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**WEEKEND MASSES**

**GODERICH**

SATURDAY 5:00 P.M.  
SUNDAY 11:00 A.M.

**GRAND BEND**

SUNDAY 8:30 A.M.

**ZURICH**

SATURDAY 5:00 P.M.  
SUNDAY 8:30 A.M.

**EXETER**

SUNDAY 8:30 A.M.

**MOUNT CARMEL**

SATURDAY 5:00 P.M.  
SUNDAY 11:00 A.M.

**St. JOSEPH**

SUNDAY 11:00 A.M.

*Being a mission-oriented Church that forms disciples of Jesus*

**SUNDAY, OCT. 17, 2021 — 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**From the Pastor's Desk,**

I recently read Justin Gravitt's blog and thought I would share this particular article with you. Please feel free to let me know what you think and if you wish to hear more from his blog, One Disciple to Another.

**Letter to "Almost Disciple Makers"**

First, I just want to say that your passion for God is obvious. You take the time to study and apply the Scriptures. Your heart for Jesus is clear. There's no doubt that He's your anchor. I love that about you!

I hope this doesn't come off as weird, but watching you is helping me learn to love others better. I'm serious! You engage people so naturally. Your heart for them is unmistakable. Others tell story after story that begins by you calling, writing a note, or inviting them to coffee. Not even this global pandemic has stopped you from impacting others!

We've known each other for a while now. And I hope you know how much I respect you. But I wanted to ask if you would consider becoming an intentional disciple maker?

I know it can be intimidating. The other day I overheard you saying, "Me, disciple someone? No way! What would I say? I think the best way to disciple is just to love people. That's what I do. I love God and just care for others. I don't want to be a disciple! The thought of someone looking at me as their example is downright scary!"

I get it. Being a disciple maker can be scary. As an introvert, I still experience a low-level of anxiety before heading into discipleship meetings. In fact, I don't know a single person who has felt ready before they started. Even though it's hard, I can't get past the fact that Jesus' last instructions to us were to make disciples. Not only that, He also promised to be with us as we do it (Matt. 28:18-20). We don't have to be perfect or have it all figured out.

I really think your impact as a disciple maker could be amazing! You love God and you already know how to help people follow Jesus. Imagine how many would be changed if you took the next step and helped them learn how to help others?! I think you would only need to add vision and intentionality to what you are already doing. One thing I've learned is that part of being Jesus' disciple is intentionally helping others become disciple makers.

Since you are already influencing people to grow closer to God, I'd suggest just getting started with an invitation and a simple tool. I'd be more than happy to talk with you about any questions or fears you might have. I think once you try it, you'll be hooked! Making disciples multiplies our Kingdom impact while at the same time more fully connects us to God.....

**PASTORAL TEAM**

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**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF  
October 18 — 24, 2021**

