

St. Michael's Parish

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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

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 Anne Hanley

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

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.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK: Contact the Parish Office.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Grand Knight - Bud Jardine


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
Kristin Delaney and Benson Thomas
Who celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage
On May 10, 2014*



**CWL SPRING BAKE SALE
& PERENNIAL SALE**



The St. Michael's CWL will be hosting its annual sale of baked goods and perennial plants after all masses on **May 24 and 25**. The League is looking for your support through donations of baking and/or plants, as well as through the purchase of items on the sale weekend. The funds raised will be used to help the many groups and organizations that have come to count on the Catholic Women's League for their needs.

Thank you to our CWL members and our parish community for supporting this event. Donations of baked goods and plants may be dropped off in the church hall prior to masses on **May 24 & 25**.



Parish Yard Sale-May 31th from 8 am to 1 pm.

I know from past years that St. Michael's Parishioners are the most dedicated and generous people in the city of London. Let's work together by donating items, helping during the setup the week of May 26 to 30 and attending the yard sale on May 31st. **Donation drop off times are Mon May 26/14 to Fri May 30/14 from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm at the Parish Hall.** Remember what you donate are someone else's treasures. If you have additional coat hangers please drop them of at the parish library. There will be additional information posted at the entrances to the parish during the month of May.

*You Are Truly an Exceptional Group
Your ongoing support is greatly appreciated.
Thank you all so very much! Bud Jardine*

A New Spring Project

Now that spring is on it's way, have you thought about how you can become more involved in ministry? There are opportunities for babysitting on Wednesday and Sunday mornings. You might feel called to take the Eucharist to the elderly and infirm. How about assisting on Sunday mornings with our children's programmes? Perhaps you would like to join the Prayerline. Do you have a talent or another way to contribute? Contact Anne Hanley at the Parish Office. 519-433-6689 ext. 203

Commissioning for Eucharistic Ministers

If you are a Communion Assistant at Mass or transport Communion to the Sick in care facilities or private homes, please note that commissioning will take place at the weekend Masses of June 21st /22nd. Watch the bulletin for more details.

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/>.

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!

Eucharist to Shut-Ins and Nursing Homes

We have a great number of volunteers who bring Communion each Sunday to our Brothers and Sisters who cannot join us because of illness. You will notice that after mass is finished they will receive the hosts and be sent in our Parish's name. Please pray for the Ministers and those who receive the Eucharist. We are asking that if you are in the habit of taking Communion to a family member, to please have your pyx prepared before mass and then come forward at the end of mass to receive the Eucharist.

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 our Catholic Schools, as they continue to pass on the Christian faith and traditions to our youth
- For the students of Mother Teresa High School who participated in a city-wide prayer crawl on Thurs May 8
- For the grade 5-8 pastoral visits that continue this month in our four elementary feeder schools
- For the newly Confirmed youth of St. Michael's Parish; disciples called to serve, lead and spread the Word of God
- For the Youth Commission who will gather on Sat May 24 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 or grade 12 in September and are looking for a fun and exciting way to spend the week of June 30-July 4, July 7-11, July 14-18, Aug 4-8, Aug 11-15 or Aug 18-22 ? 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 \$200 for those in grades 9-11 and \$235 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 (519-433-6689 ext. 206), check out the camp poster on the Youth Ministry bulletin board or go to www.dol.ca to register

YNC TEEN NIGHTS

- May 25:** Kin-Ball, 7:30-9:00pm (St. Michael's School Gym/in the field if it's nice weather)
- June 1:** Plasma-Car Races, 7:30-9:00pm (Church Hall)
- June 15:** Pitch and putt golf, 7:30-9:00pm (School yard)

Only 6 Seats Available - Holy Land Pilgrimage Sep 4-17

Have you ever wondered about the Road to Emmaus or the town of Capernaum? Have you wondered about the Sea of Tiberius or the city of Jerusalem? There are only 6 seats left for the journey with Jesus. If you would like information contact Joan Bolt 519-471-6373. We have a woman who needs a travel companion. Fr. Murray Sample - Chaplain

THE KNIGHTS TABLE- May Schedule

May 26-31 Yard Sale Support Required

Tuesday Jun 3 General Meeting 7:30 pm (LAST ONE BEFORE SUMMER)

NOTE TO ALL PARISHIONERS: HAVE YOU FOUND ITEMS TO DONATE TO OUR PARISH YARD SALE ON 31 MAY???



New Lector Training:

For those persons interested in becoming a lector for our liturgies, either during the week or weekend, we will have training sessions on the first Wednesday evening of the month from 7 - 8 p.m. in the church (next session Jun 4/14). If you are interested, please let Helen Green know and she will make the necessary arrangements. John Mombourquette and Kelly Wharton will be the trainers, so please let us know if you would like to serve in this ministry. Helen can be contacted at hgreen@dol.ca or at the parish office at 519-433-6689 X215.

