

# St. Michael's Parish

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## PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY

### OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

## PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON

Karen Owens

## 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 10:00 to 11:00 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* – by appointment. Please call the  
Parish Office

*Marriage* – Arrangements to be made at least six months in  
advance

*Marriage Preparation* – Weekend Feb 19-21, 2010

*Priesthood/Religious Life* – Call Fr. Sample or Fr. Sharp

*Sacrament of the Sick* – available upon request

## PRAYER LINE COORDINATOR

Dorothy Solomon – 519-659-8242

Hearing assistance device to hear mass, available for those in  
need. Please see a member of the Welcoming Committee at  
the Welcome Desk.

## 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.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE BULLETIN MUST BE IN NO LATER THAN NOON ON MONDAY.

### Free Bus Service to 10:30 a.m. Mass

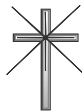
**9:50am** 64 Wyndham  
Blackwater east of Adelaide – Bus Stop  
Grenfell just east of Blackwater  
Fanshawe/Trossacks – Bus Stop on Corner  
770 Fanshawe – east of Fremont (Bus Stop)  
Fanshawe – west of Fremont  
Adelaide/Fanshawe – Bus Stop south of Fanshawe  
Kipps Lane/Adelaide – Bus Shelter just 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



### Stewardship Reflection

**"It is my wish, then, that in every place the people should pray, lifting up holy hands, without anger or argument." - 1 Timothy 2:8**

Try to make it a habit to give God the first few minutes of each day by simply praying, "Lord, what do You want me to do today with all the gifts You have given me?" Then be sure to listen for His response throughout each day.



### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.)

There are many people who are waiting to be invited to take a closer look at our Catholic faith. They may be members of your family, your neighbours, friends or co-workers. Maybe they have never been baptised or are non-active members of other faith traditions. If Jesus and His Church offer you hope and encouragement, you may wish to share it with others. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.), the process through which we welcome new members into the Catholic Church will begin again on Wednesday October 6 at 7:30pm. If you know of anybody who might be interested in exploring the Catholic faith this year or if you yourself would like to do so, please call Sr. Kathy O'Keefe at the parish office 519 433-6689 ext.203.

### St. Michael's Feast Day Celebration Sept 25th & 26th

This year, instead of a parish barbeque, we invite you to join us in the Parish Hall after all the Masses on September 25/26 for complimentary refreshments and entertainment to mark our annual St. Michael Feast Day Celebration. By hosting an event after all the Masses our hope is as many people as possible will have the opportunity to gather together and enjoy the chance to meet and greet each other. Please join us.

### Lorne Plooard - Pastoral Minister Liturgy & Music

We want to welcome to the Parish Team and the Parish, Lorne Plooard. Lorne has accepted the position of Pastoral Minister with the responsibility of the Liturgy. Lorne will assist in every aspect to make every celebration of Mass a time of praise and an entrance into the "Holy". Lorne will have the care of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist. We welcome him to the Parish. Lorne has just celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage with his wife Sarah. We welcome both of them to our community.



### Two Weekends Left To Book Your Family Photo

Book your appointment for your family's photo before or after mass SEPTEMBER 25 or 26 or OCTOBER 1 or 2. There is no cost for the photo session and each family who participates will receive a free copy of the album. We encourage all parishioners to participate and make our PARISH FAMILY ALBUM a success.

### Bible Study Program

A six week program to study a section of the Bible is being offered by the Parish. We would like to know if there is interest in the program. The six week program is for busy people who want to study the Bible but don't know where to begin. Each guide is divided into six concise segments. If interested phone the Parish Office at 519-433-6689.

### Prayer Line Ministry Social - Sat. Oct 2/10 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Open to everyone. Bring a friend, no obligation to join - just meet one another. Room E at the Church. Peace & prayers, Dorothy.

**Please note: No Confessions - Sept 25th - 10:00-11:00 am**



### St. Michael's Monthly Food Collection - Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>

On the 4th Sunday of each month there will be a food collection to assist St. Josephine Bakhita Catholic Community. Please bring your donations of non perishable food items and leave them in the designated containers at the doors of the church. Thank you for your generosity.

Disaster relief donation cheques directed to the Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace (CCODP) should be made payable to St. Michael's Parish with a memo line indicating the relief country you would like your donation to go to.

