

**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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**CATHOLIC FAMILY
OF PARISHES**

**Twenty—Seventh Sunday
in Ordinary Time
October 5 , 2025**

SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION

Baptism: Register Online
First Communion & First Reconciliation:
Registration is open.

Confirmation - Registration is open..

SACRAMENTS OF HEALING

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

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.

**PASTORAL TEAM FOR ROSE CITY CENTRAL
CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES**

Pastor: Rev. Glen Ball 519-258-0910 Ext. 222
gball@dol.ca

Associate Pastor: Rev. Stanislaw Izdebski
sizdebski@dol.ca

Associate Pastor: Rev. Miro Grubišić

Priest in Residence: Rev. Bill Kornacker

Pastoral Minister: Sr. Elzbieta Mruczek
emruczek@dol.ca

Pastoral Minister: Christine Toffolon, 519-966-1953
Ext. 226 (new Ext.) *ctoffolon@dol.ca*

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

Main Office: 519-258-0910 - shcwindsor@dol.ca or
olph@dol.ca

Secretary/Bookkeeper: Shirl Masse Ext 200 *smasse@dol.ca*

Secretary: Miroslawa "Mirka" Rodzinka IH & OLPH

Musicians: Jim Dittmer (St. Michael & IH)
John Salalila (OLPH)
Jeff Gendron (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, September 21 at 9:00 am.**

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

**MAIN FAMILY OF PARISHES' OFFICE HOURS: Immaculate Heart at St. Michael's Church—2153 Parkwood Avenue
Tues. to Fri. 9 am.—2 pm. Please call Shirl at 519-258-0910 Ext. 200
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church—804 Grand Marais Rd. East**



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 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...."

For those who have died from our families and from our Rose City Central Catholic Family of Parishes.

Pope's Prayer Intentions for October: For collaboration between different religious traditions: Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice and human fraternity.

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP CHURCH

EVERY TUESDAY
5:00 PM. TO
5:50 PM.

ADORATION
Confessions

CONFESSIONS FROM 5:00 - 5:45 PM. Mass at 6:00 pm.

Gospel Background: Luke 17:5-10

Jesus teaches the apostles the importance of faith and service to God.

In today's Gospel we hear Jesus teach about faith and service to God. The context is a continuing dialogue between Jesus and his followers about what it means to be a disciple of Jesus. Jesus has just finished an instruction on sin and forgiveness. There are two related teachings that Jesus offers to his disciples when they cry out for an increase in faith. The first is the familiar reminder that faith, even just a little, will enable the followers of Jesus to do wondrous things.



But this uplifting and inspiring teaching is quickly followed by the second teaching, a caution about knowing one's place in God's plans. The disciples of Jesus are to understand themselves as servants to God and his plans. Even when God works wonders through us, with our mustard seed-sized faith, we must not seek praise. Our participation in God's plans is God's grace to us—nothing more, nothing less. When we are graced enough to cooperate with God, the work we do is nothing more than our obligation to God as faithful stewards. And yet, our faith enables us to believe that what we have offered in service to God, as his servants, can be made to produce a hundredfold. * *From Loyolapress.com*

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



Tues. October 7 at 6:00 pm. at OLPH

- + Gabriella Fiorino-Daher ... *by Mom*
- + Maria Desmini... *by Family*
- + Krishani Nancoo... *by Wendy & Dennis Nancoo*
- + Tillie Keglevich ... *by Janis McIsaac*

Wed. October 8 at 12:00 pm. at Immaculate Heart/St. Michael

- Intentions of John Nabben ... *by Family*
- Intentions of Anne Marie Ofner ... *by St. Michael's CWL*
- Special Intention ... *by Family*
- + Herman & Norma In't Zandt ... *Nabben Family*
- + Anna Gruhn ... *by St. Michael's CWL*
- + Mary & Fred Staub ... *by Freddie & Christine*

Thurs. October 9 at 6:00 pm. at OLPH

- + Brian Woodcock... *by Wife Gail*
- + Jacinto Correia ... *by Alda Oliveira*

Fri. October 10 at 8:00 am. at Immaculate Heart/St. Michael

- Intentions of Wayne Eden ... *by Mary Lou Eden*
- Intentions of Teresita Mallare ... *by Family*
- Intentions of Elizabeth Chemel & Family ... *by Family*
- + Rachelle Leslie ... *by Parishioner*
- + All Souls in Purgatory ... *by LTF*
- + Shirley Flood Marenick ... *by Cowan Family*

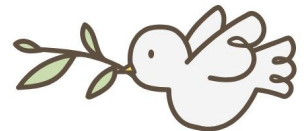
BAPTISMAL BLESSINGS

On Sunday, October 5 at the 10:30 am. Mass at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church we welcomed Isabella

Jeannette Fortier daughter of Joshua & Samantha Fortier

(Pedro) to the Christian Catholic Faith through the graced filled waters of Baptism.

