



London South Catholic Family of Parishes

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Office Hours Tues. - Fri 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM | Emergency Priest Contact: (226) 234-8020

Vision

To be a home for those seeking Christ, united in diversity, for the service of God.

Mission

Empowering the faithful for the service of God by calling each person forth to know and share their gifts in mutual service.

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday

8:30 AM - St. Justin
9:00 AM - St. Francis-St. Martin **Eng**
11:00 AM - St. Justin
11:00 AM - St. Leopold Mandic **Cro**
11:30 AM - St. Francis-St. Martin **Spa**

Tuesday

6:00 PM - St. Francis-St. Martin **Eng**
6:00 PM - St. Leopold Mandic **Cro**
6:30 PM - St. Justin

Wednesday

6:00 PM - St. Francis-St. Martin **Spa**
6:00 PM - St. Leopold Mandic **Cro**
6:30 PM - St. Justin

Thursday

8:00 AM - St. Justin
6:00 PM - St. Francis-St. Martin **Spa**
6:00 PM - St. Leopold Mandic **Cro**

Friday

8:00 AM - St. Justin
6:00 PM - St. Francis-St. Martin **Spa**
6:00 PM - St. Leopold Mandic **Cro**

Saturday

4:30 PM - St. Justin
4:30 PM - St. Francis-St. Martin **Eng**
6:30 PM - St. Francis-St. Martin **Spa**

FILIPINO COMMUNITY MASS

3rd Sunday of the month @ 3:30 PM
Contact: Marina Simonetta (519)933-9157

ADORATION TIMES

Thursday

5:00 PM - St. Francis-St. Martin **Spa**

Friday

8:30 AM - St. Justin

RECONCILIATION TIMES

Tuesday - Friday

5:30 PM - St. Leopold Mandic
Tuesday - Wednesday - Friday
5:30 PM - St. Francis-St. Martin

Wednesday

6:00 PM - St. Justin

Saturday

11:00 AM - St. Justin

MARRIAGE

Congratulations! We ask for a minimum of 12 months before the date you wish to begin our journey with you. Please make an appointment with one of the priests. We invite couples to attend a Marriage Preparation course recognized by the Diocese before the celebration of the sacrament.

NEW PARISHIONER

Please take the time to register at either the Welcome Desk, online or call one of the offices.



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PASTOR'S PEN

XI SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - JUNE 16, 2024

Parables are used to explain great things - things almost beyond our comprehension.

Small, seemingly insignificant things or events can take on momentous importance with God. God often uses the small, us, to confuse and confound the so called great and powerful.

Paul, in preaching to the Corinthians, reminds us that we "walk by faith and not by sight." We often, almost never see the fruit of our spiritual labours. We must accept this because we are not the Lord, we are labourers in the vineyard which is not ours.

We often scatter seed - a good word, a merciful action, loving prayer - and it grows and multiplies without our will or knowledge - like the man who sows seed and during his sleep, it is busy growing and spouting without his assistance.

A small seed becomes a great bush. Our actions are important. It is God who takes what little we may have - 5 loaves and 2 fish at one time - he blesses, he breaks, he multiplies - he feeds. We just offer back to God what he has given, our time and talents, he will do the rest - he brings the harvest.

"Church Etiquette" - The Liturgy of the Eucharist.

We have now moved from the Liturgy of the Word to the Liturgy of the Eucharist. An offertory is taken up - from the beginnings of the Church a collection has always been taken up for the needs of the community, widows, orphans, etc. It was the deacon who would take care of the distribution of monies and goods (for he would be the one visiting these people, so would know their needs).

Bread and wine, the eucharistic elements are often offered by the community to God along with the monies. We offer ourselves along with them to the Father. A hymn is appropriate during this procession.

The altar is prepared by a deacon or priest. All that is to be consecrated at that Mass is brought to the altar, the bread and wine. After it (the bread and wine) is offered to God, the gifts can be incensed along with the altar and the congregation.

After this, the priest washes his hands as a sign of his desire for spiritual purification. An invitatory prayer is made asking God to accept our sacrifice (may the Lord accept this sacrifice at your hands...), the offertory prayer is made.

