



# EAST WINDSOR CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES

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## September 15, 2019 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### From the desk of Fr. Rob.....

Our readings call our attention to the gift of God's mercy. Have we maybe forgotten the blessings of the Year of Mercy a few short years ago? What a grace that year was, reminding us of God's loving mercy. All through the scriptures, we encounter a God who is generous with mercy and forgiveness despite the sins and failings of the people. God's mercy is something we should rejoice in constantly. The parable of the prodigal son is a good reminder that God is willing to do anything and everything for a wayward child. We must be willing to do the same. Mercy is at the heart of the Gospel we have embraced and at the heart of our discipleship.

**CATHOLIC EDUCATION:** We continue to partner with the schools and parents to form a unified Catholic Education community that helps our children and youth to grow in faith.

**SCHOOL MASSES:** All parishioners, parents and grandparents are most welcome to join us as we begin the school year with the staff and students of our elementary schools.

**WJ Langlois School:** Wednesday, September 18th at 9:30 am in the school gym.

**St. John Vianney School:** Thursday, September 19th at 8:30 am at SJV church.

**LA Desmarais & HJ Lassaline Schools:** Thursday, September 19th at 9:30 am at OLOA church.

The pastoral team will attend the meet the teacher nights at our 4 schools. As well, Fr. Daniel (as the Episcopal Vicar), Maria and Rachelle will attend the Together in Faith mass on Friday, September 20th at the WFCU with all school board employees and Bishop Fabbro. I will celebrate the parish mass.

### Pastoral Team

#### **Pastor:**

Fr. Rob Rocheleau

#### **Associate Pastor:**

Fr. Daniel Bombardier

#### **Pastoral Minister:**

Rachelle Leslie

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

Maria Mollica

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

Fr. Barnabas Kiss OFM & Fr. Angelus Ligeti OFM

### Mass Schedule:

#### **Saturday**

5 pm Our Lady of the Atonement

5 pm St. John Vianney

#### **Sunday**

8:30 am St. Vincent de Paul

9 am St. John Vianney

10 am Our Lady of the Atonement

10:30 am St. Anthony of Padua (Hungarian) @ SVDP

11 am St. John Vianney

Weekdays: see inside for details

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday: 6:15-6:45 pm Our Lady of the Atonement

Friday: 8:15-8:45 am St. Vincent de Paul

Saturday: 11am-noon St. John Vianney

### Baptism

Contact the Pastoral Minister 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: 9 am-3 pm

Tuesday-Friday: 9 am-4pm

<b>Vocations Calendar</b> <b>Please Pray for...</b>	
<b>Tuesday, September 17</b> <b>1:30 pm @ Rivard Place</b>  <b>6:15-6:45 pm confessions</b> <b>7 pm @ OLOA</b>  <b>Fr. Michael Michon</b>	 <b>Mass Intentions</b> <b>FOR THE WEEK</b>  <b>Yvonne Gibbs-</b> Joe & Elsie McTaggart  <b>Antonio Valente-</b> Margherita Panaccione <b>Rita Dufour-</b> Phil & Mary Berthiaume <b>Mike Finn-</b> Dan Frimer <b>David Lamphier 1st Anniversary-</b> The Lamphier Family
<b>Wednesday, September 18</b> <b>9:30 am School Mass in gym</b>  <b>10 am @ OLOA</b>  <b>Deacon Henry King</b>	<b>School Mass @ WJ Langlois School</b> <b>SOULS IN PURGATORY- F.O.S.S.</b>  <b>Pat Drouillard-</b> His Parents <b>Cecil DeCoteau-</b> Verna DeCoteau & Family <b>Elma David Benjamin-</b> Verna DeCoteau & Family <b>Yvonne Drouillard-</b> Ely Garcia Stella Mifsud-Sylvia Muscat
<b>Thursday, September 19</b> <b>8:30 am Mass @ SJV church- School Mass</b>       <b>9:30 am @ OLOA church</b> <b>School Mass</b> <b>Fr. Waclaw Chudy</b> <b>C.S.M.A.</b>	<b>School Mass-St. John Vianney School</b> <b>Ints. of Jack &amp; Denise Morneau-</b> Danny Normandeau- Richard Normandeau <b>Elio Pagura-</b> Geri Salinitri <b>Richard Campeau-</b> Jack & Denise Morneau <b>Virgilio Ariola-</b> Zenon & Rose Dumloa <b>Jeanne Marie Proulx-</b> Mike & Una Miller  <b>School Mass-Desmarais &amp; Lassaline Schools</b> <b>Kwan Kenneming-</b>
<b>Friday, September 20</b> <b>8:15-8:45 am confessions</b> <b>9 am @ SVDP</b> <i>St. Andrew Kim Tae-Gon &amp; Companions</i> <b>Fr. Anselmo Jachee Ri</b>	<b>Joseph Biales-</b> Helen Biales <b>Anne Skelly-</b> Joe & Elsie McTaggart <b>Betty Tedesco-</b> Bill & Sue Beck

### Pray for vocations



Healing Mass followed by individual prayer  
 Academie Ste Cecile (chapel)  
 925 Cousineau Rd  
 Sept 18, at 7:30  
 All are welcome



### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents who are planning for baptism over the next few months are asked to contact the parish office and make an appointment with our Pastoral Minister Rachelle Leslie. Baptisms will be celebrated within weekend liturgies normally on the 2nd Sunday of the month in our Family.