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



COME AND SEE WEEKEND - Friday, November 21st to Sunday, November 23rd, 2025

St. Peter's Seminary is holding a discernment retreat for men 17 years old and older, who are baptized Catholics and are considering a call to the priesthood.

This weekend offers a firsthand experience of the life of a seminarian, provides spiritual help for discernment and offers the opportunity to meet current seminarians and faculty of St. Peter's Seminary. Please extend a personal invitation to young men in your parish, and have him contact Fr. Rob Renaud directly at r.renaud@dol.ca or 519-432-1824 ext. 204 to register.

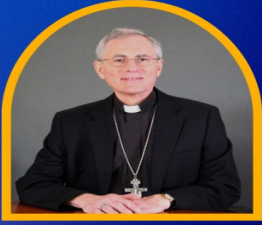


RCIA—Are you thinking about becoming Catholic? Want to complete your sacraments? We would love to talk to you. *We are considering joining Most Precious for our Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) preparation program. The classes/meetings would be weekly and would go until the Easter Vigil. For more information you can speak to Fr. Glen or Christine. Fr. Glen- 519— 258-0910 ext 222 or gball@dol.ca Christine 519-258-0910 ext 226 or ctoffolon@dol.ca

****Some adults over the years have taken this journey with our Confirmation youth—you can speak to Christine if you would like to know more about the preparation with the Confirmation youth. This program runs from Jan. to May with weekly meetings.**



THE BISHOP'S 75th
A BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION



Join us in honouring
Bishop Ronald Fabbro, CSB
Bishop of London
On the occasion of his 75th birthday

SAVE THE DATE
OCTOBER 30, 2025
Ciociaro Club, Windsor, Ontario

BINGO COMMITTEE AT IMMACULATE HEART

Please do not forget to support our Church Bingo's from 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 **Saturday, October 18 from 8—10:00 am. & Friday, October 24 from 2—4:00 pm.**



A Mustard Seed Faith


He replied, "If you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it will obey you." Luke 17:6 (NIV)

The puzzle is based on Luke 17:5-10 (NIV).



SISTERS OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD - COME AND SEE WEEKEND

The Sisters of the Precious Blood are hosting a Come and See Weekend: "A Glimpse into the Life of a Contemplative Sister" from Friday, October 17 to Sunday, October 19. The retreat is intended for Catholic women aged 18-45. Their website is at this link <https://pbsisters.on.ca/> or you can email Sr. Eileen Mary at vocations@pbsisters.on.ca. * we order our altar bread (host) from the Sisters of the Precious Blood.




Come and See Weekend
WITH THE SISTERS OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD
A Glimpse into the Life of a Contemplative Sister
Friday, October 17 to Sunday, October 19, 2025
For Catholic Single Women ages 18-45
For more information and to register, contact:
Sr. Eileen Mary
519-473-2499 / vocations@pbsisters.on.ca
Location: 301 Bannock Road, London, ON N6G 1N7
Registration Deadline: Wednesday, October 15, 2025
Website: www.pbsisters.on.ca

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FAITH	EAT	INCREASE	PLANTED	SMALL
SERVANT	LORD	UPROOTED	MUSTARD	PREPARE
SEED	REPLIED	TREE	MULBERRY	SUPPER

Sunday, October 5th
from 2:00 to 3:00 pm *




* The newer SOUTH WINDSOR Chain will take place from 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm. Meet in the parking lot at 1400 Cabana Rd. West (Corpus Christi Church).

The 9 Local Life Chains are sponsored by **WINDSOR-ESSEX COUNTY RIGHT TO LIFE**. Life Chains are held simultaneously in more than 300 locations across Canada each year and in many more locations in the USA. A **LIFE CHAIN** is a peaceful, prayerful, powerful Pro-Life presence. It's a prayer chain & witness against abortion. Join thousands across Canada. It's only one hour of your time. **TAKE A STAND FOR LIFE!**

AMHERSTBURG On Sandwich Street at Pickering Drive	BELLE RIVER On Notre Dame at Dupuis St.
ESSEX Corner of Talbot St. and Arthur St.	HARROW Corner of King St. and Queen St.
KINGSVILLE Corner of Main and Division	LEAMINGTON Corner of Talbot and Erie St.
TECUMSEH Corner of Tecumseh Rd. & Manning Rd.	WINDSOR Sidewalk along Tecumseh Rd E in front of Met Hospital

Immaculate Heart CWL members

your dues are being collected now for the 2026 year. They are \$35.00. You can put them in an envelope with your name on it and give the dues to Mary, put them into the Collection basket or drop them off to the office.



