



# EAST WINDSOR CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES

Our Lady of the Atonement | St. Anthony of Padua | St. John Vianney

Office: 2940 Forest Glade Drive, Windsor, ON N8R 1L5

Phone: 519-735-6023

Fax: 519-735-1174

Email: [atonement@dol.ca](mailto:atonement@dol.ca)

Website: [www.eastwindsorcatholic.dol.ca](http://www.eastwindsorcatholic.dol.ca)

## Sunday, March 16, 2025 Second Sunday of Lent From Fr. Rob.....



In the event of the Transfiguration the disciples are privileged to witness the Light of God's Grace. Jesus shared this intimate moment of communion with His Father with them. He wanted them to experience and understand the closeness God desires with all God's children.

The Light of Christ shines in our world even when the circumstances of daily life or the darkness of world events make it hard to see. This is where determined faith plays a role. In the midst of challenges our spiritual life serves as a foundation to weather the uncertainty of life and to grow in trust.

Abram is invited by God to look up to the night sky and gaze upon the stars. Unable to count them, Abram is assured of God's loving providence and God's plan to bless Abram and his descendants. God invites us to do the same and see how plentiful are our blessings and the nearness of God's grace. The psalmist reminds us: "the Lord is my light and my salvation."

This week we honour St. Joseph and his trust and obedience to God's will. May he intercede for us.



"Grant we pray, almighty God, that by St. Joseph's intercession your church may constantly watch over the unfolding of the mysteries of human salvation, whose beginnings you entrusted to his faithful care."  
(Roman Missal)

### Pastoral Team

#### **Pastor:**

Fr. Rob Rocheleau x 22

#### **Associate Pastor:**

Fr. Mark Poulin x 24

#### **Coordinator of Youth & Family Ministry:**

Maria Mollica x 23

#### **Business Manager:**

John Sutton x 31

#### **Priest Chaplains to St. Anthony:**

Fr. Barnabas Kiss OFM & Fr. Angelus Ligeti OFM

#### **General Office:**

Robin Orosz x 21

### Mass Schedule

#### **Saturday**

5 pm Our Lady of the Atonement

5 pm St. John Vianney

#### **Sunday**

8:30 am Our Lady of the Atonement

9:30 am St. John Vianney

10:30 am Our Lady of the Atonement

11:30 am St. Anthony of Padua Hungarian

@ SJV, 3rd Sunday of the month

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

1st Saturday 11 am - noon @ SJV

3rd Saturday 11 am - noon @ OLA

or by appointment

#### **Baptism**

Contact the office to discuss baptism.

#### **Marriage**

Contact the office at least eight months in advance.

Marriage preparation is required.



#### **Sacrament of the Sick**

Communal Celebrations Seasonally.

Individually anytime - Speak to one of the priests.

