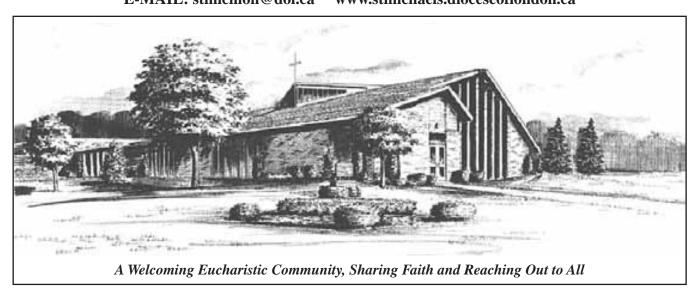
# St. Michael's Parish

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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 2:00 p.m. or mass of your choice.

Baptismal Preparation – Contact Anne Hanley

Marriage – Arrangements to be made at least six months in advance Marriage Preparation - Feb 28-Mar 2, 2014 Call the Parish Office 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 Septmember Confirmation (Gr. 8) - registration required in September

Hearing assistance device to hear mass available.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Grand Knight - Bud Jardine

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE: President - Margaret McGee

#### 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.

Fi	ree 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.

#### **Baptismal Class for Parents**

The next classes for parents requesting Baptism of children are: Wednesday, Oct 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm and Tuesday, November 19th at 7:00pm. Please note that there will be no class held during the month of December. Parents may attend the class prior to the birth of their children. Please contact Anne Hanley at the Parish Office to sign up. 519-433-6689 ext. 203

#### **ATTENTION LECTORS**

A reminder about the workshop that we will be having on October 26 from 9:30 to 3:30. It is most important that you let Helen know if you are planning to attend so that we can prepare enough food for lunch. It would also be a good idea to bring your lectionary with you. **See you on Oct 26!!!** 

#### **ATTENTION USHERS**

We are planning a workshop for ushers on November 9 from 9:30 to 11 a.m. It is very important that ALL ushers attend so that everyone is aware of their responsibilities when serving at Mass. We look forward to meeting and working with all ushers of St. Michael's parish. **See you Nov 9!!!!!** 

#### Holy Land Return Visit

I am sending an invitation to join me on a Return Visit to the Holy Land. This journey is for those who have made a journey to the Land of Jesus and have a desire to return, but to visit different sites. I am hoping to make a return visit Sept 11-23 in 2014. There will be an information meeting on Nov 17/13, 2:30 pm to 4:00 pm at St. Michael's Room E. Fr. Murray.

For trip information contact Joan Bolt 519-471-6373.

#### AN EVENT THAT WILL CHANGE YOUR LIFE... - PASSION & PURPOSE LIVE -

with renowned speaker and author, **MATTHEW KELLY** and special musical guest, **ELIOT MORRIS** Passion & Purpose Live is the inspiring yet practical experience of dynamic teaching and application of the genius of Catholicism to every aspect of your life, including prayer & spirituality, work, dating & marriage, personal finances, health & well-being, parenting, and more! Friday, 4<sup>th</sup> April, 2014, 6:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. Holy Trinity Catholic Parish – **Woodstock**, ON **Tickets on-sale after all masses at St. Michael's THIS weekend.** 

Tickets just \$39! Includes all event materials & take-away items. <u>**DO NOT MISS**</u> THE OPPORTUNITY TO GAIN THE INSIGHT TO LIVE MORE FULLY THE LIFE GOD HAS CREATED FOR YOU!

**DivorceCare and DC4Kids** are friendly, caring groups who will help you and your children aged 5 - 12 through a separation or divorce. Next courses start Saturday October 26, 9 - 11 AM at St. Michael's. For more information, contact St. Michael's Parish at (519) 433-6689, stmichlon@dol.ca, or www.divorcecare.org

#### Mental Health Outreach

<u>You Are Not Alone</u>—An ongoing, faith-based, support group for those supporting someone with a mental illness. Meetings at St. Michael's, 7:00 - 8:30 pm,  $2^{nd}$  and  $4^{th}$  Wed. of the month

**<u>New Day</u>**—An ongoing, faith-based, support group for those living with mental illness. Meetings at St. Peter's every Tues 1:30–3:00 pm. *For info on either group, call Theresa at 519-850-3627.* 

#### Back by popular demand! Pie Baking for the Parish Thursday, October 24, 9:00 a.m. in the Parish Kitchen

Enjoy some social time as we come together to prepare pies to be sold at the CWL Bake Sale November 30 and December 1. Helping hands needed and all abilities are welcome. You don't have to be a master chef! – Contact Maria Deluca for details at 519-433-9446.

