

# St. Michael's Parish

511 CHEAPSIDE ST., LONDON, ONTARIO N5Y 3X5 PHONE 519-433-6689 FAX 519-433-2301  
E-MAIL: stmichlon@dol.ca www.stmichaels.dioceseoflondon.ca



## PASTORAL TEAM

Father Murray Sample, Pastor msample@dol.ca  
Father John Sharp, Associate Pastor part time jsharp@dol.ca  
Sister Kathleen O'Keefe, Pastoral Minister kokeefe@dol.ca  
Lorne Plooard, Pastoral Minister lplooard@dol.ca  
Natalie Simek, Youth Coordinator nsimek@dol.ca

## SECRETARY

Jolanda Squire jsquire@dol.ca

## RECEPTIONIST/OFFICE ASSISTANT

Pat Estabrooks stmichlon@dol.ca

**HALL COORDINATOR** Sid Wocks, ext. 210 swocks@dol.ca

## 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.  
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* – 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

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  
**10:15am** Royal York Apts – 3 stops  
Go to St. Michaels Church



# MARCH 27<sup>TH</sup>, 2011 THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

## Stewardship Reflection

“Jesus said to her, ‘Give me a drink.’” - John 4:7

How often through our lives does Jesus ask us to give Him a drink? Remember that Jesus lives in every person who is physically hungry and thirsty and also in all those who thirst for compassion, love or care. Mother Teresa was motivated in her work in Calcutta by two of Our Lord's last words as He hung on the cross. “I thirst” – John 19:28 Sometimes it may be difficult for us to give the drink that Jesus asks from us. Yet, can we really refuse to share our time, talent or treasure to relieve Our Lord's thirst in this world?

## Weekday Masses During Lent

There will be a 12:00 noon Mass each day Monday to Friday and a 9:00 a.m. mass on Saturday during Lent.

NO Masses at 8:00 am on Wednesdays and Fridays during Lent

## *Triduum Celebrations*

*The three Days of Easter are treated as one day.*

*The celebration of Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday are about our faith: these days flow into each other.*

*Please make every effort to celebrate*

*Holy Thursday 7:30 pm, Good Friday 3:00 pm and the greatest celebration of all, Holy Saturday 9:00 pm*

## Palm Sunday - April 16<sup>th</sup> - 7:00 pm

Taizé Prayer, the Newman and Sunday 12:30 pm Choir will lead in song a time of Taizé Prayer. Taizé Prayer is a time of reflection, scripture and song. The evening prayer will focus on the gift of the Eucharist.

## “Return to me with all your heart” - Third Sunday of Lent

This Sunday, our Elect (those seeking to be initiated at the Easter Vigil), will stand before us asking for God's mercy and help as they proceed through their Lenten retreat. In preparation for this First Scrutiny they have pondered the grace they need to abandon all that keeps them from relationship with Christ. The Prayer of Intercession will cry out very specifically for that which they long: to drink deeply of the living water, to slough off consumerism, to speak out of integrity, to be courageous in witnessing to their new found joy, etc. As the Elect move intensely through the Lenten period, they indeed become witnesses for us of the depth that is possible in the conversion process. Let their witness strengthen us in our prayer and reflection. Invite the Lord to pour clean water over each of us and wash away our sins. Remember that on April 6 the Sacrament of Penance will be available all day in our parish. The schedule for this “all-day confessions” event is from 8:30 am to 8:30 pm on Wednesday, April 6<sup>th</sup>, 2011.

## Piano Replacement

We are in need of a new Piano to serve the community for worship. It is used many times and so the replacement is going to be expensive. We are looking for contributions to help us make this replacement possible. If you can give, place contributions in an envelope marked piano. Thank you.

## Hospital Chaplains

As you know, there have been many changes in Hospital Procedures, including Pastoral Care. Now, 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.

## St. Vincent De Paul Camp Summer Job Opportunities

If you are interested in helping to make "a summer of memories" for children, please send your resume to 80 King St. E. Chatham, ON. N7M 3M8, fax 519-354-0859 or svdpcamp@mnsi.net. Job descriptions available at [www.svdpcamp.com](http://www.svdpcamp.com). Counsellors-in-training must be 16 years old by June 30 2011.

## YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER

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

## LAST SPORTS NIGHT FOR THIS SCHOOL YEAR!

### COME AND JOIN US!

St. Michael's Parish Youth Ministry is hosting its final sports night for this school year on **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.**

### FAMILY SKATE A SUCCESS!

On Tuesday March 15, there were nearly 70 parishioners who came out for the free skate at Carling Arena. Youth Ministry would like to thank you for your generous donations to the London Food Bank. We would also like to thank the volunteers that helped out with welcoming skaters, those who provided snacks and those who collected and delivered the food bank donations. We hope to see you out on the rink next year!

