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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

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 Sr. Kathy O'Keefe
Marriage - Arrangements to be made at least six months in advance
Marriage Preparation - Call the Parish Office
Priesthood/Religious Life - Call Fr. Amszej or Sr. O'Keefe
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

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.

MAY 12TH, 2013 ASCENSION OF THE LORD

DON'T MISS THIS!!

REDISCOVER CATHOLICISM STUDY GROUP: IT'S POWERFUL, PRACTICAL, & LIVEABLE! ... and, we promise... it's fun!

Bring your family and friends! Each Wednesday morning 10:00am - 11:30am or evening 7:30pm - 9pm we will have a study group to examine what it means to REDISCOVER CATHOLICISM in the 21st century. Discover the *Seven Pillars of Catholic Spirituality*. Babysitting provided for the morning program. **Don't miss this opportunity!**

Baptism

We welcome the following children into our Parish Community through the Sacrament of Baptism.

Danica Rae Ijan Bonoan, Chloe Grace Daniel,
Owen Richard Robert Elgie, Lily Noelle Madamba
& Graydon Matthew Daniel Mather.



Knights of Columbus Upcoming Events

Sun May 12 - Parish Breakfast - 8:30 am to 12 noon
Tues May 21 - Executive Meeting - 7:30 pm

St. Michael's Parish 2nd Annual YARD SALE JUN 1st/13

Hosted by St. Michael's Knights of Columbus.

All funds that are raised will go to St. Michael's Parish.

Last year over \$3,000 was raised. This year we are asking all members of the parish to once again come together and support us with your generosity. Remember this is a parish effort. This event is in 2 weeks and it is never too early to start setting items aside to donate to the cause. Remodeling or redecorating, do not throw out your unwanted items, donate them to the YARD Sale! More details to assist you will be announced in the near future.

On behalf of your Knights of Columbus it is our pleasure & privilege to organize and assist with this special Parish event.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ONGOING SUPPORT
Bud Jardine-Grand Knight -Council # 12820

St. Michael's Parish Mission

"Unwrapping the Gift of Faith" - May 19th-22nd, 2013

Mon May 20th 7:30 pm - Faith as Radical Trust

Tues May 21st 7:30 pm - Faith as Fidelity to all our Relationships

Wed May 22nd 7:30 pm - Faith is Looking at Life with Easter Eyes

Fr. Philip Chircop S.J. will also preach at all masses

Sat May 18th, Sun May 19th & Weekday

masses: Mon May 20th to Wed May 22nd at 10:00 am

Bishop's Dinner - Tues Jun 18/13

London Convention Centre - Tickets \$125 per person

Hosted by Most Rev. Ronald P. Fabbro, CSB

Musical Performance by John McDermott

bishopsdinner@dol.ca or call Frances at 519-432-1824

Proceeds benefit the Institute for Catholic Formation at

St. Peter's Seminary-Buy your tickets before they are sold out!

Mental Health Outreach

You Are Not Alone—An ongoing, faith-based, support group for those supporting someone with a mental illness. Meetings at St. Michael's, 7:00 – 8:30 pm, 2nd and 4th Wed. of the month

New Day—An ongoing, faith-based, support group for those living with mental illness. Meetings at St. Peter's, Rm. 205 every Tues 1:30 – 3:00 pm.

**Welcome! If you wish more info on either group, call 433-6689
Ext. 5. Leave a message and someone will return your call.**

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!

LET US PRAY:

For the school community at St. Kateri, who officially changed their school name on Wed May 8

For the students of Mother Teresa High School who participated in a city-wide prayer crawl this Thurs May 9

For the grade 5-7 retreats that continue this month

For the newly Confirmed youth of St. Michael's Parish who will attend Confirmation retreats on May 22 and 23

For the Youth Commission who will gather on Sat May 25 to vision for the coming year of Youth Ministry at our Parish
St. Michael, Pray for us

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 1-5, 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 "cclc@dol.ca"

TEEN NIGHT

SUN MAY 26, 7:30-9PM, ST MICHAEL'S PARISH HALL

Attention all grades 8-12: Come and join in the next Teen Night for games, snacks, prizes and learning more about the Bible and our Catholic faith. New youth are always welcome.

Theology on Tap – Catholic + Career = ?

All young adults in their 20s and 30s are invited to join us at 7:30pm on Tuesday, May 14th, at **St. George Parish** (1160 Commissioners Rd W, London) for a discussion on **Catholic + Career = ?** Join us as we explore what it means to be a professional Catholic today. What are the challenges that you face in your workplace? **Dr. Larry Chow**, a practicing cardiologist at London Health Sciences Centre, and **Kim McPhee**, a librarian at the University of Western Ontario, will share their experiences and answer your questions as we explore this topic together. Come early and join us for Mass at 7:00pm. Theology on Tap is a discussion series for Catholic young adults and their friends, married and single, in their 20s & 30s that takes place on the second Tuesday of every month. Connect with us online: www.facebook.com/ToT.SGHF. Sponsored by St. George and Holy Family Parishes.

