



St. Justin's Parish

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Office hours Monday to Friday 9 AM to 12 PM, 12:30 PM to 4 PM

WEEKEND MASS TIMES:

- ◆ Saturday at 5:00 PM
- ◆ Sunday at 8:30 AM and 11:00 AM
- ◆ Children's Liturgy Sunday at 11:00 AM (Sept. to June)
- ◆ Filipino Mass every third Sunday at 3:30 PM

RECONCILIATION:

- ◆ Saturday 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM or by appointment

BAPTISM:

- ◆ Baptisms are celebrated throughout the year. Forms are available in the narthex, parish office or on our website. Please return completed forms to the attention of Catherine Leach, Pastoral Minister. A minimum of eight weeks notice is required.

MARRIAGE:

- ◆ Please make an appointment with the parish priest as soon as a decision is made to marry. A minimum of twelve months notice is required. Please make no other arrangements until a date is confirmed with the parish.
- ◆ Couples must attend a Marriage Preparation course recognized by the Diocese of London.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK AND SHUT-INS:

- ◆ The Eucharist is brought regularly to the sick and shut-ins of the Parish. Please contact the parish office if a family member is in the hospital or confined at home so they may receive the comfort of the Church's sacraments and prayer.
- ◆ The Anointing of the Sick and Reconciliation are available upon request.

NEW PARISHIONERS:

- ◆ Welcome to St. Justin's Parish. Please introduce yourself and complete a registration form which is available at the Welcome Desk in the church.

The Pastoral Team

Fr. Christopher Bourdeau, *Parish Administrator*

Fr. Mario Cabal, *Parochial Vicar*

Deacon Paul James, Deacon Joe Manzara, *Deacons*

Catherine Leach, *Pastoral Minister*

Melanie Bertens, *Parish Secretary, Hall Manager*

Mary Mendonca, *Parish Secretary*

Melanie Bertens, *Bookkeeper*

Peter James, Suzette James, *Custodian*

Gary Williams, *Project & Business Manager*

PARISH BEQUEST:

- ◆ Keep your love for your parish alive. Remember your parish in your Will and when recommending expressions of sympathy.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS:

- ◆ Please contact the office before making arrangements with the funeral home.

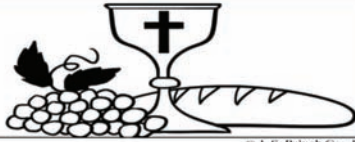


Parish Pastoral Council: Sean Cross, Chair *Finance Chair:* TBA

Liturgy Committee: Catherine Leach, Chair *Catholic Women's League:* Elisabeth Duggan, President

Knights of Columbus: Joseph Bartlett, Grand Knight *Director of Music:* Dan O'Brien *St. Vincent de Paul:* John Gruggen, President

Masses for the Week



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TUESDAY, March 15 @ 7 PM

(+) Cecile Hughes	Roger Clement
(+) Maria Ciantar	Dan & Loretta Brock
(Int) Raymond Xerri	Dan & Loretta Brock

WEDNESDAY, March 16 @ 7 PM

(+) Don Jordan	
(+) John Duffy	Helen Duffy
(+) Raymond Hartman	St. Justin's Alpha

THURSDAY, March 17 @ 8 AM

(+) Souls in Purgatory & St. Joseph	Maria
(+) Henry Doucet	family
(Int) Don & Wendy Robinson	Alpha Prayer Group
(Int) For the successful implementation of our Family of Parishes	

FRIDAY, March 18 @ 8 AM

(+) Kathleen Mutton	Imelda Bezzina
(Int) In Thanksgiving - Fr. Gonzalo Arboleda	Sandra Cano
(Int) John Arboleda	Sandra Cano



SYNOD 2021 2023 FOR A SYNODAL CHURCH

The Synod on Synodality is a two-year process of listening and dialogue beginning with a solemn opening in Rome on October 9 and 10, 2021.

The synodal process will conclude in 2023.

Please Register via the parish website or call the office at (519) 685-2795 for one of the following Listening Sessions:

IN-PERSON in the Parish Hall

FRIDAY Mornings from 10:00 AM—noon

March 11, March 25, April 8, April 22

also, Evenings in the hall from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM

April 20, April 25

ZOOM Sunday afternoon from 2:00 PM—4:00 PM

March 13, March 20 March 27

We will gather, pray, listen to each other, and share our responses to two questions:

Question 1: What have been your experiences of 'journeying together' with the Catholic Church?

- ◇ What joy did these experiences bring?
- ◇ What difficulties and obstacles have you encountered?

Question 2: As we journey forward together, what are your hopes and dreams for the church?

KIND WORDS are like HONEY

If you know anyone who needs a friendly Hello or a break in their day of loneliness or someone to pray with, or make a new friend in Jesus. **WE ARE HERE!!!!!!** Please call the parish office.



