

St. Michael's Parish

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PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

FINANCE COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON Cherylan Grace

PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON Gerarda Smith-Hillier

SCHEDULE OF EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.
St. Josephine Bakhita (African Caribbean Catholic
Community) Mass - 4th Sunday of each month at 2:30 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday & Saturday No mass
Tuesday & Thursday 12:00 noon
Wednesday & Friday 8:00 a.m.

PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Kateri School	519-675-4410
St. Mark's School	519-675-4421
St. Michael's School	519-675-4424
St. Catherine of Siena School	519-675-4437
Mother Teresa Secondary School	519-675-4433

MINISTRIES TO CHILDREN

Restart date to be advised.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

By appointment only.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism – 1st Sunday of each month at 2:00pm or any Sunday Mass

Baptismal Preparation – Contact Fr. Pio D'Oria

Marriage – Arrangements to be made at least six months in advance

Marriage Preparation – Apr 17-19, 2020

Priesthood/Religious Life – Fr. Murray Sample, Fr. Pio D'Oria

Sacrament of the Sick – available upon request

First Reconciliation (Gr. 2) - registration required in September

First Communion (Gr. 2) - registration required in September

Confirmation (Gr. 8) - registration required in September

Hearing assistance device to hear mass available.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK: Contact the Parish Office.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE (CWL): President – Dorothy Solomon

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Grand Knight - Marty McAllister

PRAYER LINE: Prayer requests are received at
stmichlon@dol.ca or phone 519-433-6689

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. - Noon & 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Items for Bulletin due by noon Monday.

APRIL 18TH, 2021 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Sunday Mass

Saturday 5:00 pm, Sunday 8:30 am, 10:30 am and 12:30 pm.

The number of people in the church will be guided by the directives of the government and the Bishop of London. We require registering. This can be done by going to the Parish website <https://stmichaelslondon.ca/mass-reservations> or by phone 519-433-6689 for those who are unable to use the website.

Parish Pastoral Council

We are looking for new Council members to make decisions about the pastoral life and growth of St. Michael's Parish. Please help identify persons in our faith community who could enable us to develop our sense of Word, Worship, Community and Service.

In order to be considered for the ministry of parish leadership a parishioner must:

- be a baptized Catholic
- be a member of St. Michael's Parish
- be a participant in the ongoing worship life of St. Michael's Parish, especially Sunday Eucharist
- be at least sixteen years old

Please return completed recommendation forms to the Parish Office by Apr 18, 2021.

Recommendation form is available on the Parish Website.
<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/application/upload/pages/files/PPC2021.pdf>

Candles for Intentions - While the Diocese continues to restrict the public from being able to light candles for their prayer intentions, we will be pleased to look after this for you. If you wish to have a candle lit, please speak with one of the Priests or a staff member. The suggested offering is \$5 per 3 day candle and \$2 per 1 day.

The Children's Bulletin is available online weekly at <https://thekidsbulletin.com/#jp-carousel-3374> You are invited to print the bulletin for your child and set a few minutes aside to talk about what they heard and participate in the fun activities in the bulletin. For those unable to attend mass, you can tune into Sunday mass by following this link as well. <https://stmichaelslondon.ca/sunday-mass>

Pllenty Giving - You can donate with a credit or debit card. We have added another form of electronic giving. Your smart phone can now be used as a convenient way of supporting St. Michael's. To make a donation through Pllenty or PayPal please visit our website <https://stmichaelslondon.ca/make-a-donation>

Pre-Authorized Giving - Have you thought more about making the move to PAG? It will save you money on cheques, you won't have to remember your envelope, it is safe and so easy to do. Please consider enrolling in the PAG program. Contact the parish office by phone or email stmichlon@dol.ca. You can sign up on the Parish website with a credit card via PayPal. Thank you!

2021 Parish Offertory Envelopes - The 2021 envelopes are available. Please email stmichlon@dol.ca or leave a message at 519-6689 if you would like your 2021 boxed envelope set mailed to you or to arrange curbside pick up. Thank you for your continued support of the Parish.

