

St. Michael's Parish

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PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON Donna Thompson

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 - TBA

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 - Keith Rodrigues


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.

MARCH 3RD 2019 EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



St. Michael's CWL next meeting is **Mon Mar 4th** at 7 pm in St. John Paul II Room. Topic of discussion will include the upcoming Diocesan Convention. Visit www.cwllondon.ca for information on the convention.

The CWL Lenten Cross - Initiative will begin March 9th/10th. All parishioners are encouraged to participate by taking a prayer request card and/or leaving one in the baskets provided at both entrances to the church. This is a wonderful opportunity to support one another in prayer and to build a sense of community as we journey through this season of Lent.

Farwell Social for Yana - March 2 & 3 After Each Mass

Pastoral Minister Yana Adkinson has accepted a position in the Chaplaincy at St. John Paul II High School. The parish will be hosting a farewell social after each Mass on the weekend of March 2 & 3 in the St. Michael Hall. Please join in wishing Yana much success in her new role. Thank you Yana, you will be missed!



Knight's Table

Shrove Tuesday - Please come and join us in the parish hall for a Shrove Tuesday **Pancake Supper** on Mar 5th, from 5pm to 7pm.

Family Fully Alive - As part of the Knights of Columbus Building the Domestic Church program, we invite you to take home a "Family Fully Alive" booklet. It contains information on how families can become more centred on the task of serving God, neighbour, and parish. Please share this booklet with the members of your family. The theme for the month of March is Family Difficulties.

Please refer to Psalm 34:5-11

I sought the Lord, and he answered me,
delivered me from all my fears.
Look to him and be radiant,
and your faces may not blush for shame.
This poor one cried out and the Lord heard,
and from all his distress he saved him.
The angel of the Lord encamps
around those who fear him, and he saves them.
Taste and see that the Lord is good;
blessed is the stalwart one who takes refuge in him.
Fear the Lord, you his holy ones;
nothing is lacking to those who fear him.
The rich grow poor and go hungry,
but those who seek the Lord lack no good thing.

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

i.d.9:16 (www.id916.com) exists to form young adults in their 20's and 30's into intentional disciples of Jesus Christ. The first step in developing this new 'community of missionary disciples' is the monthly Disciples' Night. On the first Thursday of every month, next gathering **Mar 7/19**, at 6:15 pm, we will gather together at St. Michael's Parish for Mass, dinner, and a talk on what it means to be a disciple of Jesus Christ in our world today. Cost is \$10 with RSVP, \$12 at the door and \$5 for the talk only. *Please RSVP* via Facebook event or email id916london@gmail.com. Monthly speakers to be announced. For information contact Fr. Patrick Beneteau at vocations@dol.ca.

Israel - Jordan - Oct 24 to Nov 5, 2019 - Come join me in a pilgrimage to where Jesus lived; Capernaum; preached around the Sea of Galilee and Jerusalem. Information meeting **Mar 17th 2019 at 2:30 pm** at St. Michael's. For information call Joan Bolt 519-471-6373 or email at joanbolt@execulink.com *Rev. Murray Sample*

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

Youth Ministry

Syl Patry spatry@dol.ca or 519-433-6689 ext. 206

Confirmation 2019 Retreat is confirmed for **Saturday, March 23rd from 9am-4pm**. All Confirmation candidates are asked to attend. Contact Syl Patry for more info. Special guest speaker David Patterson and the Encounter Worship Band.

Lifeteen Encounter Worship 12:30 pm Mass

Please join us for a more contemporary sound as The Encounter Worship band leads us into worship and a Eucharistic Mass at every 12:30pm Mass.



LIFETEEN Youth - All H.S. students are encouraged to speak up and share your ideas, your needs for our High School youth gatherings once per month. Please contact Syl, our Youth Minister or email with your ideas @ spatry@dol.ca



EDGE Nights! - St. Michael's Grade 5-8 Student Group. Upcoming dates are: Wed Mar 6th & Mar 20th. Join us from 7-8:30 pm in the Parish Hall.