SOLEMNITY OF ST JOSEPH MASS **SATURDAY, MARCH 19 AT 10 AM**

St. Joseph is "*The Increase*". "He has paternal love for you and the power to increase the presence of God in your life and take you to greater heights in the spiritual life. (from the book *Consecration to St. Joseph, The Wonders of our Spiritual Father* by Donald H. Calloway, MIC)



EVENING PRAYER (VESPERS)

Evening Prayer (Vespers) will be celebrated during Lent on

Fridays at 7 PM at St. Justin's

Sundays at 7 PM at St. Francis-St. Martins

Please come out and join us for this prayer of the church.

VOLUNTEERS

Now that restrictions are lifted, St. Justin's is working towards returning to normal. We are asking that all volunteers please contact your ministry leader to confirm whether you are interested in continuing to volunteer your services. We are also looking for new volunteers for each ministry

SOUP & STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Praying the Stations of the Cross help us to make a spiritual pilgrimage of prayer through meditating upon the chief scenes of Christ's sufferings and death. Please join us for fellowship, a safe gathering with soup and bread and a beverage. Stations of the Cross will be lead by various groups within the parish. Contact the parish office to register. Please refer to the correct times for the Stations of the Cross in the green Lent and Easter 2022 newsletter or contact the office.

March Monthly Intention of the Holy Father

A Christian Response to Bioethical Challenges

We pray for Christians facing new bioethical challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with prayer and action.

Blessed are those who mourn for they shall be comforted *Matthew 5:4*

We Pray for the soul of

Fr. Greg Blonde, Suzanne Hatchard

Robert Gonsalves and Antonio Laureano

March 13, 2022

2ND SUNDAY IN LENT

Happy Lent! This is a busy time of year especially as we are also preparing to form a Family of Parishes in July and preparing “listening sessions” for the upcoming Synod in 2023. As I promised you when I came, we are going to be as transparent as possible and clear in our communication with you about the process of forming this new family.

We are already in our 3rd Transition Team meeting. What we discussed last week was communication during the time of transition (joint communications team - bulletin, website, email, mail outs, bulletin boards, homily series). We have also discussed possibilities of the new “Family Name” and Logo. You will be asked for your input in the survey coming soon. There are certain guidelines that have been set down by the Diocese to guide us in our choices. It can't be a religious name because each parish retains its canonical name i.e., St. Justin's remains St. Justin's, St. Francis-St. Martin remains, St. Leopold's remains, etc.

So by the end of this month or the first week of April you will receive in the mail a letter from us; it will have inside it:

1. 1st edition of “In Transition” Newsletter
2. A Letter from me
3. A link to the online survey
4. A paper copy of the survey

The answers to the survey questions will help guide our decisions. Our next meeting on March 17th will be looking at our physical structures: offices, rectories and their configuration, etc. We will begin looking at our staff and job descriptions. Please continue to pray for the success of this process - as we try to determine how to best serve and minister to you and the world around us - and to be disciples who make disciples. *Fr. Christopher*

WE ARE IN NEED OF SACRISTANS AND ALTAR SERVERS

In parish life, one of the roles that is rarely seen by parishioners is that of a sacristan. It is a “behind-the-scenes” position that makes the priest's job on Sundays and weekdays less stressful.

The *General Instruction of the Roman Missal* explains, “the following also exercise(s) a liturgical function: The sacristan, who carefully arranges the liturgical books, the vestments, and other things necessary in the celebration of the Mass” (No. 105).

In the medieval Church this task was often completed by the doorkeeper, who lived close to the parish church. For many centuries the sacristan, especially in monastic communities, was a younger priest or seminarian in minor orders. However, as the Church expanded to far-off regions of the world with solitary missionary priests, the laity or religious women would be given the important task.

In the past few hundred years there also arose “Altar Societies,” where members of the parish join together in assisting the priest with whatever is needed for the liturgy. It is an essential service in the parish. The sacristan keeps the liturgical items for Mass, opens and closes the Church, etc.

Sacristans are always needed, and it is a way to serve the Church in a less public way. Training would be provided and a “job” description. Sound interesting, please contact Catherine Leach or Delia Pardo.

ST. JUSTIN'S MUSIC MINISTRY

Our St. Justin's Music Ministry has provided joy, comfort, and spiritual inspiration for Sunday masses and special liturgies through these many years. We selflessly continued as ‘Duo’ choirs since first re-opening in July 2020 by sharing our voice, musical gifts, generosity and commitment throughout this crippling Pandemic. Now, under cautious COVID guidelines from the diocese we're now moving forward building choirs. We need new members to help us lead our singing. If you are gifted with a good voice and can carry a tune, you can play an instrument, especially piano, and we are presently in need of a confident and accomplished Organist, with the zeal and desire to sing and praise God with us, call us and leave your information with the Parish secretary at: (519) 685-2795 – Parish Office, or by email at - stjjustins@dol.ca

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