**MONDAY: Oct. 18**

*(We pray for Rev. John Juhl, O.F.M. Cap.)*

**St. Boniface, Zurich — 9:00 a.m.**

Ulrich Duttmann — Anna Duttmann

Marie Cyr-Whitney — Kathryn Regier

**TUESDAY: Oct. 19**

*(We pray for Rev. David Boutette)*

**St. Peter, St. Joseph — 12:00 p.m.**

Int. of Tracy Affeldt — Branka Topolovec & Family

Int. of Anthony Belicosso — Jane Vrinic

**St. Peter, Goderich — 7:00 p.m.**

Carol Wilson — Family

Jim Shanahan — Ted & Emmilla Doherty & Family

**WEDNESDAY: Oct. 20**

*(We pray for Rev. Keith Morrison)*

**IHM, Grand Bend — 12:00 p.m.**

Rick Hodgkinson — Joan & Tom Brewer

Ian Carne — Maureen Garinther

**St. Boniface, Zurich — 7:00 p.m.**

Gerard Ducharme — Mary Lou Denomme

Janet Durand — Sr. Anne Regier & Family

**THURSDAY: Oct. 21**

*(We pray for Debby Brown: Pastoral Worker)*

**St. Peter, Goderich — 9:00 a.m.**

John Brand — Rita & Leo Deitner

John Redmond — Barb Moerbeek

**Our Lady of Mt. Carmel — 7:00 p.m.**

Gary Revington — Carla Revington

Lottie Grenier — Estate

**FRIDAY: Oct. 22**

*(We pray for Rev. David Johnston)*

**St. Boniface, Zurich — 9:15 a.m.**

Int. of Cornelius Bierens — John & Mary Jacobs

In Thanksgiving — Dick & Barb Rau

**Precious Blood, Exeter — 12:00 p.m.**

Gus & Gerry Gregus — Mary Pavkeje

Roger Fischer — Family

**SATURDAY: Oct. 23**

*(We pray for Deacon Cyril Cogghe)*

**St. Peter, Goderich — 9:00 a.m.**

Tony Middegaal — St. Peter C.W.L.

Armand, Teresa, Leonard Bedour & Phil Bulger—Family

**SAT.: Oct. 23 — 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**St. Boniface, Zurich — 5:00 p.m.**

**St. Peter, Goderich — 5:00 p.m.**

**OLMC, Mt. Carmel — 5:00 p.m.**

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**SUN.: Oct. 24 — 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**IHM, Grand Bend — 8:30 a.m.**

**Precious Blood, Exeter — 8:30 a.m.**

**St. Boniface, Zurich — 8:30 a.m.**

Our Family of Parishes

**OLMC, Mt. Carmel — 11:00 a.m.**

**St. Peter, Goderich — 11:00 a.m.**

**St. Peter, St. Joseph — 11:00 a.m.**

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**Sacramental Information**



**Baptism:** Please contact Erika Eaglesham at [eeaglesham@dol.ca](mailto:eeaglesham@dol.ca) if you wish to have your child baptized. Baptisms are now being scheduled following Sunday Mass.

**Baptismal Preparation:** Wed., Oct. 20 at 7 p.m. via Zoom.

**Reconciliation:** Parents with children in Grade 2 who missed our online *Formation Meeting* are urged to contact Erika. Please visit our website to register your child for First Reconciliation and First Communion.

**Confirmation:** For those who missed Confirmation due to Covid, we have begun Confirmation prep by exploring the 'Alpha Youth' series over zoom on Tuesday evenings at 7 p.m. Please fill out the Confirmation application form on our website and email it to [eeaglesham@dol.ca](mailto:eeaglesham@dol.ca).

**Marriage:** please contact Fr. Vince Gulikers one year in advance: [vgulikers@dol.ca](mailto:vgulikers@dol.ca)

**RCIA:** please contact Erika Eaglesham at [eeaglesham@dol.ca](mailto:eeaglesham@dol.ca).

**Ministry to Young Families**

We are looking for a group of warm and hospitable individuals and couples to start a group dedicated to reaching out to and welcoming young families in our parish family. If this sounds like something you are interested in, please contact Erika at [eeaglesham@dol.ca](mailto:eeaglesham@dol.ca) for more information!

**Church Halls**

After prayer and deliberation, because of the complications added with the government Covid regulations, we have decided to further delay the opening of Parish Halls across our Family Parishes. We will review the situation again in two to three months. Thank you for your understanding.

**Alpha**



It's not too late to join! Alpha is going strong and on its forth week, but the journey has just begun! If you'd like to meet new people and join the conversation about Jesus, send an email to Erika at [eeaglesham@dol.ca](mailto:eeaglesham@dol.ca) for the zoom link! We meet every Thursday evening from 7—8:30 p.m. online!

**What does the future of the church look like?**

Can you envision **what a fully active Family of Parishes would look like, feel like and sound like?** Please email your response to our Pastor: [tlaforet@dol.ca](mailto:tlaforet@dol.ca)

**Cemetery Sunday**

Please join us on Sun., Oct., 24 following the 11:00 a.m. Mass at St. Peter, St. Joseph for Cemetery Sunday.

### Goderich Office Notation

The office in Goderich will be **CLOSED** from Fri., Oct. 15 to Friday, Oct. 22 inclusive.