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/>

MAY 25TH, 2014 SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, May 27 - 12:00 noon

Intentions of Nicole Jones requested by Adele Zeversenuke
Marion Sandley requested by Mary & Ron Hall
Evelyn Quigley requested by Brian & Pat

Wednesday, May 28 - 8:00 am

Morris Schuurmans requested by Tom & Catherine Ross
Kaye Adams requested by The Digby Family
Art Parker requested by Mona Parker

Thursday, May 29 - 12:00 noon

Brad Joseph requested by Ron & Bernice Joseph
Mrs. Abey requested by The Cooray Family
Katherine Coghlin requested by Bernice Green

Friday, May 30 - 8:00 am

Al Jasinski requested by Kathie MacPhail
Isidore LaPorte requested by Doug & Mary Margaret Denomme
In Thanksgiving to the Infant of Prague
requested by The Iurman Family

Saturday, May 31 - 9:00 am

Alexandre Machado requested by Sofia Machado
Eva Digou requested by Linda & Larry Round
Mary Schiestel requested by Nick & Candance Schiestel

June 1st, 2014 Ascension of the Lord

First Reading: Acts 1:1-11

Second Reading: Ephesians 1:17-23

Gospel: Matthew 28:16-20

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



All those who are sick, including:

**Tony Botelho, Greg Giesen,
Mabel Marshall, Steve Morgan,
Greg Rowe, Maria Garcia del Castillo
& Janet Heerema.**

And all those who have died, including:

Fr. Stephen Bodnar,
Helen Margaret Valeé mother of Penny and John Ross,
Dorothy Crover mother of Cathie Gauthier &
Sister Anne Antaya, CSJ a Sister of St. Joseph.

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.

Tuesday June 10, 2014, July 8, 2014, August 12, 2014, September 9, 2014, October 14, 2014, November 11, 2014, December 9, 2014 & January 13, 2015.

Bishop's Dinner - Tues Jun 10/14

London Convention Centre - Tickets \$125 per person
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bishopsdinner@dol.ca or call Frances at 519-432-1824 ext. 255
Proceeds benefit the Institute for Catholic Formation at St. Peter's Seminary-Buy your tickets before they are sold out!

London Area Right to Life Association Inc.

Walkathon Saturday, Jun 14/14
8:30 am Mass at St. Mary's Church, London
Registration 9:15 am. Walk begins at 9:45 am (approx. 1 hr).
For more information call 519-659-3334.

Diocesan Treasures - Jun 16/14 - Deb Majer

Terrific Tales of London & Area Series at London Central Library
5 lectures by local historians about London & area
Mondays at 7:00 pm - Jun 9 to Jul 7/14 - Stevenson & Hunt Room



Sunday Collection

May 11th, 2014

Regular Offertory \$8,521
Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,422
Thank you for your continued generosity!



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 26

- 9:00 am to 7:00 pm—Yard Sale Collection—Hall
- 5:30 pm—English learning—Library Room
- 6:30 pm—CWL Central Committee—Room E
- 7:30 pm—Bible Study—Room D

Tuesday, May 27

- 9:00 am to 7:00 pm—Yard Sale Collection—Hall

Wednesday, May 28

- 9:00 am to 7:00 pm—Yard Sale Collection—Hall
- 8:00 pm—AA—Rooms B & C

Thursday, May 29

- 9:00 am to 7:00 pm—Yard Sale Collection—Hall
- 1:00 pm—Cards YAH—Room E
- 1:30 pm—Faith Sharing—Library Room

Friday, May 30

- 9:00 am to 7:00 pm—Yard Sale Collection—Hall

Saturday, May 31

- 8:00 am to 1:00 pm—Yard Sale—Hall

Sunday, Jun 1

- 2:00 pm—Baptism—Church

St Michael's Parish-London, Ontario-Employment Opportunity Full Time Business Administrator

Position Description: St Michael's Parish, a large, vibrant Roman Catholic Parish serving north-central London, requires a full-time Business Administrator. The successful applicant will have training and experience in administration, accounting, and human resources, and strong interpersonal skills. The Business Administrator assists the Pastor by managing the business (temporal) functions of the parish so that the Pastor and the other members of the Pastoral Team can focus on pastoral matters.

This is a new position for the Parish and so the candidate will have an opportunity to create a job of service to the community. The successful candidate must understand and be supportive of the mission of the Catholic Church. Salary: In accordance to the Diocese of London Personnel Policy.

Notes: A detailed job description is available upon request from Rev. Murray Sample, Pastor. Please send resume and three (3) references to: St. Michael's Parish, Rev. Murray Sample, Pastor, 511 Cheapside St, London ON N5Y 3X5 msample@dol.ca and indicate on the envelope "Business Administrator".

Post Date: 24 May 2014 - Closing Date: 29 June 2014

We thank all applicants for their interest, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

Are you on Twitter? Looking for some daily inspiration?

Fr. Peter tweets a short reflection on the daily Mass readings in 140 characters or less - no long, boring homily here!
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