JOY IN GIVING

OLPH SSVF CHRISTMAS FOOD BOXES



Thank you for all your donations to date we are now asking for :

BOXES OF STUFFING, CANS OF CRANBERRY SAUCE, & BOXED POTATOES



OLPH SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

In the month of September our conference made 12 deliveries to 38 adults and 11 children for a total of 49 people served. 5 were new clients and 2 were single clients. We gave out \$340.00 in vouchers that may be used at the SSVP stores for furniture, household items and clothing. 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**



SSVP AT IMMACULATE HEART

We are always accepting "NON PERISHABLE" food donations. Just leave them on the ushers' bench. Monetary donations used to purchase groceries are always appreciated, and they can be dropped off in the collection basket, just mark your envelope "SSVP" or "SAINT VINCENT de PAUL". Your generosity allows us to help those in need. St. Vincent de Paul food calls: **519-258-0910 Ext. 235** God Bless all of you.



BINGO & GAMING—OLPH CHURCH

We do not have any assigned dates for the month of October. We purchased little "Mary" figurines with a prayer card & little bag to give to the families at the Meet the Teacher Ice cream Social's at OLPH & St. Christopher's school from our cbingo bank account. Our sessions are at **All Star Gaming Centre** on Walker Rd.



K of C Thanksgiving Food Drive

Cloth grocery bags will be handed out at Immaculate Heart & OLPH on Oct. 4 & 5 by the K of C. Please return the cloth bag filled with food items for the SSVP pantry at both parishes on Thanksgiving-
October 11 & 12

Mother Teresa K of C Council

Must Register at olph.dionet.org to attend

Trunk or Treat Fri. Oct. 17

Immaculate Heart Church

6:00 - 7:30 pm.

2153 Parkwood Ave



Thanksgiving Appeal 2025

Annual Thanksgiving Appeal Collection- Monday October 13 is Thanksgiving Day, and 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, **next weekend—October 11/12 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 do not have 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



OLPH CHURCH TRUNK OR TREAT

Friday October 24
6:00 pm. - 7:30 pm. in the parking lot
804 Grand Marais Rd. E.

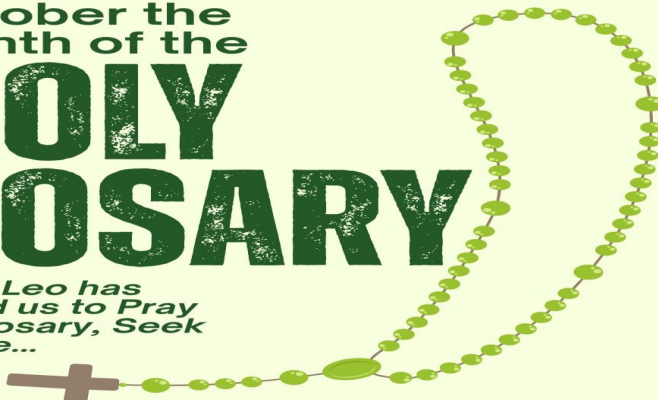
MUST register at olph.dionet.org to attend

OLPH CWL the 2026 dues are being collected now. When you come to Mass return your **\$40.00** dues in the envelope that was provided to you and put the envelope in the Collection basket or give your envelope to Janis, Nancy or Christine.



October the Month of the HOLY ROSARY

Pope Leo has asked us to Pray the Rosary, Seek Peace...



FEAST & MEMORIAL DAYS

October 6—Blessed Marie-Rose Durocher & St. Bruno
 October 7—Our Lady of the Rosary
 October 9—St. Denis & Companions & St. John Leonardi
 October 11—St. John XXIII
 October 11—Our Lady's Saturday



READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday— Jonah 1:1-2:1, 11; Responsorial Psalm, Psalms 2: Gospel, Luke 10:25-37
Tuesday— Jonah 3:1-10; Responsorial Psalm, Psalms 130: Gospel, Luke 10:38-42
Wednesday—Jonah 4:1-11; Responsorial Psalm, Psalms 86: Gospel, Luke 11:1-4
Thursday— Malachi 3:13-20; Responsorial Psalm, Psalms 1: Gospel, Luke 11:5-13
Friday— Joel 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Responsorial Psalm, Psalms 9: Gospel, Luke 11:15-26
Saturday— Joel 4:12-21; Responsorial Psalm, Psalms 97: Gospel, Luke 11:27-28
Sunday— First Reading: Second Kings 5:14-17
 Responsorial Psalm, Psalms 98: Second Reading: Second Timothy 2:8-13; Gospel, Luke 17:11-19



40 DAYS FOR LIFE

FALL 2025
 SEPT. 24 TO NOV. 2

Vigil site on Tecumseh Rd. in front of Met Hospital BETWEEN BYNG AND KILDARE.