Stations of the Cross For Youth - If you are in High School or Gr. 8, we would love to invite you to be part of the Good Friday Stations of the Cross. Upcoming Stations of the Cross practices are **Mar 4th & Mar 18th** from 7-8 pm in the Nave (*no practice on Mar 11th - March Break*).



Parents and Confirmation Candidates are Invited to attend **CHOSEN Your Journey to Confirmation Sessions on Sun Mar 31st & Apr 28th - 11 am to 12:30 pm - Parish Hall**

For more info please contact Syl Patry.

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 **Mar 12/19**.

The Mass Educational Series

Fr. Murray will be hosting Bishop Barron's series on The Mass. There will be two sessions each Tuesday at 1:00 pm and 7:00 pm in the parish hall. The program will run for 7 weeks. **Session #3 is on Tue Mar 5th**. There is no fee for this series.

Knights of Columbus Sale - Each spring the Knights of Columbus have a sale of used goods. The money raised is forwarded to the many Charitable Groups they support. Please set aside furniture and items of good quality to donate the week before this event on Jun 1, 2019.

Pre-Authorized Giving - Have you thought more about making the move to PAG? It will save you money on cheques, you won't have to remember your envelope, and it is safe and so easy to do. Please consider enrolling in the PAG program. Complete sign up packages on the welcome desk, from the office or you can sign up on the Parish website with a credit card via PayPal. Thank you!

The 4LifeLondon Annual Gala Fundraiser - Thurs Mar 14

Tickets \$45 for Adults and \$25 for Students
Will be held at the Hellenic Centre, 133 Southdale Rd W
Contact Bonnie at 519-659-3334 or info@right2life.ca



Young At Heart - Cards

Drop in for an afternoon of cards, on **Thursdays at 1:00 pm to 3:30 pm**. Light refreshments, conversation and bridge in the Parish Hall. Cards are provided. Friends are welcome!
Registration is not required - simply bring a loonie and pay as you go!

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

MARCH 3RD 2019 EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, March 5 - 12:00 noon

William Wales requested by The Wales Family
 Intentions of Frances Murphy requested by Al & Louise Murphy
 Intentions of Colleen Murphy requested by Al & Louise Murphy

Wednesday, March 6 - 8:00 am Ash Wed

Intenctions of the Gowland Family requested by Nick & Candace
 Renato Gasparotto requested by Stephanie Gasparotto
 Renee McKillop requested by Marilyn Morgan

Wednesday, March 6 - 12:00 noon Ash Wed

Kathleen & Owen Hughes requested by Dorothy & Larry McGuire
 Richard Zientara requested by Paul & Bertha Grandy
 Intentions of Marcella Rijavec requested by Don & Mary Kay

Wednesday, March 6 - 7:00 pm Ash Wed

Tony Buragina requested by Tony & Maria Michenzi
 Steve Dittrich requested by Tom, Marg & Brian Rooke
 Peter Harding requested by Jim & Marj Hardy

Thursday, March 7 - 12:00 noon

Bernice Green requested by Don & Mary Kay
 Irma Grazietti requested by Leda DiMarcelli
 Flora Campit requested by Cora Garber

Friday, March 8 - 8:00 am

Charles Aime Campeau requested by Denis Campeau & John Demarco
 Special Intentions requested by Arun Jor
 John Mastrandrea requested by Dino & Rita Benati

Saturday, March 9 - 9:00 am

Noonie & Joe Poupore requested by Helen Holmes, Mary & Rob Herlick
 Intentions of Jesse & Theresa Wilson requested by Ann McCarvell
 Leo White requested by Mary White & Family

March 10th 2019 First Sunday of Lent

First Reading: Deuteronomy 26:4-10

Second Reading: Romans 10:8-13

Gospel: Luke 4:1-13

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



All those who are sick, including:

Joanne Carson	Greg Giesen	Helen Green
Cherylann Robinson	John Hunt	Ed Smith
Rev. Matthew George	Don Kay	Margaret Moore



And all those who have died, including:

Joel Regier nephew of Bonnie & Peter Regier

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.

