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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Windsor, Ontario N9A 3A8
stalphonsuschurch.ca

St. Angela Merici Parish
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Windsor, Ontario N9A 1X9
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St. Daniel Community: stdaniel.ca | **St. Benedict Community:** windsorlatinmass.org

Office Contact Information
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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, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday: 9:30am to 12:00pm

Assumption Parish

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

Weekday Masses
Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:00am **(Chapel)**
Wednesday: 8:00am **(Church)**

Confessions – Rosary Chapel
Saturday: 11:00am to 12:00noon
Sunday: 6:30pm to 7:20pm

Rosary Chapel/Assumption Schedule
Tuesday: 8:30am to 3:30pm (with adoration)
Wednesday: 8:30am to 3:00pm **(Church Open)**
Thursday: 8:30am to 4:00pm (Chapel Open)
Friday: 8:30am to 9:30am for Adoration, Divine Mercy Hour at 3:00pm, Blue Army Mass at 7:00pm with Confessions at 6:00pm

St. Alphonsus Parish

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

Weekday Masses
Tuesday 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)
Wednesday/Mercoledì: 7:00pm

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

Adoration
Wednesdays: 7:30pm to 8:30pm

St. Benedict

Masses are 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 the office for program information.

FUNERALS: 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
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ST. ALPHONSUS CARES
Sr. Connie Harrington - Coordinator
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EXT 242 or stalphonsuscares@dol.ca

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

October 18th, 2026 - 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
18 ottobre 2026 - 29ª domenica del Tempo Ordinario

Join Us For Trunk or Treat!

Trunk or Treat returns to the Assumption Parking Lot on Saturday, October 31st, from 12:00pm to 2:00pm. **There will be prizes for the Best Trunks! Sign up with Sr. Connie or Kevin by email at charrington@dol.ca or kmcquaid@dol.ca** If you don't have a trunk and want to help, we will take that too! As always, we need candy donations for the kids!

Commemorations of the Faithful Departed

Sunday, November 1st

Assumption: 11:00am Mass, followed by a memorial tree planting at Assumption Cemetery, compliments of Heavenly Rest Cemetery.

St. Alphonsus: 12:00pm Mass

St. Angela Merici: At both 9:30am and 11:30am Masses

Heavenly Rest Cemetery: 3:00pm. Bishop Daniel Miehm presiding

The month of November is dedicated to the Holy Souls in Purgatory. The Church commemorates all her faithful children who have departed from this life but have not yet attained the joys of heaven.

Eternal rest, grant unto them O Lord,
and let perpetual Light shine upon them.

A Note About Receiving Holy Communion

It is a sign of respect to bow before stepping forward to receive holy communion, for you are receiving the true body and blood of the Lord. Catholics may choose to receive communion either on the tongue or in the hand. If you receive in the hand, please consume the host before turning away from the priest, deacon, or extraordinary minister.

Holy Communion is the greatest sign of being fully incorporated in the Catholic Church. As such, it is limited to Catholics who have examined their conscience and are free of serious sin. Priests are available for the sacrament of reconciliation at the times indicated in the bulletin. Other Christians are always welcome to come forward and receive a blessing.

Liturgy Matters

I am curious about liturgy stuff, and when I look on the internet there are many sources. How can I know what right and what's someone's opinion?

A.Be careful about the source of information. Always start with primary sources. When addressing liturgy, the first authority to consider is the Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy (SC) (1963). The General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM) (2008) is the authoritative source for the practicalities of the liturgy.
There are many liturgy columns, including by priests, deacons, theologians, etc., which are their interpretations of what is stated in the primary sources. It could be said that good liturgy is more of an art than a science; there is room for pastoral judgment and cultural expression. But there are also some rules that must be followed. The Church seeks unity in worship.

Fr. Kevin invites you to send him liturgy-related questions at kmannara@dol.ca.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH NEWS

St. Alphonsus Cares:

Thank you to everyone who has donated to our community Meal. We can still use more if you would like to donate grocery cards or cream or coffee for a meal. Those are the things that we need.

