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PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON Howie Wright

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.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism - 1st Sunday of each month during Mass or at 2:00 p.m.
Baptismal Preparation - Contact Fr. Don Pumputis
Marriage - Arrangements to be made at least six months in advance
Marriage Preparation - Feb 24th, 25th and 26th, 2017
Priesthood/Religious Life - Fr. Murray and Fr. Don
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 - Bob Gauthier

PRAYER LINE: Prayer requests are received at stmichlon@dol.ca or phone 519-433-6689

Exposition 1st Friday of every month & Benediction at 3:00 p.m.

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.

St. Michael's Thanksgiving Appeal

As October winds down a reminder that the Annual Thanksgiving Appeal is still open. This event is one of the most important to the Parish because every cent that is contributed to the appeal stays right here at St. Michael's to continue to support ministry, programs and outreach. These specific gifts are not assessed and none of it is sent to the Diocese. *To date, this years collection has raised just half of our total from last year.* Envelopes are available in the pews. Cheques can be made to 'St. Michael's Parish.' Thank you.

It is worth noting that if you wish to provide your **Annual Thanksgiving Appeal** gift through the website www.giving.dol.ca we ask that in the 'Message' section you include 'St. Michael's Parish – London, ON' to ensure that your gift is forwarded to our Parish. Thank you.

Usher Training—Saturday November 5th at 12 noon

For existing or anyone looking to become an Usher – please attend. Father Don will lead the meeting, from 12 noon until 2 pm. in the John Paul II Room. Lunch is included. If further information is needed please contact Father Don at 519-433-6689 ext. 306 or dpumpu-tis@dol.ca

SAFETY NOTICE: As the enclosures begin to be removed, the barriers that will be up will be much less obstructive. We continue to ask that great caution be taken moving around any of these fences. Please do not lean against them or allow children to climb them as they are not built for that type of interaction. We want everyone to be safe. Thank you!

Heating Update

Introduction of heat into the Nave should begin next week, in time for the weekend of November 5th & 6th, 2016.



St. Michael's Holiday Market Place Bazaar
Saturday, November 12th, 9:30 am till 3:30 pm

SELECT wonderful Christmas gifts by local artisans and crafts people:

- Hand crafted wood art, pens, games, and toys
- Silver and beaded jewellery
- One of a kind dressy popovers, totes, aprons, scarves
- Knitted and crocheted items for all ages

PURCHASE natural ANKE skin products, Lighthouse Books, Cajun spices, homemade preserves and jams, tempting baked goods, note cards, Christmas decorations AND MUCH MORE!

WIN one or more of over 100 items at our Draw Table and Silent Auction!
RELAX in our Lunch Room.

Your purchases HELP SUPPORT our St. Michael's School Breakfast Program, Northern Hospitality Outreach and our refugee families.

EVERYONE WELCOME!



CWL News - All ladies of the parish are invited to participate in a day of community pie making on **Monday November 14th** in preparation for the upcoming CWL Festive Fall Bake Sale. We are making pies from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon in the parish kitchen. If interested call Joan Lobsinger at 519-438-4909.

Missals on Sale

Missals for 2016-2017 are now available for \$5 each at the back of the Narthex.

Note On Parking - Remember that during the week, parking is only permitted along the fence line. As construction continues, parking may be a little more restrictive. Thank you for continuing to be courteous and respectful. Be careful and safe around any construction equipment.

Capital Corner – Progress continues on the HVAC reno. The enclosures are soon to come down. We hope to be able to provide an update to the time line very soon. Your patience has been very much appreciated. We continue to ask for everyone's support in any way that you are able! Remember that 100% of your donation goes towards funding this transformational work. Thank you!

EDGE YOUTH MINISTRY

A big "Thank you" to all the participants and Parents who came out to our EDGE LAUNCH Party and celebrated with us!!!

Thank you to all the dedicated EDGE CORE team members who helped out, Fr Murray and Fr Don, Yana and our amazing office team!!! EDGE can support your family in strong Catholic values and faith! It's something special, it's a way of life and makes St Michael's an OFFICIAL Life Teen parish. If you are in Grade 5 to 8 come out and participate! If you are a teen, we invite you to get involved to discover your leadership skills. We will also be taking T-SHIRT orders so when we have a large quantity, we can do a bulk order. Youth group is 1st and 3rd Wed of every month. From 7-8:30pm. Parents are encouraged to hang out with other parents and enjoy a cup of Java!