### ONE WORLD YOUTH TALENT SHOW

The One World Talent Show was a great success!! Thanks to the many people who attended to support the more than 30 children participating. Children from all across London entertained the audience with singing, instruments, dancing and more. Hosts Jocelyn and Danielle Hoevenaars educated us about the benefits of clean water and inspired us to help African communities enjoy better health which results in more education and more enterprise. \$2700.00 was raised at the show (we started the day with \$1500.00) bringing the total to \$4200.00. With these funds, a clean water well + two washrooms+ health and hygiene training will be sponsored for a rural community in Liberia, Africa through Lifewater Canada, a registered charitable organization. Visit them at [lifewater.ca](http://lifewater.ca) to find out more about this volunteer-run organization.

### WORLD YOUTH DAY SPRING RAFFLE AND BAKE SALE

#### April 9, 10

The World Youth Day pilgrims will be hosting a raffle and bake sale on April 9 and 10 and are looking for donations for the raffle. This could include gift certificates, sports tickets, gift baskets, gardening items or a whole variety of items! Please contact Natalie in the Parish Office if you have anything you would like to donate. Thank you for your continued generosity.

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

If you are in **Grades 8-12** and are interested in participating in the Stations of the Cross on Good Friday (April 22) at the 10 am service, you are invited to our **first practice held in the church on Sunday April 3 from 7-9 pm**. This is an awesome chance to share your time and talents with our faith community as you lead our parish in reflection of the last days of Jesus' earthly life. The other practices are Tuesday April 5 (7-9pm), Sunday April 10 (7-9pm), Sunday April 17 (6-9pm), and our dress rehearsal will be held on Thursday April 21 from 9pm until midnight following Holy Thursday Mass.

"The Paschal Mystery and the Kingdom of God" with Joseph Martos: On Thursday March 31, 2011 at 7:30PM, The Office of Campus Ministry at King's University College is hosting Dr. Joseph Martos, author of Doors to the Sacred, as part of its annual Lecture Series. Dr. Martos will explore the connection between the personal experience of the paschal mystery and the social experience of the kingdom of God. The lecture will take place in Labatt Hall 105 (King's University College, 266 Epworth Avenue, London). Parking and admission are free and everyone is welcome. Contact Campus Ministry at 519.963.1477 or [campusministry@kings.uwo.ca](mailto:campusministry@kings.uwo.ca) for information.

**Anniversary Cookbook:** Available in the Parish Office during business hours. If interested please contact the office at 519-433-6689.

*All Day Confessions Wednesday April 6<sup>th</sup>, 2011 8:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.*

# MARCH 27<sup>TH</sup>, 2011 THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

## Mass Intentions for March 28<sup>th</sup> to April 2<sup>nd</sup>

### Monday, March 28 - 12 noon

Antonio Michienzi requested by Piagio DiBlasao  
Helen Devereaux requested by Jim Devereaux  
Margaret Murney requested by Ross Murney & Family

### Tuesday, March 29 - 12 noon

Thomas & Evelyn Laurie requested by Agnes McAdam  
Intentions of Frances Thorn requested by Bernice Green  
Henry Forani requested by Don & Mary Kay

### Wednesday, March 30 - 12 noon

Fr. Frank White requested by Marilyn & Jack O'Brien  
Helen Devereaux requested by Pat & Margaret Johnson  
Duy-An Nguyen requested by Cong Dinh

### Thursday, March 31 - 12 noon

Antonio Michienzi requested by Josephine & Mario Baldasserre  
James & Margaret Irving requested by Agnes McAdam  
Mrs Bea Orlando requested by Dr. & Mrs Marotta

### Friday, April 1 - 12 noon

Jenny Tornabuono requested by Michael Paino  
Joe Tornabuono requested by Sam, Joan & Jenny Tornabuono  
Cecilia Meidinger requested by Doug & Audrey Meidinger

### Saturday, April 2 - 9:00 am

Rita Jacobs requested by Friends  
Ann Fleming requested by Mary Gallagher  
Lucille Charron requested by St Michael's C.W.L.

