ROSE CITY CENTRAL CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES IMMACULATE HEART, OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP & ST. MICHAEL'S & Holy Trinity & St. Francis of Assisi

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Twenty—Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 1, 2023

SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION

Baptism: Register Online

First Communion & First Reconciliation: Registration opened online on October 1 for 2024

Confirmation - Registration opened on October 1 for 2024 <u>SACRAMENTS OF HEALING</u>

Reconciliation: at St. Michael's on Sat.'s from 2–3:00 pm. 2153 Parkwood Aye.

Reconciliation: at OLPH on Tuesday's from 5—5:45 pm.

Sacrament of the Sick: Please call the office

SACRAMENTS OF SERVICE

Marriage: Call the office at least six months in advance

Holy Orders: Contact the office

WEEKDAY (DAILY) MASS SCHEDULE FOR HOLY TRINITY & ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Holy Trinity- 1035 Ellis Street East, : Monday to Friday at 7:00 pm. in Polish & Saturday at 8:00 am.in English

St. Francis of Assisi—1701 Turner Road : Tuesday to Friday at 6:00 pm. in Croatian

'ROSE CITY CENTRAL' CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES PRAYER

Lord, please console and protect our 'Rose City Central' family of parishes. May we become a true Catholic family. We come to You Holy Trinity and ask You to guide our path as we become witnesses of our faith.

To Immaculate Mary our Mother, we ask for your perpetual help; and we ask Saint Francis for peace and Saint Michael for protection.

Amen.

ROSE CITY CENTRAL CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES STAFF IMMACULATE HEART, ST. MICHAEL'S & OLPH

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John Salalila (OLPH) Roshell Mathias (OLPH)

Maintenance: Victor Piccolo (IH)

Paul Smith (OLPH)

MASS TIMES FOR OUR ROSE CITY CENTRAL CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES

SATURDAY EVENING:

5:00 pm. at Our Lady of Perpetual Help (OLPH)

5:00 pm. at Immaculate Heart in St. Michael's

5:00 pm. at St. Francis of Assisi (in Croatian)

SUNDAY:

9:00 am. at Holy Trinity (in English)

9:00 am. at St. Francis (in English)

10:30 am. at OLPH

10:30 am. at Holy Trinity (in Polish)

11:00 am. at St. Francis (in Croatian)

12:30 pm. at Immaculate Heart in St. Michael's

12:30 pm. at Holy Trinity (in Polish)

Mass schedule for St. Michael's—

Sunday, October 15 at 9:00 am.

"BEING A MISSION-ORIENTED CHURCH THAT FORMS DISCIPLES OF JESUS."

BAPTISM FOR OLPH & IMMACULATE HEART CHURCH

Once you have filled out the online baptism registration form from our website, Christine will email you with the available dates. Baptisms for OLPH and Immaculate Heart will now take place during our weekend Masses. Saturday evening at 5:00 pm. or Sunday morning at 10:30 am. at OLPH or at Immaculate Heart at 12:30 pm. Information about the one required baptismal prep night will be sent to you once the registration form has been received by Christine. Further information is found on our website. Please direct questions to Christine at 519-966-1953, Ext:226 or email her ctoffolon@dol.ca



To Everything there is a season... "a time to be healed..." For our parishioners who are sick, in the hospital or awaiting surgery.

There is "a time for everything under Heaven....."
Please pray for those who have died from our families and from our Rose City Central Catholic Family of Parishes' community, especially Mario Tintinaglia and Rena Colussi.

Pope's Prayer Intentions for October:

For the Synod: We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.





St. Therese of Lisieux "little flower" (Feast Day—Oct. 1) had a simple yet powerful message that still resonates in the hearts of millions today. Her sense of commitment led her to a profound experience of the love of God and of neighbor. Con't on pg. 4 *https://www.littleflower.org/st-therese/

ANNOUNCED MASSES FOR IMMACULATE HEART/ST. MICHAEL & OLPH CHURCHES



Tues. Oct. 3 at 6:00 pm. at OLPH

Krishani Nancoo ...by Mom & Dad
Tochukwu Angela Okongwu ... by Jospeh & Chidilim Ubah
For the intentions of Teresa Khidir

Wed. Oct. 4 at 12:00 pm. at Immaculate Heart/St. Michael's

John & Maria Dwyer ... by John & Jaqueline Nabben
In Reparations for sins and the moral and spiritual renewal of
our country ... by Mary Lou Eden
Mr. Bob Flynn ... by Cowan Family
The Cowan Family
Intentions of Annibale Biasutto ... by Family