Confirmation Team Volunteers

Do you want to change a young person's life? As a small group assistant leader, you will have an opportunity to provide an award winning program that will help you encourage and challenge parents and candidates to rediscover Christ in a profound way through fun games, small group talks and prayer time and confirmation preparation. We are in need of 10-12 teen/young adult/parents to help in any way. Training is provided and will start soon. Please contact Syl Patry, Youth Minister 519.433.6689 X 206

EDGE TWEETS AND MORE...

For updates, exciting upcoming events and resources for youth and parents, look us up or join the group on Facebook at **STM EDGE-St Michael's Youth** or follow Syl CYM to all events on Twitter: **Syl@STM** or Instagram: **Syl_STM**

Currently ALL weekday Masses are being held in the John Paul II Room (second floor above the offices). Thank you for your understanding as we work on these important updates to our Church.

REFUGEE TEAM UPDATE



The Al-Shablak family members have all begun school, from JK to parents attending ESL, and all are doing very well. They have been shopping for winter boots and the

boys all have rain boots too!

We have planned a special afternoon to meet the family on **Sunday, October 30th from 2 pm to 3 pm**. Please join us for a visit.

Many thanks for all of your support to get us to this point and blessings and gratitude for your continued support. For more information, please email us at refugeeteam.stmichaels@gmail.com

We continue to work towards completion and approval of our application to have our Karen family approved for the process of sponsorship to our country. We await word from the government on next steps. We will keep you posted.



THE KNIGHTS TABLE

General Meeting Nov 1 at 7:00 pm
Remembrance Day Presentation Nov 5-6

Executive Meeting Nov 15 at 7:00 pm

Parish Breakfast – Christmas Cards on Sale - Nov 20

Raise the Banner- Keep Christ in Christmas – Nov 26

*The Knight's will be having their Annual Yard Sale – May 6, 2017
So please save your items to donate.*



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!

Come and See Discernment Weekend November 4 - 6

St. Peter's Seminary invites you to a discernment retreat for men 17 - 45 years old considering a call to the priesthood. This weekend offers a firsthand experience of the life of a seminarian, spiritual helps for discernment and an opportunity to meet current seminarians and faculty. The weekend is scheduled for November 4-6, 2016. For more information or to register, contact Fr. Patrick Bénéteau at vocations@dol.ca or 519-432-1824 x204.

OCTOBER 30TH, 2016 THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, November 1 - 12:00 noon

Margaret Sgariglia requested by Andrew Cook
Mary Ann Dewan requested by The Dewan Family
A. Dewan & E. Bennett requested by The Dewan Family

Wednesday, November 2 - 8:00 am

Leo & Cecila Meidinger requested by Doug & Audrey Meidinger
Robert Graham Bell requested by Mary Bell
Aldo Testone requested by Henry Naudi

Thursday, November 3 - 12:00 noon

Joe & Kay Dewan requested by The Dewan Family
Jack & Rita Mockler requested by The Dewan Family
Marija Koncan requested by The Kralj & Rozman Families

Friday, November 4 - 8:00 am

Sofia Paiva requested by The Paiva Family
Marija Koncan requested by Anna Kotnjek
Florida Dalit requested by Manny & Mimi Besinio

Saturday, November 5 - 9:00 am

Dolores Terron requested by Students & Staff of Holy Cross
Henrica Vervoordeldonk requested by Lynn & Jim Vanhie & Family
Loretta Bourdeau requested by Eileen & Len Bliss

November 6th, 2016 Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: 2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 7, 9-14

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 2:16, 3:5

Gospel: Luke 20:27-38

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



All those who are sick, including:

**Eleanor Gil, Thelma Coleman, Greg Giesen,
John Hunt, Jane Tyers, Stefan Konigsberger,
Eleanor Gallant, Nina Da Ponte, Emma Begg,
Renato Gasparotto, Gregory Seger, Barbara Daly,
Gabriel Pavia & Herman Nabben**

And all those who have died, including:

Dominic Woods husband of Angela Woods
Cecile Marie Janisse mother of Fr. Rick Janisse

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.