#### **Office Hours**

Monday - Friday 9 am - 4 pm

Vocations Calendar Please pray for...	Mass Intentions	 <b>FIRST EUCHARIST 2025 PROGRAMME</b> Classes resume this week for the children after their March Break. For the next two months they will be learning about the Eucharist to prepare to receive Jesus for the first time after Easter. Let us continue to pray for them.
<b>Tuesday, March 18</b> <b>9 am @ SJV</b>  <b>Fr. Stanislaw Izdebski</b>	<b>Karen Dycks-Donna &amp; Kathy Masse</b> <b>Charles Zichichi-</b> wife, Theresa & Family <b>Alfredo Santarossa-</b> Raymond Preney & Family	
<b>Wednesday, March 19</b> <b>9 am @ OLA</b> <i>Solemnity of St. Joseph</i>  <b>Sisters of St. Joseph in Canada</b>	<b>Ints. of Gianluca Galizio-Grandma Susan</b> <b>Souls in Purgatory-F.O.S.S.</b> <b>Domenic Stramacchia-Connie &amp; Family</b> <b>Walter Murphy-Maureen Mosco</b> <b>Nicola Papasodero-husband Nicola</b> <b>Mary Berthiaume-</b> Carole & Bernie Souilliere	
<b>Thursday, March 20</b> <b>9 am @ SJV</b> <b>Dcn. David Cummings</b>	<b>Maryse Lavigne-her Sisters &amp; Brothers</b> <b>Richard Renaud-Helen Biales</b> <b>Dak Saba-wife, Juliette</b>	
<b>Friday, March 21</b> <b>9 am @ OLA</b>  <i>Lenten Devotions</i>  <b>Dcn. James Panchaud</b>	<b>Blessings for the Pastoral Care Team,</b> <b>Staff &amp; Volunteers-</b> <b>Ints. of Katherine Soulliere-</b> Jean Oslovcan <b>Albert Melo-Louis &amp; Natalie</b> <b>Margaret &amp; Jozsef Pozik-The Family</b> <b>William Snider-Val Lefebvre</b> <b>Deceased Members of the Vardai</b> <b>Family-</b>	 <b>OUR LENTEN JOURNEY</b> Friday, March 21st: 6 pm Adoration of the Eucharist; 6-6:30 pm Confessions; 7 pm Stations of the Cross at <b>St. John Vianney</b> . Join us for this special time of prayer. <b>3rd Sunday of Lent Works of Mercy Mar 22/23</b> Bring in canned meat, tuna, soup, pork & beans, canned vegetables, canned tomatoes.
<b>Saturday, March 22</b> <b>5 pm @ SJV &amp; OLA</b> <b>Fr. Murray Sample</b>	<b>Intentions of the Parishioners</b>	
<b>Sunday, March 23</b> <i>3rd Sunday of Lent</i> <b>8:30 &amp; 10:30 am @ OLA</b> <b>9:30 am @ SJV</b>  <b>Brothers &amp; Sisters of the Secular Franciscan Order</b>	<b>Intentions of the Parishioners</b>	<b>SOLEMNITY OF ST. JOSEPH</b> Come and join us on <b>Wednesday, March 19th</b> to celebrate St. Joseph, the patron of the Universal Church as well as the church in Canada. Mass will be at 9 am at Our Lady of the Atonement followed by the Litany of St. Joseph. Fr. Rob will also celebrate mass at St. Joseph High School with the staff and students for their yearly celebration of their patron.



### MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to book an intention, please pick up a mass intention request envelope at the back of the church or email Robin in the parish office at: [atonement@dol.ca](mailto:atonement@dol.ca) or call the parish office at (519)735-6023. The offering is \$10. If paying by **cheque make them payable to Our Lady of the Atonement**.



**Chicken Pot Pies-CWL OLA:** are on sale in the Atonement Family Centre Monday between 1-3 pm. Small \$6 & Large \$14. Thank you for your support.



### Nursing Home Mass @ 2 pm

March 18, Aspen Lake  
April 1, Riverside Place  
April 8, Heron Terrace



### MASS FOR ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA HUNGARIAN PARISH @ SJV

Sunday, March 16 @ 11:30 am  
Sunday, April 27 @ 11:30 am



### Sacrament of Reconciliation 11 am-Noon

Saturday, April 5th @ SJV

Confession is also available on Fridays during Lent, 6-6:30 pm during Adoration of the Eucharist before Stations.

### There is a Time for Everything under Heaven...

Let us all pray for all those who are in need of healing, at home, nursing homes or in hospital, and all those who care for them. Let us pray also for our deceased parishioners and family members who have died:

**Steve Kubasek, Pauline Butler**

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.

May the Risen Lord bring peace and comfort to those who mourn.

## DEVELOPMENT & PEACE-CARITAS CANADA

### External debt and ecological debt: Who owes whom?



Peru is facing an ecological debt crisis as extractive industries, often foreign-owned, plunder its natural resources, harming the environment and human rights.