Intentions of Annibale Biasutto... by Family Intentions of Flora Pugliese ... by Mary For the intentions of Teresa Khidir

Thurs. Oct. 5 at 6:00 pm. at OLPH

Carmel Spiteri ... by Emanuel & Joseph Spiteri Saverio Olivito ...by Family Dan Hamelin ... by Margaret Hebert & Rosemarie Turton For the intentions of Teresa Khidir

Fri. Oct. 6 at 8:00 am. at Immaculate Heart/St. Michael's
Souls in Purgatory especially deceased members of the Friends
of the Suffering Souls ... by Mary Lou Eden
Pope John Paul II ... by Stephen Szaniszlo
Jim McInnes ... by John & Jaqueline Nabben
For the intentions of Teresa Khidir

Gospel Reflection: Matthew 21:28-32

Jesus poses a question to the chief priests and elders on the meaning of obedience.

The context for today's Gospel is the mounting tension between Jesus and the Jewish religious leaders. Jesus has entered Jerusalem and overturned the money changers' tables in the Temple. Jesus has caught the attention of the religious authorities; the chief priests and elders question Jesus about the source of his authority. Jesus refuses to name for these religious leaders the source of his authority. Instead, he questions the priests and elders through the parable we hear in today's Gospel. The answer given by the religious leaders is correct, but it convicts them for their failure to heed the call of John the Baptist and for their inability to recognize the Kingdom of God.



The situation Jesus poses is rather straightforward. Given the same task by their father, one son asserts his disobedience in words, but then obeys in his actions; the second son obeys with his words, but disobeys in his actions. The question that Jesus poses is pointed and direct: Which son did what the father wanted? All would agree that "actions speak louder than words" and that even if his words were disobedient, the son who did the work as ordered did the father's will.

Jesus' conclusion is also direct. The chief priests and elders, the ones who speak most often about God, did not act accordingly. They did not respond to the message of repentance announced by John the Baptist with a change of heart. Instead, John's message was heeded by those one would not expect to repent—tax collectors, prostitutes, and other sinners. Because of their actions, these sinners will enter the Kingdom of God ahead of the religious leaders.

Jesus could ask us the same question. Do our words indicate our obedience to God? If not our words, do our actions? God desires a full conversion of heart, that our actions (and our words as well) will give evidence of our love for God. *From Loyolapress.com

BAPTISMAL BLESSINGS

On *Sunday, October 1* we welcomed **Freya Paisley Jane Mammolite** daughter of *Collin Mammolite & Britney Thivierge* and

Lia Christina Zuech, daughter of Rino Zuech & Renee Zuech (Francoeur) to the Christian Catholic Faith through the graced filled waters of Baptism at OLPH Church.

"God gives your children the gifts of the Holy Spirit. And what gifts these are! You are choosing these gifts for your daughters now in Baptism, and later they will make their own choice to strengthen those gifts in Confirmation."

CONGRATULATIONS

Wedding Blessings to Kristine Gratton and Jim Pegg as they began their "Marriage in the Lord" on *Friday*, *September 29* at OLPH Church.

"Lord at last this day of days has come. We have been preparing for days and years. This is the day of dreams. Thank you Lord for the meeting of our hearts, our lives, our souls.

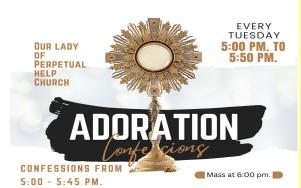
All yearning. All is hope." excerpts from The Hope Prayer... Fr. Liam



EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AT HOLY TRINITY

Eucharistic Adoration takes place on the first Friday of every month at Holy Trinity. It will begin one hour before the 7:00 pm. Mass on Friday and continue after Mass until Saturday at 7:30 am. The Rosary will prayed at 7:30 am. English Mass at 8:00 am. Come and spend time with our Lord on Friday, October 6 to Saturday, October 7.





Are you a high school youth looking to earn community service hours? Come and volunteer at the Trunk or Treat's. Email Christine at ctoffolon@dol.ca for more info.





Please return the cloth bag filled with food items for our SSVP pantry on Thanksgiving-

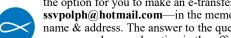
October 7 & 8.

Mother Teresa K of C Council Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church



OLPH SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

If you would like to make a monetary donation to the SSVP we offer the option for you to make an e-transfer to



ssvpolph@hotmail.com—in the memo line please put your name & address. The answer to the question is: SSVPOLPH or you may leave a donation in the offertory basket. The SSVP green envelopes are found next to the offertory basket.