### Church Bulletins



At this time, we will continue with our on-line bulletins. If you wish to subscribe to the bulletin please visit [www.lhcfp.dol.ca](http://www.lhcfp.dol.ca) and sign-up to subscribe. In order to spread the news we encourage those who do receive the on-line bulletin to print a copy for a friend, neighbour or fellow parishioner, those without computer access. This is your opportunity to live out your baptismal call and spread the good news as a disciple of Jesus Christ!

### C.W.L. News



**St. Peter C.W.L., St. Joseph** Christmas Giving: as our CWL Christmas project, we have chosen to support the Huron County Women's Shelter "Basketeers" program, which helps moms and their children who are transitioning into second stage housing. We're looking to fill two baskets with new items. One for kitchen and one with "a little bit of everything." Please consider helping us by purchasing an item ranging from kitchen wares to tool sets or gift cards. For a complete list of items, please contact Debbie Denomme at 519-236-4536 or Dianne Tschirhart at 519-565-5275. Items can be dropped off at the entrance of the church by October 25 or arrangements can be made for pick up.

**Grand Bend C.W.L.** All are welcome at Immaculate Heart of Mary, at noon on Wed., Nov. 10 for the annual "Memorial Mass for Deceased CWL Members".

We'll celebrate our Council's 65th Anniversary with a noon Mass on Wed., Nov. 24. Please mark these dates on your calendars and come and pray with us.

Watch your Inbox or your mailbox - coming soon! A letter and renewal form for Membership fees (\$25.00); Nominations for our next CWL Executive and our *Matters of the Heart* newsletter.

We welcome new recruits to join our CWL Council. See [www.cwl.ca](http://www.cwl.ca) or contact Organization Chairperson, Maureen Garinther (519-238-2759 or [mgarinther@gmail.com](mailto:mgarinther@gmail.com))

**St. Peter C.W.L., Goderich** Presents Fall Harvest Paint Night on Fri. Oct. 29 @ 7 p.m. All are welcome to this social evening over zoom hosted by Crystal Brennan-Yeo. Opportunity to express your creativity or discover a hidden talent - join the fun. The zoom link will be provided prior to the event."

### World Mission Sunday: October 24



Pope Francis calls us on World Mission Sunday to be "missionaries of hope" and to celebrate "prayer" and "sharing" for the poor and marginalized in more than 1200 dioceses. As we pray in the spirit of the Eucharist on World Mission Sunday we can rejoice in our unity as missionaries forming disciples of Jesus.

### Prayer Shawl Ministry

The Prayer Shawl Ministry will resume **on** Mon., Oct. 18 at 1:30 p.m. at Huron Shores United Church on the corner of Main St. and Queens Ave. in Grand Bend. If you like to knit or crochet, you are welcome to come and join a group of individuals whose shawls, pocket prayer shawls and bears are bringing comfort to others. The wearing of masks and proof of vaccination are mandatory. If you have any questions, you may contact: Joan Brewer 519-238-5567 or Maureen Garinther 519-238-2759.

### Thanksgiving Appeal 2021



Thank you to those who generously donated to the Thanksgiving Appeal. We are Blessed! For those who still want to donate there is still time. See how below.

1. Cash or cheque made out to your local parish, with a note indicating "Thanksgiving Appeal" and place collection or mail to the office. (Envelopes are available at the back of the Church)
2. E- Transfer to your parish, with a comment of "Thanksgiving Parish appeal" Immaculate Heart of Mary [ihmgrandbend@dol.ca](mailto:ihmgrandbend@dol.ca), Our Lady of Mount Carmel [ourladymc@dol.ca](mailto:ourladymc@dol.ca), Precious Blood [preciousblood@dol.ca](mailto:preciousblood@dol.ca), St. Boniface [stboniface@dol.ca](mailto:stboniface@dol.ca), St. Peter, St. Joseph [stpeter@dol.ca](mailto:stpeter@dol.ca), St. Peter, Goderich [stpetersgh@dol.ca](mailto:stpetersgh@dol.ca)
3. Securely via debit or credit card on our website; <https://lhcfp.dol.ca/donate>, please select "Thanksgiving Parish Appeal" after selecting your parish.

### **From the Pastor's Desk .....continued**

"Almost disciple makers" are all around us. Some lack vision, others lack intentionality, others relational skills. One thing they have in common is a need to be engaged on the subject. So this series of letters is designed to do just that...

