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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 - Weekend Feb 10, 11, 12, 2012

Priesthood/Religious Life - Call Fr. Sample, Fr. Sharp 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 6TH, 2012 FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Stewardship Reflection

"Children, let us love not in word or speech but in deed and truth." - 1 JOHN 3:18

How do we love in deed and truth? The answer is through stewardship – giving some of our time to spend with Our Lord in prayer, giving some of our talents to do ministry in the parish, giving some of our financial blessings to support the work of the Church.

Catholic Education Week will be celebrated from

May 6 – May 11, 2012

This year's theme is Catholic Education: Walking in the Light of Christ. During this week, schools will be celebrating the enduring gift of Catholic education with special prayers and presentations. We ask that this parish community pray for our Catholic schools, that they may continue to bear witness that they strive to walk in the Light of Christ. Call your local school to find out the wonderful things that are happening during Catholic Education Week!

Survey for Parishioners in Light of 2011 Trends Report

As part of Bishop Fabbro's ongoing consultation related to the 2011 Trends Report, parishioners are invited to participate in the ongoing development of our diocesan planning process by completing an online Parishioner's Survey. Parishioners will be asked questions related to their faith experience, beliefs and practices. You will also be asked to contribute to how the Church might better serve its members, welcome back members who have drifted away and attract new members to our parishes. The survey is confidential unless you choose to identify yourself. Parishioners will have until May 10 to complete the survey. Please go to www.dol.ca to participate.



CWL - The St. Michael's CWL will meet on Monday May 7, at 7:00 pm in Room E

This month we will be welcoming special guest Mary Dann from Springhill Flowers for a demonstration of springtime flower arranging. All women of the parish are welcome to attend.

St. Peter's Cemetery Memorial Mass - Tues May 8, 2012

Beginning with the Rosary at 4 pm followed by Mass at 4:30 pm.

Intentions are for all those interred at St. Peter's Cemetery since the last Memorial Mass, for all those interred at St. Peter's and for all the loved ones of those present whether buried at St. Peter's or elsewhere in the world.

Everyone is welcome to come to pray for their loved ones.

CWL SPRING BAKE SALE & PERENNIAL SALE

The St. Michael's CWL will be hosting a sale of baked goods and perennial plants after all masses on May 26 and 27. 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.



Knights of Columbus Yard Sale - Saturday June 2nd

St. Michael's Parish Knights of Columbus will be hosting a Yard Sale on Saturday, June 2nd, 2012 at St. Michael's Parish. All are invited.

Land of St. Paul and St. John

Have you ever read the Letter of St. Paul or the Gospel of St. John and wondered about where did they proclaim this message about Jesus? There are only six seats available.

September 6-19, 2012 I will be acting Chaplain to a Group of Pilgrims, who are going to walk in the footsteps of St. John and St. Paul. We are going to visit Turkey and go to Istanbul, Cappadocia, Pamukkale, Kusadasi, Ismir and Ephesus. If you are interested in the details please contact Joan Bolt at 519-471-6373.

YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER

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

A Special Note to those who Received Confirmation:

Congratulations! What an awesome commitment of faith you made in front of your family, friends and our faith community this past week. St. Michael's Parish continues to pray that each of you will have the strength to stand up for your faith whether it be at home, school, work, playing music, in dance class or on the hockey rink. The Church and our world are blessed to have young men and women like you. May you continue to use the gifts of the Holy Spirit throughout your life as a Christian: the gifts of wisdom, understanding, counsel, courage, knowledge, piety and awe and wonder of God. Amen!

TEEN NIGHT – SPORTS SUNDAY!!!

THIS SUNDAY MAY 6, 7-9PM, ST MICHAEL'S SCHOOL YARD

All youth in grades 8-12 are invited to come and join us for an evening of sports, door prizes, prayer and snacks on Sunday May 6 from 7-9 p.m. For this Teen Night, we are meeting at St. Michael's Catholic School Yard (*change in location*) (926 Maitland St). We will finish our gathering in St. Michael's Parish Hall. Any questions? Call Natalie at the parish office at 433-6689 ext 206

YOUTH MINISTRY DISCUSSION – SHARE YOUR VOICE!

