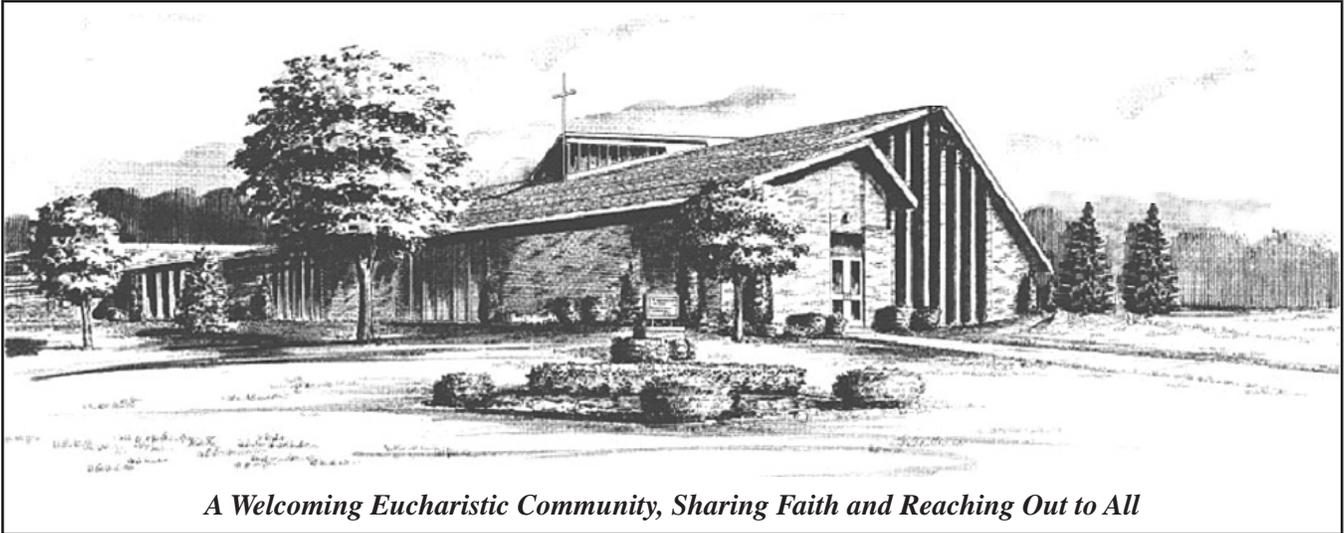


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PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

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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.

JANUARY 7TH, 2018 EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Women of Grace - Women, you are invited to come and join other women in discovering God's purpose and mission for you. Women of Grace is a faith formation program that will be held on the second and fourth Tuesdays, from 12:30-2:00 pm in the JP11 room upstairs, starting with information meeting on January 9th. For more information or to register, call Veronica Solis at 519-488-6265 or e-mail at versolis@hotmail.com. Registration required. Materials can be purchased or borrowed for the duration of the Study. All are welcome! Limited space, register soon!

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.

Farewell to Rod Tramble - It is with sadness that we say goodbye to Rod. He has been a wonderful presence here in the Parish. Anyone who had Rod assist them, knows he did it with great gentleness and care. We wish him well in his new chosen path of work.

Rev. Murray Sampel



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

16th - Executive Meeting
21st - Parish Breakfast
27th - Council 12820 basketball Free Throw

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.

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/>

Capital Corner - As another year of Give to Grow - Foundations for Our Future winds down, we must say Bless You and Thank You for your continued support and generosity. Donations have again surpassed the amount pledged for the year. We have had continued fulfillment but also new gifts being contributed! This care and dedication to our Parish home means that we can pay off our debt faster and thus save interest costs. Thank you again and wishes for a very blessed New Year.

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 8th](#), [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!

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 Jan 10th](#). 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.

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.

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion - The Bishop has appointed 15 new Ministers of Communion for the Parish. This appointment is for the next 3 years. They will be installed. Thank you to these men and women who have volunteered their services to us.

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.