Annual Memorial Mass - St. Peter's Cemetery Sat Nov 12th at 2 pm

All welcome to attend this mass in remembrance of our deceased family & friends, to be held in the Holy Family Mausoleum Chapel
Celebrant Most Rev. Joseph Dabrowski, Auxiliary Bishop

BAZAAR BUZZ-----BULLETIN BOARD SIGN UP

There are lists posted on a bulletin board in the foyer for parishioners to indicate how they are able to help make this year's bazaar a big success. Whether you are making or creating something, baking or canning, or donating to the bazaar, please sign on the posted sheets. This will help the organizing committee prepare for the event. If you wish to volunteer to help at the event, please sign up and be sure to indicate the time that you are available on November 12 to help. Donations may be dropped off at the church office and marked "bazaar" or arrangements can also be made to pick up your donations. Thank you for your support in so many ways!

Faith & Education: Where do we go from here?

An evening with Dr. Michael Fox, Philosophy Professor
Wed Nov 9th 7:00 pm, 6100 Calvert Dr, Strathroy ON, N7G 3H5
at Our Lady of the Pillar Academy Private Catholic Elementary School
For more information please call 519-245-600 or visit
www.pillaracademy.ca



Sunday Collection October 16th, 2016

Regular Offertory \$7,196
Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,499
Thank you for your continued generosity!

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

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.)

This Week at St. Michael's

Monday, October 31

- 5:30 pm—Northern Hospitality Community Meal—Hall
- No RCIC
- 6:30 pm—English Learning—St. Anthony Room

Tuesday, November 1

- 7:00 pm—Knights of Columbus—St. John Paul II Room
- 7:00 pm—OREMUS—Hall

Wednesday, November 2

- 8:45 am—Seniors on the Move (SOTM)—Hall
- 10:00 am to 12 noon—Art Club—St. Francis Library
- 6:30 pm—RCIA—St. John Paul II Room
- 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm—EDGE Youth—Hall
- 8:00 pm—AA—St. Andre Bessette & St. Cecilia Rooms

Thursday, November 3

- 1:00 pm—Young At Heart Cards (YAH)—Hall
- 7:00 pm—Bible Study with Fr. Don—Hall

Friday, November 4

- 10:30 am—Seniors on the Move (SOTM)—Hall
- 8:30 am to 3:00 pm—Exposition—St. John Paul II Room
- 3:00 pm to 3:30 pm—Benediction—St. John Paul II Room

Saturday, November 5

- 12:00 noon—Ushers Meeting—St. John Paul II Room
- Ministry Fair after the 5pm mass—Narthex

Sunday, November 6

- 2:00 pm—Baptism—Church



English Learning – For any person from a non-English speaking country wanting to learn about the Mass and its responses in English, classes are held on Monday evenings at 6:30 pm in the St. Anthony Room (2nd floor above the offices).

Bible Study with Father Don - Jeff Cavins Bible study program continues with study of the Gospel of Matthew, each Thursday at 7 pm skipping the third week of the month. The cost of the workbook is \$29.00.

Pre-Authorized Giving – We have had additional enrollment in the PAG program and always welcome more! Thank you to those parishioners who have taken this step to simplify! You can sign up anytime during the year. Being a part of PAG helps household budgeting and also assists the office staff. You can now enjoy vacations and know that your support of St. Michael's continues! Your contribution is taken the first day of each month. It really is the modern way of making your gift to the parish.

The Altar Servers for Funeral Ministry – The Altar Servers for Funerals Ministry can still use one or two new volunteers. No experience required, training provided. Only 2 hours when needed. A selfless way to offer one of the corporal works of mercy. Ideal for any retired parishioners looking for a rewarding way to give of their time in faith and charity. Please contact the office.

Close the Holy Door during the Year of Mercy - Nov 13/16

at St. Patrick's Church and Shrine, Merlin, Ontario at the 10 am mass.
Celebrant Auxiliary Bishop Joseph. Visit www.olrshrine.ca for information.

Amabile Boys & Mens Choirs: In Remembrance Concert

Sun Nov 6/16 at 3 pm, St. Peter's Cathedral Basilica. Tickets at the door
Adults \$15, Seniors/Students \$10, Veterans/CAF/Child under 10 Free

Reminder It's time to "Fall Back!"

**Daylight Saving Time Ends Sunday November 6/16 at 2 am
Set Clocks Back 1 Hour First Sunday In November**

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