Bereavement Ministry - Several inquiries have been made, requesting information and access to this support program, offered on the second Thursday of each month from 3:00 to 4:30 pm in the Parish Rooms above the office. Should you wish more information and an opportunity to speak with the Facilitator, please contact Mary, the Parish Secretary, and she will pass along your name. You can expect to be contacted by telephone shortly thereafter to receive a personal explanation of the process involved. No obligation is implied on the part of those making inquiries.

Church Building Hours : Monday to Friday 7:30 am to 4:00 pm
 Saturday 8:30 am to 11:00 am & 3:30 pm to 6:30 pm
 Sunday 7:30 am to 2:00 pm & Closed on Holidays

Scam Alert - The internet scammers reach is ever expanding. If you were to ever receive a text message saying it was from Father Murray or any staff member that asks for help, money or gift cards, please delete and do not reply to it. This is a scam and should be ignored immediately.



Sunday Collection February 17th

Regular Offertory \$7,305
 Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,822
 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.
 (Make cheques payable to St. Michael's Parish and write SSVp on the memo line.)

This Week at St. Michael's

Monday, March 4

- 5:30 pm—Northern Hospitality Meal Trinity Lutheran—Hall
- 7:00 pm—CWL—St. John Paul II Room
- 7:00 pm—Youth Stations of the Cross Practice—Nave

Tuesday, March 5

- 1:00 pm—The Mass Educational Series—Hall
- 7:00 pm—The Mass Educational Series—Hall
- 7:00 pm—Knights of Columbus—St. John Paul II Room

Wednesday, March 6 - Ash Wednesday

- 8:00 am, 12 noon & 7:00 pm—Mass—Nave
- 9:30 am—St. Michael's School Mass—Nave
- 10:30 am—Seniors on the Move Exercise (SOTM)—Hall
- 1:30 pm—St. Mark's School Mass—St. Mark's School
- No Richmond Woods
- 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm—EDGE Youth—Hall
- 8:00 pm—AA—St. Andre Bessette & St. Kateri Rooms

Thursday, March 7

- 1:00 pm—Young at Heart Cards (YAH)—Hall
- 5:00 pm—I.D. 9:16—Nave and Hall
- No Bible Study (next session Mar 14th)

Friday, March 8

- 9:00 am to 11:00 am—Art Club—St. Francis Library
- 10:30 am—Seniors on the Move Exercise (SOTM)—Hall
- 11:00 am—Stations of the Cross—Nave

Saturday, March 9

- 10:00 am—Retrouvaille Post Sessions—St. John Paul II Room
- 10:00 am to 12:00 noon—Yarning with Love—St. Francis Library
- 6:00 pm—Retrouvaille Pot Luck & AGM—Hall

St. Mary's Family Theater Movie Series

Affordable Quality Family Entertainment (ages 10 and up)

La Vita e Bella (Life is Beautiful) - Sat Mar 9

6:30 pm following the 5pm mass

Goodwill Donation - A special \$5 Italian Pizza Dinner will be available.
 At St. Mary's Parish Hall - 345 Lyle St N5W 3R3 - 519-434-9121

Employment Opportunity

St. Michael's Parish has an immediate opening for a full-time Pastoral Minister. This dynamic position will be responsible for many areas of faith formation, program coordination and delivery, and working with the grade 2 & 3 children in our supported schools. This role involves weekend and evening work. Reliable transportation a must. The ideal candidate will possess a certificate in pastoral ministry and have some previous practical work in the field. A more detailed job description can be found on the parish and Diocese of London website. Compensation will be based on the Diocese of London guidelines. Applications will be received until March 9th, 2019 at 4 p.m. We thank all applicants, however only those selected for an interview will be contacted. Please send all applications with resume and 2 references to St. Michael's Parish, Attention: Douglas Manners, Business Administrator in person, mail or fax or by email to dmanners@dol.ca

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