### PARISH MINISTRIES

This weekend is an opportunity for all of us to become engaged in the work of discipleship. Each one of us has received in abundance the gifts necessary to be a witness of the Gospel in our parish and in the wider community. There are many ways that we can lend a hand with the differing groups and ministries. Please consider how you can become an intentional disciple and share your time and talents with our family.



### FEAST DAY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Come and join us as we celebrate the feast day of one of the patrons of our family. Mass will be on **Friday, September 27th at 7 pm at St. Vincent de Paul church** followed by a social in the basement hall. We have invited the St. Vincent de Paul Society of Windsor and Essex County to be a part of this celebration and their new presidents of the local conferences will be installed during the liturgy. You are encouraged to bring food donations for the food pantry on that day.

**St. Vincent de Paul Society (SVDP conference)** On September 22nd, members of the society will hand out bags at the 8:30 am mass at St. Vincent which can be returned on Friday at the feast day mass or on Sunday, September 29th. The truck will be in the church lot on the 29th to accept clothing and other items for the store. Other conferences will hold their food drives near Thanksgiving.

### Pop Cans for the St. Vincent de Paul Society



Please continue to collect your pop cans and bring them to the new drop box located behind the Family Centre (at the very back –big white box you can't miss it!) at Our Lady of the Atonement Parish. The cans provide a reliable source of income for the Society and its outreach.



## NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

Keeping you up to date with our church Annoucement, Events and Latest News.

### Knights of Columbus News:



**OLOA** General Mtg. Tues. Oct. 1 @ 7:30 pm  
**SVDP** General Mtg. Tues. Oct. 1 @ 7:30 pm  
 Church Breakfast Oct. 6 following mass  
 Bingo Sun. Sept. 29 @ 7 pm  
**SJV** General Mtg. Thurs. Oct. 10 @ 7 pm  
 Cards Sat. Oct. 12 @ 7 pm

### Catholic Women's League News:

**SJV** General Mtg. Tues. Oct. 8 @ 6:45 pm  
**OLOA** General Mtg. Thurs. Oct. 10 @ 6 pm



### St. Vincent de Paul Society News:

**OLOA** Mtg. Tues. Sept. 17 @ 6 pm  
**SJV** Mtg. Mon. Sept. 23 @ 7:30 pm



### Youth Group:

Youth Group begins Tues. Sept. 24 @ 6:30 pm for all children in our Family of Parishes Grades 3-8

### Confirmation Classes:

**SJV** Classes Sept. 18, 19, 25 & 26 @ 7 pm  
**OLOA** Super Sunday Sept. 22nd 11 am-4 pm



### Prayer Shawl Meeting:

**OLOA** Thurs. Sept 19 @ 1 pm in St. Francis Hall

### Crafty Ladies:

**SVDP** Tuesdays @ 7 pm @ SVDP Hall except the 1st Tuesday of the month.

### **A note from Pauline regarding Pre-Authorized Contributions for St. John Vianney....**

We have experienced some glitches this week so we are not sure whether the contributions for September 6th will come out or not. We are working to resolve this issue. Many thanks.



### **BINGO VOLUNTEERS OLOA**

Do you have an hour or two to spare occasionally? Volunteers are needed to augment our current list of bingo workers. Training is provided and the job entails representing our community and assisting at the bingos (does not involve handling money). Call the office 519-735-6023 if you are interested.

*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 those who have died:*

**Larry Gervais, Anne Morkin, Diane Wilhelm**  
**May the Lord comfort those who mourn them.**

### **FEAST DAY OF ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI AND THE BLESSING OF PETS on Friday, October 4th**



In honour of this beloved saint, we will again offer a special blessing for all our pets.

Come to Our Lady of the Atonement Parish (originally staffed by Franciscan priests) on Friday, October 4th at 5:30 pm at the entrance to the church.

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO WORK WITH OUR CHILDREN AND YOUTH**

At the end of the month, our youth group starts which is **open to all of the children** in our Family of Parishes. It is held on Tuesday evenings 6:30 pm to 8 pm in the Atonement Family Centre. Adult leaders are required to assist with our high school leaders.



If you would like to make a mass request for your intentions, a loved one or for a deceased family member or friend, stop in the parish office at **2940 Forest Glade Dr.**

We have also put mass request envelopes at the back of the churches. On the top just indicate which parish you would like the mass at, who the mass is for and the date preferred.

We will try our very best to accommodate your date. St. John Vianney has a little bit of a back log but it should be better by year end. If you have no preference as to which parish the mass is said, they can be quickly accommodated. **Please include \$10 for each mass or a cheque made payable to Our Lady of the Atonement.**



**Sunday School Starts**

**Sunday, September 29th**

Every Sunday at 10am @OLOA

& 11 am @ SJV

Ages 4 thru Gr. 2

Join us for the fun!!

Leaders needed to help!



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