JANUARY 7TH, 2018 EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Mass Intentions

Monday, January 8 - 12:00 noon - Baptism of The Lord

Jose Besinio requested by Manny Besinio
Florida Dalit requested by Mimi Besinio
Aurelio Dalit requested by Mimi Besinio

Tuesday, January 9 - 12:00 noon

Intentions of Joe & Marilyn Dewan requested by The Dewan Family
Colette Bradley requested by The Bradley Family
Guido Dimech requested by Reno Camenzuli

Wednesday, January 10 - 8:00 am

Pamela Ann Bondy requested by The Sivilotti Family
Irene & Harold England requested by Dorothy & Larry McGuire
Charlotte Baker requested by Alex & Gem Cooray

Thursday, January 11 - 12:00 noon

Joseph Loch requested by The Jasinski Family
Dora Telfer requested by Joe & Marilyn Dewan
Cheryl Ann MacDonald requested by Rosemary Motz

Friday, January 12 - 8:00 am

Sofia & Gabriel Sr. Paiva requested by The Paiva Family
Intentions of Fr. Murray requested by CWL
Owen Boyd requested by The Dodds Family

Saturday, January 13 - 9:00 am

Intentions of Daniel Hartwick requested by Nick & Candace
Intentions of Jerome Kieffer requested by Nick & Candace
Michael Said requested by Salvina Said & Family

January 14th, 2018 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: 1-Samuel 3:3b-10, 19

Second Reading: 1-Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20

Gospel: John 1:35-42

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



All those who are sick, including:

Jane Tyers	John Hunt	Greg Giesen
Paula Lenardon	Nick Greeson	Grace Wren
Cherylann Robinson	Cathy Meyers	Jennifer Ackford
Dan Eldridge	Han Kiewiet	



And all those who have died, including:

Jo-Ann McClinchey sister of Marguerite Moffat
Michelle Goodhue sister of Rosemary Myers

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.

Canadian Catholic Bioethics Institute Bioethics Matters are available on line at <http://www.ccbi-utoronto.ca/bioethics-matters/>



Sunday Collection December 24th, 2017

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Some of our Parishioners have allergies and are sensitive to perfume. We invite people to refrain from using perfume and cologne.



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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 8

- 5:30 pm—Northern Hospitality Community Meal—Hall
- 6:00 pm—English Learners—St. Kateri Room
- 7:00 pm—CWL Ukulele Group Practice—St. Francis Library
- 7:00 pm—Newsletter Team Meeting—St. Anthony Room
- 7:00 pm—Youth Stations of the Cross Practice—Nave

Tuesday, January 9

- 9:30 am—St. Michael's School Mass—Nave
- 12:30 pm—Women Of Grace—St. John Paul II Room
- 3:00 pm—Property & Maintenance—St. Francis Library
- 7:00 pm—Knights District Meeting—St. John Paul Room
- 7:15 pm—Social Justice Committee—St. Anthony Room

Wednesday, January 10

- 8:45 am—Seniors on the Move Exercise (SOTM)—Hall
- 9:30 am—St. Kateri School Mass—St. Kateri School
- 10:00 am to 12:00 noon—Art Club—Library Room
- 6:30 pm—RCIA—St. John Paul II Room
- 7:00 pm—YANA (You Are Not Alone) Meeting—St. Francis Library
- 7:00 pm—Liturgy Committee—St. John Paul II Room
- 7:00 pm—Rosary Guild—St. Anthony Room
- 8:00 pm—AA—St. Andre Bessette & St. Kateri Rooms

Thursday, January 11

- 10:30 am—Masonville Manor Mass—Masonville Manor
- 1:00 pm—Young at Heart Cards (YAH)—Hall
- 3:00 pm—Bereavement Group—St. Anthony Room
- 7:00 pm—Bible Study—Hall

Friday, January 12

- 9:30 am—St. Catherine of Siena School Mass—St. St. Catherine of Siena School
- 10:30 am—Seniors on the Move Exercise (SOTM)—Hall

Saturday, January 13

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

Please Mark Your Calendars

Northern Hospitality community Meals - Jan 8, 15, 22 & 29
Mom's Group - Jan 16 - 10:00 am
Knights of Columbus Executive - Jan 16 - 7:00 pm
SVDP - Jan 16 - 7:00 pm
EDGE - Jan 17 - 7:00 pm

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

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>

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