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ST. PETER 156 NORTH ST. GODERICH

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Precious Blood 200 Sanders St. W. Exeter

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY 337 ONTARIO ST. GRAND BEND

ST. PETER
73334 BLUEWATER HWY.
ST. JOSEPH

WEEKEND MASSES

GODERICH

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

GRAND BEND

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

ZURICH

SUNDAY 8:30 A.M.

EXETER

SUNDAY 8:30 A.M.

MOUNT CARMEL

SUNDAY 11:00 A.M.

St. Joseph

SATURDAY—5:00 P.M. SUNDAY 11:00 A.M.

Being a mission-oriented Church that forms disciples of Jesus

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21, 2022—21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SUNDAY, AUGUST 28, 2022—22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C—TWO WEEK BULLETIN

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

I am taking a couple of weeks of vacation from my ministry to relax and be renewed. Please keep me in your prayers during my time away. I will return to the office on Tuesday, August 30th. In the meantime, here's more information regarding our Strategic Planning and the future hopes and priorities we wish to establish for our Family of Parishes.

In September, our first priority will be to welcome families back to Sunday worship. Celebrating a Parish Picnic in Goderich on September 18th will be a great opportunity to reconnect but it will not be enough. There has been some interest in restarting Children's Liturgy in some parishes but we need more leaders and volunteers to make that a reality once again. Please read this bulletin for more information.

In addition, Fr. Steve, Fr. Vince and myself intend to be in the schools in September and throughout the year to meet with the students and teachers. We hope to continue to be a presence in the six schools in our Family of Parishes and support our young people who are seeking to grow in faith through the Sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion and Confirmation. We are encouraging parents to make faith development a priority for themselves and their children by inviting them to take a more active role in preparing their children for these particular Sacraments. At the same time, the Church and Schools will support our parents in their efforts to raise their children in the Catholic faith as promised at their child's baptism. May the Holy Spirit guide us all in our efforts to raise our young people in the Catholic faith!

Finally, on a practical note, Fr. Steve, Fr. Vince and I gathered this past week to begin organizing our calendar for this new year. Although it is still incomplete, we are looking forward to meeting with school principals in early September to determine dates for school and parish events throughout the new year and to receive dates from our Catholic Women's League, Knights of Columbus or other parish committees who might be planning events in the coming year. Once completed, this calendar will be accessible through our website to all parishioners with internet access. As I stated last time in this bulletin, communication will remain a priority for our Family of Parishes. Thank you for your continued support as we endeavour to become a mission-oriented church filled with joyful hope!

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

Our Pastoral Team



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REV. ANTOINE (TONY)
LAFORET-X-222



ASSOCIATE PASTOR REV. VINCE GULIKERS x-223



ASSOCIATE PASTOR REV. STEVE MARSH x-226

PARISH STAFF: MAIN RECEPTION X-200

OFFICE ADMIN: JANE LANSBERGEN x – 200 BUSINESS MANAGER: JIM VAN LANEN x-240 FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATORS: KAREN KESTER x-242 AND LORI LAPORTE x-241

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF August 23—27, 2022

TUESDAY: August 23

(We pray for Rev. Terrence Runstedler)
St. Peter, St. Joseph: Mass — 12:00 p.m.

Albena Bedard—Estate

Greg Denomme—Jan Denomme

St. Peter, Goderich: Mass — 7:00 p.m. James Donnnelly—St. Peter C.W.L.

WEDNESDAY: August 24

(We pray for Deacon Leonard Tetreault)

IHM, Grand Bend: Mass—12:00 p.m.

Eve Market—Clarence Market Family

St. Boniface, Zurich:

Adoration—6:00 p.m. Mass — 7:00 p.m.

Ray Hartman—Janice Hartman

Ray Wardell—Anthony & Monique Hartman

THURSDAY: August 25

(We pray for Deacon Gerard Van Schyndel)

St. Peter, Goderich: Mass—9:15 a.m.

Janet Sherratt—Dan & Maureen Sheardown & Family

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel: Mass—9:15 a.m.

Pat & Tim Glavin—Helen Glavin

Int. of Judith Connor—James & Sheila Phipps

Exeter Villa: Mass—10:30 a.m.

Stephen Dietrich—Estate

FRIDAY: August 26

(We Pray for Deacon Chris Masterson)
St. Boniface, Zurich: Mass — 9:15 a.m.

