



HURON CHAPEL, 1804

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HURON CHURCH CAMPUS - 350 HURON CHURCH ROAD | MCEWAN CAMPUS - 711 MCEWAN AVENUE

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#### PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. Maurice Restivo CSB - Pastor Fr. Jim Stenberg CSB - Parochial Vicar Dcn. Paul Bezaire - Deacon Jean Beneteau-Pastoral Minister Melissa Pacitti-Fallone-Coordinator of Youth Ministries Marilyn Morrison - Bereavement Ministry

#### PARISH STAFF

Sally McQuaid - Secretary Zeljka Trepanier - Bookkeeper Kevin McQuaid - Properties Tim McKinley - Properties Ammilla Perera - Parking Lot Manager

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL Kevin Alexander - Chair

PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE Dan Hallett - Chair

### WEEKEND MASSES McEWAN CAMPUS

Saturday Vigil - 5 pm Sunday - 9 am, 11 am, 7:30 pm

CONFESSIONS - McEWAN CAMPUS Saturdays - 3:45pm to 4:45pm

#### DAILY MASSES - ROSARY CHAPEL

Monday – 8:00am Tuesday – 8:00am, 12:10pm Wednesday – 8:00am, 5:00pm Thursday – 8:00am, 12:10pm Friday – 8:00am

### MORNING PRAYER - ROSARY CHAPE Monday to Friday - 7:40am

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION - ROSARY CHAPEL Monday to Friday - 8:30am to 8pm BAPTISMS

Contact Dcn. Paul Bezaire at the Parish Office for details of the program.

### <u>MARRIAGES</u> Couples should be registered and active in the parish. Contact the Parish Office.

RCIA

Program for those interested in the Catholic Faith. Contact the Parish Office.

# YOUTH MINISTRY: Guardians of the Gospel

For students in JK to Grade 8 and those preparing for First Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation.

VISITATION OF THE SICK Contact Dcn. Paul Bezaire for arrangements.

<u>FUNERALS</u> Please have the Funeral Director contact the office for arrangements.

### **DIVORCED AND SEPARATED SUPPORT**

Contact Rose Marie Ruston at cdsg.assumption@gmail.com.

<u>CAMPUS MINISTRY</u> (519-973-7033) Fr. Paul McGill, C.S.B. - *Chaplain* Chrisandra Skipper, Andrea Dula - *Campus Ministers* 

### CATHOLIC ORGANIZATIONS

Assumption Parish Community Association: Bridget Russo - Chairperson Knights of Columbus: Tim McKinley - Grand Knight St. Vincent de Paul: Holy Name of Mary Chair - Tim McKinley Blessed Sacrament Chair - Charlie Long

ASSUMPTION PARISH WELCOMES ALL VISITORS AND WE ARE BLESSED TO HAVE YOU WITH US. NEW PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED TO INTRODUCE YOURSELVES TO A MEMBER OF OUR PASTORAL TEAM AND TO REGISTER IN THE PARISH.

### From The Pastors Desk...

If I had to pick one thing that I've learned from all of my education that has most impacted me, it would be the focus on the humanity of Jesus. It's easy to believe that Jesus is God; we have almost 2000 years of collective memory that tells us so. It's much harder for me to grasp his humanity. To think that God would want to come and be part of this simultaneously complex, beautiful, messy, messed-up, and sinful world is hard to conceive. Yet, that is what our faith tells us. And even more incredible is that both Jesus and Paul tell us that we, too, are God's children, and Jesus is our brother. It is so easy for me to say that I believe it, and much harder to live it.

In this weekend's readings, Moses tells the people that God will raise up a prophet from among their own kin. And in the gospel passage, Mark lets us know that the unclean spirits are the ones who recognize Jesus' uniqueness. The people just saw another person; it is hard, sometimes, to recognize specialness in your own kin, in another person like yourself. We want God to be different, but sometimes God is hidden right here among us, even among our own kin.

