



Windsor Heritage

Catholic Family of Parishes

Famiglia Cattolica di Parrocchie

Patrimonio di Windsor

St. Alphonsus – St. Angela Merici – Our Lady of the Assumption
St. Benedict – St. Daniel Comboni

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St. Daniel Community: stdaniel.ca | **St. Benedict Community:** windsorlatinmass.org

Family of Parishes Main Office Hours (Located at Assumption Church): Monday to Friday: 8:30am to Noon and 1:00pm to 4:00pm
St. Angela Satellite Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 9:30am to 12:00pm

Assumption Parish

Weekend Masses

Sunday: 9:00am, 11:00am
and 7:30pm

Weekday Masses

Tuesday and Thursday: 8:00am (Chapel)
Wednesday: 8:00am (Church)

Confessions – Rosary Chapel

Saturday: 11:00am to 12:00noon
Sunday: 6:30pm to 7:15pm

Rosary Chapel Schedule

Tuesday: 8:30am to 3:30pm (adoration)
Thursday: 8:30am to 9:30am (adoration),
Chapel open until 4:00pm

Friday: Chapel open at 8:30am for prayer, Divine
Mercy Hour at 3:00pm, Blue Army Mass at 7:00pm
with Confessions at 6:00pm

Assumption Church open for prayer

Wednesday: 8:30am to 4:00pm

St. Alphonsus Parish

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 5:00pm
Sunday: 12noon, 5:30pm

Weekday Masses

Wednesday to Friday
12:00 noon

Confessions

Wednesday: 11:00am to 11:45am
Saturday: 4:00pm to 4:45pm

Adoration / Devotions

Wednesday: Perpetual Help devotions before mass
Thursday: Adoration following mass until 1:30pm

St. Daniel

First Sunday of the month at 2:00pm at
St. Alphonsus Church

St. Angela Parish

Weekend Masses

Saturday/Sabato: 4:30pm (Bilingual)
Sunday/Domenica: 9:30am (Italian)
and 11:30am (English)

Weekday Masses

Monday/ Lunedì: 7:00pm (English)
Tuesday/Martedì: 7:00pm (Bilingual)

Confessions

Tuesday/Martedì: 6:30 to 6:55pm
Saturday/ Sabato: 3:45pm to 4:15pm

St. Benedict

Masses held at Holy Name of Mary Church.
Visit their website for schedules

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BAPTISM: Must take a preparation program.
Contact the parish office at least two months ahead.

MARRIAGE: Couples should be registered and
active in the parish. Contact the parish office at
least one year ahead.

RCIA: Program for those interested in the Catholic
Faith. Contact the office for more information.

YOUTH: Contact Lynne Tibor for sacrament and
program information at ltibor@dol.ca.

FUNERALS: Have the Funeral Director contact the
office for arrangements.

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Bulletin Content Deadline: Noon Mondays

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

ASSUMPTION CARES

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ST. ALPHONSUS CARES

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Visit our websites to see what community outreach
programming is available for you!

December 14th, 2025— Third Sunday of Advent 14 dicembre 2025 — Terza domenica di Avvento

Christmas Mass Schedule

Christmas Eve—Wednesday, December 24th



5:00pm—St. Alphonsus
5:00pm—Assumption
7:00pm—St. Angela (Bilingual)
7:30pm—Assumption
9:00pm—St. Alphonsus



Midnight Mass

12:00am—Assumption Church

Christmas Day—Thursday, December 25th

10:00am—St. Angela (Bilingual)
10:00am—Assumption
12:00pm—St. Alphonsus
2:00pm—St. Daniel Community at St. Alphonsus

Holiday Daily Mass Schedule

Monday, December 22nd
St. Angela - 7:00pm

Tuesday, December 23rd
Assumption - 8:00am followed by adoration until 4:00pm
St. Angela - 7:00pm

Monday, December 29th
St. Angela - 7:00pm

Tuesday, December 30th
Assumption - 8:00am followed by Adoration until 4:00pm
St. Angela - 7:00pm

Friday, January 2nd
St. Alphonsus - 12noon

2026 Offertory Envelopes

The 2026 envelopes are now available for pick up at all church sites. Please do not use until 2026 as numbers have been reassigned. Please do not use any old 2025 envelopes in 2026. Any questions contact Kelly at the office at kbondy@dol.ca or extension 221

JUBILEE 2025 FAITH RESOURCES

- **Prayers for Lighting the Advent Wreath Candles:** This resource provides a simple prayer service for families to light the third Advent candle.
 - **O Antiphons December 17 – 23:** This resource presents the O Antiphons which are prayed from December 17 to December 23 and the scripture connected to each and gives a link to where you can find the evening prayer for each day.
 - **The Magnificat:** This resource is an alternative version of the Magnificat which is connected to the O Antiphons.
- TO ACCESS:** windsorheritageparishes.ca click on Jubilee 2025 and then go to **NEW THIS WEEK**. Looking for the resources from other weeks, use the side buttons to access everything.

