

## CENTRAL ESSEX COUNTY CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES

St. Clement's, St. John the Evangelist, St. Mary's and Holy Name of Jesus

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## Sunday, March 3, 2024 **Third Sunday of Lent**





11 am at St. Mary's 11 am at St. John the Evangelist 3 pm at St. Clement's

3 pm at Holy Name of Jesus

## **EASTER VIGIL**

8 pm at St. Mary's

#### **EASTER SUNDAY**

8:30 am at St. Mary's 9 am at St. John the Evangelist 10:30 am at St. Clement's 11 am at Holy Name of Jesus

#### **Parish Council:**

Elaine Blain, Jim Dunn, Marilyn Fahringer, Rick Frias, David Lachine, Richard Meloche, and Judy Robson.

#### Finance Committee:

Bill Caixeiro, Steve Chevalier, Tim Hebert, Anne Holding, Diane Malenfant, Tim Mousseau, Jeff Ostrow, and Cathy Proctor.

#### Anointing of the Sick, Baptism & Marriage:

To be anointed please notify our Parish Office. For Baptism please register online under Sacraments. Marriages at least one 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.

#### **New Address? Phone** Number? Email?

Please inform the office to keep your info up to date in our system.



### Tues. March 5<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm at St. Clement's Stations at 6:30 pm Confessions 6:15-6:45 pm

Ints. of Stuart & Lorenza Thompson

Ints. of Laurie Labrosse - Eric & Michelle Rousseau

- +Wilf & Jackie Rousseau Eric & Michelle
- +Maxwell & Vivian Miller John & Lynne Martin
- +Maximo & Myrna Hernadez Lorenza

#### Wed., March 6th at 9:30 am at St. John's

Ints. of Family Members - Paul & Adelene Pehleman

- +Ray & Tina Bendig Sharon Youngson
- +Joan Broeders Flo Rivest
- +Fran Garon (20A) Family
- +Sam Smith (20A) Family

# Thurs. March 7<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am at St. Mary's Rosary at 9 am Confessions at 9 am Stations of the Cross at 10 am

Special Intentions - Parishioner

- +Virgie Oriet Estate
- +Chuck Flood Theresa Clermont
- +JoAnne Mansell Tom & Ruth Ann Fuerth
- +Pat, Perp & Mary Lou Belleau Bev

#### Fri. March 8<sup>th</sup> at 9:45 am Holy Name of Jesus Adoration at 8:30 am Rosary at 9 am

Ints. of Phil Jones - Bill & Kathy Market

- +Ken & Beverly Milburn Mike O'Halloran
- +Margaret Balga Rose
- +Sarah Swartz Ann Bigley
- +Maxine & Andrew Scrag Mike & Lynn Cincurak
- +Phil Lykoff Bill & Kathy Market

#### Sat. March 9<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 am Holy Name of Jesus Rosary at 9 am Confessions at 9 am

Ints. of Elliott & Linus Russell - Bryan & Janet Ints. of Nick & Mary Fournier - Jarrod & Heather Mann

- +Jerry O'Neil Eric & Michelle Rousseau
- +Carl Bodnar (43A) Dad & Mom
- +Angus & Mary Janet MacDonald Joe & Mary



#### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS...

All of our Family of Parishes friends and family who suffer physically, emotionally or spiritually. There is a Prayer Intention Book located at the entrance of each Church for parishioners to write the names of family and friends who need prayers. At every weekend Mass we pray for all those whose names are in this book.



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

Everyone is welcome!



## LENTEN LUNCH SERVICES Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup> at Noon

At Christian Reform Church
With Rev. Carl Emke
Lunch to follow. Free will offering appreciated.
Hosted by the Essex Ministerial Group.
Everyone is welcome!

## ALL DAY CONFESSIONS Wednesday, March 20th

from 10 am to 8 pm
At Holy Name of Jesus Church.





#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday during Lent.

Next one is on

Friday, March 8<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm At St. John the Evangelist. Everyone is welcome!

## ANNUAL WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

"Blessed and Beautiful"

Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>
from 9 am to 3:30 pm
at St. Andre Bessette
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Guest speaker is Danielle Bean host of Girlfriends a podcast for



Catholic women. Hosted by Family Foundations Institute. Register online at famfi.ca/aws

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

#### ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Tuesday, March 5th at 7 pm At Holy Name of Jesus Parish Hall. Topic is on "Sacrament of Healing & Four Last Things". Everyone is welcome.



#### WINTER COLLECTION



During Lent please help and donate winter items for the Warming Centre in Windsor. Donations of gloves, hats, blankets, sleeping bags can be dropped off at St. John's Church after Mass on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Sponsored by the Woodslee CWL.

#### ST. PATRICK'S DAY RAFFLE

St. Mary's Mission Club is raffling off prizes for St. Patrick's Day. Tickets available after Mass starting in March. Draw is on March 17th





**LENTEN CARD PARTIES Every Sunday during Lent** at 7 pm at St. Mary's Hall. \$7/person at the door. All are welcome!

#### SVDP LENTEN CHALLENGE

During Lent please donate food and drop off in the boxes at Holy Name of Jesus Church. This week SVDP asks for cans of tuna. macaroni and cheese and cookies.

#### **CEMETERY CLEANUP**

Please remove all winter decorations from your loved ones graves at St. Mary's, St. Clement's and St. John the Evangelist cemeteries before Palm Sunday, March 24th. Thank you!

#### **RELIGIOUS ITEMS FOR SALE**

After Mass on March 7th and 10th At St. Mary's Church Sponsored by St. Mary's Altar Society



#### **EASTER RAFFLE**

Holy Name of Jesus Mission Group is having a raffle after weekend Masses on March 16/17 and 23/24 at Holy Name of Jesus Church.



#### **THRIVE**

"Vocations with Fr. Danny Santos" For teens. TONIGHT Sunday, March 3rd at 7 pm at Holy Name of Jesus Parish.

#### **ROOTED**

"Redemption"

For Grades 6-8 on Monday, March 18th at 7 pm at Holy Name of Jesus Parish Hall.

#### QUEST

"The Lesson"

For Grades 3-5 on Monday, March 4th At 7 pm at Holy Name of Jesus Parish Hall.

All are welcome!

#### ST. CLEMENT'S CWL LENTEN RETREAT DAY Saturday, March 23rd



10 am to 3 pm at the

McGregor Community Centre. Topic is "The History of the Divine Mercy". \$10/person includes lunch (pizza). To register in advance please call Diana at 519-981-5316 before March 16th. Open to everyone in our Family of Parishes. Sponsored by the CWL.

#### **DEVELOPMENT & PEACE 2024**

Create Hope: Reaping our Rights Campaign.



This year's campaign asks us to stand with peasant farmers by joining the movement and by visiting devp.org/membership and or by donating online at devp.org/give

#### **ULTREYA MEETING** Thursday, March 7th at 7:30 pm At Assumption Church



## **COME & SEE WEEKEND**

Friday, March 9th to Sunday March 11th At St. Peter's Seminary for single men 17 years old and older who are considering a call to the priesthood. For more information and to register please go to www.dolpriest.ca



## McGregor

**Knights of Columbus** 

St. Clement Council 2844 www.kofcmcgregor2844.com Tel: 519 726 6494

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

FISH FRY - Every Friday 5pm - 7pm BINGO - Every Tuesday 7pm Eat In or Take Out **Lunch and Dinner Menus Available** 

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