Our parish's Youth Commission meets on May 11-12 to look back on the last year in Youth Ministry and evaluate how we can improve for next year. We invite all parishioners (adults and youth) to join our Youth Commission for an open discussion where you can share your ideas on ministry to youth in Grades 5-12 and their families! This gathering will be held on Saturday May 12 from 1-2pm in Room E at the parish. Your voice makes a difference.

ADULT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR C.O.R. EAST RETREAT

Christ in Others Retreat is a Catholic youth movement that exists to provide for its members a forum for sharing their faith without judgement. COR is a youth movement, which tries to make young people aware of themselves, their parents and families, and their relationships in the family. It reveals to them the presence of Christ in others. Through discussions, activities, prayer, and just living and sharing together for a weekend, COR attempts to open lines of communication and areas of reflection that will carry over into their everyday lives - home, school, parish, place of work. The theme of COR is "Pass It On". The retreat encourages its members to Pass it On by extending themselves to the community in service. This is all achieved in the spirit of Christ. We at St. Michael's church are working together with other East end parishes, namely Mary Immaculate to build a COR retreat for teens in the East end of city to premiere this fall 2012. There is currently an active COR movement to support the youth within the West end of London and a need within our church community. This is an amazing experience that would not only enrich the lives of the youth within our parish, but also attract new and active young parishioners to our church. We are looking for adult volunteers to make this life-changing opportunity available for St. Michael's youth. We are looking for adults (ages 18+) to be cooks, servers, drivers, and chaperones for the weekend. For more information regarding the COR retreat experience and additional details regarding volunteer needs, please join us for an Informative Meeting on Wednesday May 23rd at 7pm in Room D at St. Michael's Parish.

SAVE THE DATE... IT'S COMING...ON SUNDAY JUNE 10 6:30-9:30PM AT ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH

**"SPIRIT ON FIRE" Youth Ministry Night open to all parishioners
6:30-7:30 Teen Night and separate talk for parents
7:30-9:30 Concerts by two popular Catholic artists:**

CHRIS BRAY (chrисbraymusic.com)

FR. STAN FORTUNA (francescoproductions.com)

YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS IT!

STAY TUNED FOR MORE DETAILS...

MAY 6TH, 2012 FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Mass Intentions for May 8th to 12th

Tuesday, May 8 - 12:00 noon

Tom Moulton requested by Bob & Diane Van Kleek
Intentions of Edward & Florence Schumacher
requested by The Family
Giovanni Poalo requested by Elia Letizia DeSuma

Wednesday, May 9 - 8:00 am

Wib Bruder & Family
Dr Yvan Brassard requested by Ron & Carole Hebert
Intentions of Aidan Kellow requested by Margaret Kellow

Thursday, May 10 - 12:00 noon

Savio Jacques requested by Sabina & D'Souze Family
Catherine Schumacher requested by Paul & Karen Agro & Family
Genoveffa Rossi requested by Don & Mary Kay

Friday, May 11 - 8:00 am

Henry Freriks in Honour of the Precious Blood of Jesus
requested by Louise & Toke Poppe
Rosamma Varghese requested by Joe & Carolina Varghese
Mary Ellen Hendrick requested by Larry & Teresa Carroll

Saturday, May 12 - 9:00 am

Michael Said requested by Salvina Said
Menna Bruder requested by Ann Bruder & Bette Chapman
Marcel Belleville requested by Aline & Family

Readings for next week

May 13th, 2012 Sixth Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48
Second Reading: 1 John 4:7-10
Gospel: John 15:9-17



All those who are sick, including:

Mary Thompson, Ryan O'Quinn,
Lillian Inglis, Butch Cavender,
Trevor Stanton, Jack Caswell
& Marie White.

And all those who have died, including:

Hugo Upegui father of Beatriz Upegui Vargas,
Migil Valvano father of Miguel Valvano &
Emanuel Brotzel brother of Wendel Brotzel.