#### 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!

#### COR RETREAT FOR YOUTH GRADE 11 & UP NOV 15-17, 2013

Are you wondering who you are and what you believe? Are you searching for something but aren't exactly sure what? COR is a great weekend retreat where you can escape from the busyness of life, to take time for yourself. Come join us on Nov 15-17 at John Paul II High School to make new friends, participate in fun activities, eat delicious food and grow in your faith. The cost is \$35 for the entire weekend. Registration forms are located on the youth ministry bulletin boards.

#### FOOD DONATIONS NEEDED FOR COR RETREAT

In order to help with the overall cost of putting on a Christ in Others Retreat (COR) weekend for youth in grade 11 and up on Nov 15-17, we will be collecting food donations for the many weeks leading up to the retreat weekend. There will be a sign-up list in the main foyer of the church listing the items being collected and all donations will be appreciated. Donations can be as simple as a bag of pasta, a box of cereal, or a loaf of bread. We will be collecting non-perishable donations in the bins below the sign-up lists and arranging donation times for perishable food items (such as vegetables and meat) prior to the weekend. Please check out the lists and sign up for a food item by listing your name and contact information on the board. Also, you can pick up a donation ticket as a helpful reminder of your commitment and generosity. Every item donated will make a difference! Please take a moment to check out the sign-up boards and support our youth through this incredible endeavor.

## If you would like to make a financial donation towards the COR retreat, please contact Natalie.

#### S.Y.N.C. TEEN NIGHTS

Our upcoming meeting dates are Sundays Oct 20 (kin ball volleyball in St. Michael's School Gym), Nov 3, Nov 17 (in St. Michael's School Gym), Dec 1(coffee house) and Dec 15. SYNC Teen Nights are held from 7:30-9:00pm in St. Michael's parish hall. See you there! Bring a friend!

#### THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

What is Confirmation? This is the Sacrament in which the Holy Spirit comes to us in a special way to unite us more closely to Jesus and the Father, strengthening us in our responsibilities of service, leadership and spreading the Word of God.

#### Important Dates:

Parent/Candidate Meeting – Mon Nov 4, 2013, 7-9pm in the Parish Hall (mandatory for all candidates and at least one parent/guardian per candidate to attend)

Registration forms due to the Parish Office: Mon Nov 11, 2013 Sacrament of Confirmation – Tues April 29 and Wed April 30, 2014

#### Preparing for the Last Things:

A four-part series running every Monday in November from 7 to 8pm sponsored by the Bereavement Ministry and various Parish Groups at St. Michael's.

**Nov.** 4<sup>th</sup>: Planning Your Will and Estate presented by local lawyer Paul Vandenbosch

**Nov. 11<sup>th</sup>:** The Cemetery and Funeral Home presented by Doug Manners of Donohue Funeral Home

**Nov. 18<sup>th</sup>:** Finances Before and After the Funeral presented by Michael Whelan of Legacy Partners of London

Nov. 25<sup>th</sup>: Planning the Funeral Mass: presented by Father Murray Sample

No charge, invite your friends, all are welcome.

King's University Religious Life - Lecture Series 2013-2014 Joanne and Kenny Theatre at 7:30 pm. Free Parking & Admission. *"Hey, That's My Story Too"* 

Wed Oct 23/13 - Shelagh Rogers Journalist & Broadcaster

"Merton & Nouwen: Architects of Our Spiritual Wisdom" Wed Nov 27/13 - Dr. Michael Higgins, PhD.

For more information visit www.kings.uwo.ca/campus-ministry

### OCTOBER 20<sup>TH</sup>, 2013 TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

#### Mass Intentions

Tuesday, October 22- 12:00 noon Giuseppe Favaro requested by Lidia Favaro & Family Syvilla Sample requested by Rev Murray Sample Wib Bruder & Family

Wednesday, October 23 - 8:00 am The Intentions of Doris Pszeniczny & Family requested by The Digby Family Marguerite Mott requested by Mary & Andy McGuigan Jim Caron requested by Maureen Boone

Thursday, October 24 - 12:00 noon Joe & Kay & Marianne requested by Joe & Marilyn Dewan Ottavio Marino requested by Diane & Mike Pepe Teresa & Joe Medeiros requested by Their daughter

