

# 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

#### Our Lady of the Assumption Parish

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## St. Alphonsus Parish

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#### St. Angela Merici Parish

980 Louis Avenue Windsor, Ontario N9A 1X9 stangelamerici.ca stangelamerici@dol.ca Phone: 519-254-5542

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

# **Pastoral Team**

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**Wedding Coordinators** 

Carmen Archibald | Rose Marie Ruston

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

<u>MARRIAGE:</u> 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.

<u>FUNERALS:</u> Have the Funeral Director contact the office for arrangements.

**CAMPUS MINISTRY:** 

assumptionu.ca/campusministry/ 519-973-7033

**Bulletin Content Deadline: Noon Mondays** 

#### **COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

ASSUMPTION CARES

Laura Soulliere – Coordinator Online: assumptioncares.ca

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<u>ST. ALPHONSUS CARES</u>

Sr. Connie Harrington - Coordinator

Online: stalphonsuscares.ca EXT 242 or stalphonsuscares@dol.ca

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

# **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

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# Annual Celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe Pilgrim Image

Friday, December 12th at Assumption Church

6:15pm — Procession 6:35pm—Holy Rosary 7:05pm—Procession of the Nations 7:30pm—Mass Reception to follow

# **JUBILEE 2025 FAITH RESOURCES**

On December 12<sup>th</sup> we celebrate the feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe as well as the Day of Prayer in Solidarity with Indigenous Peoples. The resources this week help us understand the feast and day of prayer. Advent wreath candle lighting resource for week two as well as a way of praying to find God in the everyday.

- Prayers for Lighting the Advent Wreath Candles: This resource provides a simple prayer service for each week in Advent for families to light the Advent candles.
- Our Lady of Guadalupe Explained: This resource from the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe presents the story of the feast, a description of the symbolism on the image of Mary and a message from the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops on the day of Prayer.
- Remembering the Bridge to Be Built Between Us. This resource from the Diocese of Gatineau reflects on the feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe and connects it to the National Day of Prayer in Solidarity with Indigenous Peoples.
- Advent Examen: This Jesuit resource describes the examen way
  of praying and then gives an examen to use during the Advent
  season. The exam prayer invites us to look over our day and see
  where God has been present and where we have failed to see
  God's presence.

**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**

Check out our website for confessions the week of December 17th

# **Family Ministry News**

CELEBRATING ADVENT WITH YOUR FAMILY: When we think of New Year's celebrations, we usually think of party time. It's time to let the old year go. We anticipate the new year by making resolution, promising changes in behavior. As Christians, we celebrate the arrival of a new church year differently. The new year that begins on the first Sunday of Advent is a quiet one. In the readings for the four Sundays of Advent, we remember the time when people waited in anticipation for the coming of the Messiah. And while we know that the Messiah has come in Jesus Christ, and we have remembered his life, Death, Resurrection and Ascension many times, we can still reflect on the celebrate the newness of his coming once again. (Sourced partially Loyola Press).

**PARTICIPATE:** What is great about celebrating the coming of Jesus with children is that they help us approach the season with fresh eyes and insight. Put together an ADVENT WREATH, follow an ADVENT CALENDAR, engage in acts of charity.

BLESSING THE FAMILY CHRISTMAS TREE: It wasn't until the sixteenth century in Germany that trees were brought inside and decorated. You may bless your tree as soon as you put it up, or you can wait until after you have decorated it. IN PRAYER: "Loving God, we stand before you once again. We stand here ready to celebrate the birth of your son, Jesus." "Bless this tree, this sign of life and freshness and perseverance in our midst. It stands as a reminder that you are born anew in us each day. Bless our family and friends as we celebrate this joyous season. Keep bringing your light to this Advent! See you soon in church, Lynne Tibor CPM CYM

# St. Angela CWL

The Catholic Women's League of St. Angela Merici Church would like to thank all those who attended their Christmas Mass and Dinner on Thursday, November 27th. The non-perishable food has now been donated to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul in our family of parishes, who are extremely grateful for the donation.

If anyone is interested in joining our Council, come out to the next meeting on Tuesday, January 3rd, 2026 in the basement of the Church. We will start the meeting by reciting the Rosary followed by the meeting and then social time with coffee and refreshments.

In the meantime, the members of the Catholic Women's League of St. Angela Merici Church would like to wish all its members and all parishioners a very Merry Christmas and a Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year 2026!

## <u>Collections for November 23rd</u> <u>Includes collection basket and online</u>

	Assumption	St. Alphonsus	St. Angela
Collection	\$5,496.62	\$2,238.73	\$3,025.00
Building	\$1,471.80	\$42.00	\$585.00
Misc.	\$5,505.10	\$1,588.55	\$1,900.00
TOTAL	\$12,473.52	\$3,869.28	\$5,510.00

## Daily Mass Intentions—Assumption—8:00am

#### Tuesday, December 9th

- † Antonio Serrano by Nanette Serrano and Family
- † James Robinson by Catalina, Edward and Family
- Janice Elliott by Pam Elliott
- † Michel Gaudette by Rose Marie Ruston
- Rachel Hennin by Barb
- † The deceased members of the Qasha Family

#### Wednesday, December 10th

- † Daniel Murphy by Donna Murphy
- † Vulaj Prena by Deda Elezovic
- For the intentions of the Basilian Fathers
- † Glen Parsons by Pam Elliott
- † Donald Nantais by Shirley De Rush
- † Catalino Enrique Beronilla by Beronilla Family

