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PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY

OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON Corrie Gicante

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

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 9:30 to 10:30 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 - Contact Fr. Murray/Fr. Peter

Marriage - Arrangements to be made at least six months in advance

Marriage Preparation - Feb 21-23, 2014 Call the Parish Office

Priesthood/Religious Life - Call Fr. Amszej or Fr. Murray

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.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Grand Knight - Bud Jardine

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE: President - Margaret McGee

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

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

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

9:50am 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
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 interested in taking a closer look at what it is to be a Roman Catholic? Here is your opportunity. If you or a family member, neighbor, friend or coworker have never been baptized or are non-active members of another faith tradition, come join us and find answers to some of your inquiries. We will begin our process on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. beginning October 9, 2013. If you are interested, please contact Helen Green, Pastoral Minister at hgreen@dol.ca or call the parish office at 519-433-6689 X215

GOD IS SO GOOD!!!!

We are planning to create a Baptismal Team to assist our priests with the celebration of the wonderful sacrament of Baptism. If you are available to help either during a Mass or during an afternoon, please call or email Helen Green, Pastoral Minister. We will provide the training and a schedule in September for all those who come forward to welcome these beautiful gifts from God into our faith community. Helen's phone number is 519-433-6689 X215 or email is hgreen@dol.ca

Hospital Chaplains

As you know, there have been many changes in Hospital Procedures, including Pastoral Care. As a Catholic, when you are admitted to the hospital you need to request the services of the Priest for a visit or Blessing of the Sick through the Pastoral Care Department. Each of the hospitals in London has a Chaplain assigned to them by the Bishop.



The **CWL** Diocesan Committee is planning a trip to the London Diocesan Shrine of Our Lady of the Rosary in Merlin, on **Wednesday, July 17**. The day will include celebration of the Mass, Living Rosary, and Adoration. Ladies are asked to bring a rosary, lunch, snacks and a lawn chair for the day. If interested in attending contact Mary Maxwell at 519- 660-0174.

Thank you for all items donated for Women's Community House and My Sister's Place at the Spring Pot Luck Dinner. These organizations are very appreciative of our concern and support.

The **next CWL meeting** will be held on Monday, **September 9 at 7:00 p.m.** Check our parish bulletin later this summer for further details.

Babysitting Room Volunteers Needed for September!

We are looking for adult and teen volunteers to help take care of the young children in our parish! Commitment time average is one Mass every month. If you would like to help during the 10:30am Mass, please contact Melissa Veenvliet (519-488-5292)

Dan Schutte, Composer of 'Here I Am, Lord' Coming To London For Concert/Workshop

The Institute for Catholic Formation in partnership with King's University College is pleased to bring singer and songwriter Dan Schutte to our diocese this summer. Dan Schutte is the composer of countless well-loved hymns, including, Sing a New Song, City of God, and Here I Am, Lord.

Dan will be offering a concert on **Friday, August 23, 2013** 7:30 p.m. at Elizabeth A. "Bessie" Labatt Hall, King's University College, London. Cost \$10 per person. For information and to download registration forms, go to: www.danschutte.dol.ca. or call Christine Gilmore 519-432-1824 ex. 282.

Young At Heart - Cards

Drop in for an afternoon of cards, on **Thursdays at 1:00 pm to 3:30 pm**. Light refreshments, conversation, bridge and euchre in the Parish Hall. Cards are provided. Friends are welcome!

Registration is not required-simply bring a loonie and pay as you go!



SYNC YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER

Serving Youth in Christ at St. Michael's Parish

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

CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK AND TWITTER!

For Youth Ministry updates, Catholic links and inspirational quotes check us out on our new Facebook page (www.facebook.com/sync.stm) and new Twitter account (@syncstm)

THANK YOU TO YOUTH MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

A special thank you to the many volunteers that contributed to the life of the parish this school year through Youth Ministry. From sacramental preparation to Teen Nights; Family Nights, Grade 5-7 retreats, the skating party in March Break and those involved with the Stations of the Cross; the work of the Youth Commission and many other roles behind the scenes. You are all people who are generous with your time and talents and our parish thanks you for your leadership.

CALLING ALL FAMILIES!

CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF FAITH – WED JULY 10

MASS AND BBQ: To celebrate this Year of Faith, the Diocese of London is holding a special mass celebrated with Bishop Fabbro at St. Peter's Basilica on Wed July 10 at 4:30pm followed by a BBQ at 5:45pm at St. Peter's School. All are welcome!

CONCERT: Matt Maher is a singer, song-writer and worship leader whose music and life have inspired people internationally to turn toward the Father in worship and prayer (mattmahermusic.com). He places a great emphasis around the ideals of compassion, devotion and openness which is reflected through his music and life. He joins the Diocese of London on Wed July 10 as we celebrate the Year of Faith for a concert at Centennial Hall at 8pm (doors open at 7pm). Tickets are \$20 plus applicable fees. For more info visit the Diocese website at www.dol.ca

DIOCESAN CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP CAMP

Are you going into grade 9, grade 10, grade 11, grade 12 in September and looking for a fun and exciting way to spend the week of July 8-12 or Aug 19-23? The Diocesan Catholic Christian Leadership Camp is a 5 day, 4 night summer camp opportunity where youth have the opportunity to strengthen their leadership skills by participating in group activities with elements of faith, social justice and prayer. This opportunity is designed to give young people confidence in their faith journey and strengthen them as witnesses of hope in their families, schools, parishes and communities. The cost of the camp is \$190 for those in grades 9-11 and \$225 for those in grade 12. This fee includes all meals, lodging and activities. For more information about registering and receiving parish sponsorship please call Natalie at the Parish Office, check out the camp poster on the Youth Ministry bulletin board or go to "clc@dol.ca"

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

We'd like you to become familiar with Two Catholic, faith-based, outreach support groups for those effected in any way by mental illness.

