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A Welcoming Eucharistic Community, Sharing Faith and Reaching Out to All

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PRE-AUTHORIZED MONTHLY SUNDAY

OFFERTORY GIFT (PAG)

Contact Jolanda Squire at ext. 208

FINANCE COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON Cherylann Grace

PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON Theresa O'Leary

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

Tuesday & Thursday 12:00 noon
Wednesday & Friday 8:00 am

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

Saturday 9:00 am to 10:00 am or by appointment.

SACRAMENTS

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

Baptismal Preparation – Contact Fr. Paul Kim

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

Marriage Preparation – tba

Priesthood/Religious Life – Fr. Daniel Bombardier, Fr. Paul Kim

Sacrament of the Sick – available upon request

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

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

Confirmation (Gr. 8) - registration required in September

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.

MAY 29TH, 2022 ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Baptism



We welcome the following children into our Parish Community through the Sacrament of Baptism.

Edward Preston Winder & Kavitha Leah Schramek

Celebrating Fr. Murray Sample - This Weekend

Please join us for a special reception in the parish hall to celebrate Fr. Murray's Retirement after all masses this weekend (May 28 & 29). We congratulate Fr. Murray on his 45 years in the priesthood and for his service within our Diocese. Light refreshments will be served. All are welcome!



Knights Table

Parish Breakfast Jun 5th, 2022 - After a 2 year hiatus, the Knights of Columbus are pleased to be hosting a parish breakfast the weekend of Jun 5/22, following the 8:30 am and 10:30 am masses. All are welcome, so please join us and say hi to the guys you haven't seen for awhile.

Coffee & Individually Packaged Breakfast Food Drive **Saturday & Sunday, June 11 & 12**

The Social Justice Committee is calling on fellow parishioners to consider donating coffee supplies and individually package breakfast items to St. Joseph's Hospitality Centre's outreach program. As a result of the pandemic, the Hospitality Centre has had to alter its offering from a sit down meal service to a brown bag style service provided at the entrance. Thus the need for individually package food items such as power bars and cookies, etc..... On behalf of those in need, thank you for your generous and prayerful support!

Celebrating Fr. Jim Mockler

As was announced in January, Fr. Jim will be retiring at the end of June after 18 years as Pastor and Rector of St. Peter's Cathedral Basilica and 51 years of ministry in our Diocese.

We will formally honour and celebrate Fr Jim:
Sunday, June 12, 2022 from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Centennial Hall-Lower Level

Free parking will be available at St. Peter's Cathedral

Yarning With Love - We meet in the St. Francis library on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month at 10:00 am until 12:00 noon. We knit prayer shawls and warm accessories for those in need. Yarn, supplies and lessons for new knitters are all supplied. Each item is labelled with this tag "Made with love and prayers for your warmth, comfort, hope and healing".



We Celebrate.....We Believe

Throughout the month of May we have been celebrating First Reconciliations and First Holy Communions. Congratulations to more than 90 children who have joined our parish family at the Table of the Lord where we celebrate our unity in God's love. May you continue to grow in your friendship with Jesus.



We continue to hold our newly initiated neophytes in our prayers as their faith journey continues as we celebrate the 50 Days of the Easter Season. *Alexandra, Emmanuel, Jano, Scarlett, Lukas, John, Kim, Kimberly, Nicole, Abdbukola, Sarah, Feromi, Katie, Avery, Andre, Cora, David, Dawn, Genevieve, Geoffrey, Julian*

Come Holy Spirit ~ Be Our Guide

London North Central Catholic Family of Parishes Update

The Transition Team has announced the Mass times for our Family of Parishes, **effective Tuesday, July 5, 2022**

Weekend Eucharistic Celebrations

- **St. Michael's:** Saturday: 5:00 p.m.; Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., & 12:00 noon.
- **St. Peter's:** Saturday: 5:00 p.m.; Sun: 9:00 a.m., & 11:00 a.m.
- **St. Josephine Bakhita:** 4th Sunday of the month, 2:30 p.m. (St. Michael's nave)

Weekday Masses

- **St. Michael's:** Tuesday to Friday: 8:00 a.m.
- **St. Peter's:** Tuesday to Friday: Noon

A new logo has been created to represent our Family of Parishes. Please continue to pray for the Transition Team as we discern the future direction of the London North Central Catholic Family of Parishes. St. Josephine Bakhita, St. Michael, St. Peter....Pray for us.

Truth and Reconciliation - St. Michael's Social Justice Committee invites you to join a three-evening series, "They Came For The Children". In this educational series, we are accompanied by an Indigenous Knowledge Keeper. Let's come together as a parish to experience this healing pathway toward peace and hope.

Dates: May 31 and June 14, 7-9 pm

Location: St. Michael's Parish Hall Register **Cost:** \$15.00

Registration: Teresa Ford tford4000@gmail.com or 519-282-9442.



CWL News

Annual Potluck Dinner - The CWL will hold its annual Spring potluck dinner on Tuesday, June 7th, in the Parish Hall. Events for the evening will include the awarding of anniversary membership pins and special surprise entertainment. We will also be collecting items to donate for Anova (Women's Community House), such as sunscreen for children, kleenex, paper towels, and personal items for women.

Dinner begins at 6:30 p.m. and all women in the parish are invited to attend this evening of friendship, faith, and good food. Please bring your own plate, cup, and silverware for the dinner.