#### Thursday, December 11th

† Antonella Norcia by Rina Norcia

Thanksgiving for Noel & Mariket Belano by Evangeline Franco

- † Lucie Comartin by Rose Marie Ruston
- Thomas Menard by Janet Menard
- † Souls in purgatory by Mary Ha

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

#### Wednesday, December 10th

Special intention for Jerald Rodenbucher by Veronica Rodenbucher

- † Federico Lacambra by Tina De Dios & Family
- Translacion Negrana by Nida Lacambra
- † Wayne Churchill by Paul McAiney

#### Thursday, December 11th

- † For souls in purgatory by Gloria Romero-Lehe
- † Aurora Perdon & Rafael Manahan by Maravilla Family
- † Souls in purgatory by The Lindita Family

#### Friday, December 12th

- † Rosa Daoud by The Daoud Family
- † Souls in purgatory by Paul McAiney
- For the world by The Lindita Family
- † George Ignatius by Queenie Ignatius

# **Assumption Cares Outreach News** assumptioncares.ca

Happy December! Please note the following changes to our schedule due to the holidays: Assumption Cares will be closed December 24th through January 4th for the holidays reopening January 5th. There will be no Community Meal December 29th.

Bingo will be on Thursday December 11th at 12pm.

There will be no cooking class this month.

Join our Tai -Chi classes for beginners on Wednesday mornings at 10:30. 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.

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 lease contact us by phone or

If you are interested in Volunteering for any of our Outreach programs, please contact us at the number or email address below for more information. We'd love for you to join our team.

### 21st ANNUAL ROSA MYSTICA FESTIVAL Monday, December 8th—St. Alphonsus

11:45am—Procession of Roses

12:00pm— Hour of Grace

1:00pm—Mass and reception to follow.

## Daily Mass Intentions—St. Angela Merici

#### Monday, December 8th - 7:00 pm

- Alberto Iannetta by Anna Vitti
- Michele and Maria Nicola Giusti by daughter Matilde Pappini and family
- † Teresa Biasutto, Marcellino e Rachelle Fiori, Annibale e Giustina Biasutto by famiglia Biasutto
- † Pasquale and Rosa D'Alessandro by family
- † Carmela Angione by nieces and nephews † Mario Spadafora by wife and family
- † Dionisio Muscedere by wife and family

# Tuesday, December 9th - 7:00 pm

- † Antonio Tiberia by Cliff e Pina Maura Carlo Orlando by Moglie Francesca e Famiglia
- † Ernesto D'Agostini by wife Giuliana and family
- † Carmela Piccinin by figlia e famiglia
- † Filomena e Michele Vitale by Maria Carriero e famiglia
- Maria Louisa Martini by figlio Pietro
- Dino Costenaro by famiglia
- Rosario e Franco Amato by mama e moglie e famiglia
- † Maria Di Gioia by family

#### Saturday, December 13th - 4:30 pm

† Salvatore Gualtieri; Anna e Michele DeNapoli; Ada Spadafora; Francesco, Estera, Filippo e Maria Gualtieri; Consolato e Gina Marciano by G. Gualtieri and family

- Giovanni Sirianni by Caterina Guido
- † Alfonso Coletti by Natalina Colucci
- † Antonia Piazza by famiglia † Vittorio Macera by Vincenzo e Laura Chiodo
- † Antonio D'Agostini by moglie e famiglia
- Roberto Faroni by moglie e famiglia
- † Maria Pia Tartaro by marito Gino e famiglia

### Sunday, December 14th - 9:30 am

- † Lina Covelli by Carmelina Gagliardi
- † Carmelino Corio by genitori
- † Pietrino Salaris e le anime in purgatorio by famiglia Salaris
- † Defunti Societa San Giuseppe by Onofrio Serra
- Tommaso e Loreta Iacobelli by famiglia
- Antonio De Luca by moglie e famiglia
- Pietro Nardone, Teresa e Antonio Carlesimo, Bruno Carlesimo e Salvatore Carlesimo by Marcella Nardone e famiglia
- † Angela Lopetrone by famiglia

# St. Alphonsus Cares Outreach News stalphonsuscares.ca

Turkey Bingo is coming December 15th. Come play a round or a few and try to win a Turkey or some fixins' that will accent your Christmas dinner. There are only a few turkeys to be won but lots of fun to be had! Play starts at 1:00pm- Don't miss out!

The Christmas Gala tickets are going fast. They are free but you must reserve your ticket! Sunday, December 21st from 2:00-4:00 pm- hors d'oeuvres, drinks, and dancing. Don't miss out. There are only a few tickets left! Make sure to get yours!

The Family of Parishes Christmas Party was a huge success. Many hands make light work. There are too many to thank individually but to those who served, decorated, helped with crowd control, or just put on a happy face - THANK YOU! Our WHCFOP is blessed to have so many helping hands.

Saturday, December 13th at 10:30am join Barb for a Christmas craft. Make it for yourself or for a friend but join us for fun crafting time. Limited space so register with Sr. Connie charrington@dol.ca

# Sanctuary Light Memorial—For the week of December 7th

#### Rosary Chapel

Famiglia Gill Valle by Anna Gill **Assumption Church** Patricia Emond by Marie Mifsud



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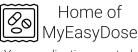
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