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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

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.

NOVEMBER 9TH, 2014 DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA

Baptism

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

Owen Buskard, Adely Buskard, Milannia Juliana Coniglio,
Jacob Weston McDonald, Georgia Elizabeth McManus,
Naomi Frances Peck, Jack Gordon Miller Poole,
Jameson Oscar Quinlan, Isaac Bradley Veenuliet,
Ronan Kirk Ziegner-Damm
& Jax Alexander Ziegner-Damm.

Volunteer Appreciation - Sun Nov 16th at 7:00 pm

Our Parish Community is totally dependent on the many volunteers who give of their time and talent. On Nov 16/14 at 7:00 pm we invite anyone who gives of themselves in small or big ways to come and join in an evening of "Thanksgiving".

Rev. Murray Sample

St. Michael's Thanksgiving Appeal

The Thanksgiving campaign for St. Michael's Parish continues. If you have not yet made your gift, please consider doing so. Remember that your entire donation remains right here at St. Michael's to continue with our programs and for our outreach into the community. Thank you for your commitment and generosity to St. Michael's. With gratitude,

Rev. Murray Sample



CWL Membership Drive – November is CWL Membership Renewal month. The Catholic Women's League of Canada meets the first Monday of every month at 7 pm in Meeting Room E, (Sept-Dec & Feb-Jun), and offers a wonderful opportunity to grow in faith and friendship with other women. Use the pink offertory envelope to join or renew your membership. No pink envelope? Just place your own envelope in the collection basket. Be sure to include your full address, phone number and the \$25.00 membership fee. Come say hello, and renew or join the CWL in the church foyer after all weekend masses this month. ALL Catholic women welcome, ages 16 and up.

Hospitality

Hospitality is one of the hallmarks of being a Christian. We continue to seek your assistance in welcoming people into the Church before Masses. We would like at least 4 people at each Mass; 2 at the Maitland St. entrance and 2 in the main foyer. I know that we have so many friendly people here, please consider sharing that joyful spirit with others. We have had some positive response, we would welcome more! Please contact the office to volunteer. Thank you.

You Are Not Alone (Y.A.N.A.) - Are you giving support to a person with a mental illness? Come share your wisdom and resources, lighten your worries and deepen your faith. We will be meeting at 7:00 pm the second Wed. of the month; **Nov 12** and Dec 10 at St. Michael's. Mark your calendar. All welcome. For more information call Cathie at 519-850-0600.

New Day - A faith-based support group for people living with a mental illness. Come - receive and share in the compassion and strength of this welcoming group. We meet every Tues. afternoon 1:30-3:00 pm at Parish Office building of St. Peter's Basilica. If you wish further information call Cathie at 519-850-0600 or Theresa at 519-850-3627.

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

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!

SAVE THE DATE:

Family Christmas Open House

Sun Dec 7th, 11:30am-2:30pm in the parish hall

Stay tuned for more details...

YOUTH CHOIR

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. We are planning to get started in Jan 2015. Practices will be held on the 1st and 2nd Sat of the month from 3-4pm at the church. The youth choir will lead music on the 2nd weekend of the month, at a different mass each month (Jan 10 at 5pm, Feb 14 at 8:30am, March 14 at 10:30am, April 11 at 12:30pm, May 9 at 5pm, June 13 at 8:30am). If you are interested in signing up, please email Holly Langohr at: holly.langohr@gmail.com

TEEN NIGHT

ALL TEENS IN GRADES 9 TO 12 ARE INVITED TO ATTEND OUR TEEN NIGHTS THAT TAKE PLACE ON THE 1ST AND 3RD SUNDAY'S OF THE MONTH. COME JOIN US FOR GAMES, PRAYER, PRIZES, SNACKS AND AN OPPORTUNITY TO LEARN MORE ABOUT YOUR CATHOLIC FAITH. INVITE A FRIEND!

Upcoming Teen Nights are:

SUN NOV 16 (St. Michael's School Gym) from 7:30-9pm,

SUN DEC 7 (Parish Hall) from 7:30-9pm,

SUN DEC 21 (Meet at Parish Hall at 7pm for Christmas Caroling in neighbourhood followed by treats in the hall)

November Speaker Series: Nov. 12, 19, 26 and Dec. 5th

Professionals from our own faith community will inform us on concerns relating to palliative and hospice care, policies affecting the medical community, and balancing finances and funerals. The series begins on Wed Nov 12th in the Parish hall at 7 pm. with Cheryl Talbot speaking on Palliative and Hospice Care. All are welcome.

A Special Thank You from Bishop Fabbro

I would like to thank everyone for responding so generously to our first annual Priests' Pension Fund Collection. The response far exceeded our expectations, with more than \$225,000 raised so far. Your generous contributions not only support current retirees but will also help provide for the retirement needs of priests who will retire in the future.