Advent Confession

St. Angela – Tuesday, December 16th
6:00pm to 8:30pm (No confession during 7:00pm mass)

Assumption – Wednesday, December 17th
8:30am to 10:30am

St. Alphonsus – Thursday, December 18th
12:30pm to 2:30pm

Family Ministry News

FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST COMMUNION; Many families are starting to think of the Sacramental Season in the Spring. Watch for sign up information on these Sacraments in late January 2026.

FAMILY OF PARISHES AND FAMILY OF SCHOOLS!

Absolutely awesome to share Advent/School Mass in recent days with Assumption High School and Middle School, Immaculate Conception School and St. James School. **Such Faith!** The teachers and students worked very hard to bring their "light" to Jesus! Please check out the WHCFOP Media Sites on FB and Instagram and check out the praise, worship and smiles! God Bless our school communities with a wonderful Christmas!

FAMILY REFLECTION: The third Sunday of Advent is traditionally called *Gaudete Sunday*. *Gaudete* is the Latin word meaning "rejoice." This Sunday is so named because "Rejoice" is the first word in the entrance antiphon for today's Mass taken from Philippians 4:4,5: "Rejoice in the Lord always; again I say, rejoice! The Lord is near." Some people mark this Sunday on their Advent wreath with a pink candle instead of a purple candle. This Sunday is a joyful reminder that our salvation is near. This week's Gospel Reading continues our Advent reflection on the person and message of John the Baptist. The Gospel of Matthew tells the story of John's arrest. John sends word to Jesus from prison, asking if Jesus is the Messiah for whom he has been waiting. Jesus responds by pointing to the miracles that he has worked and invites John and the other hearers to make their own determination. In his next breath, however, Jesus praises John for his role in preparing the way for Jesus. Then Jesus says that all of those who work for the Kingdom of God will be as great as John and even greater. **What do you think might be a reason for our rejoicing today?** (We rejoice because, in the activities that Jesus reports to John's messengers, we find God at work in the world.) Say: *If we look carefully enough, we can still find signs that God is at work in our world today.* (Sourced partially *Loyola Press*).

FAMILY ACTIVITY: Time to use up those old magazines, newspapers and flyers! Look through these papers and magazines to find signs that God is at work in our world, signs such as those that Jesus indicated to John the Baptist. Highlight or colour with crayons. Take time to share.

FAMILY PRAYER FOR THE WEEK: Today's quote comes from Pope St. John XXIII *"The family is the first essential cell of human society"*. "Rejoice! Rejoice! The Lord is near!" Have a blessed Advent week. Lynne Tibor CPM CYM

Collections for November 30th Includes collection basket and online

	Assumption	St. Alphonsus	St. Angela
Collection	\$9,643.24	\$3,504.56	\$2,790.00
Building	\$1,482.56	\$56.00	\$65.00
Misc.	\$2,507.95	\$470.85	\$620.00
TOTAL	\$13,633.75	\$4,031.41	\$3,475.00

Daily Mass Intentions—Assumption— 8:00am

Tuesday, December 16th

† Antonio Colarossi by Sister Elizabeth and Family
† Claire Birch by Mark, Drew Girard and Family
† Vincent Chartrand by Pam Elliott
† Kathleen & Robert Stobbs by David Stobbs
† Enrique Catalino Beronilla Jr. by Beronilla Family
† Ken Parent by Barb

Wednesday, December 17th

Maria Crolla by Assunta Marrazzo and Families
For the intentions of the Basilian Fathers
† Magdalene Ciccattelli by Pam Elliott
† Enrico & Arcangela Cervi by Donna Ieropoli
† Tommaso & Maria Crolla by Donna Ieropoli
† Cheryl Stobbs by David Stobbs

Thursday, December 18th

† Alexander Gusba - Remembering his birthday by Laura Gusba
Thanksgiving for Bernie & Donna Levasseur by Evangeline Franco
† Gaetano and Raffaella Martini by Elizabeth DeRubeis
† Orlando De Luca by Elizabeth DeRubeis
† Souls in purgatory by Mary Ha
† Donald Badour by Margaret Badour

Daily Mass Intentions—St. Alphonsus —12:00pm

Wednesday, December 17th

† Gerald Thomas Lemay by Virginia Lemay
In Thanksgiving by The Roberto Family
† Maria and Alessandro Parisotto by The Family

Thursday, December 18th

Gloria Romero-Lehe by Gloria Romero-Lehe
† Pope John Paul by The Lindita Family
† Josie Bondoc Espenosa by Agorilla

Friday, December 19th

† Alex Rocha by The Rocha Family
† Anna Salvi by Her husband, Luigi, and the entire family
Souls in purgatory by Paul McAiney
The Lindita Family by The Lindita Famil

Assumption Cares Outreach News assumptioncares.ca

Assumption Cares will be closed December 24th through January 4th for the holidays reopening January 5th. There will be no Community Meal December 29th. There will be no cooking class this month.