Garden Mulch for St. Michael's Parish - Volunteers Needed

Come and help the St. Michael's Parish Knights of Columbus with the spreading of mulch on **Saturday, May 25th, at 9:30am**. Volunteers are asked to meet outside the Cheapside door entrance with energy and enthusiasm and, if possible, please bring shovels, rakes and wheelbarrows; it will be very much appreciated. Students can gain volunteer hours by participating. Thank you for your support!

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/>.

DivorceCare is a friendly, caring group who will help you through a separation or divorce. Join us June 1 & 15, from 9-5, at St. Michael's Parish in London. For more info, contact St. Michael's Parish at 519-433-6689, stmichlon@dol.ca, or www.divorcecare.org

MAY 12TH, 2013 ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Mass Intentions for May 14th to May 18th

Tuesday, May 14 - 12:00 noon

Terry Rourke requested by Carol Rourke & Family
Savio Jacques requested by Philomena Jacques & Family
Ron Cauduro requested by Doris Montag

Wednesday, May 15 - 8:00 am

Wib Bruder & Family
Wilma Kanters requested by Ann Bruder
Rachael Denys requested by Johan Denys

Thursday, May 16 - 12:00 noon

Albert Lalonde requested by Joan & Clay Grandy
James McIntyre requested by Kelly Kiteley
Narciso R. Pineda Sr. & Agnes G. Pineda
requested by Maribel Pineda

Friday, May 17 - 8:00 am

Mildred Wilbur requested by Marilyn & Steve Morgan
Florence McGouey requested by Dorothy & Larry McGuire
In Celebration of Judy & Pete Sandford's 45th Anniversary
requested by Bunny & Paul Harris

Saturday, May 18 - 9:00 am

Belardino & Conceta Purificato requested by Tony & Rosa Castrilli
Intentions of the Chapman & Agro Families
requested by Ann Bruder & Family
Marcel Belleville requested by Aline Belleville & Family

May 19th, 2013 Pentecost Sunday

First Reading: Acts 2:1-11

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3-7, 12-13
or Romans 8:8-17

Gospel: John 20:19-23 or John 14:15-16, 23-26

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



All those who are sick, including:

**Mrs. Nunes, Nick Greeson
Gabriel Dugand, Jean-Paul Clancy,
Greg Giesen, Doug Murray
& Kathleen Graham.**

And all those who have died.

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 May 14, Tues Jun 11, Tues Jul 9,
Tues Aug 13, Tues Sep 10, Tues Oct 8, Nov 12 & Dec 10**

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!



Music Ministry

We are in need of more voices and instrumentalists in all our choirs as Music is central to the celebration of Mass. To support the community in giving praise to God, we need volunteers to offer their singing voices. We want Tenors, Basses, Altos and Sopranos. No matter your age, we need YOU!! Please speak to Fr. Murray at 519-433-6689 x 202 for more information.

5:00 pm Saturday practice Tuesdays at 7:00 pm

8:30 am Sunday practice Thursdays at 7:00 pm

10:30 am Sunday practice Thursdays at 7:30 pm

12:30 pm Sunday practice Sundays at 11:15 am

If we have some young people interested in Life Teen style music contact Fr. Murray.



Sunday Collection May 5th, 2013

Regular \$9,635
Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,291
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. Thank you.

This Week at St. Michael's

Monday, May 13

- 7:00 pm—English Learning—Library Room

Tuesday, May 14

- 7:15 pm—Social Justice—Room D

Wednesday, May 15

- 8:45 am—Exercise—Hall
- 10:00 am—11:30 am—Rediscover Catholicism—Room E
- 7:30 pm—9:00 pm—Rediscover Catholicism—Hall
- 8:00 pm—A.A.—Rooms B & C

Thursday, May 16

- 1:00 pm—Cards—Room E
- 3:30 pm—Finance Meeting—Library Room
- 7:30 pm—Pastoral Parish Council—Room E

Friday, May 17

- 10:30 am—Exercise—Hall

Sunday, May 19

- Parish Mission
- 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm—Teen Night—Hall

Please Mark Your Calendars

Victoria Day - May 20/13 - Parish Office Closed
Parish Mission - May 19 to 22 - see posters for times
SVDP - May 21/13 - 7:00 pm
You Are Not Alone - May 22/13 - 7:00 pm
African Caribbean Catholic Mass - May 26/13 - 2:30 pm
CWL Central Committee - May 27/13 - 6:30 pm
Parish Yard Sale - Jun 1/13 - 8:00 am to 1:00 pm
Baptism - Jun 2/13 - 2:00 pm
CWL Potluck - Jun 3/13 - 7:00 pm
Knights of Columbus - Jun 4/13 - 7:30 pm
Blood Donor Clinic - Jun 6/13 - 3:30 pm to 7:30 pm
Exposition - Jun 7/13 - 8:30 am to 12:00 noon
Benediction - Jun 7/13 - 12:00 noon
Property & Maintenance Committee - Jun 11/13 - 4:00 pm
Baptismal Prep - Jun 11/13 - 7:00 pm
MTS Grad - Jun 11/13 - 7:00 pm
Social Justice - Jun 11/13 - 7:15 pm

English Learning

For any person from a non-English speaking country wanting to learn about the Mass and it's responses in English. Please come to a class offered on Mondays from 7-8pm in the Library Room.

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

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

Catholic Websites

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

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