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PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON Ozzie Buhrmann

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 22, 23, 24, 2013

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.


Stewardship Reflection

"I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury." (Mark 12:43)


Notice that in the story of the widow's mite Jesus did not reach into the treasury box and give the widow back her coins. If He did not exempt her from giving, surely He expects each of us to share what we have to feed the hungry, shelter the homeless, and promote the work of the Church here on earth.



St. Michael's Craft & Gift Sale with Tea Room-Nov 17th
 Mark your calendars and make up your Christmas shopping list!! We are having a craft and gift sale with local crafters and vendors on Saturday, **November 17th from 9:30 am to 2pm.** Come out and browse, shop and then enjoy a good cup of tea and sandwich in the Tea Room.

PENNIES FOR POVERTY CAMPAIGN SPONSORED BY YOUR KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
 THIS FEBRUARY 2013 the Canadian penny is going out of circulation. Over the next 6 months we will endeavour to collect as many of these pennies as we can to provide support to those in NEED. 25% of the proceeds will go to St Vincent de Paul. I know if you are like me you have pennies laying around your house, car ETC. We can make great use of these unwanted pennies to support charitable organizations. What I propose is that we ban together (once again) as a parish to join in and support THE PENNIES FOR POVERTY CAMPAIGN.



IMPLEMENTATION

The manner that we intend to implement this campaign is very simple. We have produced two containers that will be clearly marked with a KOC sign and also one that will say PENNIES FOR POVERTY. These containers will be placed inside the church during all masses with the exception of the second week of the month which is for the St Vincent de Paul loose change collection. The containers will be located at both entrances into the church. For security reasons they will be removed from the Church after the 5 PM mass on Saturday and after the 12:30 mass on Sunday. If you have a large quantity of pennies then I suggest that you ask one of our knights to assist.

OUR CAMPAIGN WILL KICK OFF SATURDAY THE 17TH OF NOVEMBER AT THE 5 PM MASS.

START GATHERING THOSE PENNIES NOW AND SEE IF WE CAN PUT SOME IN EACH WEEK WHEN YOU ATTEND MASS.

AS ALWAYS YOUR GENEROUSITY AND SUPPORT IS GREATLY APPRECIATED

Bud Jardine -GRAND KNIGHT -COUNCIL 12820

We are presently trying to update our lists of persons involved in liturgy, so if you are in a particular liturgical ministry, or are interested in a particular ministry, **please call or email Helen Green at 519-433-6689 X215 or hgreen@dol.ca.** This would include **altar servers, Eucharistic ministers, lectors, ushers, gift bearers, greeters, welcome desk, music and sacristans.** The goal is to have a Liturgy Committee that will serve the parish by having people attending to all aspects of liturgy, whether it be weekend Masses, weekday Masses, funerals and weddings. We need the names and contact information including email address, so that we can prepare a schedule for each ministry. Blessings to all who serve so that we can participate "actively, consciously and fully".

YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER

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

BASKETBALL GAME AND PIZZA NIGHT FOR ALL FAMILIES!

Families of all ages are invited to come out to cheer on St. Peter's Seminarists as they play a basketball game against Sacred Heart Seminary. The game will be held at JPII High School from 7-9:30pm. Admission is free and a free pizza dinner before the game at 6:30pm will be provided. Please RSVP to Natalie by Thurs Nov 15 at noon at nmackay@dol.ca or 433-6689 ext 206

MARK YOUR CALENDARS...

**FAMILY CHRISTMAS PARTY, SUN DEC 2, 1:30-3:30PM
 ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH HALL**

COR RETREAT

Join us in prayer this weekend as 15 of our youth attend the Christ in Others Retreat at JPII High School from Nov 9-11.

SYNC TEEN NIGHTS

Come on out to our next SYNC Teen Nights held on Sun Nov 18 from 7:30-9pm (St. Michael's School Gym for Sports Night), Sun Dec 2 and Sun Dec 16 from 7:30-9pm in St. Michael's Parish Hall. Bring a friend! All youth in high school are welcome to join us!

THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

If you missed the Confirmation parent/candidate meeting on November 6th, make sure you contact Natalie at the parish office to pick up forms that were handed out that evening.



**Cover Me With Love Project by SVDP
 Collecting Blankets, Sleeping Bags, Coats,
 Socks, Hats & Gloves/Mittens**



These items will be distributed to those in need and the homeless to keep them warm during the winter months.

Please drop off your donation of winter items by Dec 2nd, 2012.

Thank you for your generosity in assisting our friends in need!

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 starting November 26th, 2012

Mental Health Outreach

YOU ARE NOT ALONE (Y.A.N.A.) a faith-sharing group for those supporting a loved one whose life has been affected by mental illness.

Meetings are held from 7:00 to 8:30 pm on the 2nd & 4th Wed of every month at St. Michael's Church, 511 Cheapside.

For information on either group please call 519-433-6689 ext. 5. leave a message and someone will return your call.

St. Mary School Choir and Orchestra Program

St. Mary School has begun the application process for entrance to Grade 5 for 2013/2014

Brochures with application forms will be available in all Catholic elementary schools. Please contact your Principal for further details on the application and audition process or call St. Mary School at 675-4423.

Applications are due to St. Mary School by December 21, 2012.

Application to the program is open to all Grade 4 students of the London District Catholic School Board

Spectators Needed For Sports Events Nov 16th & 17th

All are invited to cheer on the St. Peter's seminarists at the 100th Anniversary Sports Tournament .

Basketball Fri Nov 16 - 7:00pm to 9:30pm at JPII Secondary School.

Hockey Sat Nov 17 - 7:00pm to 9:30pm at Farquharson Arena.

Admission Free. For more information call 519-432-1824.

Come and See Weekend November 23-25

Have you ever considered the priesthood? Spend a weekend in prayer, discussion with the priests, faculty and seminarists at St. Peter's Seminary in London. This weekend is open to all single Catholic men 17 years and older. Take some time and hear the voice of God in your life. For more information, or to register, please contact Fr. John Pirt, Director of Vocations, at 1-888-548-9649 or vocations@dol.ca.

NOVEMBER 11TH, 2012 THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions for November 13th to 17th

Tuesday, November 13 - 12:00 noon

Savio Jacques requested by Philomena Jacques
Lynn Ahlers requested by Mom, Dad, & Family
Tom Lewes requested by Clay & Joan Grandy & Family

Wednesday, November 14 - 8:00 am

Wib Bruder & Family
Genowefa Amszej requested by The Buggy Family
Bill Smith requested by Tom & Catherine Ross

Thursday, November 15 - 12:00 noon

Savio Jacques requested by Philomena Jacques & family
Wib Bruder requested by Ann Bruder & Family
Jean Sproule requested by Mary Bernardo & Family

Friday, November 16 - 8:00 am

Souls in Purgatory requested by Adele Zeversenuke
Herman Groniger requested by Dorothy Solomon
Intentions of Dave Dwyer & Family requested by Monica Thompson

Saturday, November 17 - 9:00 am

Special Intentions for our 40th Anniversary
requested by Pete & Bonnie Regier
Ivan Bezair requested by The Arnsby Family
Bea Ingram requested by Jim & Rita Thorne

Readings for next week

**November 18th, 2012 Thirty-third
Sunday in Ordinary Time**

First Reading: Daniel 12:1-3

Second Reading: Hebrews 10:11-14,18

Gospel: Mark 13:24-32



Babysitting Schedule

November 18th, 2012

10:30 a.m.

Melissa Veenvliet
&
Christina Sayegh

Sunday Collection November 4th, 2012

Regular \$8,864
Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,231

*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

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

ALTAR SERVERS

NOVEMBER 17th & 18th

5:00 p.m.

Emma Coelho
Madelaine Coelho
Robert Coelho
Isabell Manuel
Christina Safar

8:30 a.m.