### Readings for Next Weekend

April 4<sup>th</sup>, 2011 Fourth Sunday of Lent

First Reading: 1 Samuel 16.1, 6-7, 10-13

Second Reading: Ephesians 5:8-14

Gospel: John 9:1-41



All those who are sick, including:

**Cathy Overholt, Gerda Scheid,  
Rosemary Darmanin, Paul Bossons,  
Theresa McCluskey, Rita Irving, Corry Kox,  
Don Rodar & Mary Thompson.**

And all those who have died, including:

**Jose Rodrigues** husband of Emma,  
**James Campbell** brother of Mary Gooding & Kathleen VanAlphen,

The **Diocese of London Vocations Office** is proud to sponsor an amazing and unique event taking place throughout our diocese leading up to the ordinations to the priesthood. The diocese will be hosting three performances of **VIANNEY** performed by Leonardo Defilippis. The play will take place:

Wed. April 27, 2011 at Our Lady of the Atonement Parish, Windsor  
Thurs. April 28, 2011 at Our Lady Help of Christians Church, Wallaceburg  
**Fri. April 29, 2011 at Holy Family Parish, London**

**ALL PERFORMANCES WILL TAKE PLACE AT 7:30 pm. NO TICKETS REQUIRED --- FREE WILL OFFERING DONATIONS ACCEPTED.**

**3RD ANNUAL PASSOVER SEDER MEAL:** The Centre for Jewish-Catholic-Muslim Learning at King's University College is pleased to announce the celebration of a Traditional Seder Meal to mark the Jewish celebration of Passover on Sunday April 10, 2011 at 5:00 PM at Or Shalom Synagogue (534 Huron Street, London). The celebration will be led by Rabbi Ammos Chorny of Or Shalom Synagogue and will include a full, traditional meal. The cost is \$25 for adults and \$10 for students. Registration is required and seating is limited, so register early. For more information on the event, or to register, please contact the Centre at [cjcm1@kings.uwo.ca](mailto:cjcm1@kings.uwo.ca) or by phone at (519) 963-1477. More information and registration forms are available on our website at [www.kings.uwo.ca/cjcm1](http://www.kings.uwo.ca/cjcm1)

## Babysitting Schedule

Apr 3rd, 2011

10:30 a.m.

Danielle Gorski  
Erica Glatt



## Sunday Collection

Mar 20<sup>th</sup>, 2011

Regular \$9,193

Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,334

SVDP \$565

Parish Hall Roof /Capital Fund  
envelope collection to date \$65,909

*Thank you for your  
continued generosity!*



## St. Vincent de Paul Outreach

Loose Collection for SVDP is the  
2nd Sunday of each month.

St. Vincent de Paul store located at 585 York Street has an immediate need for couches and dressers. Please call 519-438-7071 for pick up. Any clothing should be dropped off at the store.

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

## ALTAR SERVERS

APRIL 2ND & 3RD

5:00 p.m.

Stephanie Li  
Vivian Li  
Aakaash Dominic  
Mackenzie Mason

8:30 a.m.

Ian Talbot  
Claire Talbot  
Timothy Rebelo  
Elyse Scheid

10:30 a.m.

Megan Kirwin  
Patrick Kirwin  
Amar Venga  
Anjali Venga

12:30 p.m.

Alyssa Young  
Giuliana Strano  
Andrew Ngo



*"Serving God With  
Gladness!"*

## THIS WEEK AT ST. MICHAEL'S

### Monday, March 28

- 6:30 pm—CWL Central Committee—Room E

### Tuesday, March 29

- 7:30 pm—First Communion Parents Meeting—Hall

### Wednesday, March 30

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

### Thursday, March 31

- 1:00 pm—Cards—Hall

### Friday, April 1

- 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon—Exposition—Church
- 12:00 noon—Benediction—Church
- 10:30 am—Exercise—Hall

### Sunday April 3

- 2:00 pm—Baptisms—Church
- 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm—Stations of the Cross Practice—Church

## Please Mark Your Calendars

CWL - Apr 4/11 - 7:00 pm

Knights of Columbus - Apr 5/11 - 7:30 pm

Confessions - Apr 6/11 - 8:30 am to 8:30 pm

Blood Donor Clinic - Apr 7/11 - 3:30 pm

Palm Sunday - Apr 16-17/11

Mass of Chrism - Apr 18/11 - St. Peter's Cathedral

## London Area Right to Life Dinner/Silent Auction Tues. April 5<sup>th</sup>

Marconi Club, 120 Clarke Road, door opens at 5:45 pm. Tickets \$25 each.

Speaker: Rebecca Richmond from National Campus Life Network.

Tickets contact Theresa 519-432-3166 or [theresafenik@yahoo.ca](mailto:theresafenik@yahoo.ca)  
or LARTLA office 519-659-3334.