Calls to the SSVP can be reached at 519-966-1953 EXT. 236 Our pantry is low- Soup, any kind, Canned fruit, Canned meat, tuna, Crackers, Peanut butter, Jam, & Cookies/granola bars for our SSVP pantry it would be appreciated.

Evening of Prayer with the Songs of Taizé

St. Jerome parish in Windsor is hosting an evening of prayer with the songs of Taizé on Tuesday, October 3 at 7:00 p.m. Songs will be in English, French, Latin and Spanish. For more information, visit www.stjeromewindsor.ca/taize

SSVP AT IMMACULATE HEART

Thank you to the parishioners of Immaculate Heart and St. Michael's for their never ending support of our conference. Your generosity allows us to help those in need.

St. Vincent de Paul food calls: 519-258-0910 Ext 235



Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time: For all those who are considering a vocation to the priesthood, that they may receive the graces of clarity in discerning the Father's will, we pray to the Lord.

COME AND SEE WEEKEND- From Fri., Nov. Not An Ordinary Life 10 to Sun., Nov. 12. St. Peter's Seminary invites men to a discernment retreat for men 17 years old and older who are considering a call to the priesthood. Contact Fr. Danny Santos at vocations@dol.ca

UPCOMING MEETINGS AT OLPH CHURCH

- K of C general meeting on Tues. Oct. 3 at 7:00 pm.
- SSVP general meeting on Thurs. Oct. 5 at 6:45 pm.
- CWL general meeting Wed. Oct 11 at 6:00 pm.. Please bring your dues of \$40.00. If your dues are paid by Dec. 1 you can win your dues paid for 2025. If you cannot attend the meeting, you can place your dues (\$40.00) in a clearly marked envelope with your name and CWL dues written on it into the collection basket or give your envelope to Nancy, Janis or Christine. You can also etransfer your dues to olphcwlwindsor@gmail.com - there is no password required.





Annual Thanksgiving Appeal Collection- As we approach Thanksgiving Day, we are given an opportunity to stop and reflect on the many ways God has blessed us, and we give thanks to God for his generous love and mercy. We also acknowledge that God has called us to share our blessings with others, to build the kingdom of God. Mindful of this call, October 7/8 is our Annual Thanksgiving Appeal Collection. 100% of the money collected remains in your parish to help minister to those in need, pay day-to-day operations, and support the maintenance and upkeep of our church buildings. I encourage you to consider making a donation, whatever size, to your Parish through the Annual Thanksgiving Appeal. Your envelope is available for your use in your box of envelopes. For those who no longer use envelopes, kindly place your donation in an envelope marked "Thanksgiving Appeal", along with your name and address.

May God Bless you and your families. Fr. Glen



FEAST & MEMORIAL DAYS

Oct. 2— The Holy Guardian Angels

Oct. 4 —St. Francis of Assisi

Oct. 5 —St. Faustina Kowalska

Oct. 6—Blessed Marie-Rose Durocher & St. Bruno

Oct. 7— Our Lady of the Rosary

"While you are proclaiming peace with your lips, be careful to have it even more fully in your heart." St. Francis of Assisi





Canadian Bishops Plenary Assembly

blv The CCCB is posting update videos from Plenary Assembly that took place this week in Toronto. The videos, produced in partnership with Salt and Light Media, recap the each day's discussions and feature interviews with select bishops and other participants. The videos are in French and English and can be found on the CCCB YouTube channel. https:// www.youtub e.com/ @CCCBCE CC/videos



Sat. Oct. 21 from 9:00 am. - 1:00 pm.
No early birds please

Baked Goods, Jam & Jellies, Crafts, Jewllery, Toys, Decorations, Dishes, Lunch & More 2153 Parkwood Ave.



IMMACULATE HEART CWL AUTUMN BAZAAR

Please join us for our Autumn Bazaar. We will have a **BAKE TA-BLE** with pies, cookies, cakes etc., home made jams and jelly, crafts which include slippers, pot holders, aprons etc., gently used purses, jewelry, dishes such as pots, pans and glassware etc., holiday decorations for Christmas, Halloween etc., furniture, toys for all ages. Sorry no books or early birds please. We will have a **RAFFLE TABLE** with all new items as well as raffle tickets for gas cards for \$50, \$100 and \$200. The gas cards raffle tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5.00. **LUNCH** will also be available: Hot dogs, chili, egg sandwiches, hash browns, tea, coffee water & juice. If you have items in your house that you would like to donate to the Bazaar, please bring them to any mass or call **Mary Power at 519-977-9842** to arrange for a better more convenient time.

