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of Parishes**

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Weekend Mass Times

St Justin	Saturday	4:30pm
	Sunday	8:30am & 11:00am
St Francis-St Martin	Saturday	4:30pm (ENG) 6:30pm (SPA)
	Sunday	9:00am (ENG) 11:30am (SPA)
St Leopold Mandic	Saturday	6:00pm (CRO)
	Sunday	11:00am (CRO)

Reconciliation (Confessions)

St Justin: Saturday 11:00am, Wednesdays at 6:00pm
St Francis-St Martin: Saturdays 3:30pm
St Leopold Mandic: Before Mass

Baptisms

St Justins: 2nd Sundays of the Month
St Francis-St Martin: 1st & 3rd Sundays (ENG/SPA)
St Leopold Mandic: By appointment

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.

Pastoral Care of the Sick

The Holy Eucharist can be brought to those in Hospital, Long Term Care Facilities or homes. Please contact one of the offices to make arrangements for this.
The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is available upon request.

New parishioners to the London South Catholic Family of Parishes are welcome - please take the time to register at either the Welcome desks or online or call one of the offices.

Funeral Arrangements

Please have the Funeral Director of your choice call one of the parish sites to make arrangements for your loved one.



Parish Pastoral Council: Sean Cross, Chair **Finance Chair:** Gary Williams

Liturgy Committee: Mary Catherine Bishop **Catholic Women's League:** Elisabeth Duggan, President

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

NEW MASS SCHEDULE

ST. JUSTIN'S - SUNDAY MASS TIMES

SATURDAY - 4:30 p.m. (11 a.m. Confessions)
SUNDAY - 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

WEDNESDAY - 6:30 p.m. (6 p.m. Confessions)
FRIDAY - 8 a.m. (8:30 a.m. Holy Hour & Adoration
- unless school Mass taking place)

ST. FRANCIS—ST. MARTIN'S - SUNDAY MASS TIMES

SATURDAY - 4:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. Spanish Mass
SUNDAY - 9 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Spanish Mass

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

TUESDAY - 6 p.m. (SPA) 6:30 p.m. Holy Hour (SPA/ENG rotation)
THURSDAY - 6 p.m. (ENG)

TUESDAY, October 4 @ 10:30 am — School Mass

(INT) Staff and students of St. Francis School

WEDNESDAY, October 5 @ 6:30PM (St. Faustina Kowalska)

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| (+) Rosa Lo Russo | Tony Declato |
| (+) Decd. Members of Plante Family | Muriel Plante |
| (+) Olivine Maurais | Huguette Haoparanta |
| (+) Decd. Members of Migrino family & souls in purgatory | Karen Lopez |
| (+) Marjorie Vere | Phil & Carol East and
Joanne Hughes |
| (+) Richard Stevens | Phil & Carol East and
Joanne Hughes |

FRIDAY, October 7 @ 8 am (Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary)

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| (+) Valentino and Angela | Martha Martinez |
| (+) Maria Fatica | Martha Martinez |
| (+) Conchita Salazar | Carlos Salazar |
| (+) Norma Lopez | A. Bondi |
| (INT) Lori Finch | Pamela Trainor-Brooks |
| (INT) Rev. Charles Akinloye | Gruggen Family |

SATURDAY, October 8 @ 11 a.m. Confessions

SATURDAY, October 8 @ 4:30 p.m. – 28th Sunday Year C

SUNDAY, October 9 @ 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Feast of the **HOLY ROSARY**
OCTOBER 7



Readings - 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Habakkuk 1.2-3; 2.2-4

2nd Reading: 2 Timothy 1.6-8, 13-14

Gospel: Luke 17.5-10



October Monthly Intention of the Holy Father: A Church Open to Everyone

We pray for the Church; ever faithful to, and courageous in preaching the Gospel, may the Church be a community of solidarity, fraternity, and welcome, always living in an atmosphere of synodality.

If you're looking to have your child(ren) baptized, contact Mary Catherine Bishop at 519-685-2795 x-29 or mcbishop@dol.ca.



UPCOMING EVENTS

St. Joe's Café

PB & J Collection - Oct. 1 & 2 and Oct. 8 & 9

Formerly known as St. Joseph's Hospitality Center has moved to Adelaide and Queens Streets. The need to feed our vulnerable brothers and sisters in London is greater than ever. In response to the continuing crisis, St. Justin's will be holding our 4th annual Thanksgiving weekend collection of **peanut butter and jam**. Bins will be in the narthex to receive your generous donations. Thank you, in advance, for your generosity to the less fortunate.