We are also in need of some bingo prizes, so if you happen to be cleaning out a closet or find some old boxes with trinkets and treats, we will happily take them off your hands

As we prepare to get ready for our new program partnering with the Alzheimer's Society, we ask for prayers and support. If you would like to volunteer for a daytime program, all it requires is a police clearance and training that happens on October 19. Just contact Sr. Connie at charrington@dol.ca

Trunk or Treat is right around the corner. We have a few trunks and treats, but we still need more, so if you've ever considered decorating your trunk and giving out treats in a small environment and getting to know other parishioners, please join us; sign up with Sr. Connie or Kevin McQuaid Jr.

A**ssumption Cares:**

Cup of Faith Café: First Thursday of the month after the 8:00am Mass
October Bingo is on October 29th at 12:30pm
Foodies Cooking Class is on October 21st at noon
T**ai Chi** is on Wednesdays at 10:30am
F**it for All** is on Thursdays at 11:00am

Forgotten Harvest produce distribution for those in need, Friday mornings from 8:00am until 11:00am or until supplies run out.
Cuddles Clothing for Kids program Friday mornings from 9:00am till noon. For those in need *Please bring your own bag for both.
See our Calendar on the Parish website for a schedule of all programs and services. If you would like to receive a digital copy of our calendar, send us your email address.

Education Students Initiative

A message to Education students enrolled in the Education Students' Initiative. There will be an initial meeting on Wednesday, October 21st downstairs in Our Lady of the Assumption Church (Rosary Hall) at 7:00pm. Please enter by the west door (there will be signs).
I am looking forward to meeting you.
Fr. Timothy

For Lectors: Workbook For Lectors, Gospel Readers And Proclaimers Of The Word 2027

The book contains the full text of the readings, a pronunciation aid, notes on pacing and tone as well as a reading commentary and bolded text indicating where stress and emphasis should be placed. This resource will be available for around $20.00 (cost depends on the number ordered). Contact Anne Shore at ashore.vol@dol.ca or 519-972-0589. Payment can be made upon receipt of the book.

Religious Article Sales

The Knights of Columbus will be holding their Christmas religious article sales on the following dates. Please note these are the final ones of the year.

Assumption: October 18th and November 15th at the 9:00am and 11:00am masses

St. Alphonsus: October 25th and November 29 (tentative) before and after 12:00pm mass

Holy Name of Mary: November 1st before and after 3:00pm mass.

These are the only sales we'll hold before Christmas; we have lots of new products and some old favourites. Please stop by and see us.

Daily Mass Intentions — Assumption– 8:00am

Tuesday, October 20th
Andrew Gusba on his Birthday by Laura Gusba
† John Fernandes, Joaquim & Maria Rocha by Rosa Fernandes
Katharine & Brian Nantais by Tim & Theresa McKinley
Patanaj Age by Deda Elezovic
† For the repose of the soul of Saba Koriale by Rose Marie Ruston
† For the repose of the soul of Leonora Panganiban & Gaudencio Panganiban by Yu Family

Wednesday, October 21st
Mrs. Sleen by Mary Ha
† For the repose of the soul of Alex & Margaret Stefani by Maria, John & Dawn
For the souls in purgatory by Mary Ha
† For the repose of the soul of Justin Greenwood by Pam Elliott
† For the repose of the soul of Margaret and Patrick Mallen by The Family

Thursday, October 22nd
Piero Venditti by The Venditti Family
Elezovic Mrija by Deda Elezovic
† For the repose of the soul of Janet & Vincent Lazarus by their daughter Patricia Lazarus
† For the repose of the soul of Saba Koriale by Janet and John
For the intentions of Katharine McKinley by Tim & Theresa McKinley
For the intentions of Sara McKinley by Tim & Theresa McKinley

Friday, October 23rd
For an Abundance of Grace and the most precious blood of Jesus to cover Francis, Paul & Veronica Loop by Joanna Trussler
† For the repose of the soul Denice Mowat by Jacob Allin