Do you like to cook? Do you enjoy creating with yarn? **We are looking for volunteer group leaders for our Cooking Club and Knit and Crochet programs** to start the new year. A couple of hours 1-2 days per month. If you are interested, please contact us by phone or email.

Join our Tai -Chi classes for beginners on Wednesday mornings at 10:30am. No need to register, learn as you go.

Our low impact fitness class takes place on Thursday mornings at 11am, all exercises are seated or standing and can be modified to individual ability.

If you are interested in volunteering for any of our outreach programs, please contact us for more information. We'd love for you to join our team.

Last Dates For 2025 Donations

The last day to drop off 2025 donations to the parish office is **Wednesday, December 24th by noon**. The last day you can donate for the 2024 income tax receipt at mass and online is **Wednesday, December 31st**. **PLEASE NOTE:** The Canada Revenue Agency considers the date of donation to be the date the gift is actually received by the charity. **Any December donations dropped off or mailed to the office in January will be posted to January, not December and will show on your 2026 tax receipt.**

Daily Mass Intentions—St. Angela Merici

Monday, December 15th - 7:00 pm

† Alberto Iannetta by A. Muscedere
† Domenica Mandarinò by family
† Vincenzo Tiberia by Connie Tiberia and family
† Gaetana Pipitone by Maria Lipari
† Giovanni Ruccolo by Steve Jaksich
† Ada, Francesco e George Piccolo by famiglia
† Ike Vicente and Lily Go by Yu family
† Lucrezia Mastrococco by children and families

Tuesday, December 16th - 7:00 pm

† Domenico Pappini by moglie e famiglia
† Amos Abati by son Giovanni and family
† Laura and Carmine Borrelli e Ornella Dattilo by Carol Borrelli, Maria and Emilio Palermo
† Tulliano e Nancy Visca by famiglia
† Salvatore Savoni by wife and family
Intentions of John S. and the souls in purgatory by Giovanni Salaris
Intentions of Mary S. and the souls in purgatory by Giovanni Salaris

Saturday, December 20th - 4:30 pm

† Alfonso Coletti by Luigi e Onorina Fallone
† Raffaele e Assunta D'Agostini by figlia Maria
† Albina Maceroni by Anna McKerracher
Intenzione di John S. e le anime in purgatorio by Parrochiano fedele
Intenzione di Maria S. e le anime in purgatorio by Parrochiana fedele
† Defunti famiglie Panaccione e Lepore by figli
† Maria e Luciano Lepore by Dina Fratelli

Sunday, December 21st - 9:30 am

† Alessandro DeMarco by Divina DeMarco
† Pietrino Salaris e le anime in purgatorio by famiglia Salaris
† Anna Maria Sablone by Domenic DiGirolamo
† Iria, Domenico and Elio De Carolis by family
† Edoardo Pomponio by moglie Stella e famiglia
† Defunti famiglie Piccolo e Dalfonso by Mario e Sylvia Piccolo

St. Alphonsus Cares Outreach News stalphonsuscares.ca

Turkey Bingo is happening Monday, December 15th at 1:00pm. We have a few turkeys to be won, and other Holiday faves! It is still our Just For Fun Bingo with a twist. Not everyone will win a turkey, but it will be fun to try!

The **Christmas Gala** is "sold out" all the free tickets have been spoken for and we can't wait to celebrate on December 21st!

Our last community meal for the holidays will be December 19th and we resume January 5th. See you then

Want to take the time to thank all of our volunteers that help with our Community Meal. It takes a village, and we are blessed with a **wonderful one!** They show up every Friday and set up, serve, and clean up! Our success and the happiness of the people who partake in the meal are because of the many volunteers we have. **Thank you!**



Holiday Office Hours

The Parish offices will be closed from noon on December 24th until Monday, January 5th.

The office staff wish you the best of the season!

Sanctuary Light Memorial—For the week of December 14th

Rosary Chapel

Deceased members of the Mallen Family by Pam Elliott

Assumption Church

† John Dollar by Kevin, Sally and Kevin Jr. McQuaid



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