Attention all men—The Mother Teresa K of C Council #12494 at OLPH Church will be holding their membership drive soon. The K of C members will be on the narthex to answer any questions you may have about the K of C.



St. Theresa con't...She never had an easy life, but she did live with a great sense of peace and joy. She died at the age of 24, believing that her life was really just beginning for God, promising to spend her heaven doing good on earth. Her promised "Shower of Roses" began and has become a torrent in the Church ever since.





News from our Rev. Lionel Belanger Council #11090

We sincerely thank all parishioners for their wonderful donations toward the Coats for Kids program for the St Angela elementary school students. Two of us attended the first Parent Council meeting on Wed. Sept. 20 and our new principal will let us know the desired sizes and possibly other needs as snowpants, mittens, hats etc. (We have been members of the Parent Advisory council for seven years now and it's a true blessing to be such an integral part of this school.) Some of us joined the kids at their school mass held at Holy Trinity church on Sept.

. Knights distributed thousands of dollars of assistance from our Order's Disaster Relief Fund to help families affected by wildfires in Alberta, B.C., and Quebec and Nova Scotia this past Spring and summer.

"Let us not love in word, neither in tongue; but in deed and truth." - 1 John 3:18





Sunday Oct. 22 after the 10:30 am. Mass at OLPH Church Hall

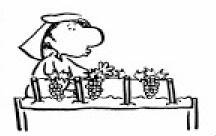
Donations accepted. All proceeds will go to a seminarian.



FAMILY ACTIVITY FOR THE 256H SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA)

Are you thinking about becoming Catholic? Do you know someone who is interested in the Catholic faith?

We would love to talk to you or your friend about the Rite of Christian Initiation. (RCIA). Preparation classes can be done in a couple of ways and we can try to accommodate your schedule. For more information you can speak to Fr. Glen, at 519-258-0910 Ext. 222 or email him at gball@dol.ca or speak to Christine Ext. 226 or email her at ctoffolon@dol.ca



BINGO & GAMING—OLPH CHURCH

Our bingo sessions are held at All Star Gaming Centre on Walker Rd. Our next assigned dates are Wed. Oct. 4 from 11 am.—1pm. & Tues. Oct. 17 from 1 - 3 pm. We are always looking for new volunteers. Just let Christine know if you are interested.



IMMACULATE HEART CWL

To all our Immaculate Heart CWL membersyour Dues are due! Please submit your dues of \$30.00 in the offertory basket or to Mary at Mass.

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Register to participate in the Trunk or Treats' at www.olph.dionet.org Bring your children to trunk or treat or sign up to decorate your car and hand out treats. Fri. Oct. 20 at Immaculate Heart Church and/or Fri. Oct. 27 at OLPH Church. Come to one or come to both!!

BINGO COMMITTEE AT IMMACULATE HEART

Please do not forget to support our Church Bingo's from ALL STAR Immaculate Heart Church. They are held at All Star Gaming Centre on Walker Rd. The Bingos are very important to Immaculate Heart parish. A big thank you to all the volunteers and participants who continually make the effort to support Immaculate Heart parish. Our next assigned dates are: Mon. Oct. 2 from 11 am. -1 pm. & Wed. Oct. 11 from 9—11 am.

RIGHT TO LIFE—40 DAYS FOR LIFE FALL CAMPAIGN

Pray to End Abortion!! Fall 40 Days for Life Vigil! Vigil has already began and goes until Nov.5. At the Vigil location: Please limit your vigil to the public right of way along Tecumseh Rd. (sidewalk) on either side of the street, between Byng ad Kildare. We are not allowed on Lens Ave. including not entering the hospital complex on Lens Ave.—Windsor Regional Hospital, Met. Campus, 1995 Lens Avenue, Windsor, Vigil hours: 7 am to 7 pm daily For more information contact Laurie Eberhardt at laurie.eberhardt@gmail.com

LAUDATO SI' ANIMATORS PROGRAM TRAINING

This is your chance to be a part of the national and global Laudato Si' Movement. The next training session for Laudato Si' Animators begins Oct. 7, 2023. From the organizers: 10 benefits of being a certified Laudato Si' Animator, (There is no charge and sessions are at your own pace). To register, go to this link https://laudatosianimators.thinkific.com/courses/ ondemandlsa2023 For more program information, contact: Sr. Noreen Allossery-Walsh, osu

(noreenallosserywalsh@ursulines.org)



READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday – Exodus 23:20-23; Responsorial Psalm 91; Gospel, Matthew18:1-5,10

