our parish website to find information about the Parish.

**Our home page web address is:**

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/>

**To view our latest news:**

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/latest-news>

**To make a donation online:**

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/make-a-donation>

**For information about sacraments:**

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/sacraments>

**To register at the Parish:**

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/form/registration-form>

**To view the Parish bulletin:**

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/bulletins>

**To make mass reservations online:**

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/mass-reservations>

**Livestream Masses** - To participate Live with us please visit: [www.stmichaelslondon.ca/live-stream](http://www.stmichaelslondon.ca/live-stream) and click on the link provided. Masses will be archived on the parish YouTube channel (St. Michael's London Masses), Facebook page (St. Michaels London North parishes) and Vimeo page (St. Michael's Parish London, ON)

### **SSVP Angel Tree 2021 - Thank You**

87 families with 221 children were assisted by donations to the Angel Tree event held on December 11. Each family received a \$40 food card and each child received a \$30 Walmart gift card totalling \$10,100. The many expressions of gratitude and relief that we received belong to you, our generous parishioners.

**Catholic Websites:** [www.stmichaelslondon.ca](http://www.stmichaelslondon.ca),

[www.catholiccemeteries.on.ca](http://www.catholiccemeteries.on.ca), [www.saltandlighttv.org](http://www.saltandlighttv.org), [www.dol.ca](http://www.dol.ca),

[www.catholic.net](http://www.catholic.net), [www.catholicnews.com](http://www.catholicnews.com) & [www.vatican.va](http://www.vatican.va)



### **Walking With the RCIA:**

**It takes a parish to initiate!**

With the Advent Season complete, we enter into the Christmas Season and celebrate the great gift of God With Us. We continue to pray with and for our Inquirers and Candidates who have responded to the whispers of the Spirit inviting them to journey in relationship with our Triune God. Not even a pandemic can silence the call of the Holy Spirit.

We are blessed to have sponsors who are the bridge to the community for these seekers. Let us give thanks to God for so many blessings! What are you thankful for today?

*Alexandra, Stephanie, Tiffany, Katianna, Cora, Jano, Courtney, Natalie, Geoffrey, Dawn, Katie, Mikyla, Emmanuel, Kim, David, Abdbukola, Genieve, Nicole, Kim, Andre, Avery, Julian, Scarlet, Lukas, John*

*May you continue to respond to the prompting of the Holy Spirit in your life.*

### **The Family of Parishes**

Rev. Daniel Bombardier has been appointed Pastor of the new Family of Parishes comprising St. Peter's Cathedral Basilica, London, St. Michael, London, St. Josephine Bakhita African Caribbean Community, London. Rev. Christopher Pietraszko and Rev. Sekar L. Raj have been appointed Associate Pastors of this Family.

Between now and July there is a great deal of planning and preparation to be done.

- A transition team will be formed with representation of pastoral team, staff and two members from the Parish Pastoral Council from each of our parish communities. Those names will be published soon. The transition team will execute a communications plan.
- They will prayerfully discern the name for our family.
- The retreat workshop for priests who are assigned to the family of parishes happened this past week- January 18-19.
- Members of the transition team will take on the role of the Parish Pastoral Council in July.
- Work on a viable Mass schedule for our Family.
- Personnel plan will be developed through discussions with staff and team members.
- Office location will be decided.
- Financial plan will be developed

Let us pray to the Holy Spirit and to our patron saints as we plan to activate our Family of Parishes in July. May our good God bless us abundantly as we continue this journey in faith.

**Safety is Key** – In the interest of caring for each other, you can be a great help in maintaining a safe environment. If you are entering or leaving the Church and feel that the walkways on premises are at all unsafe or that weather may be cause for concern; please advise one of the priests, staff or ushers of this fact. We will deal with it in a timely manner. Thank you for your attention.



### **CWL News**

**February Meeting** - Our next meeting will be held on **Monday, February 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom**. It will include the presentation of the proposed 2022 budget as well as a love-based sing-along with our own SMUGlees. Mark your calendars!