May the power and joy of Christ's love strengthen and fill your hearts with peace!

Fr. Antoine (Tony) Laforet  
Pastor of the Lake Huron Catholic Family of Parishes

## **World Youth Day in Particular Churches**

At the end of Mass on the Feast of Christ the King (2020), Pope Francis called for the relaunch of the celebration of World Youth Day in Particular Churches to be celebrated annually on the **Feast of Christ the King**. Please save-the-date of **November 21, 2021**, to celebrate activities by young people, for young people, in your local parishes. The department of Youth, Young Adult, and Family Ministry at the Diocese of London will be preparing resources and activities to support local initiatives, which will regularly be uploaded to [this web page](#). For more information, or to get involved, please contact Alexandria Fung, Family and Youth Ministry Specialist at [familyandyouthministry@dol.ca](mailto:familyandyouthministry@dol.ca)

## **World Youth Day 2023**

Pope Francis has chosen the theme “Mary arose and went with haste” (Lk 1.39) for the XXVII World Youth Day that will take place in Lisbon, Portugal, from August 1-6, 2023. World Youth Day is an international gathering of young people (ages 15-35) in the presence of the Pope. For more information about World Youth Day – Lisbon, and to receive updates, please [click here](#).

## **Synod**

**2021-2023**

On October 10, Pope Francis formally launched the process for a global Synod that will take place over the next two years. Unlike a normal Synod of bishops that gathers at the Vatican for discussion, this Synod will have significant parish and diocesan-level consultations that will take place over the coming months. The Synod, entitled “*For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation, and Mission*,” will involve broad consultation with laity, religious communities, clergy and ecumenical groups on their experience of the Church and its mission. More information on the synodal process in the Diocese of London will be forthcoming. All dioceses across Canada will launch their local syndodal process this weekend, on **Sunday, October 17 at 10:30 a.m., Bishop Fabbro will launch the process in the Diocese of London with Mass at St. Peter’s Cathedral Basilica** and you are encouraged to watch the livestream at this [link](#). This is an exciting time to examine how we journey together to help us live communion, achieve participation and open ourselves to mission. As the Holy Father said in his [homily](#) on October 10, “Dear brothers and sisters, let us have a good journey together! May we be pilgrims in love with the Gospel and open to the surprises of the Holy Spirit. Let us not miss out on the grace-filled opportunities born of encounter, listening and discernment. In the joyful conviction that, even as we seek the Lord, he always comes with his love to meet us first.” For use in parish bulletins, logo files are available in [JPG](#) and [PNG](#) formats (other languages are available on request). Additional documents and more information can be found on the Synod website: [www.synod.va/en.html](http://www.synod.va/en.html).

One prayer, attributed to St. Isidore of Seville (560-636) has been suggested to be widely used throughout the diocesan phase of the synodal process.

***We stand before You, Holy Spirit,  
as we gather together in Your name.  
With You alone to guide us,  
make Yourself at home in our hearts;  
Teach us the way we must go  
and how we are to pursue it.  
We are weak and sinful;  
do not let us promote disorder.  
Do not let ignorance lead us down  
the wrong path nor partiality  
influence our actions.  
Let us find in You our unity  
so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth  
and what is right.  
All this we ask of You,  
who are at work in every place and time,  
in the communion of the Father and the Son,  
forever and ever.***



## 4 Ways to Donate to Our Family of Parishes

**E-Transfers:** simply send funds from your account to your parish site: St. Peter, Goderich [stpetersgh@dol.ca](mailto:stpetersgh@dol.ca)

St. Boniface - [stboniface@dol.ca](mailto:stboniface@dol.ca)

St. Peter, St. Joseph - [stpeter@dol.ca](mailto:stpeter@dol.ca)

IHM - [ihmgrandbend@dol.ca](mailto:ihmgrandbend@dol.ca)

Precious Blood - [preciousblood@dol.ca](mailto:preciousblood@dol.ca)

OLMC - [ourladymc@dol.ca](mailto:ourladymc@dol.ca)

**PAD :** sign-up and donate from your account. Please contact Lori Laporte-x-241 or Karen Kester-x-242: 1-877-450-6414 or email: [lhcfp@dol.ca](mailto:lhcfp@dol.ca) for more information.