Nancy Devereaux—Huron Perth Catholic DSB Virginia Denomme—George & Margaret Suplat

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

Frans & Brian Vanneste—Lea Vanneste

Living & Deceased of the Vanneste & Denys Families— Lea Vanneste

SATURDAY: August 27

(We pray for Parish Sacristans in the Diocese of London)

St. Peter, Goderich:

Adoration—8:00 a.m. Mass — 9:15 a.m.

Lorraine Dietrich—Clarice Dalton

Social Justice Committee

Our Family of Parishes is encouraged to resume the regular collections for St. Vincent de Paul. There is an increased demand on our foodbanks and any donations are very much appreciated.

For the month of August, you are asked to bring in:

- cookies and crackers (both soup and snack)
- sugar
- Mr. Noodles
- ketchup

Thank you for your generosity!

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF August 30—September 3, 2022

TUESDAY: August 30

(We pray for Rev. Thomas Donohue)
St. Peter, St. Joseph: Mass — 12:00 p.m.

Ron Garinther—Maureen Garinther Elsie Usherwood—Elizabeth Forwell

St. Peter, Goderich: Mass — 7:00 p.m.

Adolf & Christa Weber—Patrick & Diane Weber

WEDNESDAY: August 31

(We pray for Rev. Paul Rennick, C.S.B.) IHM, Grand Bend: Mass —12:00 p.m.

Ron Vidler-Ken & Lyn Reidy

St. Boniface, Zurich:

Adoration—6:00 p.m. Mass—7:00 p.m.

Rev. John Pluta—Kate & Michael Moriarty

Rick Masse-Marlene Bedard

THURSDAY: September 1

(We pray for)

St. Peter, Goderich: Mass—9:15 a.m.

Bill Stevenson—Pam Stevenson

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel: Mass — 9:15 a.m.

Intentions of Bill Connor—James & Sheila Phipps Charles & Mary Dietrich—Rosemary Dietrich McCallum

Bluewater Rest Home, Zurich: Mass-10:30 a.m.

Lottie Grenier-Estate

FRIDAY: September 2

(We pray for)

St. Boniface, Zurich: Mass — 9:15 a.m.

Ken Mittelholtz—Gord & Cecilia Smith

Frank Bruxer—Karl & Mary Regier

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

Intentions of the Keller Family—George & Elaine Keller

Margaret Williamson—Cecilia Mittelholtz

SATURDAY: September 3

(We pray for)

St. Peter, Goderich:

Adoration—8:00 a.m. Mass — 9:15 a.m.

Martin White—Suzette White

Prayers for the Deceased

Please pray for those who have died, Angela Kuntz (Grand Bend)

Sacramental Information



Baptism: Please contact Fr. Tony at tlaforet@dol.ca if you wish to have your child baptized. Baptisms are now being celebrated during Saturday and Sunday Masses.

First Communion: Parents are encouraged to contact Fr. Tony at tlaforet@dol.ca to book your child's First Communion.

Confirmation: Confirmation Prep continues in September. Please contact Fr. Tony for more

information: tlaforet@dol.ca

Marriage: please contact Fr. Vince Gulikers one year

in advance: vgulikers@dol.ca

Children's Liturgy

Starting September 11th, we hope to resume the Children's Liturgy in those parishes which are able to find volunteer leaders. It is hoped a rotating schedule that works for all can be developed. Please contact the following individuals for the site you are interested in volunteering at:

St. Boniface:

Kristyn Egli, kristynegli@gmail.com or 226-237-4310

Our Lady of Mount Carmel:

Janet Roelands,

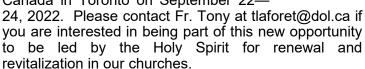
jd.roelands@gmail.com

Sites and names will be added to listing as volunteer leaders come forward.

Let's continue to put Christ in our children's hearts!

Alpha

Our Family of Parishes is looking to build an Alpha Team which will organize future Alpha sessions. Members of this new team will be invited to travel to the Life Shared Summit presented by Alpha Canada in Toronto on September 22—



Development & Peace Stamp Project

Many may be familiar with the D & P Stamp Project. Anyone from across Canada can save the "used stamps" that come affixed to their mail. Once the D & P office in Quebec received them they are sorted and sold to collectors.