**January Prayer Intention** - We invite you to join with us as we pray for the following intention: As the colder months are upon us, let us pray for our brothers and sisters who are homeless.

**Marriage Annulment** - Are you hoping to get married in the Catholic Church or to have a union blessed? Or are you simply looking for some closure after a painful divorce? If so, consider applying for a Declaration of Nullity (annulment) from the Marriage Tribunal of the Diocese of London. The process is free of charge. We are here to help. If you want to start the process, or have some questions, please feel free to call 519-439-1553 or Toll Free at 1-866-603-4317 or email [tribunal@dol.ca](mailto:tribunal@dol.ca)

### **Come and See Virtual Weekend - February 11 to 12**

St. Peter's Seminary invites you to a virtual discernment retreat for men 17 years old and older that are considering a call to the priesthood. This weekend offers a firsthand experience of the life of a seminarian, provide spiritual help for discernment and offer the opportunity for prayer and reflection. Please contact Fr. Danny Santos at [vocations@dol.ca](mailto:vocations@dol.ca) for more information or to register visit our website at [www.dolpriest.ca/registration](http://www.dolpriest.ca/registration).

**Pllenty Giving** - You can donate with a credit or debit card. We have added another form of electronic giving. Your smart phone can now be used as a convenient way of supporting St. Michael's. To make a donation through Pllenty or PayPal please visit our website <https://stmichaelslondon.ca/make-a-donation>

# JANUARY 30<sup>TH</sup>, 2022 FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Reservations are not needed for Weekday Mass  
All required protocols for mass attendance will continue to be practiced.

## Mass Intentions

### Tuesday, February 1 - 12:00 noon

Christina Odili requested by Rosie Odili  
Intentions of the Odili Family Members requested by Rosie Odili  
Souls in Purgatory requested by Rosie Odili

### Wednesday, February 2 - 8:00 am

Fr. Stephen Bodnar requested by The Bodnar Family  
Souls in Purgatory requested by Xuan Nguyen  
John Melfi requested by The Palcich Family

### Thursday, February 3 - 12:00 noon

Alexander Weaver requested by Lucy & Joseph Kim  
Pelagia Klimaszewska requested by Veronica Solis  
Owen & Kathleen Hughes requested by Larry & Dorothy McGuire

### Friday, February 4 - 8:00 am

Paschal Ojukwu requested by Chinelo Ojukwu  
Intentions of Deacon Gaston Mabaya  
requested by St. Michael's Bible Study Group  
Eunice Evering requested by St. Michael's Bible Study Group

### February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**First Reading:** Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8

**Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 15:1-11

**Gospel:** Luke 5:1-11

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



Please pray for all those who have died, including:

**Johanna Kiewiet** wife of Harry, sister of Marian Zientara



The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops for Daily Readings.

<http://ec2-34-245-7-114.eu-west-1.compute.amazonaws.com/>

**The Children's Bible** is available online weekly at <https://thekidsbulletin.com/#ip-carousel-3374> You are invited to print the bulletin for your child and set a few minutes aside to talk about what they heard and participate in the fun activities in the bulletin. For those unable to attend mass, you can tune into Sunday mass by following this link as well. <https://stmichaelslondon.ca/sunday-mass>

**Y.A.N.A.** - You Are Not Alone is a faith-based, confidential, support group for those journeying with a loved-one who suffers with mental illness. There is no need to be alone. Come share and receive wisdom and compassion. We are currently meeting via Zoom on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month. Next meeting: Jan. 24<sup>th</sup>. If you would like more information, call Cathie Gauthier 519-850-0600 ([cathiegauthier@rogers.com](mailto:cathiegauthier@rogers.com))

**NEW DAY** - New Day is a faith-based, support group for people living with a mental illness. Come – receive and share in the compassion and strength of the welcoming group. We have continued to meet throughout the pandemic via Zoom every Tuesday afternoon from 1:30 – 3:00. If you would like to make inquiries, please call Cathie Gauthier 519-850-0600 ([cathiegauthier@rogers.com](mailto:cathiegauthier@rogers.com))

### i.d.9:16 A Community of Missionary Disciples

Please check Facebook page London Ontario i.d., visit [www.id916.com](http://www.id916.com) or email [id916london@gmail.com](mailto:id916london@gmail.com) to get the latest information about i.d.9:16 upcoming events and how to register.