**Envelopes:** during the pandemic you may mail or drop them off at the parish office.

**Pllenty:** Donate with your credit card via our Pllenty link at the parish website under

**DONATE.** <https://lhcfp.dol.ca/donate>



*"Consider in our care for the church that Christ is one of our children. Christ is dependent on us to feed Him, clothe Him, and care for Him. How much do we spend on our children because we love them? Is our loving care for Christ and His Church like our love for our children."*

## WEEKEND MASS REGISTRATIONS FOR ALL CHURCHES

Registration opens Tuesdays at 9 a.m., closing when at capacity or noon Thursdays, whichever is first.

Register each week on the parish website: <https://www.lhcfp.dol.ca/> For those with no internet, we ask that you request assistance from a friend or family member.

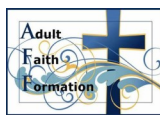
If you have registered for a Mass and later are unable to attend, please notify the office and leave a message so we can reassign your seat. (1-877-450-6414).

If we have reached capacity or registration is closed, please drop by the church before Mass as there may be room once those registered have been seated.

### Confessions

<b>Tuesday</b>	11:30 a.m. in St. Joseph 6:30 p.m. in Goderich
<b>Wednesday</b>	12:30 p.m. in Grand Bend 6:30 p.m. in Zurich
<b>Thursday</b>	6:30 p.m. in Mount Carmel
<b>Friday</b>	11:30 a.m. in Exeter
<b>Saturday</b>	9:30 a.m. in Goderich
<i>Confessions also available by appointment.</i>	

## Veritas Lecture Series



The Veritas Lecture Series engages speakers from a variety of backgrounds to explore the depth of human experience and to articulate the truth – the fullness of humanity – to which we aspire. The Catholic Intellectual Tradition welcomes and embraces this exploration as a participation in the common good that enhances the world we inhabit. For more information or to register for each webinar, go to [kings.uwo.ca/veritas](https://kings.uwo.ca/veritas). Our next speaker is Dr. Phyllis Zagano, whose lecture is entitled, "Catholic Women, Catholic Church: Where Do We Go From Here?." This will take place on Thursday, October 21 at 7:00 p.m. To register for this lecture click [here](#).

## ARISE Women's Retreat – Registration is Open

Registration is now open for women, ages 18 years old and older, to attend a unique retreat hosted by the Youth, Young Adult, and Family Ministry department at the Diocese of London in partnership with ARISE Catholic Movement. The ARISE Women's Retreat will take place from Friday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00pm until 10:00pm, and Saturday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, from 9:30am until 4:30pm; with options to participate online or in-person at various locations throughout the Diocese – all COVID-19 protocols will be followed. Speakers include Heather Khym (Life Restoration); Debbie Herbeck (Be Love Revolution); speaker and life coach, Mary Bielski; and Rachel Herbeck (ID.9:16). Registration is now available [here](#).

## Installation of Assumption University Principal and Vice-Chancellor

Assumption University is pleased to announce the upcoming formal installation of Dr. John Cappucci as Principal and Vice-Chancellor on October 26, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. Bishop Fabbro, who is chancellor of Assumption University, will be participating. The event will be livestreamed at [https://youtu.be/ApuljS\\_NmR0](https://youtu.be/ApuljS_NmR0).

## Retrouvaille – Information on Upcoming Events

Retrouvaille in Windsor, Hamilton and Toronto are partnering to provide a Virtual Retrouvaille Weekend on November 4 - 7. A poster is at this [link](#), A "tear off" flyer for bulletin boards is at this [link](#) and sample text for parish bulletins is at this [link](#).

### All Soul's Day Schedule: Tuesday, Nov. 2

9:00 a.m.	St. Peter, St. Joseph
Noon	IHM, Grand Bend
Noon	OLMC, Mount Carmel
Noon	Precious Blood, Exeter
7:00 p.m.	St. Peter, Goderich
7:00 p.m.	St. Boniface, Zurich