May Prayer Intentions - This month, let us pray for those in palliative care and nearing the end of their earthly pilgrimage; and for those who support them

Young At Heart (YAH) - Welcome back to bridge! Thursdays at 1:00 pm in the church hall. No reservations needed, just bring a loonie and come to play and talk. Refreshments provided. For further information contact Mary Bambrick 519-433-3763.

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 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 Pllenty. Thank you!

i.d.9:16 A Community of Missionary Disciples

For young adults in their 20's and 30's, married or single. Please check Facebook page London Ontario i.d., visit www.id916.com or email id916london@gmail.com to get the latest information about i.d.9:16 upcoming event Jun 2 and how to register.

MAY 29TH, 2022 ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, May 31 - 12:00 noon

Albertina & Eric Charles requested by Lincoln Charles
Theresa Mitchel requested by Lincoln Charles
Bu Gay requested by Dah Ree

Wednesday, June 1 - 8:00 am

Anita Renaud requested by Theresa Bombardier
Living & Deceased Family & Friends of the Solis Reyes Family
requested by Veronica Solis
Intentions of Vivia George requested by Derick George

Thursday, June 2 - 12:00 noon

Dino Cadorin requested by The Zanin Family
Intentions of Helen Villas requested by Cora & Gerry Garber
Intentions of Floyd Bush requested by Cora & Gerry Garber

Friday, June 3 - 8:00 am

Intentions of Anna Kovacic requested by Veronica Solis & Family
In Thanksgiving requested by The Kovacic Family
Lucy Strasser requested by Margaret Kellow

June 5th, 2022 Pentecost Sunday

First Reading: Acts 2:1-11

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13

Gospel: John 20:19-23

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



Please pray for all those who have died, including:

Lucy Strasser mother of Joanne Strasser & Michele Martin



The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishop's for Daily Readings.

<http://ec2-34-245-7-114.eu-west-1.compute.amazonaws.com/>

The Children's Bible 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>

INDOOR YARD SALE Sat Jun 18 - 8am to 12noon

The Knights of Columbus annual, though twice cancelled, indoor yard sale will be taking place on Sat Jun 18th 8am until 12 noon.

Your donations of gently used items may be dropped off at the south east corner hall doors: Wed Jun 15 to Fri Jun 18 from 1pm to 4pm and 5pm to 7pm.

This is the Knights biggest fundraising event in the last 2 years and all the monies raised go to support the organizations and charities that count on the continued help of groups like the K of C. We will gladly arrange pick up of larger items. If assistance is required, please feel free to call Marty at 519-870-1859

God Bless and thank you for your support!

St. Michael Art Club - Everybody is welcome! We will teach even beginners how to paint our dreams. There is no fee, just bring good spirit and we will share our gifts from our Lord! Every Thursday morning from 9 am until noon mass in the St. Francis Library.

Do you want to be more involved in the PROLIFE community?

Become a member of London Area Right to Life Association (LARLA) today! - LARLA is a charitable organization which seeks to provide evidence-based education on the value of human life and support for vulnerable lives in the community. Members will receive a newsletter tri-monthly and be updated about pro life events and resources. Simply send a yearly taxable \$15 donation (\$30 for families) through our website www.right2life.ca or send a cheque made out to LARLA with membership fee as the memo. You can inquire or join any events by contacting info@right2life.ca 519-659-3334



Sunday Collection

Sunday May 22nd, 2022

Regular Offertory tba
Pre-Authorized Gift \$3,836
PayPal \$310 & Pllenty \$356
Thank you for your continued generosity!

Some of our Parishioners have allergies and are sensitive to perfume. We invite people to refrain from using perfume and cologne.



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 Pllenty.

This Week at St. Michael's

Monday, May 30

- 5:30 pm—Northern Hospitality Meal take out meals—Outside Pick up at south east corner Hall Doors

Tuesday, May 31

- 1:30 pm—New Day—Virtual
- 7:00 pm—Truth and Reconciliation Series - Social Justice—Hall

Thursday, June 2

- 9:00 am—Art Club—St. Francis Library
- 1:00 pm—Young at Heart Cards—Hall
- 5:00 pm—I.D. 9:16—Nave and Hall

Friday, June 3

- 8:30 am to 10:00 am—Exposition—Nave
- 10:00 am to 10:30 am—Benediction—Nave
- 10:30 am—Divine Mercy—Nave

Sunday, June 5

- Following 8:30 am & 10:30 am—Parish Breakfast—Hall
- 8:30 am—Live Stream Mass—Please Visit Website <https://stmichaelslondon.ca/live-stream>

Divine Mercy Chaplet - Immediately following the 8:00 am mass, the Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed in the Church. Each Friday we will continue this beautiful prayer. 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. Mass will be celebrated on Sun Jun 26, 2022 at 2:30 pm.

Livestream 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)

Extension of the Dispensation from the Sunday Obligation- As communicated to priests and parishes in the diocese on February 9th, 2022, Bishop Fabbro has extended the dispensation from the Sunday obligation to the end of the Easter Season; that is, up to and including Pentecost Sunday (June 5th, 2022).

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

For full details on guidelines please refer to the Bishops letter dated Mar 18/22 (update #25) on the Diocesan website <https://dol.ca/news/covid-19-update-from-bishop-fabbro-update-25> and Mar 29/22 Letter <https://dol.ca/news/letter-to-the-faithful-from-bishop-fabbro-about-the-diocesan-vaccination-policy>

Catholic Websites: www.stmichaelslondon.ca,

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