Town Hall Meeting

AT ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH

For parishioners from St. Michael's Church & Immaculate Heart only

Wednesday, October 15 at 5:30 pm.



Come and discuss the future of our parishes. Discussion will be led by Chrisandra Skipper from Pastoral Services

You are cordially invited to our annual celebration

CEMETERY SUNDAY

November 2, 2025 at 3:00 p.m.
 inside St. Francis Mausoleum
 Heavenly Rest Cemetery

Most Reverend
 Ronald P. Fabbro, CSB
 Bishop of London

Please Join Us
 All Are Welcome



519-969-4836

WHAT IS WORLD YOUTH DAY?

World Youth Day 2027- Seoul, South Korea (WYD) is a global gathering with the Pope held every few years, bringing together young people from around the world for prayer, celebration, and faith. The last WYD took place in Lisbon, Portugal in August 2023, and the next will be in Seoul, Korea in 2027. Open to all youth (16+), WYD offers a powerful opportunity to encounter Christ, experience the universality of the Church, and grow in faith alongside hundreds of thousands of peers.

The Youth, Young Adult, and Family Ministry Office is excited to announce plans to bring a group of young people and adults to this life-changing World Youth Day pilgrimage. We are partnering with Tour Design to create a meaningful and memorable package that will make this journey unforgettable. To begin forming our diocesan group, *Christine Coyle will be hosting two online information sessions: Thursday, October 23rd at 7:30 PM and Sunday, Oct. 26th at 3PM. Both meetings should only last an hour. You only need to attend one session.* Afterward, participants will receive details on registration, forms, deposits, and next steps. Don't miss this chance to be part of an incredible faith-filled experience!

Age Requirements for WYD 2027" Participants are encouraged to be at least 18 years old by the time of departure (end of July 2027). The minimum age to attend is 16 at departure, provided that proper adult-to-youth ratios are in place. Parents and or guardians are strongly encouraged to travel with their teens to ensure a safe and meaningful experience.



THE BELOVED RETREAT In The Beloved Retreat is an interactive weekend retreat experience inviting participants to contemplate the unlikely, giddy, and provocative prospect that we are passionately loved by God. The Retreat welcomes retreatants whose demographics are very diverse: single and married, long standing Church members, and those who have never attended, young adults and "seasoned veterans," practicing, alienated, hurt and "iffy" Catholics, as well as those from other religious traditions and denominations. This retreat is proved to be invigorating, healing, transformative, and comforting. Please consider joining us! Cost: \$350 per person, includes meals, lodging, and retreat supplies Registration closes October 6, 2025

The Fall retreat starts Friday, October 17 at 5:00 pm and ends Sunday, October 19 at 2:30 pm.

For more info: <https://www.belovedretreat.ca/>



**PARISH COMMITTEES & GROUPS at
IMMACULATE HEART**

- CATHOLIC 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
- DECORATOR**
Maricar Nicolas

PARISH COMMITTEES & GROUPS at OLPH

- KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:**
Pat Power, Grand Knight
Steven Pellarin, Deputy Grand Knight
- CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE:**
Janis McIsaac; President
- SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL:**
Phil Anderson; President
- PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY**
Dory Jimenez
- SOCIAL JUSTICE**



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 .



****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.**

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 * Chris Sak (Chair) Our Lady of Perpetual Help * Tony Blak Holy Trinity * Angie Mora St. Michael * Tina Papac St. Francis of Assisi * Steve Pellarin Our Lady of Perpetual Help * Michelle Rondot Immaculate Heart * 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.

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Immaculate Heart Church
& OLPH Church in the
Rose City Central Catholic
Family of Parishes

**JOIN US FOR YOUR CONFIRMATION
PREPARATION CLASSES.**

(YOUTH IN GR. 8 & UP)
**OUR CLASSES WILL BEGIN IN JAN. 2026.
ON THURS. EVENINGS.**

Register now on our
website at
olph.dionet.org
for the 2026 year.
*There is a \$45.00
material fees.



Questions? email Christine at ctoffolon@dol.ca



OLPH Church & Immaculate Heart
Church in the Rose City Central
Catholic Family of Parishes

**Join us for the First Confession &
First Communion preparation
programs for 2026.**

For children in Grade 2 and up.

Register online today
at

olph.dionet.org

for the 2026 year.

Preparation classes begin
in Febraury 2026 on
Wed.evenings.

Questions? email Christine at
ctoffolon@dol.ca
There is a \$45.00 materials fee



EGG CARTONS

Donate your clean empty egg cartons (only the 12 packs) to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul at Immaculate Heart & OLPH Churches. You can drop them off at both parishes.



**Benefits Of Playing
Euchre
at OLPH Church**



Contact Diane Miller for
more information
519- 990- 1856