Mother's Day Memorial Service

St. Peter's Cemetery invites everyone to attend this Service
to be held in the Mausoleum Chapel on
Saturday, May 12th at 1:00 pm
to be celebrated by Rev. Joseph Dabrowski (Seating available)

St. Vincent de Paul Camp

Sign up for the ultimate camp experience! Weekly rates: \$200/child.
Sessions run July 8-Aug. 24. Call 519-354-1885 for more information.
Open house: **Sunday May 27, 2-4 pm.**
For directions and information, visit www.svdpcamp.com.

Thank you

A special thank you to all of our Parish families who are participating
in our monthly Pre-Authorized Gift Giving, it certainly helps with our
ongoing financial planning and expense management. We presently
have 185 families participating.

You Are Not Alone: - A friendship and faith-sharing group for people
in recovery from mental illness and people supporting a loved
one with a mental illness. We meet the 3rd Monday of every month,
7:00 to 8:30 P.M., at St. Michael's Parish, in Room D. For information,
call Cathie Gauthier 519-850-0600, or Deacon Bob/Joanne
Hartman 519-473-2263.

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
or phone 519-738-6136.

Babysitting Schedule

May 13th, 2012

10:30 a.m.

Lara Vanderlaan
Victoria & Alex



Sunday Collection

April 29th, 2012

Regular \$10,211
Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,385
Outreach \$5

Thank you for your
continued generosity!

Please Note:

No Children's Liturgy (Gr. 2-4)
on Mother's Day May 13/12
or Father's Day June 17/12

(Babysitting & Sunday School
will take place both dates)



St. Vincent de Paul Outreach

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

ALTAR SERVERS

May 12th & 13th

5:00 p.m.

Stephanie Li
Vivian Li
Sachu Jinson
Cyriac Jinson
Ian Bagnas

8:30 a.m.

Marissa Ryan
Sarah VanEerdewijk
Zachary Colquhoun
Kaitlyn Colquhoun
Kallen Merrison

10:30 a.m.

Mauricio Rocha
Valeria Rocha
Patrick Rocha
Amar Venga
Anjali Venga

12:30 p.m.

Helen Lang
Ethan Fisher
Drew Lefebvre
Julien Tremblay

"Serving God With
Gladness!"

Altar Serving Information
contact Lorne Plooard ext. 215

This Week at St. Michael's

Monday, May 7

- 1:00 pm—Faith Sharing Group—Former Cloak Room
- 7:00 pm—CWL—Room E
- 7:00 pm—English Learning—Former Cloak Room

Tuesday, May 8

- 7:15 pm—Social Justice—Room D

Wednesday, May 9

- 8:45 am—Exercise Group—Hall
- 9:30 am—Moms & Dads Group—Room D
- 4:00 pm—Property & Maintenance—Former Cloak Room
- 8:00 pm—A.A.—Rooms B & C

Thursday, May 10

- 1:00 pm—Faith Sharing Group—Former Cloak Room
- 1:00 pm—Cards—Room E

Friday, May 11

- 10:30 am—Exercise Group—Hall
- 6:00 pm—Youth Commission Strategic Planning—Rm E

Saturday, May 12

- 9:30 am—Youth Commission Strategic Planning—Rm E

Please Mark Your Calendars

SVDP - May 15 - 7:00 pm
Finance Committee - May 17 - 3:30 pm
Pastoral Parish Council - May 17 - 7:30 pm
Victoria Day - May 21 - Parish Office Closed
You Are Not Alone - May 21 - 7:00 pm
CWL Bake & Plant Sale - May 26-27 after each mass
African Caribbean Catholic Mass - May 27 - 2:30 pm
St. Michael's Knights of Columbus Yard Sale - Jun 2 - TBA

Bishop's Dinner Monday, June 11, 2012

Reception at 5:30 pm and dinner at 7:00 pm at the London Convention Centre. Entertainer is Michael Burgess. Funds raised will benefit the Institute for Catholic Formation at St. Peter's Seminary. The cost is \$125 per person. Contact Francis at 519-432-1824 ext.255

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