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

### WANTED: YOU, TO GET INVOLVED WITH YOUTH MINISTRY!

Are you in grades 5-12 and are looking to have fun and explore your faith at St. Michael's Parish? Are you in high school or are you an adult who is looking to volunteer in Youth Ministry? Check out the bulletin boards in the main foyer of the church this weekend and next for various volunteer opportunities and pick up a flyer with this year's upcoming youth ministry events!

### SPIRIT DAY RALLY FOR GRADE EIGHTS

**Saturday October 16, 9:30am-3:30pm**

Are you in grade eight? Are you looking for a cool experience to meet other youth from the diocese, explore your faith and learn more about the Sacrament of Confirmation? All students in grade eight are invited to attend Spirit Day in Woodstock on Saturday October 16 from 9:30am-3:30pm for fun activities, catechesis, prayer and Eucharist with Bishop Fabbro. Cost is \$20/person. Please contact Natalie at the Parish Office for more info or pick up a registration form from the youth ministry bulletin board.

### 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.

**Who can receive this Sacrament?** The Sacrament is open to anyone who is in Grade Eight or older and has already received Baptism, Eucharist and Reconciliation. The Church asks each candidate to spend a significant period of time preparing themselves by praying, attending Sunday Mass, studying and serving within the community.

**How do I go about registering?** Registration forms will be mailed out soon to all registered parishioners in grade eight. There will also be additional forms available in the main foyer.

### Important Dates:

Parent/Candidate Meeting - Tuesday November 2, 2010, 7-9pm  
Sacrament of Confirmation - Tuesday March 1 and Thursday March 3, 2011

### St. Michael's Moms and Dads Group

At the Moms and Dads Group we understand the unique needs, challenges and joys of this vital season of parenting, because we're there too. Every Wednesday morning at 9:30 am, you'll be welcomed just as you are. Come relax, connect with other parents, learn, share faith, scripture and life over coffee. Babysitting provided. Contact Penny 519-642-7662.

**Coping With Relationship Loss** is a healing program for the separated and divorced. The ten week program will meet Tuesdays at 7:00 PM at St. Michael's in London and will begin as soon as we have ten participants. The fee is \$30.00. Contact Don at 519-451-2829.

**New Horizons Support Group Separated** divorced and widowed men and women meet on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 PM at St. Michael's Church (Room E), 511 Cheapside London. Contact: Don at 519-451-2829.

### Parish Bulletin

We have made a decision about announcements before and after mass. Announcements will be made only when absolutely necessary. This means everyone needs to take a bulletin home and read it carefully. Please do not leave the bulletin in the pew, if reading this prior to mass we invite you to take the bulletin home with you.

### Medaille Retreat House

Has many upcoming programs, retreats. For more information phone (519) 641-1379 or email medaille@csj.london.on.ca.

### 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](http://www.holyfamilyrh.com) or phone 519-738-6136.

**Canadian Catholic Bioethics Institute:** *Bioethics Matters* are available on line at [www.utoronto.ca/stmikes/bioethics](http://www.utoronto.ca/stmikes/bioethics)

# SEPTEMBER 19<sup>TH</sup>, 2010 TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## Mass Intentions for September 21<sup>st</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup>

### Tuesday, September 21- 12:00 noon

Anne Marie Traher requested by Mary Catherine & Kevin Flynn  
Alex Beretta requested by Hans Beretta & Brenda Callaghan  
The Intentions of Amy & Bill Shubat requested by Bernie Green

### Wednesday, September 22 - 8:00 am

Silvia Gentile requested by Lucy Carbone & Nicola & Cescidia Carbone  
Joseph Nguyen requested by Tuoi Nguyen  
Frank Percic requested by The Percic Family

### Thursday, September 23 - 12:00 noon

Leo & Cecile Meidinger requested by The Family  
Len Green requested by The Family  
Nicoletta requested by Luciana & Enio

### Friday, September 24 - 8:00 noon

Antonio Michienzi requested by Guiseppe Mazzotta  
Jim Hutchinson requested by Norm Leis  
Carmelo Galati requested by Gil & Karen Owens

### Saturday, September 25 - 9:00 am

Joao Carlos Amaral requested by Gabriela Amaral  
All the souls of the Maitino Family requested by John & Luciana Caranci  
Michael Said requested by Salvina Said & Family

### Readings for Next Weekend

September 26<sup>th</sup>, 2010 Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



First Reading: Amos 6:1, 4-7

Second Reading: 1 Timothy 6:11-16

Gospel: Luke 16:19-31



All those who are sick, including:

Aiden Burns, Ken True,  
Rosemary Darmanin, Lucille Charron,  
Paul Bossons, Betty Haggarty, John Dool,  
Mary Thompson, Janet (Rourke) Schwob  
Josephine China & Russell Culp.