Maitland Street Parking Reminder: Our church neighbours have expressed concern about the parking of cars on Maitland St. around Mass times. We would like to ask and remind our parishioners that if you are going to park on Maitland St. please be respectful and DO NOT block driveways or park in front of fire hydrants. Let us show the consideration for others in being Catholic. Thank you.

Catholic Websites: www.stmichaelslondon.ca,
www.catholiccemeteries.on.ca, www.saltandlighttv.org, www.dol.ca,
www.catholic.net, www.catholicnews.com & www.vatican.va

Youth Ministry

Syl Patry spatry@dol.ca or 519-433-6689 ext. 206



EDGE, Lifeteen and Chosen are Currently postponed until further notice.

Please follow Instagram, Twitter or Facebook for updates.



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CWL News - During these uncertain times when we are unable to be physically present to one another in times of need, the C.W.L recognizes the importance and power of prayer and in particular intercessory prayer.

Throughout April, we invite you to join with us as we pray for the following intention: Keeping in mind the sacredness of life at every stage, let us pray for those health care workers who are legislated to assist with euthanasia.

What does caring for the planet have to do with our faith? Come and explore Pope Francis' historical Encyclical Letter, "Laudato Si' - On Care for Our Common Home"! You are invited to an 8-session group study series hosted by St. Michael's. Instead of meeting in person for this series, we will meet using Zoom. Internet access is necessary to participate. Coinciding with the wondrous spring season, sessions will be held **Tuesdays 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM from April 20th to June 8th**. For more information and to register, please contact St. Michael's office (519-433-6689) by Apr 19th.



Completion of Catholic Initiation - Are you a Baptized Catholic adult, but due to life circumstances have not received the sacrament of Confirmation? If you would like to complete your Catholic Initiation through the sacrament of Confirmation, an appropriate process that is integrated into the RCIA process will begin soon.

If you or someone you know would like to learn more about this process, please contact Debbie Walsh, Pastoral Minister in the parish office or by email; dwalsh@dol.ca.

Marriage Annulment - Are you hoping to get married in the Catholic Church or to have a union blessed? Or are you simply looking for some closure after a painful divorce? If so, consider applying for a Declaration of Nullity (annulment) from the Marriage Tribunal of the Diocese of London. The process is free of charge. We are here to help. If you want to start the process, or have some questions, please feel free to call 519-439-1553 or Toll Free at 1-866-603-4317 or email tribunal@dol.ca

Eucharist for Gluten Intolerance - We continue to have a choice of the Precious Blood that is for those with gluten intolerance located at the entrance to the Eucharistic Chapel. We will now also have the Precious Body available for those with a gluten intolerance. If you have this need please contact one of the Priests or a member of the Pastoral Team.

Church Bulletin Advertising - Liturgical Publications has advertisement space available for our church bulletin. This bulletin service helps keep the Parish expenses down, as the advertising covers the bulletin costs. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishop's for Daily Readings.
<http://ec2-34-245-7-114.eu-west-1.compute.amazonaws.com/>

APRIL 18TH, 2021 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, April 20 - 12:00 noon

Brad Joseph requested by Bernice Joseph & Family
Intentions of Jessy Barton requested by The Zanin Family
Intentions of the Veltheer Family requested by The Zanin Family

Wednesday, April 21 - 8:00 am

Souls in Purgatory requested by Adele Zeversenuke
Theresa Campbell requested by Judy & Peter Sanford
Tom Ryan requested by Joe & Marilyn Dewan

Thursday, April 22- 12:00 noon

Linus Bruder requested by Ann Bruder
Margaret Sgariglia requested by Grant Sgariglia
Intentions of the Veltheer Family requested by The Zanin Family

Friday, April 23 - 8:00 am

Mary Zientara requested by Marian Zientara
Ann King requested by Ann Bruder
Molly Scally requested by Bert Killian

April 25th, 2021 Fourth Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 4:7-12

Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-2

Gospel: John 10:11-18

<http://www.usccb.org/bible/>



Please pray for all those who have died, including:

Rev. Raymond J. Masse of the Diocese of London
Maria Consuelo Oba mother of Roberto Solis-Oba
and mother-in-law of Veronica Solis



Livestream Masses - We are now livestreaming Sunday Mass. We will begin with one Mass per weekend with the goal to eventually stream multiple Masses. To participate Live with us please visit: www.stmichaelslondon.ca/live-stream and click on the link provided. Masses will be archived on the parish YouTube channel (St. Michael's London Masses), Facebook page (St. Michaels London North parishes) and Vimeo page (St. Michael's Parish London, ON)

We have automatic non-touch hand sanitization stations at the entrance and the exit of the Church. We ask our parishioners to self-sanitize on the way in and out of Church.