**KROWN**  
Protect. Maintain. Save.  
**KROWN RUST CONTROL CENTER**  
Michael Beukeboom  
565 Glasgow St. 519.432.3337

---

**AccuTax**  
Financial Services Inc.  
Accounting & Income Tax Services  
Personal • Business • Corporate • Estates  
369 Hamilton Road @ Rectory 519-438-1960

**D**  
**DONOHUE FUNERAL HOME**  
Family Owned Since 1930  
John & Patrick Donohue, Douglas Manners, Margaret Bloomfield, Lindsay Allan  
We will assist in all areas of bereavement, be it burial, cremation, pre-need or as need services.  
362 Waterloo St. at King 519-434-2708

**St. Peter's Cemetery And Holy Family Chapel Mausoleum**  
London's ONLY Catholic Cemetery




806 Victoria Street (519) 451-9120

**Mike Whelan**  
B.Comm, CLU, CHFC, EPC  
Chartered Financial Consultant  
Elder Planning Councillor  
*Allow me to Serve Your Financial Security Needs!*  
Legacy Partners of London / www.LegacyPartners.ca  
(519) 518-2025 Ext 22 Mike@LegacyPartners.ca




*Salon Brittash*  
Hair Extensions  
Professional Hair Stylists  
Make-Up Artistry  
462 Cheapside St., London 519-858-3192



**O'NEIL FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL**  
350 William Street London  
Joseph E. O'Neil (519) 432-7136

**Philip J. Squire Law Office**  
• Wills & Estates • Powers of Attorney  
• Slip & Fall • Criminal Defense  
• Insurance Claims • Employment Disputes  
200 Queens Ave., Ste. 302 519-673-1233 psquire@bellnet.ca



**WANT IT SOLD?**  
www.CallTheHendersons.com  
519-667-1800  
**John, Penny & Ashley Henderson**  
Sales Representatives  
**RE/MAX**  
Centre City Realty Inc. Brokerage



**Dignity Memorial**  
**Needham Funeral Service**  
Jody Belan - Manager  
520 Dundas St. 519-434-9141



**Remember...**  
Let our advertisers know you saw their ad here.



**Westview Funeral Chapel**  
PAUL R. NEEDHAM FUNERAL HOMES LTD.  
**Paul Needham**  
Funeral Director  
(519) 641-1793  
709 Wonderland Rd. N.



**Bayshore**  
Home Health  
Mary Carter, BSHC  
Area Director  
595 Bradley Ave.  
519.438.6313



**LEWKOWITZ FINANCIAL**  
Creating Wealth in Southwestern Ontario Since 1988  
Wealth Creation & Preservation. Estate planning. Charitable Giving. Strategic Tax Planning. Conservative Pension-Style Investment Management. Multi-Generational Wealth Transfer.  
No-Fee Consultation. Bring in this ad for a free gift!  
Lewkowitz Financial  
602 Dufferin Ave. (at Adelaide St.)  
Ph: 519-432-2361  
www.lewkowitzfinancial.com



**TALBOT MARKETING**  
CANADA'S NATIONWIDE DISTRIBUTOR OF PROMOTIONAL PRODUCTS SINCE 1886  
Business Gifts • Corporate Clothing • Corporate Fulfillment  
Advertising Calendars • Sales Aids & Incentives  
www.talbot-promo.com  
519-659-5862  
384 NEPTUNE CRES. LONDON  
We currently have openings for Independent Sales Representatives



**Mr Appliance**  
EXPERT APPLIANCE REPAIR  
We service all major household appliances.  
519-601-1050  
mrappliance.com



**Shopping Locally Saves Gas**

Where each life is celebrated®  
**AMG**  
A. MILLARD GEORGE FUNERAL HOME  
Family owned and operated since 1935  
by Paul J. Mullen and David Mullen  
60 Ridout St. S., London  
www.amgfh.com  
519.433.5184



**Assistance for Seniors**  
Parishioner; Cert. Pastoral Ministry  
Appointments, Errands, Visits....  
Kim Gallant (519) 432-2393  
kimmyann23@hotmail.com

**I MAID it my Business**  
Bonded & Insured  
Excellent References  
maidservice@rogers.com  
519-702-0360



**"The Placzek's"**  
Want your property sold?  
Friendly service with great results  
Commission/Discount to all church members



**HARDWOOD FLOORING**  
SALES & INSTALLATION  
FREE ESTIMATES  
GREAT PRICES - BUY DIRECT  
Call DON @ 519-630-7926

**Clean driving record?**  
Grey Power could save you up to \$400 on your car insurance.  
CALL 1-866-614-4653 FOR A FREE QUOTE.  
Open: Weekdays 8am - 10pm Saturday & Sunday 9am - 6pm  
GREY POWER  
www.greypower.com



**Please Patronize Our Advertisers!**  
For advertising space call  
1-800-268-2637

**RE/MAX**  
Centre City Realty Inc. Brokerage

Call us today at  
(519) 667-1800  
Visit us at  
www.theplaczeks.com