### Springbank Catholic Family of Parishes Truth and Reconciliation Series

In the fall of 2021, the Springbank Catholic Family of Parishes offered an on-line lecture series of six sessions to share the stories of the Truth and Reconciliation process. The series titled "And The Truth Shall Set You Free" with guest speakers that include Dr. Richard Vedan, Dr. Valerie Waaboose, Murray Sinclair, Jesse Thistle, Dr. Peter Jaffe, Bishop Jon Hansen, and Archbishop Murray Chatlin. The St. Michael's Social Justice Committee invites you to view this informative series on the Springbank Catholic Family of Parishes website at [www.springbankcatholic.ca](http://www.springbankcatholic.ca)



### Sunday Collection

January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022

Regular Offertory \$2,575  
Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,840  
PayPal \$310 & Pllenty \$356  
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.

Please make cheques payable to St. Michael's Parish and write SSVP on the memo line or for an electronic donation, select SSVP from the drop-down list on Pllenty.

### This Week at St. Michael's

#### Monday, January 31

- 5:30 pm—Northern Hospitality take out meals—Outside Pick up at south east corner Hall Doors

#### Tuesday, February 1

- 7:00 pm—Knights of Columbus—Virtual

#### Wednesday, February 2

- 7:00 pm—RCIA—Virtual

#### Thursday, February 3

- 1:00 pm—Bible Study—Virtual
- 7:00 pm—Bible Study—Virtual
- 7:00 pm—I.D. 9:16 Disciples' Prayer—Nave
- 7:00 pm—Liturgy Committee—Virtual

#### Friday, February 4

- 8:30 am to 10:00 am—Exposition—Nave
- 10:00 am to 10:30 am—Benediction—Nave
- 10:30 am—Divine Mercy—Nave

#### Saturday, February 5 and/or Sunday, February 6

- *Live Stream Mass—Please Visit Website for Mass Time*

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/live-stream>

**Divine Mercy Chaplet** - Immediately following the 8:00 am mass, the Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed in the Church. Each Friday we will continue this beautiful prayer. Please note on the first Friday of the month, the Chaplet will be prayed following 10:00 am Benediction.



### St. Josephine Bakhita African-Caribbean Catholic Community, London, Ontario

- We are inviting all Africans, Caribbean and anyone who would like to join us for our monthly Masses. Our Mass is held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of every month at St. Michael Parish, 511 Cheapside St. London at 2:30 pm. Kindly join us for this amazing time in the presence of the Lord. Mass will be celebrated on Sun Jan 23, 2022 at 2:30 pm.

**Offertory Envelope Pick Up** - The 2022 envelopes are available from the parish office during regular office hours. Please call if you plan to come by. If you do not have a boxed set assigned to you and would like one, please contact the office [stmichlon@dol.ca](mailto:stmichlon@dol.ca) or 519-433-6689.

**Extension of the Dispensation from the Sunday Obligation**- As communicated to priests and parishes in the diocese on November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021, Bishop Fabbro has extended the dispensation from the Sunday obligation up to and including Sunday February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Please visit the Diocese of London website at <https://www.dol.ca/> to find the latest updates from Bishop Fabbro, scroll to Diocesan News.

### St. Mary Catholic School Choir and Orchestra Program

St. Mary School has begun the application process for entrance to Grade 5 for 2022/2023 and it is open to all Grade 4 Students in the London District Catholic School Board. All applicants must meet the admission requirements. Please contact your principal for further details about the application and audition process, or call St. Mary at 519-675-4423. Application Brochures are in LDSCB schools and are available on the St. Mary School website <https://mal.ldcsb.ca/>. The applications deadline is February 18, 2022.



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