Weekday Parking - For weekday Masses we remind you that we can ONLY park in the three handicapped spaces along the North side of the lane way between the Church and the school as well as along the fence line. There is ample street parking on Cheapside, Maitland and Harrison. Please **DO NOT park anywhere along the school building, DO NOT park down the middle of the parking lot and DO NOT block any cars in.** Please plan your parking needs as for weekday mass doors will close promptly at 7:55 am for 8:00 am mass and 11:55 am for 12:00 noon mass. Please watch for children.

Stewardship Prayer

O Lord, giver of life and source of our freedom, we are reminded by the psalmist that Yours is "the earth and its fullness; the world and those who dwell in it."

We know that it is from Your hand that we have received all we have and are and will be.

Gracious and loving God, we understand that You call us to be the stewards of Your abundance, the caretakers of all You have entrusted to us.

Help us always to use Your gifts wisely, and teach us to share them generously.

May our faithful stewardship bear witness to the love of Christ in our lives.

We pray with grateful hearts, in Jesus' name. Amen.

Thank you for your continued generosity!



The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

collection for the needy within our parish boundaries is the 2nd Sunday of each month. Thank you for your support. Please make cheques payable to St. Michael's Parish and write SSVP on the memo line or for an electronic donation, select SSVP from the drop-down list on PIlenty.

This Week at St. Michael's

Monday, April 19

- 5:00 pm—Northern Hospitality take out meals—Outside Pick up at south east corner Hall Doors

Tuesday, April 20

- 7:00 pm—Laudato Si—Zoom
- 7:00 pm—SSVP—Zoom

Wednesday, April 21

- 7:00 pm—RCIA—Zoom

Thursday, April 22

- 3:30 pm—Finance Committee—Zoom
- 7:00 pm—Pastoral Parish Council—Zoom
- 7:00 pm—First Communion Parent Session—Zoom

Friday, April 23

- Following 8:00 am Mass—Divine Mercy—Nave
- 11:00 am—Stations of Light—Nave

Saturday, April 24

- 11:00 am—First Communion Parent Session—Zoom

Sunday, April 25

- 11:00 am—CHOSEN Confirmation Meeting —Zoom
- 2:30 pm—African Caribbean Catholic Mass—Nave

Divine Mercy Chaplet - Each Friday, immediately following the 8:00 am mass, the Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed in the Church. Please note on the first Friday of the month, the Chaplet will be prayed following 10:00 am Benediction.



St. Josephine Bakhita African-Caribbean Catholic Community, London, Ontario

- We are inviting all Africans, Caribbean and anyone who would like to join us for our monthly Masses. Our Mass is held on the 4th Sunday of every month at St. Michael Parish, 511 Cheapside St. London at 2:30 pm. Kindly join us for this amazing time in the presence of the Lord. Next mass will be celebrated on April 25, 2021

Stay Up To Date - Visit St. Michael's Parish Website

Please visit our parish website to find information about the Parish.

Our home page web address is:

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/>

To view our latest news:

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/latest-news>

To make a donation online:

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/make-a-donation>

For information about sacraments:

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/sacraments>

To register at the Parish:

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/form/registration-form>

To view the Parish bulletin:

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/bulletins>

To make mass reservations online:

<https://stmichaelslondon.ca/mass-reservations>

Extension of the Dispensation from the Sunday Obligation

As communicated to priests and parishes in the diocese on 29 January 2021, Bishop Fabbro has extended the dispensation from the Sunday obligation until the end of the last Saturday of the Easter Season; that is, up to and including Pentecost Sunday.

Diocesan Updates - Please visit the Diocese of London website at <https://www.dol.ca/> To find the latest updates from Bishop Fabbro scroll down to Diocesan News.

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