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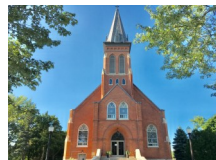
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HOLY NAME OF JESUS



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ST. MARY'S

## **4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER IN CYCLE A** **APRIL 30, 2023**

### **World Day of Prayer for Vocations**

### **GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY**



*O Holy Mother of God  
Pray for the priests your Son has  
chosen to serve the Church.  
Help them by your intercession,  
to be holy, zealous and chaste.  
Make them models of virtue in  
the Service of God's people.  
Amen.*

Bishop Fabbro announced that starting this Pentecost until next Pentecost our Diocese will be starting a new prayer campaign: ***A Year of Prayer for Vocations to the Priesthood.*** A display board with resources can be found at the back of each Church in our Family of Parishes. It shows how many priests were ordained from your Church. Please pray and support vocations in our Diocese, especially to the Priesthood.

We are grateful to acknowledge the ordinations of Matthew Sawyer, James Prins, And Tony Vandermeer to the transitional diaconate. This is their last year of preparation for ordination to the priesthood.  
*Pray for an increase of vocations to the Priesthood.*

#### **SACRAMENTS: ANOINTING OF THE SICK, BAPTISM, MARRIAGE:**

Please notify our Parish Office. For Baptism please register online. For Marriage at least 1 year in advance.

**NEW PARISHIONERS:** Welcome! Registrations forms are found on our web-site or church entrance.

#### **MOVING AWAY? GOT RID OF YOUR LAND LINE? NEW EMAIL ADDRESS?**

Please inform the office to allow us to keep up to date information.

### WEEK DAY MASSES

**Tuesday, May 2nd at 7 pm**

**At St. Clement Confessions 6:15-6:45 pm**

In Thanksgiving - Parishioner  
Ints. of Stuart Thompson - Lorenza  
Ints. of Jose & Sheila Tejada - Lorenza Thompson  
+Roberta Tejada - Lorenza Thompson

**Wednesday, May 3rd at \*9:30 am\***

**At St. John the Evangelist with the School**

+Donat & Mae Tremblay - Estate  
+Doug & Nora McCreary - Pat  
+Eric Youngson (17A) - Family  
+Tim Shanahan - Cathy Chapman

**Thursday, May 4th at 8:30 am**

**At St. Mary's Confessions 9-9:30 am**

+Jim Market (6A) - Mike & Lynn Cincurak  
+Matilde Facca - Randy & Debbie Flood  
+Mike & Margaret Palenchar - Mike & Helen Lavin

**Friday, May 5th at 8:30 am**

**At Holy Name of Jesus Adoration 9-10 am**

Ints. of Bishop Joseph Dabrowski - CWL  
Ints. of Clarice Flewelling - Ron & Trudy Gravel  
+Jackie Pouget - Rosemary Bilyea  
+Jim McAuliffe - Ron & Trudy Gravel

**Saturday, May 6th at 8:30 am**

**At Holy Name of Jesus  
Confessions 9-10 am**

+Danny O'Halloran - Mike  
+Jackie Pouget - Bryan & Karen Chevalier  
+Madeline Jobin - Ray & Joanne Gagnon  
+Mary Lou Kwiatkowski - CWL

### 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

***Monthly Mass on Sunday, April 30th at 6 pm***

**ST. MARY'S, Maidstone**

Sunday at 8:30 am

**ST. CLEMENT'S, McGregor**

Sunday at 9:45 am

***"Remember that Jesus is the  
reason for all seasons!"***

### SACRAMENTAL & YOUTH MINISTRY



**TONIGHT Sunday, April 30th**

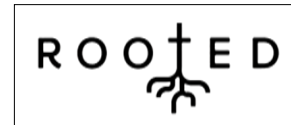
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If you are a teen or know of any teens who are  
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who is all interested. Let us know!



**Wednesday, May 3rd at 7 pm**

Open to all kids in Grades 6 to 8  
At Holy Name of Jesus Parish hall.



**Wednesday, May 10th at 7 pm**

Open to all kids in Grades 3 to 5  
At Holy Name of Jesus Parish hall.

**SAVE THE DATE!  
FAMILY BINGO NIGHT**

**Saturday, May 27th**

At Holy Name of Jesus parish hall.  
Fundraiser for Youth Conference  
this July in Steubenville, Ohio.

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS MEETING**

**Monday, May 1st at 7 pm**

At Holy Name of Jesus Church  
ALL Extraordinary Ministers who distribute  
Holy Communion at Mass or bring it to the sick  
and anyone who is interested in this ministry  
please join us. Any questions please contact  
Lucia at lcosta@dol.ca

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

### ST. JOHN'S K OF C BURSARY

Due by **May 15th** for St. John the Evangelist parishioners for post secondary education. Applications are at the back of the church. Contact Luc at [gk4555@ontariokofc.ca](mailto:gk4555@ontariokofc.ca)

### ST. JOHN'S CWL BURSARY

Due by **June 4th** for St. John the Evangelist parishioners for post secondary education. Applications are at the back of the church. Please return your application to CWL member Rita Cosgrove. Thank you!

### ST. JOHN'S CWL RAFFLE

The CWL at St. John's are selling raffle tickets to raise funds for local charities that work to relieve hunger and homelessness in Essex County. Lots of great prizes donated by local businesses. Tickets are \$5/each or 3 tickets for \$10. Available from any CWL member or from the office. Draw date is June 13th.

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETIES

Please remember to donate non-perishable canned goods at Holy Name of Jesus and St. Clement's (designated boxes at their entrances) and or clothing can be dropped off in the collection bins at each church parking lot.

### PILGRIMAGE TO IRELAND

With Fr. Vince Gulikers  
**September 27th to October 7th, 2023**  
For more details contact Irene at 519-464-2044 or at [kohirene88@gmail.com](mailto:kohirene88@gmail.com)

### MOTHER'S DAY RAFFLE

Essex CWL is hosting a raffle with great prizes for Mother's Day! Tickets available after Mass starting May 6/7. \$5/ticket or 3 tickets for \$10 or 10 tickets for \$20. Help support our CWL.

### HOMELESS & PHONELESS

The Essex CWL is collecting unused cell phones (without the sim cards) and chargers for the homeless. Without a cell phone, they are unable to arrange medical appointments or contact support agencies. Please drop off in the box in the Gather Space at Holy Name of Jesus Church

### RELIGIOUS ARTICLES FOR SALE

At St. Mary's Church on May 18th and 21st after Mass. Great selection of gifts for First Communions, Confirmation, Weddings, etc.

### HOLY FAMILY RETREAT HOUSE IS HIRING

They are in search of individuals to join them as Reception Greeters, Cooks, Kitchen Aide, and in Housekeeping. If you are a retired person or someone looking for part time work please contact them at [hfrh.ca/jobs](http://hfrh.ca/jobs)

### WINDSOR ESSEX CURSILLO

If you have made a Cursillo and have not been receiving emails from the Windsor Essex Cursillo Movement please contact your parish rep Lucille Zanier at [ljanier@cogeco.ca](mailto:ljanier@cogeco.ca) or call 519-890-8085

**ULTREYA** is on **May 12th** at St. John the Baptist Church in Amherstburg at 7:30 pm

### ARE YOU REGISTERED? DO YOU HAVE A NEW ADDRESS AND OR A NEW PHONE NUMBER?

*Please keep our records up to date! You may bring this form to the parish office or drop it off in the collection.*

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ POSTAL CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Church: \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to donate using:

I am NEW to the parish and wish to register Yes or No

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