On a different note, I want to let you know that Citizenship and Immigration Canada has now granted me permanent residence! It's nice to know that I'll be able to stick around and be a part of this community without the worry of my visa running out. In another couple of years I will be eligible to apply for citizenship.

And, I am very pleased to announce that the Basilian Fathers have appointed Steven Huber, CSB, to Assumption parish for his diaconate year. Steven is currently a Basilian seminarian, and will be ordained deacon on May 12th. He will be joining us this July for approximately one year, and will most likely be ordained to the priesthood in the spring of 2019. I think it will be a privilege for all of us to be a part of his formation. I hope he will come visit us sometime before the summer. In the meantime, I invite you to support him with your prayer.

h. Maurice

### **Reflection for the Week**

A new teach with authority .... (Mark 1:27) Let the words of Jesus sink into your heart to kindle hope and love

### ASH WEDNESDAY-FEBRUARY 14th

ROSARY CHAPEL 8:00am 12:10pm 5:00pm

MCEWAN CAMPUS 10:00am—School mass, Parishioners welcome 7:00pm



When we come to mass we offer the gift of Growth ourselves back to God in Thanksgiving for all he has given us. We are called to use our gifts fruitfully, for the benefit of others, and as a result, for our own growth.

If you are currently considering giving of yourself in any parish ministry that is new for you, please contact Jean Beneteau at the parish office to assist in discerning the best use of your gifts and to discuss training and formation for the ministry of interest to you.

Whatever you feel called to do, your gifts are welcomed and appreciated.

> Jean can be reached at jbeneteau@dol.ca or 519-253-2493 Ext. 236

#### Participate in our Lenten Mission and Celebrate Family Day all together!

During the LENTEN MISSION February 17th thru to the 21st, facilitated by Barbara Eckert, we will be celebrating Family Day, Monday February 19<sup>th</sup>, with an intergenerational dinner followed by the evening mission presentation and facilitated conversation.

All are welcome to attend with (or without) your family members, as we are also a parish family. Children are most definitely included!

Registration is required. Please sign the registration lists on the counter at the entrance to the church, or contact Jean Beneteau at jbeneteau@dol.ca to indicate your attendance and the number of people in your group.

There is no entry fee, though a free will offering will be accepted.

See the posters in church or keep your eye on the upcoming bulletins for further mission details.

#### **Call for Conscience Campaign**

Assisted Suicide has been legal in Canada since June, 2016. Despite the best efforts of many, Ontario physicians and other caregivers are forced to participate in euthanasia-against their will-with patient referrals. At the same time, only a third of the population has access to adequate palliative care, so they are being denied real choice on end of life issues.

The Coalition for HealthCARE and Conscience is actively working to promote palliative care and defend the conscience rights of health care professionals. They are working to have conscience protection legislation passed in Ontario.

The Ontario legislature has the power to protect conscience rights for individuals and facilities, and to provide adequate palliative care and mental health services, so that people will not see assisted suicide as their only option. On February 4<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> we will be asking you to register your email address so the Coalition can help you easily make your voice heard.

> In the meantime, for more information visit http://www.canadiansforconscience.ca/

#### Week at a Glance

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Monday, January 29th 6:00pm Youth Program (McEwan Campus-Basement)	<u>Monday,</u> 8:00am
Tuesday, January 30th3:00pmYWAR (McEwan Campus-Classroom)7:00pmLatin Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)7:00pmCenacle of Our Lady of Guadalupe (Rosary Chapel)	<u>Tuesday,</u> 8:00am
Wednesday, January 31st	12:10pm
Thursday, February 1st 10:00am Card Games (McEwan Campus-Basement) 5:00pm Two Hearts Prayer Group (Rosary Chapel)	<u>Wedneso</u> 8:00am
7:30pm Nar Anon (Rosary Hall)	5:00pm
Friday, February 2nd9:00amSVDP Forgotten Harvest Produce (McEwan Campus)3:00pmDivine Mercy Hour (Rosary Chapel)6:30pmConfessions (Rosary Chapel)7:00pmApostolate of Fatima Mass & Rosary (Rosary Chapel)8:00pmAlliance of the Two Hearts Vigil (Rosary Chapel)	<b>Thursda</b> y 8:00am
Saturday, February 3rd 9:00am SVDP-Meeting/Home Visits (McEwan Campus-Basement) 3:45pm Confessions (McEwan Campus-Church) 5:00pm Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)	12:10pm
7:00pm New AA Meeting-All Are Welcome (Rosary Hall)	<u>Friday, F</u> 8:00am
Sunday, February 4th 9:00am Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)	
11:00am Mass (McEwan Campus-Church) 7:30pm Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)	<u>Saturday</u>