Since its inception in 1992, this initiative has raised over \$600,000 for our organization.

There will be a box placed at each church in our Family of Parishes to collect these stamps. The next grouping of stamps will be sent in on Monday, August 29, 2022. Thank you for helping to make this project successful.

Live Out Loud Teen Retreat

Open to teens heading into high school or already in high school. Three dates/locations in August. Time: 9am-7pm (dinner and lunch included). Cost \$45 for day includes meal and materials. Day will be full of confidence & faith building activities & fun! Save \$5 for early registration before August 15th. For more info check our website at https://lhcfp.dol.ca/youth-1

Prayer Shawl Ministry

The Huron Shores United Church and Immaculate Heart of Mary Prayer Shawl Ministry will resume meeting on September 12th at 10:30am in Huron Shores hall on Queen St. in Grand Bend. We gather every second Monday. Anyone who likes to knit or crochet is invited to join this friendly group. This ministry has been meeting for almost 7 years, making Prayer Shawls, Prayer Bears and Pocket Prayer Shawls. Also included are hearts, butterflies and angels. These items are wrapped in prayers, blessed by a priest or minister, to bring comfort to whoever you feel needs one. Please come and join the group!

You may contact Maureen Garinther at 519-238-2759 (mgarinther@gmail.com) or Joan Brewer at 519-238-5567 joanbrewer@hay.net

Immaculate Heart of Mary—Coffee Sunday

Coffee Sunday will be held on August 28th following the 8:30 am Mass in the Parish Hall. Lunch Group B will be on duty.

CWL News



St. Peter, St. Joseph

All CWL Members - we have prepared the Raffle Ticket Booklets and they are now ready at the entrance of the church for your pickup. This is one of our major fundraising opportunities and we need everyone's help to make it a huge success. GREAT PRIZES TO BE WON!! Draw date will be Sunday, September 4th, 2022 after the 11am Mass. Anyone interested in purchasing a ticket(s) please see anyone of our members. Questions, contact Carrie Van Osch crvanosch@gmail.com

Feast Days for August 21—28

Aug. 21—Saint Pius X

Aug. 23—Saint Rose of Lima

Aug. 24—Saint Bartholomew

Aug. 25—Saint Louis

- Saint Joseph Calasanz

Aug. 27—Saint Monica Aug. 28—Saint Augustine

More Bulletin Updates

Please visit our website for more information regarding the following:

Community Counselling Exeter—Wednesdays & Thursdays from 11 am—7 pm

Volunteers needed for Community Counselling Exeter

Habitat for Humanity Huron County— Volunteers needed at ReStore in Goderich



Confession Times

Tuesday

Saturday

12:30pm to 1:00pm St. Peter, St. Joseph Wednesday 12:30pm to 1:00pm IHM, Grand Bend 6:30pm to 6:45pm St. Boniface, Zurich Thursday 10:00am to 10:30am OLMC, Mt. Carmel Friday 11:15am to 11:45am Precious Blood, Exeter

Confessions also available by appointment

9:45am to 10:15am, St. Peter, Goderich

Volunteers Required—New Baptismal Garments

Fr. Tony has requested all parishes to use the same Baptismal garment. Immaculate Heart of Mary, St. Boniface and St. Peter's at St. Joseph have the pattern, name of material and braid. Anyone from the other 3 churches interested in making these, can contact Patty LaPorte, 519-236-4876, laportep@hay.net, and I will get the information to them. The pattern is not difficult, but a serger is required.

Church Notations

As we consolidate the offices the church sites will only be open during Mass times, with the exception of St. Boniface, Zurich during office hours, St. Peter Church in Goderich, Wednesday, 1-3pm. and Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Thursday following mass until 1pm.

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

St. Boniface - stboniface@dol.ca

St. Peter, St. Joseph - stpeter@dol.ca

IHM - ihmgrandbend@dol.ca

Precious Blood - preciousblood@dol.ca

OLMC - 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:

Ihcfp@dol.ca for more information.

Envelopes: you may mail or drop them off at the parish

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

DONATE. https://lhcfp.dol.ca/donate

No one can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money. - Matthew 6:24

Did you know there can be tax advantages when donating shares?

Find out more here. If you would like to donate shares to your parish please contact Lori or Karen.

Please consider your parish in your Estate planning.