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

Tuesday, October 20th
No Mass this week

Wednesday, October 21st
No Mass this week

Thursday, October 22nd
Rui Cavaco by Filomena Yamashita
† For the repose of the soul of Sr. Elise Dower, pbvm
† For the repose of the soul of Maria and Alessandro Parisotto by the Family
† For the repose of the soul of Saba Koriale by Gloria Romero-Lehe

Friday, October 23rd
† Alex Rocha by The Rocha Family
Felix Gusba on his 8th birthday by Laura Gusba
Hugo Gusba on his 1st birthday
† Amara Daoud by The Daoud Family
† Souls in purgatory by Paul McAiney
† For the repose of the soul of Deacon Gerard Charette by Mary Anne and Aimee Charette

Sanctuary Light Memorial—For the week of October 18th



Rosary Chapel
In Thanksgiving

Assumption Church
Judith MacDonald by Barrie MacDonald



Collections for October 4th
Includes collection basket and online
Thank you for your ongoing support!

	Assumption	St. Alphonsus	St. Angela
Collection	$10,323.48	$4,439.08	$2,722.80
Building	$2,316.00	$599.50	$600.00
Misc.	$3,267.60	$628.50	$1,032.50
TOTAL	**$15,907.08**	**$5,667.08**	**$4,355.30**

Daily Mass Intentions - St. Angela Merci

Monday, October 19th
No Mass this week

Tuesday, October 20th
No Mass this week

Wednesday, October 21st
† Maria Di Franco by B. Colicchia
† Domenica Josephine Toniolo by Franca Cantisan Pignanelli
† Rose Geraci by Mike Chiarappa

Saturday, October 24th - 4:30pm
† Filippo Piazza by moglie Maria e figli
† Giovanni Battista e Augusta Monte by Claudia
† Lidia Minato by family
† Ruggiero Battagello by moglie e famiglia
† Maria Di Franco by Nicolas Skaf
† Fra Marcellino e Giuseppe Villella by Dina e Pietro Lucente

Sunday, October 25th - 9:30am
† Pietrino Salaris e le anime in purgatorio by Famiglia Salaris
† Deceased family members of Angela Caira by Angela Caira & Family
In onore di San Padre Pio di Pietralcina by Emanuele Calamita
† Antonio & Lidia Sandre by The Family
† Domenico Colucci by moglie Natalina e famiglia
† Fra Marcellino Villella e Giuseppe Villella by Dora Ussoletti

Bulletin Changes

Starting in November, Mass Intentions will be printed in the bulletin on the first Sunday of each month for the entire month. They will also be posted on our website.

Priest Study Days Mass Changes

From October 19th to 21st, our priests will be in London for their Annual Study Days. Due to this, Mass and Confessions at St. Angela on October 19th and 20th and St. Alphonsus on October 20th and 21st are cancelled. Schedule at Assumption is unchanged.

St. Alphonsus Sunday Socials

Sunday socials will move to the last Sunday of the month. The next social is scheduled for Sunday, October 25th, following the 12noon Mass. Come out and get to know your fellow parishioners!

We also need more volunteers, and any assistance would be appreciated. Please call the parish office at 519-253-2493, and someone will contact you! Thank you!

NEW RESOURCES TO HELP GROW YOUR CATHOLIC FAITH

Here are two resources connected to the rosary

- HOW THE HAIL MARY CHANGED OVER THE CENTURIES: This resource presents how the rosary came to be the prayer we pray today
- RIVER OF WISDOM: A PERSONAL RETREAT ON THE ROSARY: this resource from RCspirituality presents a series of meditations on Mary's role and the importance of the rosary. There are personal questions and scripture passages for meditation and reflection. This is the first of a three part series.

Here are two reflections on "sacrifice":

- WISDOM FROM POPE LEO ON HOW TO GIVE OUR LIVES WITH LOVE: this resource is a tweet from Pope Leo
- THE ANATOMY OF SACRIFICE: this resource from Fr. Ron Rolheiser OMI reflects on the meaning of sacrifice for Christian

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