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ST. CLEMENT

HOLY NAME OF JESUS

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST

ST. MARY'S

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2023 28th Sunday of Ordinary Time in Cycle A



Hail Mary,

Full of Grace,
The Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou among women,
and blessed is the fruit
of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary,
Mother of God,
pray for us sinners now,
and at the hour of our death.

Amen.

SACRAMENTS: ANOINTING OF THE SICK, BAPTISM, MARRIAGE:

Please notify our Parish Office. For Baptism please register online under Sacraments. For Marriage at least 1 year in advance. Marriage Prep classes take place on March 1 & 2, 2024 at Holy Name of Jesus Church.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome! Registration forms are found on our website under Family of Parishes, "Join our Church" or at each church entrance.

MOVING AWAY? GOT RID OF YOUR LAND LINE? EMAIL ADDRESS?Please inform the office to keep your up to date information in our system.

WEEK DAY MASSES

Tues. Oct. 17th at 7 pm at St. Clement's Rosary at 6:30 pm Confessions 6:15-6:45 pm

ROSARY, MASS & CONFESSIONS CANCELLED

Wed., Oct. 18th at 9:30 am at St. John's Rosary at 9 am

ROSARY & MASS CANCELLED

Thurs. Oct. 19th at 9:30 am at St. Mary's Rosary at 9 am Confessions at 9 am

- +Souls in Purgatory Flood family
- +Grace Maitre Ruth Quinlan
- +Katrina Alexander Jim & Mary Watson
- +Rene Plamondon (20A) Friend

Fri. Oct. 20th at 9:45 am Holy Name of Jesus Adoration at 8:30 am Rosary at 9 am

- +Souls In Purgatory Bill & Kathy Market
- +Helen Phillips Friend
- +Margaret Balga Marilyn Bondy
- +Clarence & Leona Market Mike & Lynn Cincurak
- +Frances Young Mary Murphy & JaAnn Lacroix

Sat. Oct. 21st at 8:30 am Holy Name of Jesus Rosary at 9 am Confessions at 9 am

- +Carl Bodnar Dad & Mom
- +Margaret Balga Essex CWL
- +Don Dufour Doug & Sally Market
- +Audrey O'Neil Leonard
- +Walter Rostkowicz Leonard O'Neil

NEW TO OUR FAMILY OF PARISHES?

Welcome aboard! Please register so we can get to know you better and put you into our system. Register online at centralessexcatholic.dol.ca under the tab of "Family of Parishes" then click on "Join our Church". Or simply fill out a form found at the back of each church and drop it off at the office or in the collection basket.

LEAVE A LEGACY

Wish to leave a legacy? Why not remember your Church in your Will? Your Church has always been there for you during important times in your life. Just simply let your family and or Executor know to request that donations go towards your Church. Your support will nourish your Church now and for the future. Thank you.

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST, Woodslee Saturday at 4:30 pm Confessions 3:45 - 4:15 pm

HOLY NAME OF JESUS, Essex Saturday at 6 pm and Sunday at 11 am

> ST. MARY'S, Maidstone Sunday at 8:30 am

ST. CLEMENT'S, McGregor Sunday at 9:45 am

ADORATION AT ST. CLEMENT'S CHURCH

Sundays from 2 to 4 pm Tuesdays after their 7 pm Mass Wednesdays from 2 to 4 pm "Time with God is never wasted"

PRAYERS OFFERED

There is a binder at the back of each Church to add a name of someone who is sick and or who needs prayers. You are welcome to write someone's name and they will be prayed for at Mass.

PRIESTS AWAY

Our Priests will be away October 16-18 for their annual Priest Study Days. There will be NO daily Mass then. Please keep them in your prayers.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

World Mission Sunday is on **October 22nd** and is a day set aside for the Catholic Church throughout the world to publicly renew its commitment to the missionary movement, coordinated by the Pontifical Mission Societies, who are also known as Missio. Please give generously.

