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*Give thanks to the Lord for
His many Blessings
On Thanksgiving*



October 12th, 2025— 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time 12 ottobre 2025 - 28a domenica del Tempo Ordinario

Thanksgiving Morning Mass

Join us Monday, October 13th at 10:00am at Assumption



All Saints Mass

Join us on Saturday, November 1st at 10:00am at St. Alphonsus

Road Closures: Detroit Free Press Marathon

There will be several road closures around Assumption Church on Sunday, October 19th that will make getting to the 9:00am Mass only accessible by going west on University. Coming from west of the bridge you must cross at College and head to California. The roads are expected to open by 10:00am.

The Bishop's 75th

Join us in celebrating Bishop Fabbro's 75th birthday with a special evening of joy, gratitude, and shared mission on **Thursday, October 30th, 2025**. Visit www.dol.ca/bishop75

World Youth Day 2027

Seoul, South Korea (WYD) is a global gathering with the Pope held every few years, bringing together young people from around the world for prayer, celebration, and faith. The last WYD took place in Lisbon, Portugal in August 2023, and the next will be in Seoul, Korea in 2027.

Open to all youth (16+), WYD offers a powerful opportunity to encounter Christ, experience the universality of the Church, and grow in faith alongside hundreds of thousands of peers. The Youth, Young Adult, and Family Ministry Office is excited to announce plans to bring a group of young people and adults to this life-changing World Youth Day pilgrimage. We are partnering with Tour Design to create a meaningful and memorable package that will make this journey unforgettable. To begin forming our diocesan group, Christine Coyle will be hosting two **online information sessions: Thursday, October 23rd at 7:30 PM and Sunday, Oct. 26th at 3PM**. Both meetings should only last an hour. You only need to attend one session. For more information and to **sign up for the online sessions at this dol.ca** Age Requirements for WYD 2027: Participants are encouraged to be at least 18 years old by the time of departure (end of July 2027). The minimum age to attend is 16 at departure, provided that proper adult-to-youth ratios are in place.

JUBILEE 2025 FAITH RESOURCES NEW THIS WEEK

- **Litany of the Saints of October:** This resource is a litany to all the saints whose feast day is in October. Some wonderful Canadian saints in the mix.
- **Prayers for Thanksgiving:** This resource for Thanksgiving weekend, gives several prayers of thanksgiving to use.
- **How to Pray the Rosary:** This resource from Rosary Army gives everything one needs to know how to pray the rosary: what prayers are said and in what order, the prayers themselves and the mysteries for the various days of the week.

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.

Thanksgiving Parish Appeal

As we approach Thanksgiving Day, we are given an opportunity to stop and reflect on the many ways that God has blessed us, and we give thanks to God for his generous love and mercy.

Mindful of this call, Parishes across the Diocese of London take up an annual "Thanksgiving Appeal" collection on Thanksgiving Weekend.

100% of money collected in the Thanksgiving Appeal remains in the Parish to help minister to those in need, pay day-to-day operating expenses, and support the maintenance and upkeep of our buildings.

You can also donate online, on our parish websites, just look for the Thanksgiving appeal box on the front page.

Family Ministry News

WHCFOP PARISH AND SCHOOLS CONNECTION: This week past was filled with joyful praise as School Mass and Liturgies of the Word were celebrated at all 4 of our feeder schools. Immaculate Conception School community celebrated Mass on Tuesday, Assumption College High School and Middle School celebrated Liturgy of the Word on Wednesday and Thursday, and St. James School Community celebrated Mass on Friday. On Thursday afternoon I attended a Parish/School Collaborative gathering in Essex at Holy Name of Jesus Parish where parish representatives meet with principals and WECSB staff to share their experiences with working together and to brainstorm ideas to bring the families of the school communities closer to the Catholic Faith. These meetings have been happening for about 2 years now and have been of great benefit! (Here, the relationship has brought many initiatives such as Christmas Art displays from the schools that are up during the Annual WHCFOP Christmas Party, teachers volunteering with Family Ministry and of course the highly successful "Easter In a Bag" Art Project where students decorate paper bags which are distributed at each Mass as an appeal for the St. Vincent De Paul Society during Lent.) Our school families need prayers. Please support and include them in yours.

TRUNK OR TREAT: Two more weeks! Please join us at Assumption Church in the rear lot near the garages for this annual family event! The event runs from 12 Noon to 2 pm. Popcorn, treats, mini pumpkin crafts, "pose" with Pope Leo, "alien" colouring desk and the opportunity to spend time with the parish family.



Everyone is welcome. (Note: the Confirmation candidates and their families will be there to help out and hand out treats!)

FAMILY REFLECTION: Children fluctuate between moments of deep, heartfelt gratitude and an attitude of entitlement. These fluctuations are normal. Among our tasks as parents is to help foster the gift of gratitude, particularly gratitude to God for all God's goodness to us. Read today's Gospel, Luke 17:11-19. Make a poster showing some of the gifts from God to your family. Display this poster in a prominent place and, as a family, write a prayer of thanksgiving for all of God's goodness to you. (Sourced partially Loyola Press). *Remember the activity from last week where you are invited to share words/pictures of gratitude? Now is the time to sprinkle them around! Make holy symbols and words like "Jesus", "God" and names of Saints part of your "gratitude" gathering too!