Ian Talbot
Claire Talbot
Timothy Rebelo
Elyse Scheid

10:30 a.m.

Henry Nguyen
Timmy Nguyen
Megan Kirwin
Patrick Kirwin
Julia Petrasianus

12:30 p.m.

Alex Gyenis
Daniel Gyenis
Mauricio Rocha
Valeria Rocha



"Serving God With Gladness!"



All those who are sick, including:

**Pauline Akumu, Marie White,
Lillian Inglis, Brian Irving,
Sharon Scribner, Arnold McKee
& Giuseppe Favaro**

And all those who have died, including:

All the names written in the Book of Remembrance

Annual Memorial Mass

St. Peter's Cemetery invites everyone to attend this Mass in remembrance of our deceased family and friends to be held in the Holy Family Mausoleum Chapel **on Sat Nov 17th at 2:00 pm** to be celebrated by Most Rev. Ronald P. Fabbro, Bishop of London Blessing of New Mausoleum (Phase IV) to Follow. *Seating Provided.*

Christmas Concert with World Renowned Singing Trio, The Priests Fri Dec 7/12 in Windsor Ontario

Diocese of London is organizing bus trips from London & Sarnia to the Dec 7/12 benefit concert at the Windsor Family Credit Union Centre. Cost is \$100 per person and includes ticket, bus transportation & boxed supper. For more information visit www.dol.ca, email [hjulen@dol.ca](mailto:hjulien@dol.ca) or call the Diocesan Centre at 519-433-0658.

World Youth Day in Rio de Janeiro

Young people between the ages of 18-35 are invited to World Youth Day in Rio de Janeiro in July 2013. Our pilgrimage to Brazil is from July 16-31 and costs \$2200 plus taxes. For details contact Fr. Stephen Savel in Simcoe at sasavel@dol.ca 519-426-0887 x23.

Bible Study Sessions with Deacon Gaston Mabaya

Come and share the good news with other parishioners during six Bible Study sessions facilitated by Deacon Gaston Mabaya at St Michael's Parish. Sessions will be starting Mon Jan 21/13 to Feb 25/13 from 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm in Room D. Seats are limited. Please register at the office.

This Week at St. Michael's

Monday, November 12

- 1:30 pm—Faith Sharing Group—Library Room
- 7:00 pm—Liturgy Committee—Room E

Tuesday, November 13

- 4:00 pm—Property & Maintenance—Library Room
- 7:15 pm—Social Justice—Room D

Wednesday, November 14

- 8:45 am—Seniors on the Move Exercise—Hall
- 9:30 am—Mom's & Dad's Group—Room D
- 7:00 pm—You Are Not Alone—Library Room
- 7:00 pm—Youth Committee—Room D
- 7:30 pm—RCIA—Room E
- 8:00 pm—A.A.—Rooms B & C

Thursday, November 15

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

Friday, November 16

- 10:30 am—Seniors on the Move Exercise—Hall

Saturday, November 17

- 9:30 am to 2:00 pm—Craft & Gift Sale—Hall

Sunday, November 18

- 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm—Ministry Appreciation Night—Hall

Upcoming Events

Theology on Tap-Nov 13-7:30pm-Bernie's Bar & Grill Sherwood Forest Mall (1225 Wonderland Rd N)

Craft & Gift Sale-Nov 17-9:30am to 2:00pm-St. Michael's Parish
CWL Bazaar-Nov 17-9:00am to 1:00pm-St. John the Divine Parish

CWL Bazaar-Nov 17-9:00am to 2:00pm-St. Justin's Parish

Candy Cane Bazaar-Nov 17-9:00am to 2:00pm-St. George Church
Forgotten Stories/St. Peter's Seminary 100th-Nov 19-7:00 pm
London Central Public Library (Stevenson & Hunt Room)

100 Years of Song-Nov 23-7pm- TVSB Education Centre (1250 Dundas St)& reception at St. Patrick's Parish (377 Oakland Ave)

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