Devotional to St. Joseph — 1st Wednesday

We would like to invite you and your family to join us for communal devotional prayer to St. Joseph on the first Wednesday of each month (mark your calendar) before the 6:30 p.m. Mass at St. Justin's Parish. *Our next devotion will take place this coming Wednesday, October 5, 2022 at 5:45 p.m.*

We will pray for the intentions of our parish family asking St. Joseph, in particular, for protection and healing for all families, and for strength to our fathers who need his guidance and example to fulfill their family responsibilities with love and devotion. We will also pray special intentions for all priests and those discerning a vocation to the priesthood. *Please join us.*

Knights of Columbus Fish dinners - Thanks to all who enjoyed our September Fish dinner! Almost 80 friends, family, and neighbours came to dine and visit. Our next Fish Fry is on **Friday, October 14th** from 4:30 until 6 pm. Take-out will be available. Come devour haddock, fries (or baked potato), coleslaw, bun, dessert and drink, all for the low price of \$15.00 (children for \$5.00). If you don't like fish (gasp!), chicken fingers will be available instead.

Enjoy the meal, support the Knights and meet your friends and neighbours. See you there!

October 2, 2022 - 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Well, it feels that God has decided to turn the furnace off on Sept. 22 - the first day of fall. Our summer flew by and now we face the coming of fall and winter. Time passes by so quickly; we must be deliberate in carving out time to "take stock". Check-in with yourself - How am I? How is my health? How are my relationships with others? It's good to stop and reflect so that we don't get swept away by the events in our lives and never stop to reflect.

In the 2nd letter to Timothy (the young bishop and companion of St. Paul) Paul urges Timothy "to rekindle the gift of God that is within you". Not to let the weariness of the ministry to dampen the light that has been given. To remember that God has given us "not a spirit of cowardice, but rather a spirit of power and of love".

In the Gospel, we are reminded of the importance of faith and the role of the follower of Christ. "We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done." By God's grace we have been given the gospel as a way of life and the strength from God to live it. We are disciples of the Lord, and the reward is the same for all who follow him, eternal life.

Let us build up our communities, our parishes - in Christ. We do not gather around anyone except Christ. No Pope, no priest is indispensable. We are all given a role, a task, a ministry "for a season" then we move on. We need to be on guard against those who wish to sow disunity and confusion. When we gossip, when we judge others, we participate in the slow dismantling of community. Let us "rekindle the gift of God that is within us", turn away from gossip and division - and focus our eyes on Christ and him alone.



On **Tues., Oct. 4th** at 10:30 am we will have St. Francis School at St. Justin's for Mass (On the Feast Day of St Francis of Assisi)

Joint Finance Committee Meeting will be held on **Thursday, October 6** at 7pm at St Justin's - Fr. Pat Mellon Room

Friday, October 7 (Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary) Holy Rosary School will be at St. Francis-St. Martin's for Mass at 11:00 am

On **Saturday, October 8** at 10 am Mass of Christian Burial for William & Marguerite Nobes at St. Justin's

On **Saturday, October 8** at 1 pm Wedding Mass for Eric Gagliardi & Samantha Baptiste

Ministry Discernment Evening — Wednesday, October 19 at 7 p.m.

At St. Justin's, we will be hosting a ministries night—if you feel called to actively participate in the life of your parish, come out! We need compassionate people to be trained and to bring Holy Communion to our home bound and those in Long-term Care facilities. We need readers for our weekend and weekday Masses. We also need altar servers from those who have done their First Holy Communion to seniors. We are training Sacristans—those who care for the sacred vessels and vestments, and set up for Masses and Liturgical celebrations. We need more! Those who count the offertory collections are needed. Come out and be open to God's call. We need you; GOD NEEDS YOU!

A Saint in Our Midst!

On **Tuesday, November 1st, 2022** at 2:30 p.m. the Major relic of St. Andre Bessette (Br. Andre) will be visiting our Family of Parishes at St. Justin's. We will be calling on the various groups within the family to participate in 30 minute "vigils" before the relic throughout the afternoon until Mass at 6:30 p.m. We will be having devotions to St. Joseph, the Oil blessed at the Oratory, and prayers to St. Andre as well. Please come out and join us for the great event.

Our Annual Memorial Mass — Wednesday, November 2 at 7 p.m.

We will be holding our annual Memorial Mass for those who have died (within the last year) at 7 p.m. at St. Francis-St. Martin's this year. If you have a loved one buried from St. Francis-St. Martin's, St. Justin's or St. Leopold Mandic (or clergy from the parish came to the funeral home for a service), you should be getting an invitation to this Mass sometime in October. There will also be sign up on our website as well as a bulletin insert for you to sign up in the month of October. More information to follow.

Fr. Chris' Excellent Christmas Shopping Adventure — Monday, November 7 — 7 a.m.-7 p.m.

This is a bus trip to Frankenmuth you won't want to miss! Stops at Bronner's Christmas Store, Zender's Famous Chicken Restaurant & the Village Shops of Frankenmuth. Mark your calendars. More info to come!

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