These industries contribute to the unjust enrichment of the Global North at the expense of the Global South. Thus, as countries in the Global South incur financial debts that further impoverish them, they are owed a mounting ecological debt by the Global North that is never settled.

Our partners, the Episcopal Commission for Social Action (CEAS) and the Institute Bartolomé de Las Casas (IBC) work closely with affected communities, advocating for justice and sustainable alternatives.

This Lent, discover the work of CEAS and IBC by reading our [Mini-magazine](#) and watching our testimonial video at [devp.org/lent](http://devp.org/lent).

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Tues. Mar 18 @ 6:30 pm	OLA	Family of Parishes Youth Group (OLA Family Centre)
Tues. Mar 18 @ 6:30 pm	OLA	SSVDP-OLA (St. Francis)
Wed. Mar 19 @ 6:30 pm	SJV	1st Eucharist Class (Vianney Hall)
Thurs. Mar 20 @ 6:30 pm	OLA	1st Eucharist Class (OLA Family Centre)
Fri, Mar 21 @ 5-7 pm	OLA	K of C Lenten Fish Fry (OLA Family Centre)

### COFFEE AND CONVERSION

Thursday mornings following the 9 am mass at St. John Vianney in the hall. Enjoy a cup of coffee while we watch a dvd series on Metanoia-The Call to Conversion. Each video is approximately 30 minutes so plan for 45 minutes after mass and then be on your way to enact the teaching for the rest of the week.

**March 20:**  
**Jesus Calls and Empowers**



### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #8919 LENTEN FISH FRIES

All are welcome to come and share in these Lenten Dinners. They will be held on the following Fridays, 5-7pm: **March 28, April 4 and April 11.**

**Good Friday, April 18 4:30-7:30 pm.**

1 pc. Haddock \$15                      2 pc. Haddock \$20  
10 pc. Shrimp \$20                      8 pc. Scallops \$20  
Combo (Shrimp, Scallops, Haddock) \$25  
Includes salad, fries or baked potato, dessert, tea/coffee. Take out available.

The Knights thank you for your support.

\* CWL frozen chicken pot pies will also be available to purchase at the dinners to take home .

**LITURGY UPDATE:** As mentioned a few weeks ago, Bishop Fabbro has asked all parishes to ensure we are celebrating the liturgy according to Diocesan norms. Some parishes including some around us are a little behind in their revisions. We are in good shape except for the lingering confusion with regards to posture before communion. We kneel as the celebrant lifts up the Body and Blood and says "Behold the Lamb of God...." We respond "Lord I am not worthy to receive you..." Then everyone (if able) stands and prepares for the communion procession. The celebrant waits until all have stood and then begins the communion procession by receiving the Eucharist himself.

### CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in June 2025 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service.  
Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.


# LENT

Fast + Pray + Give





**Psychotherapist**  
Social Worker, Counselor  
Margaret Moroun-Ferri  
BSW, MS, CRC, LADC, NCC, LCPC, RSW  
519-563-9663  
www.mmfcounselling.com

  
**For Women**  
Over 16 Years  
See inside for dates of  
meeting & activities  
Call Parish Office for more info  
*One by One We Can Make a Difference*

**Protect What Matters**  
Health • Family • Income • Retirement  
Estate • Charity • Business  
**Nishant John**  
Parishioner, Licensed Insurance & Investment Advisor  
C: 519-974-7034 | nishant.j@lifeplaninvestments.ca



**JERRY & JENNY'S**  
**DINER**  
Open 7am-2pm Daily  
BREAKFAST & LUNCH  
11256 Tecumseh Rd E  
519-735-1313


  
**PAT & HANK'S**  
FISH AND CHIPS  
Great Fish n' Chips...  
3163 Tecumseh Rd. E. 519-948-0111  
12213 Tecumseh Rd. E. 519-739-0638  
www.PatAndHanks.com