Thank you for saying "thank you" to our retired priests. Your donations share the same love and generosity that diocesan priests have shown us for generations

CHILDREN'S PROGRAM VOLUNTEERS:

To those who signed up to volunteer for either Children's Liturgy, Sunday School or Babysitting at the Youth Ministry Fair, thank you for your patience during the transition. We kindly ask that if you signed up for one of these Ministries, please contact the Parish office at 519-433-6689 Ext. 200 and leave your name and contact information with Pat. We are so appreciative that you have expressed interest in being a much needed volunteer in this area and we look forward to having you take part. Once you have contacted the office, we will endeavor at getting you involved as soon as possible. Again thank you for your patience. We encourage any and all interested volunteers for our children to call the office to enroll as a volunteer!

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.

NOVEMBER 9TH, 2014 DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, November 11 - 12:00 noon

Joe Carroll requested by Brian & Pat Estabrooks
Fr. Wilfred Bourcque requested by The Dewan Family
Philip MacDonald requested by The Family

Wednesday, November 12 - 8:00 am

Lynn Ahlers requested by The Johnston Family
Marie & Tony Denomme requested by Doug & Mary Margaret Denomme
Rose Posno requested by Richard & Marian Zientara

Thursday, November 13 - 12:00 noon

Joseph Luis requested by The Cousins
Tom Lewis requested by Joan & Clay Grandy & Family
Jack & Rita Mockler requested by The Dewan Family

Friday, November 14 - 8:00 am

William Strybosch
Lucy Quigley requested by Paul & Berte Grandy
Tom McGarry requested by John Gaynor

Saturday, November 15 - 9:00 am

Wib Bruder requested by Ann Bruder
Cathy Palmieri requested by Tony Palmieri
Gail Lipsett requested by The McDonald Robinson Family

November 16th, 2014 Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Proverbs 31:10-13, 16-18, 20, 26, 28-31

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6

Gospel: Matthew 25:14-30

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



All those who are sick, including:

**Greg Giesen, Wendy Irvine,
Nick Greeson & Mary Storey.**

And all those who have died, including:

Dan Larkin father of Darren and Dave

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, Nov 11/14, Dec 9/14 & Jan 13/15.

St. Peter's Seminary Basketball Game

London's own St. Peter's Seminary will take on Sacred Heart Major Seminary from Detroit, in an international friendly basketball game on Friday, November 21, 2014 at 7:30 pm at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Secondary School (1360 Oxford St. W). Come out and support your future priests! Doors open at 7:00 pm, admission is free and all are welcome! For more details visit us at www.facebook.com/stpeterssem

Amabile Boys and Men's Choirs: IN REMEMBRANCE

Sunday, November 9, 2014 3:00 p.m.

St. Peter's Cathedral Basilica, 196 Dufferin at Richmond

Tickets at the Door or from Amabile Choirs of London

Adults \$15, Seniors/Students \$10, Veterans&Children under 10 Free

Ebola Aid for Liberia - Praise Band Concert

Saturday December 6th, 2014 at 7:00 pm

Trinity Lutheran Church, 746 Colborne Street,

Free Will Donation

For more information <http://trinitylondon.ca/?p=1562>

The Three Cantors Concert

A concert with The Three Cantors will be held in St. Patrick's Church, London, (Dundas near Highbury Ave.), on Wednesday, December 10th at 7:30 p.m. Advance tickets \$15 or \$20 at the door. For information or tickets call the St. Patrick's Parish office at 519-451-4600.

Sunday Collection

October 26th, 2014

Regular Offertory \$6,923

Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,270

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, November 10

- 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm—Community Meal—Hall
- 5:30 pm—English Learning—Library Room

Tuesday, November 11

- 10:00 am to 1:00 pm—Art Club—Hall
- 4:00 pm—Property & Maintenance—Library Room
- 6:00 pm—RCIC—Room E
- 7:15 pm—Social Justice—Room D

Wednesday, November 12

- 8:45 am—Exercise SOTM—Hall
- 9:30 am—Mom's Group—Room E
- 7:00 pm—Speakers Series-Palliative Care—Hall
- 7:00 pm—YANA—Library Room
- 7:00 pm—Rosary Guild—Babysitting Room
- 7:30 pm—RCIA—Room E
- 8:00 pm—AA—Room B&C

Thursday, November 13

- 1:00 pm—Cards—Hall
- 1:30 pm—Faith Sharing—Library Room
- 7:30 pm—Bible Study—Room E

Friday, November 14

- 10:30 am—Exercise SOTM—Hall

Sunday November 16

- 7:00 pm—Volunteer Appreciation—Hall
- 7:30 pm—Teen Night—St. Michael's School Gym

Mass Attendance Count

Bishop Fabbro has asked the Parishes of the Diocese to have an annual mass count. On Oct 18-19, Oct 25-26, Nov 1-2 & Nov 8-9 you will see people counting the number of people in the pews. This assists us in seeing the vibrancies and the growth of the Parish. It also helps us know the number of hosts to put out at each mass in order for those attending to be fed a consecrated host from the mass they attend.



The Knights Table November 2014

Nov 18/14 7:30 pm Executive Meeting

Nov 23/14 Community Breakfast

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/>

Two Pilgrimage Opportunities

Holy Land 13-day Mar 5-17/15 with Fr. Jim Higgins

Turkey 15-day May 7-21/15 with Fr. Vince Gulikers

For info call Joan Bolt 519-471-6373

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