Friday, October 25 - 8:00 am Intentions of Mabel Marshall requested by Alice Ducharme Frank Percic requested by The Percic Family Anna Rossi requested by Nick & Candace Schiestel

Saturday, October 26 - 9:00 am Rafael Terron requested by Mr & Mrs lannantuono The Living & Deceased members of the McLeod Families requested by Helen McLeod Melecia Ngoddo & Ben Ngoddo Sr. requested by Marissa Ngoddo

#### October 27th, 2013 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



First Reading: Sirach 35:15-17, 20-22 Second Reading: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18 **Gospel:** Luke 18:9-14 http://www.usccb.org/bible/



All those who are sick, including:

Nick Greeson, Greg Giesen, Aldo lurman, Kenneth Kaidas, Doug Murray, Mabel Marshall, Lisa McPherson & Julie Cooper.

And all those who have died including:

Dorothy Whelton aunt of Marilyn Morgan

#### 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. Upcoming mass dates: Nov 12 & Dec 10.

#### Annual Memorial Mass

Sat Nov 2<sup>nd</sup> at 2pm to be celebrated by Most Rev. Ronald P. Fabbro Held in the Holy Family Mausoleum. Seating provided.



#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Your KofC Council has been very successful in providing support to our Parish, community and beyond for many years. We do this by following our Principles; CHARITY, UNITY AND FRATERNITY. Our membership drive will run during the months of September and October with special efforts on the weekend of October 19-20. If, you are Male and 18 years of age, then you should consider the prospects of becoming a KNIGHT. Come Join and help us make a difference in supporting those that are less fortunate. By working together we can provide a better service to our Parish and Community. If you need more information please feel free to contact: The Grand Knight at 519-433-8850 or our membership Director Mike Roffey at 519-642-4521.

#### **Knights of Columbus Upcoming Events**

October 15th Council Executive Meeting Tuesday at 7:30 PM October 20th Parish Breakfast Sunday from 9-12 noon Thank you and God Bless Bud Jardine Grand Knight



**Sunday Collection** October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2013 Regular \$7,725

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

Prayer requests/petitions can be summited to St. Michael's Prayer Line email address prayerline@rogers.com or call 519-433-6823

#### St. Vincent de Paul Outreach

SVDP Loose Collection is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sun of each month. Please make cheques payable to St. Michael's Parish and write on the memo line SVDP.

#### This Week at St. Michael's

#### Monday, October 21

7:00 pm to 8:00 pm—English Learning—Library Room

#### Wednesday, October 23

- 8:45 am to 10:30 am-Exercise-Hall
- 9:30 am-Mom & Dad's Group-Room E
- 10:00 am to 11:30 am-Catholicism Series-Hall •
- 7:00 pm—You Are Not Alone—Room D
- 7:00 pm-Ministers of Care-Library Room •
- 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm—Catholicism Series—Hall
- 7:30 pm-RCIA-Room E
- 8:00 pm—AA—Room B&C •

#### Thursday, October 24

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

#### Friday, October 25

10:30 am to 11:30 am-Exercise-Room E

#### Saturday, October 26 - Coffee Sunday

9:30 am to 5:30 pm-Reflection for Readers-Hall

#### Sunday, October 27 - Coffee Sunday

2:30 pm—African Caribbean Catholic Mass—Church

#### Please Mark Your Calendars

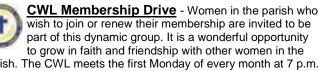
Sacrament of the Sick Mass - Oct 29 - 12:00 noon Baptismal Preparation - Oct 30 - 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm Exposition - Nov 1 - 8:30 am to 12:00 noon Benediction - Nov 1 - 12:00 noon

Heart Links Bazaar-Home baking and candy, preserves/pickles, retro jewelry, gently used items, books, funky hand knits, crafts from Canada and Peru, and more. Silent Auction and Tea Room. Heart-Links is an NGO helping with collaborative projects in Northern Peru. Come celebrate our Peruvian -Canadian connection. Support our projects and enjoy our Bazaar.

Nov 9/13 at St. Michael's Parish . For info call 519-645-2845.

#### 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.



parish. The CWL meets the first Monday of every month at 7 p.m. in Meeting Room E, (Sept.-Dec. & Feb.-June). To join/renew use the pink envelope which has been included with the parish envelopes for the month of October. The envelopes can be placed in the regular collection basket at mass. If you do not receive the church envelopes, you can place your own envelope in the collection basket. Be sure to include your full address, phone number and the \$25.00 membership fee.