Not willing to let go of your marriage? Many couples continue to struggle in a marriage, but are not willing to give up on each other. There is hope.

Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages.

For more information about an upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend program for couples, contact registration team: Debbie or Darcy @ 1-800-705-6356, 1015@retrouvaille.org or visit our website: SaveOurMarriage.ca

**Marie Rose Place** 318-320 Randolph Street Phone: (519) 253-1383 e-mail: marierose@mnsi.net

> Monday, February 5th, 2018 1:00pm-4:00pm

Movie - "The Yellow Brick Road : The Wizard of Oz as a Parable"

Come and enjoy this classic movie once again, this time from a different perspective!

Facilitators: Janine Rocheleau snjm and Joe Quinn csb Suggested offering: \$10 includes snacks

#### Please register at least a week in advance

## **Sunday Collection**

January 21st, 2018 Regular Miscellaneous Total

Not available at press time



#### **Mass Intentions**

<u>, January 29th</u> <sup>†</sup>Luigi Carlesimo by his Wife, Family & Sister + Richie Allen by Mary Ha For the Intentions of June Arboleda by Suad Qasha <u>, January 30th</u> <sup>†</sup>Pietro DiVito by Annino & Elizabeth DeRubeis n For the Intentions of Michelle Hennin by Joyce Marancé

sday, January 31st †For the Souls in Purgatory by Mary Ha

Bob McCrackin by Bob & Charlotte Carr +lan Medway by Bob & Charlotte Carr <sup>†</sup>Anthony & Maria Dias by Bob & Charlotte Carr

#### y, February 1st

- \*Nicolo Vitarelli by the Vitarelli Family +Della Drouillard by Mary Shiner & Family For the Intentions Sheila & Theresa on their birthday by Sheila & Theresa
- n †Sarah Snelling by Anne Marie Handsor +Ed Janisse by Lucille Breault & Rita Sanborn

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<sup>†</sup>Remo Fanelli by his Mother & Family <sup>†</sup>For the Souls in Purgatory by Eunice Dambatta <sup>†</sup>Linda Calamita by Felice & Caterina Calamita

Saturday, February 3rd—McEwan Campus 5:00pm For the Intentions of the Assumption Parish Parishioners

Sunday, February 4th—McEwan Campus 9:00am For the intentions of the Assumption Parish Parishioners 11:00am For the intentions of the Assumption Parish Parishioners 7:30pm For the intentions of the Assumption Parish Parishioners

### **Sanctuary Light Memorial**

For the week of January 28th, 2018 **Rosary Chapel** 

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Windsor-Essex Catholic District School Board **Kindergarten Registration** www.catholicboard.ca

Tuesday, February 20<sup>th</sup> to Friday March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018

For your convenience, the Windsor-Essex Catholic District School Board invites you to attend an Open House/Evening Registration at your local Catholic School.

Wednesday February 21<sup>st</sup> from 5:00pm to 7:00pm

**Requirements:** Birth Certificate, Baptismal Certificate, Health Card and Immunization Record

Junior Kindergarten:	Children must be 4 years of age by
Senior Kindergarten:	December 31, 2018 Children must be 5 years of age by December 31, 2018



Chicken Pot Pies will be sold at the bake sale on the weekend of February 10th/11th after all masses. If you would like to order in a advance please contact Anita MacLeod, a member of the Mission Club at 519-254-5732.

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