And all those who have died.

### Bishop's Anniversary Celebration

Everyone is invited to attend a special celebration to honour Bishop Fabbro's 30th anniversary of the priesthood as well as Bishop Sherlock's 60th anniversary of the priesthood to be held **Thursday, October 14**, at St. Peter's Cathedral Basilica. Mass will be at 6 pm followed by a reception from 7-9 pm in the parish centre.

**Teacher References:** It is the policy of Separate School Boards to ask for a Pastoral Letter from a candidate who is applying for a job. This letter requires the Pastor to witness that the candidate goes to Mass each Sunday and is involved in parish ministry. If you plan on asking for a letter of reference, make sure you are fulfilling the obligation.

**St Mark and St. Michael's Elementary Schools of our Parish** are in need of volunteers who would like to share their devotion to the Mother of God and her Rosary with young students. Interested volunteers would visit classrooms once a month and pray the Rosary with the students. Training is provided. Please call Rosemarie & Terry Lyng of The Living Rosary in the Schools (formerly The Rosary Apostolate) at 519-473-3445

**"FM SOUND SYSTEM for Assisting those who have difficulty in hearing"**  
We have, through the Hearing Impaired Society, purchased a system to assist those who have hearing difficulties. At the doors of the church you may pick up the ear phones, which must be returned after mass. The new system cost \$4,000, if anyone would like to assist in the cost of this, please see Fr. Murray.

### Babysitting Schedule September 26<sup>th</sup>

10:30 a.m.  
Emily Oshana  
Christina Sayegh



### Sunday Collection Sep 12<sup>th</sup>, 2010

Regular \$7,972  
Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,507  
SVPD Outreach \$25  
Refugee Fund \$0  
Pakistan \$100

Parish Hall Roof /Capital Fund  
envelope collection to date \$40,509.50

*Thank you for your  
continued generosity!*

### 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 170 families participating.

### Loose Collection for SVPD Outreach



The 2nd Sunday of each month will be a loose change collection for the S.V.D.P. Outreach to the Needy.

### ALTAR SERVERS SEPTEMBER 25<sup>TH</sup> & 26<sup>TH</sup>

#### 5:00 p.m.

Emma Coelho  
Madelaine Coelho  
Robert Coelho

#### 8:30 a.m.

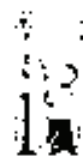
Sarah VanEerdewijk  
Timothy Rebelo  
Guillaume Hewitt

#### 10:30 a.m.

Barbara Mboko  
Willy Mboko  
Patrick Sibbald  
Julia Petrasian

#### 12:30 p.m.

Mauricio Rocha  
Valeria Rocha  
Bruce Maas



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Gladness!"*

### THIS WEEK AT ST. MICHAEL'S

#### Monday, Sept 20

- 7:00 pm—Social Events Committee—Hall

#### Tuesday, Sept 21

- 7:00 pm—St. Vincent de Paul—Room E

#### Wednesday, Sept 22

- 8:45 am—Seniors Exercise—Hall
- 9:30 am—Moms & Dads Small Faith Sharing Group—Room E
- 7:00 pm—Anniversary Committee—Room E
- 8:00 pm—A.A.—Rooms B & C

#### Thursday, Sept 23

- 1:00 pm—Cards—Room E

#### Friday, Sept 24

- 10:30 am—Seniors Exercise—Hall

#### Saturday Sept 25

- No Confessions** 10:00 am to 11:00 am
- 8:30 am to 12:00 noon—Parish Council—Room E
- 10:00 am to 12:00 noon—Sacred Movement Workshop—Room B

#### Saturday Sept 25 & Sunday Sept 26

- St. Michael's Feast Day celebrated after each mass

#### Sunday Sept 26

- 2:30 pm—African Caribbean Catholic Mass

### Please Mark Your Calendars

1st Reconciliation Parents Meeting - Sep 30th - 7:00 pm

Prayer Network Social - Oct 2nd - 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

CWL - Oct 4th - 7:00 pm

Mass of Healing - Oct 5th - 12 noon

Knights of Columbus - Oct 5th - 7:30 pm

RCIA - starts Oct 6th

Blood Donor Clinic - Oct 7th - 3:30 pm


Thanksgiving Mass - Oct 11th - 10:00 am

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