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Sunday, October 12, 2025

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time



As we listen to the Word of God this weekend, we are reminded of the need to possess an attitude of gratitude. Funny how these stories fall on Thanksgiving Weekend when in our culture we all take a moment to express our thanks. It is a good reminder that gratitude is at the heart of our relationship with God. We are disciples of Jesus precisely because of the gift of faith that has been given to us at baptism. Living out that discipleship means making the honest effort to be more aware of our blessings and the movement of grace in our lives.

Sometimes our lives get in the way. Look at Naaman in the first reading. No way was he going to let some foreigner tell him what to do. He was prepared to live with his leprosy rather than do what was asked of him by the prophet Elisha nor admit that he was wrong. His lack of gratitude in this moment almost prevented him from receiving the healing he was looking for in the first place. When he finally gave in, gratitude replaced his resistance.

Thankfulness is so essential to our spiritual life. When we don't take time to review our blessings and the input of the Holy Spirit in our lives, we can become resentful and bitter, thinking God does not even notice us. How untrue this is. God's grace is always with us. We just need to take the time to reflect on it.

On behalf of the pastoral team and staff, we wish you a Happy Thanksgiving and offer our gratitude for the many ways each member of our Family of Parishes is helping in any way to build up the Kingdom of God.

"Those who trust in themselves are lost. They who trust in God can do all things." *St. Alphonsus Liguori*

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
Tuesday, October 14 9 am @ SJV Fr. Marshel Melappelly	William Siefker (11th Ann.)-Janette Rob Morneau-Linda & Brian Hyatt Shirley Flood Marenick- r. Linda Dube Mario Favero-The Morneau Family Richard Pickering-The Morneau Family
Wednesday, October 15 9 15 am @ OLA LAD School & Parish Mass <i>St. Teresa of Jesus</i> <i>Sister Elizbieta Mruczek</i> <i>A.H.J. Pastoral Minister</i>	Special Intentions of Eric & Nina Exaltacion- Virgie Sama-husband, Ali Corazon Lim-Wilfred & Fe Alfaro Paul Dumouchelle-Rick & Judy DelCol Giovanni Ruccolo- sister-in-law Annamaria & Family Anne Kim Nguyen- Trin Nk Dinh & Family
Thursday, October 16 9 am @ SJV <i>St. Marguerite d'Youville</i> Fr. John Shiha	Ints. Of Michael Glendon- Mimma Gallucci- Italo & Silvanna Patella & Family Evaristo Fregonese-Family Collette Bubnic-Anita Beni Horvath
Friday, October 17 8:45 am @ OLA St. Ignatius of Antioch Fr. Kieran Alaribe, CSSp.	Joyce Rocheleau-Carol Beausoleil Marcel Theriault-Bob & Suzanne Cayea Helen Ryan-Janet & Don Panek Frank Lachance-K of C #8919 Cathy Laporte (5th Ann.)- Don Laporte & Family Jon Reginella-friend, Maria DiGiorgi
Saturday, October 18 5 pm @ SJV & OLA <i>St. Luke the Evangelist</i> Fr. Romeo Fernandes O.F.M. Cap	Intentions of the Parishioners
Sunday, October 19 <i>29th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> 8:30 & 10:30 am @ OLA 9:30 am @ SJV Fr. David Boutette	Intentions of the Parishioners



Sacrament of Reconciliation 11 am-Noon
Saturday, October 18 @ OLA
Saturday, November 1 @ SJV

Nursing Home Mass @ 2 pm
October 14, Heron Terrace
October 28 Aspen Lake
November 4 Riverside Place

St. Anthony of Padua
Hungarian @ SJV
11:30 am
Sun. October 19
Sun. November 16
Sun. December 21

SHARERS OF THE WORD-WINDSOR,
invite you to share in an evening of

HEALING MASS

Followed by Individual Prayer

October 15th at 7:30pm

Academie of Ste. Cecile-Chapel
925 Cousineau Rd, Windsor ON, N9G 1V8

Rosary begins at 7:00pm



Faith Formation: the Nicene Creed

Wednesday evenings: 6:45 pm-8:30 pm
October 15, 29 & November 19, 26
in St. John Vianney Parish Hall.



FAMILY OF PARISHES MISSIONS PROJECTS PASTA FUNDRAISER Sun. Oct. 26th

Donations are kindly needed for a variety of raffles taking place at the dinner. Thank you.

1. Gift cards (\$5-\$20) for Mystery Gift Card Bingo (put in an envelope and mark amount please) and can be from anywhere you like: drop off to office, give to one of the team or put in the Sunday offertory marked mission fundraiser.
2. Items that could be used to make up raffle gift baskets or gather some friends and make up a basket and drop off at the office.

