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PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON Gail Brown

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 to 10:30 a.m. & 4:00 to 4:30 p.m.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism - 1st Sunday of each month at 2:00pm or mass of your choice.

Baptismal Preparation - Contact Fr. Seejo John

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

Marriage Preparation - Feb 27th, 28th and March 1, 2015

Priesthood/Religious Life - 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.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK: Contact the Parish Office.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE (CWL): President - Margaret McGee


KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Grand Knight - George J. Rogister

PRAYER LINE: Prayer requests are received at prayerline@rogers.com or call 519-433-6823

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.



*Congratulations to
Mark Cordeiro & Kimberly Sanchez
Who celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage
On May 16, 2015*



The Knights Table

St. Michael's Parish Yard Sale - The Yard Sale will be held on May 30, 2015 from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm. Donations to the Yard Sale will be accepted each day from 10:00 am to 7:00 pm starting on **Tuesday, May 26th until Friday, May 29th**. Please use the south east door to the church hall to bring in your donations. Please contact the St. Michael's Church office or the Grand Knight @ 519-663-9858 to make arrangements for pick-up of oversized donations. The CWL will be operating a refreshment booth at the Yard Sale.

We would like to thank The Most Reverend Bishop Joseph Dabrowski CSMA for the sharing of his gifts and time with us last weekend. We are indeed blessed to have him as the Auxiliary Bishop of the London Diocese.

Our Bereavement Banner "I know my redeemer lives" has been taken down. Crocheted angels bearing the names of loved ones who died in the past year have been removed from the banner and will be available for pickup at the back of the Church.



Volunteers Needed for New Committee
Your involvement is encouraged!

Volunteers are needed to serve on the Planning and Organizing Committee for the "Market Place Arts and Craft Bazaar" in mid November. If you are energetic and enjoy sharing your ideas and talents in planning and organizing, please consider joining this new committee. Contact Karen at 519-858-2853 or email at owensk@rogers.com. The first meeting will be in late May. Donations of handcrafted items such as sewing, knitting, crocheting, woodworking, etc. and baked goods and preserves (pickles, sauces, salsa, jams, jellies, etc.) from parishioners would be greatly appreciated as well as donations of products from businesses. More detailed information will follow after the new Committee meets in May.

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 much, much more. You can bookmark prayers and create your own. Go to: <http://catholicapps.com/laudate/>

Eucharist to Shut-ins

St. Michael's is always seeking individuals to take the Holy Eucharist to those who can no longer get to Mass. Bringing Christ to our brothers and sisters is such a gentle and caring way to reveal God's love to others. The time commitment would be just 2 visits every three months and transportation is essential. Please contact the office at 519-433-6689 if interested. Background check required and paid for by the Parish.

CAPITAL CORNER:

Our new roof is progressing beautifully! We hope that everyone is pleased with the progress and are happy with the appearance. The style really is striking and even better, the security it will provide is a blessing. The roof and the boiler are just portions of the overall plan to secure the Foundations for our Future. The goal of the Give to Grow campaign is to be able to complete the final project of the upgrading of HVAC for the church as well as other maintenance and improvement projects. We need your support and prayers! If you have not yet decided on how you can invest in the future of St. Michael's, please continue with your discernment. We are so thankful of the gifts to date and we are closer to our goal; but we do need your help to get there. Thank you! Pledge cards and envelopes are located in the pews.

'Lord teach me to be generous' – St. Ignatius of Loyola

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!

DIOCESAN CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP CAMP

Are you going into grade 9, grade 10, grade 11 or grade 12 in September and are looking for a fun and exciting way to spend the week of June 29-July 3, July 27-31, Aug 10-14 or Aug 17-21? 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 \$240 and will be offered from June 29-July 3 at Camp Sylvan in Parkhill, ON; July 27-31 at Huron Church in Bayfield, ON and from Aug 10-14 and Aug 17-21 at the JP II Faith and Culture Center in Port Burwell, ON. This fee includes all meals, lodging and activities. For more information about registering please call Natalie at the Parish Office, check out the camp poster on the Youth Ministry bulletin board or go to www.dol.ca to register online.

TEEN NIGHT

All teens in grades 9-12 are invited to attend our Teen Nights that take place on the 1st and 3rd Sunday's of the month. Come and join us for games, prayer, prizes, snacks and an opportunity to learn more about your Catholic faith. Invite a friend!

Upcoming Teen Nights: Sun May 24 **note that we skip the May long weekend ** (7:30-9pm, Parish Hall and School Yard), Sun June 7 (7:30-9pm, School Gym), Sun June 21 (7:30-9pm, Parish Hall)

YOUTH CHOIR: NEW MEMBERS WELCOME!

Calling all youth in grades 4-12 who are interested in joining our NEW youth choir! Do you love to sing or play a musical instrument? We are looking for young people to lead our parish in giving God praise and worship at a mass once a month. Practices are held on the 1st and 2nd Sat of the month from 3-4pm at the church in the choir room. The youth choir will lead music on the 2nd weekend of the month, at a different mass each month (June 14 at 8:30am). If you are interested in signing up, please email Holly Langohr at: holly.langohr@gmail.com

Come share in our **Joyful Garden Ministry** and be hands on in bringing the Rectory Gardens to life! St. Michael's new Garden Ministry is looking for volunteers to help with the spring maintenance and planting of the Rectory Gardens. No experience necessary, just the willingness to be hands on and share. Volunteers wanted for the mornings of: Saturday May 30th 2015 and/or Saturday June 6th 2015. Share in our Parish spirit and passion for helping God's gifts grow! For more information and to sign up, please contact: alythiabenjamine@gmail.com; or phone: 226-224-3533

PARKING: Important reminder during construction!