STEWARDSHIP Ways to contribute to your Church:

- Envelopes please fill out a Registration form found at the back of your church and pick up your box the following weekend.
- Direct Withdrawal Pre Authorized Remittance (PAR) - forms found at the back of your church or online. This is a safe and easy way to donate!
- INTERAC e-Transfer *please put the church name (and if you have an envelope number) on the message line.*

Check out all the above info on our website.

LOOK AT WHAT IS HAPPENING IN OUR FAMILY OF PARISHES....

ST. MARY'S APPLE CRISP

St. Mary's Mission Group will be serving Apple Crisp on **Sunday, October 29th** after Mass. Free will offering greatly appreciated. Also, donations of non-perishable goods can be dropped off all month for the Essex SVDP.

DEVELOPMENT & PEACE CAMPAIGN "Stand for the Land"

Saturday, November 4th at 10 am At St. John's Parish Hall in Woodslee This workshop is Free! Lunch will be provided. For more information contact Kim Frias at eutamo92@gmail.com or 519-999-7655

TINA'S WINTER DONATIONS

The Woodslee CWL will be collecting new or gently used socks and winter gloves, hats, scarves starting **November 4th**.

All donations will be sent to Street Help in memory of Tina Bendig. Thank you!

WOODSLEE CWL HARVEST BAZAAR Saturday, November 18th

From 11 am to 4 pm at St. John's Hall.
Food, baked goods, vendors, penny raffle and tickets for a charity raffle and much more.
Something for everyone!

ESSEX K of C FISH FRY

Friday, October 27th from 4:30-7pm \$15/person. Cash bar. Take out available. Tickets at the door.

EUCHRE NIGHT

Monday, October 16th at 7 pm At Holy Name of Jesus Church \$5/person. Everyone is welcome!

ST. MARY'S ALTAR SOCIETY SHOP

On October 19th & 22nd religious items will be for sale at the back of the Church.

17th ANNUAL BISHOP'S DINNER

October 26th at Ciociaro Club \$150/person. For tickets please Contact Frances Barnard at bishopsdinner@spseminary.ca Proceeds will benefit St. Peter's Seminary and Second Chance Ministry.

YOUTH GROUPS

THRIVE

For teens on **Sunday, October 22nd** at 7 pm at Holy Name of Jesus Parish Hall. **ROOTED**

For Grades 6-8 on **Monday, October 30th** at 7 pm at Holy Name of Jesus Parish Hall. **QUEST**

For Grades 3-5 on **Monday**, **October 16th** at 7 pm at Holy Name of Jesus Parish Hall. *Everyone is welcome to come out!*

TRICK OR TREAT TRUNK STYLE Sunday, October 29th at 2 pm.

At Holy Name of Jesus church parking lot.
Children come in your Halloween costume and pick a treat! We need volunteers to bring their car (decorated if you can) with treats to offer from their trunk. Rain or shine. All are welcome!
Any questions call Lucy at ext. 5.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Do you want to learn more about your Catholic faith or are you interested in becoming Catholic? This program begins **October 24th** at Holy Name of Jesus Church at 7 pm for ten weeks. Information and to register is on our website.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE ON MARRIAGE
Saturday, November 4th from 9 am to 4 pm
At St. Andre Bessette Secondary School in
London. With guest speakers Andrew & Sarah
Swafford from Ascension Press. \$100/couple.
Register at famfi.ca/gift. Hosted by the
Family Foundation Institute.

COME AND SEE WEEKEND

November 10-12 at St. Peter's Seminary. A discernment retreat for men 17 years and older who are considering a call to the priesthood. This weekend offers first hand experience of the life of a seminarian. For more information contact Fr. Danny Santos at vocations@dol.ca. To register visit www.dolpriest.ca/registration. Please pray for an increase to the Priesthood.

HOMEMADE SOUPS FOR UKRAINE

Saturday, November 4th from 11:30 am to 1:30 pm at the McGregor Community Centre. \$10/adult \$5/child. Tickets at the door. Hosted by St. Clement's CWL.



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KC MEETINGS - 1st Monday of the Month

Columbian Hall Information 9560 Walker Road, McGregor

To book your event (up to 350 people) Call 519 726 6494 or 519 903 4735

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