Tuesday— Zechariah 8:20-23; Responsorial Psalm 87; Gospel Luke 9:51-56

Wednesday— Nehemiah 2:1-8; Responsorial Psalm, 137; Gospel, Luke 9:57-62

Thursday—Nehemiah 8:1-4,5-6,7-12; Responsorial Psalm, 19; Gospel, Luke 10:1-12

Friday—Baruch 1:15-22; Responsorial Psalm, 79; Gospel, Luke 10:13-16

Saturday— Baruch 4:5-12,27-29; Responsorial Psalm, 69; Gospel, Luke 10:17-24

Sunday – First Reading: Isaiah 5:1-7; Responsorial Psalm, Psalms 80; Second Reading: Philippians 4:6-9; Gospel, Matthew 21:33-43



PARISH COMMITTEES & GROUPS at IMMACULATE HEART KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Pat Power; Grand Knight

CATHOIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Anna St. Antoine; President

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Pat Rondot; President

SACRISTAN Vicky Masotti

HOMEBOUND

Paulette DesRosiers

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Pat & Michelle Rondot

PARISH COMMITTEES & GROUPS at OLPH

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

Steve Pellarin, Grand Knight

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE:

Janis McIsaac; President

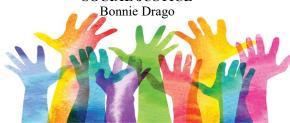
SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL:

Gail Lee-Woodcock; President

PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY

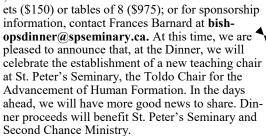
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SOCIAL JUSTICE



17TH BISHOP'S DINNER FOR WINDSOR/ESSEX

After a hiatus of three years, the Windsor/Essex Bishop's Dinner returns to the Ciocaro Club, on **October 26, 2023!** You are cordially invited to gather together with Bishop Fabbro, the priests, deacons and lay ministers, and the faithful of our diocese. For individual tick-



Pastoral Family of Parishes Council

Father Glen Ball * Father Stanislaw Izdebski Holy Trinity * Father Miro St. Francis of Assisi * Sister Elzbieta Mruczek Holy Trinity * Christine Toffolon Our Lady of Perpetual Help * Tony Blak Holy Trinity * John Nabben St. Michael * Tina Papac St. Francis of Assisi * Steve Pellarin Our Lady of Perpetual Help * Joe Piskovic St. Francis of Assisi * Frank Quint St. Michael & Immaculate Heart * Michelle Rondot Immaculate Heart * Chris Sak Our Lady of Perpetual Help * Victor Wolanski Holy Trinity * Nancy Charron (recording secretary) Our Lady of Perpetual Help

AA meetings are held every Tuesday at 10:00 am. in the small hall at Immaculate Heart Church.

Follow & Like us on Facebook at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Windsor & Immaculate Heart Parish Windsor



**Mass Intentions at OLPH can be made with Christine by emailing her, or leaving an envelope in the offertory basket,. Mass Intentions for Immaculate Heart or St. Michael's can be made by leaving an envelope in the offertory basket or calling Shirl at 519-258-0910 or by emailing her.

.Mass Intentions are \$10.00 each.

** Please note that if you are asking for a certain date please send in your request at least three weeks in advance. Thank you.

Welcome! We are glad you joined us! Registration forms are available online—on our website or in the narthex or back of the Church. If you need to update your information on record, please email or call the office.

HELP SPREAD THE WARMTH CAMPAIGN





We are collecting your gently used winter weather clothing items to help those experiencing homelessness in Windsor & Essex County.

Most needed items include:

Men's coats—sizes medium, large & XL Men's winter boots—sizes 9 to 13 Ladies winter coats—sizes medium & large

Ladies winter boots—sizes 7-10 Winter hats, gloves & scarves

Socks for both men & ladies

Clothing items can be dropped off to any of the parish white bins or at any Society Shoppe locations (please indicate Street Outreach).

Would the person using envelope #98 from Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church please call the office or talk to Christine or Fr. Glen. We are missing your information—including your name. Thank you!!



Attention families with youth in Grade 7 & 8 (or in High School) - come and hear from Fr. David Michael Moses - an up-and-coming priest from Texas. He has a powerful message to share with young people. Wed. Oct. 4 at 6:30 pm. at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church.

SEIZE THE DAY

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AN EVENING OF PRAISE AND WORSHIP WITH

Fr. DAVID MICHAEL







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Wednesday, October 4, 2023
6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church
4401 Mount Royal Drive, Windsor
FREE EVENT
Refreshments will be served