This event will bring us together and help us to raise some funds to further support our mission partners in Northern Canada, Haiti, Africa and India as well as have a good time together. We generally raise approximately \$7000 in our February appeal and from continued donations throughout the year and it would be fantastic to augment these funds to offer more support to our mission partners. **Tickets on sale now: \$10 at all weekend masses and the office.**



The CWL (OLA) are selling their small chicken pot pies for \$6 each on Mondays 1-3 pm in the Atonement Family Centre (except Oct 13).

The ladies will begin making Tourtiere on Monday, October 20th. Small \$7 & Large 15.
Thank you for supporting our pies sales.

St. John Vianney CWL
invites all parishioners to hear
Rosemary Fiss, Director of Programs
@ Alzheimer's Society of Windsor & Essex
speak on **Understanding Dementia**
on Tuesday, October 14, 2025 @ 7:00 p.m.
@ St. John Vianney Parish Hall

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:

Joan Barichello, Virginia Lauzon & Josef Stenger

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.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tues. Oct. 14 @ 6:30 pm	OLA	Family of Parishes Youth Group (OLA Family Centre)
Tues. Oct. 14 @ 7 pm	SJV	CWL-SJV (Vianney Hall)
Wed. Oct 15 @ 6:45 pm	SJV	Adult Faith Formation (Vianney Hall)
Tues. Oct. 21 @ 6:30 pm	OLA	SSVDP-OLA (St. Francis Hall)

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY-October 20th



Every parish community around the world participates in this annual day of prayer and support for the Church's Mission to live the Gospel. This enables us to support missionaries who bring the light of the Gospel especially in areas where the church is small. Use the envelope provided in the offertory boxes or there are extras at the doors of the church. Let us pray for all missionaries that God may bless them. Thank you for your support of this appeal. You can return over the next few weeks.

Come and See Weekend - Friday, November 21st to Sunday, November 23rd, 2025

St. Peter's Seminary is holding a discernment retreat for men 17 years old and older, who are baptized Catholics and are considering a call to the priesthood. This weekend offers a firsthand experience of the life of a seminarian, provides spiritual help for discernment and offers the opportunity to meet current seminarians and faculty of St. Peter's Seminary.

Please extend a personal invitation to young men in your parish, and have him contact Fr. Rob Renaud directly at r.renaud@dol.ca or 519-432-1824 ext. 204 to register.

The Bishop's 75th: Join us in celebrating Bishop Fabbro's 75th birthday with a special evening of joy, gratitude, and shared mission. In honour of this milestone, we will support ministries close to Bishop Fabbro's heart: **Youth, Young Adult and Family Outreach Ministries and Holy Family Retreat House.**

- **Thursday, October 30, 2025** at the Ciociaro Club in Windsor. Doors open at 5:30 pm with dinner at 6:30 pm; cash bar. Tickets are \$150 with a portion eligible for a charitable receipt. Tickets may be obtained directly by going to www.dol.ca/bishop75

Last call for tickets with our East Windsor Family tables of 8 which would result in a reduced ticket price and **must be** purchased through the parish office by Wednesday, October 15th.

Rosary Coast to Coast CANADA

ST. JOSEPH
ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL
OUR LADY OF THE CAPE

PRAY FOR US

rosarycoasttocoast.ca
stbernadettesfrc.org

Rosary Coast to Coast livestream
at field of 3100 Weston Road, Toronto,
behind Carmine Stefano Centre

October 13, 2025

There is no better time to be on our knees to pray!
BECOME A PRAYER CAPTAIN! CONTACT ANGIE CARBONI
Send an email to marbenjoseph@protonmail.com or
call 416-871-3908 for more information

Light a candle, pray with your family, friends, and communities to
beg for God's mercy!

JOIN ON ZOOM ID: 488 0531654
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US02WEB.ZOOM.US

Women's Book Study Group

Close out this Jubilee Year of Hope with a spiritual pilgrimage as we journey through the book **"This Present Paradise" by Claire Dwyer** based on the life of St. Elizabeth of the Trinity. This book will help the reader to grow in personal holiness, face life's challenges with trust and hope,

and cultivate a life of daily prayer.

7 sessions: 7pm Monday nights at St. John Vianney Hall spread thru Oct. 2025 - Jan. 2026

\$25 covers cost of book and materials

Please contact Jan Conlon for more info

or to register 519-563-7510

conlon.jan@gmail.com

You are cordially invited to our annual celebration

CEMETERY SUNDAY

November 2, 2025 at 3:00 p.m.

inside St. Francis Mausoleum

Heavenly Rest Cemetery

Most Reverend

Ronald P. Fabbro, CSB

Bishop of London

Please Join Us
All Are Welcome



519-969-4836

REMINDER: if you or a loved one are hospitalized, please be sure to tell them you are Roman Catholic immediately so that pastoral care will be informed. If you do not tell them, no notation is made because it is not one of the questions they ask. You must inform them. That way if you are in need of anointing or pastoral care the chaplain will be advised. Anointing of the Sick is always available in the parish as needs arise: just ask Fr Rob or Fr. Mark at any weekday or weekend mass and they can attend to this, especially if you are preparing for surgery.

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