"NEW DAY": for those recovering from mental illness, depression, or extreme stress. Currently meeting every Tuesday at St. Peter's Cathedral Parish Hall from 1:30-3:00 P.M., with requests for a weekly evening group as well.

"YOU ARE NOT ALONE" (Y.A.N.A.): for people supporting a loved one with a mental illness. This group meets the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of every month at St. Michael's Parish, 511 Cheapside St., London from 7:00 - 8:30 P.M.

We are looking for more volunteers to assist in these programs, as well as a representative from each Parish to serve as a contact person. Training will be provided. If you'd like to become involved in your Parish outreach, we'd like to talk to you.

Please contact: Cathie Gauthier: 519-850-0600, or Deacon Bob/Joanne Hartman: 519-473-2263

Disaster relief donation cheques directed to the Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace (CCODP) should be **made payable to St. Michael's Parish** with a memo line indicating the relief country you would like your donation to go to.

JULY 7TH, 2013 FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions for July 9th to July 13th

Tuesday, July 9 - 12:00 noon

Clinton Litt requested by Shirley Litt
Angela Callaghan requested by The Family
Guiseppa Favaro requested by The Family

Wednesday, July 10 - 8:00 am

Intentions of Bernice Green requested by Marcella Rijavec
Intentions of the McKee Family
Intentions of Greg Aarsen requested by Yana Adkinson

Thursday, July 11- 12:00 noon

Wim & Barbara Van der Linden requested by Adrian Van der Linden
Johanna Schmida requested by Doris Montag & Family
Anthony Lazar requested by Carolina & Lilly

Friday, July 12 - 8:00 am

Savio Jacques requested by Philomena Jacques & Family
Mary Lou Beechie requested by Doreen White
Marion Stock requested by Nick & Candace Schiestel

Saturday, July 13- 9:00 am

Antonio Michenzie requested by The Family
Joao Luis requested by Ana Luis
Numeriano Batucan requested by Maria Theresa B. Satorre

July 14th, 2013 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



First Reading: Deuteronomy 30:10-14

Second Reading: Colossians 1:15-20

Gospel: Luke 10:25-37

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



All those who are sick, including:

**Nick Greeson, Gabriel Dugand,
Beverly McKenzie, Sue Cavender, Greg Giesen,
Doug Murray, Maria Tallieu, Kathleen Graham,
Bea Kinahan & Julie Cooper.**

And all those who have died, including:

Al Kesteloot brother-in-law of Elaine Feeney & uncle of Peter Feeney

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.

Upcoming mass dates: **Tues Jul 9, Tues Aug 13, Tues Sep 10,
Tues Oct 8, Nov 12 & Dec 10**

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

Upcoming Project Rachel Retreats

Project Rachel College/University Retreat for Women and Men: Oct. 4-6

Project Rachel Autumn Retreat for Women: Nov. 29-Dec. 1
Project Rachel Spring 2014

Retreat for Women: May 30-June 1, 2014

For more information or to register, call Project Rachel at 1-888-355-1110 or 519-646-2950 (private and confidential).

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

Catholic Websites

www.stmichaels.dioceseoflondon.ca, www.dol.ca, www.catholic.net,
www.catholicnews.com, www.vatican.va, www.saltandlighttv.org



**Sunday Collection
June 30th, 2013**

Regular \$7,178
Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,258
Thank you for your continued generosity!

Please Note:

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



St. Vincent de Paul Outreach

SVDP Loose Collection is the 2nd Sun of each month.
Please make cheques payable to St. Michael's Parish and write on the memo line SVDP.

The SVDP Stores are in great need of summer clothing for children, youth and adults—Please drop off clothing donations at the York Street Location. Thank you.



This Week at St. Michael's

Wednesday, July 10

- 8:00 pm—A.A.—Rooms B & C

Thursday, July 11

- 1:00 pm—Cards—Hall

Please Mark Your Calendars

African & Caribbean Catholic Mass - Jul 28 - 2:30 pm

Exposition - Aug 2 - 8:30 am to 12:00 noon

Benediction - Aug 2 - 12:00 noon

Civic Holiday - Aug 5 - Parish Office Closed

African & Caribbean Catholic Mass - Aug 25 - 2:30 pm

Moms & Dads Group - restart Sep 11/13 - 9:30 am to 11:30 am

Parish Office Closed - Sep 2 - Labour Day

Baptisms - Sep 8 - 2:00 pm

"Have you ever thought about making a legacy gift to St Michael's Parish in your Will?"

A legacy gift can leave a legacy of faith and hope to future generations.

If you would like to help St Michaels with such a gift, we encourage you to consult with your financial advisor or lawyer.

THE WORD ON THE PAGE - A CREATIVE WRITING BLOG

The Word on the Page, our creative writing group has evolved into an online blog at <http://stmichaelswordonthepage.blogspot.com/>. We will post on a regular basis articles and resources related to creative writing within the spirit of our Catholic faith. Parishioners of all ages are welcome to visit us at this site and share comments and even some of their own works of creative writing.

Stewardship Prayer

O Lord, giver of life and source of our freedom, we are reminded by the psalmist that Yours is "the earth and its fullness; the world and those who dwell in it."

We know that it is from Your hand that we have received all we have and are and will be.

Gracious and loving God, we understand that You call us to be the stewards of Your abundance, the caretakers of all You have entrusted to us.

Help us always to use Your gifts wisely, and teach us to share them generously.

May our faithful stewardship bear witness to the love of Christ in our lives.

We pray with grateful hearts, in Jesus' name. Amen.

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