All stand for the preface of the Canon of the Mass. The preface will reflect liturgical seasons, solemnities, feasts, etc., and it begins with the familiar dialogue, the Lord be with you and with your Spirit.

When the preface ends, one of the four Eucharistic prayers or canons is used. All of the canons follow the same structure.

**FR. CHRISTOPHER
PASTOR**

TODAY'S READINGS

XI Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading

Ez 17:22-24

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 92:1-2, 12-13, 14-15

2nd Reading

2 Cor 5:6-10

Gospel Mk 4:26-34

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION-JUNE

FOR MIGRANTS FLEEING THEIR HOMES

We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

SACRAMENTS

If you are interested in getting information for any sacrament, please get in touch with Mary Catherine, Pastoral Minister at (519)433-8175 Ext. 22t or via email: mcbishop@dol.ca
For more information visit our website:
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St. Justin's Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

TUESDAY, June 18 @ 6:30 PM

(+) Jane Schinbein	Tom, Jason & Emily
(+) Nathan Small	Louise & David Small
(+) Jose Manuel Salvador	Salvador Family
(+) Bud McLeod	Patricia McLeod & Family
(+) Sheila Molnar	Jim & Brenda Neiles
(+) Imelda Rahanan	Michelle Gonsalves

WEDNESDAY, June 19 @ 6:30 PM

(+) Carrie Vanpuymbroeck	Tuesday Coffee Group
(+) Claire Lazure	Tom & Lin Pridding
(+) Thanksgiving	Anonymous
(+) Bernard Osodo Auma	Jim & Brenda Nieves
(+) Antonio & Maria Barbosa	Oswalda Barbosa

THURSDAY, June 20 @ 8:00 AM

(+) Catherine Yanchula	Yanchula - Morand Family
(+) Mark Roccataglinata	Lynch Family
(+) Joe Gentile	Guild Coffee Group

FRIDAY, June 21 @ 8:00 AM

St. Aloysius Gonzaga, religious

(+) Micaela Collantes	Family
(+) Gloria Achacoso	Family
(+) Pelagio Achacoso	Family
(+) Deceased members of Pacan & Borowski families	Sophia Borowski

THANKS TO PARISHIONERS

A big thank you to all parishioners who attended the Save a Family Plan information sessions last Sunday. It is evident that our parishioners care about social justice and want to make a difference in the lives of our brothers and sisters in India. Ways to support include:

- \$47 to fund an education for a street youth for a year
- \$60 to purchase a water filter for a family, which will provide clean water forever
- \$25/month or \$300 per year will support a family for a year, providing them with access to education, housing upgrades, medical care and skills training

For more information and to donate, please see their website at www.safp.org.

WEEKEND AUGUST 16 - 18, 2024

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BAPTISMS - CONGRATULATIONS!



Recently, through the waters of Baptism, we welcomed Avery and Dallas, children of Erick and Alexis; Marcus, son of Christopher and Danielle; Dax and Caiden, children of Patrick and Rebecca; Austin, son of Jose and Rochelle; Anderson and Arlo, sons of Alexander and Naomi; and Hazel, daughter of Trevor and Christian, into our parish family.

BAPTISM PREPARATION SESSION

Join our Baptism Preparation Session on **June 20th at 6:00 PM**

at St. Francis-St. Martin's Parish.

To register, contact Delia Pardo at dpardo@dol.ca.

Don't miss out!

PILGRIMAGE TO POLAND OCTOBER 17-30, 2024

Fr. John Jasica and Mary Catherine will be leading a pilgrimage to Poland from October 17-30, 2024.

To receive a copy of the itinerary, please contact Mary Catherine at mcbishop@nexioncanada.com or call 519-619-1279.

Copies of the brochure are also available on the parish welcome desk.

BEST YEARS GROUP

The Best Years Group will meet on Thursday, **June 20th, at 12 noon** for a picnic lunch at Greenway Park.

Please bring your own lunch and a goodie to share. In the event of rain on that day, we will go to the Church Hall. It will be the same time, and the food arrangement will be the same. Please remember your nickels for an exciting card game.

For further information, **please call Julie at 519-681-4571 or Fran at 519-685-3498.**

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday, June 8/9, 2024 is
\$7,894.60

Loonie Toonie is \$687.25

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