As we witness our church exterior becoming transformed into the secure foundation for the future, there will be more vehicles on site for the next 3 months. Please remember when attending weekly masses to park in allowable areas **ONLY** - along the fence line in the lot or in legal spots on our side streets. Please **do not park** anywhere against the school or block anyone's driveway when parking on the street. It is going to be a challenge for a short while, but one that will have a marvelous outcome! Thank you.

Children's Ministry

St. Michael's is very fortunate to have our vibrant Children's programs and a core group of dedicated leaders and volunteers. They can always use more to support them in this important Ministry! It is an opportunity to enjoy the energy of young people and also to share the good news with them. If you are attending 10:30 Mass with your family; why not be a part of one of the programs! We have had positive response in the past weeks and we continue to invite others. Please get in contact with the office and share your time with the youth.

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

MAY 24TH, 2015 PENTECOST SUNDAY

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, May 26 - 12:00 noon

Bill & Marianne McLaughlin
Elaine Feeney requested by Peter Feeney
Mary Miller requested by Ron & Mary Hall

Wednesday, May 27 - 8:00 am

Irene Gilpin requested by Adele Elin
Joe Luis requested by Sofia Machado
Intentions of Lynda Tubridy requested by Paul & Bunny Harris

Thursday, May 28 - 12:00 noon

Florence & Ken Barta requested by Steve Barta
Elaine Feeney requested by Kevin & Mary Catherine Flynn
Peter Viher requested by Alida & Ivan Viher

Friday, May 29 - 8:00 am

Sofia Paiva requested by The Paiva Family
In Thanksgiving to St. Joseph
Lina Zullo requested by Herman & Agnes Lansink

Saturday, May 30 - 9:00 am

In celebration of Paul & Bunny Harris' 45th Wedding Anniversary
requested by The Harris Family
Michael Bugeja requested by Lawrence & Mary Bugeja
Oscar Rodriguez requested by The Rodriguez Family

May 31st, 2015 Trinity Sunday

First Reading: Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40

Second Reading: Romans 8:14-17

Gospel: Matthew 28:16-20

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



All those who are sick, including:

**Peter Lynch, Albin Kovacic, Gabriel Paiva,
Greg Giesen, & Nick Greeson**

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.

Tues Jun 9/15, Jul 14/15, Aug 11/15, Sep 8/15, Oct 13/15

Lighthouse Catholic Media

Discover the beauty and modern relevance of Catholicism with Lighthouse Catholic Media CD's and Books. Looking for inspiration, a chance to grow your knowledge and love of your Catholic faith or wanting to encourage someone else? Lighthouse CD's are always available in the narthex. This Father's Day weekend you'll have a chance to explore Lighthouse books and CD's at a table in the narthex; all titles just \$5. Grow your faith or change someone's life simply by giving a book or CD. Be inspired by the best content wherever you need it most.

Men & Abortion Conference:

June 11, 12, 13, 2015 in Niagara Falls, Ontario

Any men, who have been hurt by an abortion experience, or anyone walking with such a person on their journey, are invited to attend this conference. Members of our Diocesan Project Rachel ministry will be present at this conference, to connect with you, if you wish. <http://allianceforlife.org/men-abortion-conference-2015/>

Catholic Websites

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

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



Sunday Collection

May 10th, 2015

Regular offertory \$9,359
Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,148
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Prayer requests/petitions
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St. Michael's Prayer Line
email address
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or call 519-433-6823



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.*

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 5:30 to 6:30 pm in the Library Rm

This Week at St. Michael's

Monday, May 25

- 5:30 pm—Community Meal—Hall
- 5:30 pm—English Learning—Library Room

Tuesday, May 26

- 10:00 am to 11:30 am—Art Club—Room E
- 10:00 am to 7:00 pm—Yard Sale Collection—Hall
- 7:00 pm—Liturgy Committee—Room D

Wednesday, May 27

- 10:00 am to 7:00 pm—Yard Sale Collection—Hall
- 9:30 am to 11:30 am—Moms Group—Room E
- 6:45 pm—Refugee Committee—Room D
- 8:00 pm—AA—Room B&C

Thursday, May 28

- 10:00 am to 7:00 pm—Yard Sale Collection—Hall
- 1:00 pm—Cards—Room E
- 1:30pm—Faith Sharing—Room C

Friday, May 29

- 10:00 am to 7:00 pm—Yard Sale Collection—Hall

Saturday, May 30

- 8:00 am to 1:00 pm—Parish Yard Sale—Hall

Join the Walk for Life on Saturday June 6th, 2015

Mass prior to Walk at 8:30 am at St. Mary's Church.
Registration is at 9:15 am, Walk begins at 9:45 am.

The 5km route (approx. 1 hour) starts and finishes at St. Mary's
Choir School with a BBQ and family entertainment to follow.

*The Walkathon is London Area Right to Life's main fundraiser;
please walk or sponsor others. For more in call 519-659-3334.*

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.


Theology on Tap is a discussion series for Catholic young adults and their friends, married and single, in their 20s & 30s hosted by Holy Family and St. George parish communities for info https://www.facebook.com/ToT.SGHF/timeline?ref=page_internal

St. Kateri Catholic elementary school is always open for registration throughout the school year for students in Kindergarten through Grade Eight. St. Kateri is a school where all students are respected, cherished and welcomed as God's children. It is a community that learns and grows together through Christ, and will invite your child to flourish in a supportive and inclusive learning environment. Please call the school office if you have any questions at 519-675-4410.

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