  
**FAMILY**  
DENTISTRY  
3075 Forest Glade Dr.  
519-735-6063  
dbrodedental@mdirect.net

  
**DR. DOMENICO PAONESSA**  
FAMILY & COSMETIC DENTISTRY  
Welcoming new patients  
7651 Tecumseh Rd. E., Suite 204  
519-974-6120 www.drpaonessa.com



  
**GUARANTEED**  
WINDOWS  
226-674-1900  
2885 Lauzon Pkwy. Unit 102 • www.GuaranteedWindows.ca

**Donna M. Brode D.D.S.**  
**Jason Uszynski D.D.S.**  
**Dr. Andrew DeMarco D.M.D.**  
**Gian Sementilli Denturist**

  
**FAMILY**  
DENTISTRY  
3075 Forest Glade Dr.  
519-735-6063  
dbrodedental@mdirect.net

**Dina Haircutters**  
*and more*  
519-890-6925



  
**GUARANTEED**  
WINDOWS  
226-674-1900  
2885 Lauzon Pkwy. Unit 102 • www.GuaranteedWindows.ca

  
*Pre-plan today...  
for peace of mind tomorrow.*  
  
**HEAVENLY REST**  
FAMILY OF CATHOLIC CEMETERIES  
AND CREMATORIUM  
519-969-4836  
5005 Howard Avenue  
www.dol.ca

  
**Knights of**  
**Columbus**  
  
**Michael Di Menna**  
Field Agent  
519.919.4433  
michael.dimenna@kofc.org


**Gerard Levesque**  
Lawyer  
1218 St. Anne Blvd.  
Tecumseh  
519-735-9928

**EXCELSIOR**  
**Monuments & Bronze**  
Don Lappan, Owner  
519-735-2445 Tecumseh  
www.ExcelsiorMonuments.com

  
**Dr. Anthony Prsa**  
Family & Cosmetic Dentistry  
New patients ALWAYS welcome  
7960 Clairview Ave  
519-948-2420  


**Our Time ...**  
**... Will Save You Money**  
  
**Alexander R. Menzies**  
Chartered Professional Accountant  
519-252-7797

  
**Guthrie**  
OPTOMETRY  
Providing Medical Optometry  
& Family Vision Care  
7786 Wyandotte St E  
519-945-8000  
guthrieoptometry.com  




  
**Knights of Columbus**  
Learn to live the virtues of  
Charity, Unity, Fraternity  
Come join us  
Contact Parish Office or  
email DD76@ontarioKOCF.ca

**THE PERFECT**  
  
**SPOT**  
TO  
**ADVERTISE**  
TO ADVERTISE IN THIS SPACE  
PLEASE CALL  
1-800-268-2637

**Helping You Live Life Confidently**  
Derek R. Farkas | Certified Financial Planner  
  
2825 Lauzon Parkway, #211  
519-251-7111  
derek@whitecapfinancial.ca  
www.whitecapfinancial.ca  
  


**Eat**  
**Shop**  
**Spend**  
**and Enjoy**  
**LOCAL**  
please  
support the  
businesses  
that support  
your parish

  
**Firestone**  
tire+automotive  
centre  
www.kippingtire.com  
**Kipping Tire & Auto**  
3600 Tecumseh Rd. E. 519-948-4158  
1197 Ouellette Ave. 519-256-8261

  
**Sunshine DRUGS**  
PHARMACIES  
  
FRIENDLY FACES  
PERSONALIZED CARE  
FREE DELIVERY  
sunshinedrugs.com  
FOREST GLADE  
3087 Forest Glade Dr  
519-979-9200  
TLC + HOME HEALTH  
11811 Tecumseh Rd E  
519-979-3555

*Pick-up with coupon.  
Delivery extra.*  
  
**Coppi**  
PIZZERIA  
Not valid with any other offer. Expires July 2025. 9931 Tecumseh Rd. E. 519-979-3636  
**LARGE**  
for  
**MEDIUM**  
or  
**KING**  
for  
**QUEEN**