A very blessed Thanksgiving to you all. See you in church, Lynne Tibor CPM CYM

Daily Mass Intentions—Assumption— 8:00am

Tuesday, October 14th

- † Raul Dionaldo by The Family
- † Leonila Araneta Cruz by The Cruz Kids

Wednesday, October 15th

- † Bonnie Mae Nantais by Her Siblings
- † Orlando De Luca by Igidio Masaro
- Maria Crolla by Assunta Marrazzo and Families
- † Elezovic Mark by Deda Elezovic
- For the intentions of the Basilian Fathers
- Special intentions for Amy, Leah, & Helen Bonrostro by Andrea Muana

Thursday, October 16th

- † Salvatore and Maria Iacono by The Family
- † Charles Semande by Barb Semande
- † Giuseppina a Michele Di Rodi by Ralph and Antonietta Cimino

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

Wednesday, October 15th

- † Edwin Esmana by Gloria Ymana
- † Diana Trussler by Josh Loop
- † Giuseppina Flammia by Bruno Flammia
- † Bill Slavik by Veronica Rodenbucher

Thursday, October 16th

- † Gladys and Nicena Dionaldo by The Family
- † For the deceased members of the Garcia/Romero Families by Gloria Romero-Lehe
- † George Ignatius by Queenie Ignatius

Friday, October 17th

- † Angelina Pablo by Agripina Roberto and Family
- † Lucia & Gaetano Moscuza by Francesco Moscuza
- † Souls in purgatory by Paul McAiney
- † Special intention for Fr. Frank La Prairie by Robert Bernier

Daily Mass Intentions—St. Angela Merici

Monday, October 13th - 7:00 pm

- † Alberto Iannetta by Anna DiLuca
- † 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 Giacomina e Angelo Italiano
- † Maria Abati by Giovanni and Carolina Rucolo
- † Special intentions of John S. and the souls in purgatory by Giovanni Salaris
- † Special intentions of Maria S. and the souls in purgatory by Giovanni Salaris

Tuesday, October 14th- 7:00 pm

- † Amos Abati by son Giovanni and family
- † Onorio Iacobelli by Tony and Maria Iacobelli
- † Emilio and Maria Domenica Iacobelli by Tony and Maria Iacobelli
- † Gaetano and Finalba Pirrone by Tony and Maria Iacobelli
- † Dino Costenaro by family
- † Mark Fenty by family

Saturday, October 18th - 4:30 pm

- † Vincenzo e Vittoria Vitale by Maria Carriero e famiglia
- † Rosa and Antonio Del Vasto by Maria Carriero e famiglia
- † Alfonso Coletti by Antonia Muscedere
- † Edda e Joe Spadafora by nipote Francesca
- † Antonia Pisciueneri by Trieste and Silvana Patella

Sunday, October 19th - 9:30 am

- † Anna Iacobelli by Clelia Laurienzo
- † Saverino Pelle by moglie Maria, figli e nipoti
- † Pietrino Salaris e le anime in purgatorio by famiglia Salaris
- † Domenico Colucci by moglie, figlio e famiglia
- † Gerlando Mazza by moglie Onofria
- † Albina Maceroni by Anna Vitti e famiglia
- † Maria De Cellis by Maria Bertuccio

Sanctuary Light Memorial—For the week of October 13th

Rosary Chapel

For the intentions of the Beneteau Family

Assumption Church

In Thanksgiving

Assumption Cares Outreach News

Assumption Cares will be closed Monday, October 13th for Thanksgiving. There will be no Community Meal.

October Bingo Days will be on the 16th and 30th at 12:30pm

Cooking Class will take place on Wednesday, October 15th at 12:00pm

Join our **Tai -Chi Classes** for beginners on Wednesday mornings at 10:30am

Our **Low Impact Fitness Class** takes place on Thursday mornings at 11:00am.

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.

Please see our Calendar on the Parish website or our Assumption Cares Facebook page for a schedule of all programs and services.

Contact 226-260-1768 or assumptioncares@dol.ca for more information.

St. Alphonsus Cares Outreach News

We held our first Maker's Market and it went very well. A huge thank you to all the vendors and those of you who baked for the bake sale. A very satisfying time!

Join us Tuesday, October 14th **for the movie Mrs. Doubtfire!** A laugh a minute! Good for your soul. 1:00pm in the hall. Popcorn and refreshments will be served

Just a reminder about the Men's group that meets alternating Tuesdays... next meeting October 21st from 4:30pm to 6:00pm and the Women's group that meets alternating Wednesdays ... next meeting October 22nd 3:30pm to 5:00pm/

The Community Meal happens every Friday beginning at 5:00pm - doors open at 4:00pm. Join Us!

Save The Dates

Annual Christmas Party
Holy Name of Mary Church
Saturday, November 29th 2025

WSO Handel's Messiah
Assumption Church
December 4th, 2025

Collections for September 28th
Includes collection basket and online

	Assumption	St. Alphonsus	St. Angela
Collection	\$11,067.43	\$3,848.50	\$3,120.00
Building	\$1,200.83	\$50.00	\$25.00
Misc.	\$4,053.10	\$2,580.35	\$825.00
TOTAL	\$16,321.36	\$6,478.85	\$3,970.00

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