

# LAKE HURON

CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2024 - SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME • SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2024 - FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

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#### **WEEKEND MASSES**

GODERICH SATURDAY 5PM SUNDAY 9AM

MOUNT CARMEL SATURDAY 5PM SUNDAY 11AM

GRAND BEND SUNDAY 9AM

ZURICH SATURDAY 5PM SUNDAY 8:30AM

EXETER SUNDAY 11AM

ST. JOSEPH SUNDAY 11:30AM Dear Brothers and Sisters,

A new season of Lent begins this week on Wednesday, February 14th! Yes, Lent is the Season of Love......that is Sacrificial Love! Jesus loves us and He made the Perfect Sacrifice for all humanity through His Passion, Death, and Resurrection. Therefore, we are called to imitate this sacrificial love during this new season of penance. The Season of Lent is not meant to be all doom and gloom but a joyful celebration in which we learn to imitate Christ and demonstrate this sacrificial love to one another. Please be sure to pick up a Prayer Booklet for Seniors or one for Families to guide and support you during this Season of Lent.

Speaking of sacrificial love, we thank Annette Hartman for spending the last 3 months volunteering once a week in the offices in Zurich. Annette is moving to Wisconsin to discern a new vocation to which God may be calling her. Please keep her in your prayers, as well as Rachael McDonald, who is looking for someone else to assist her in the office.

The RCIA process continues this Sunday at St. Boniface in Zurich at 1:30 pm. We are in week 3 with now ten candidates. (Those who are already baptized into the Christian faith rather than those not yet baptized who are referred to as catechumens). Please come and join us for this opportunity to learn more about our Catholic faith and to support these candidates as a sponsor.

The Alpha Team is preparing to begin as a new 11-week course beginning in early April to help everyone to encounter Jesus. Please call Ruth and Brian Westelaken (519-673-9298 or brwest@tcc.on.ca) to register and join us for this amazing adventure in faith!

And finally, when we became a Family of Parishes, our Parish Pastoral Council set the goal to establish a Youth Ministry Team. This goal has been achieved as we held our first Youth Ministry gathering last Wednesday, February 7th in Zurich. Thank you to Lucas Ducharme and his Team for getting this valuable ministry started. New volunteers are always welcome to support this great and important ministry. Please contact Lucas at Iducharme@dol.ca.

Please pray for me while I'm away on vacation from February 20th to March 5th.

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

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#### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF February 18 - 24, 2024

| February 11 - 17, 2024                          |  |                                 |   | February 18 - 24, 2024                               |                             |  |
|---|--|---------------------------------|---|--|-----------------------------|--|
|   |  | Nursing Ho                      | ome Masses                                      |  |                             |  |
|   | Tue, Feb 13, 20                                | 24                              |   | Tue, Feb 20, 2024                                    | 4                           |  |
|   | Huronview Home For Th                          |                                 |   | Exeter Villa   |                             |  |
| 10:30am–Mass                                    | A Special Intention                            | A parishioner                   | 10:30am—Mass                                    | Doreen Dietrich                                      | Estate                      |  |
|   | Thu Fab 15 20                                  |                                 | t school locations)                             | Thu Fab 22 202                                       | 4                           |  |
|   | Thu, Feb 15, 20<br>St. Joseph's School, Cl     |                                 |   | Thu, Feb 22, 202<br>St. Mary's School, Goder         |                             |  |
| 10:30am-Mass                                    | Mrs. Lis Kasyanto                              | Brigitta Immaculata             | 9:15am-Mass                                     | Leonardo Castillo                                    | Leonora Carlos              |  |
| 10.004111 11405                                 |  |                                 | , St. Joseph                                    | 200111111111111111111111111111111111111              | Econora cartos              |  |
|   | Tue, Feb 13, 20                                |                                 |   | Tue, Feb 20, 2024                                    | 4                           |  |
| 11am—Adoration                                  | Int. of Pat and Elaine Jeffrey                 | Peter & Evelyn Jeffrey          | 11am—Adoration                                  | Doug Coxon   | Marion Quensel              |  |
| & Confession<br>12pm—Mass                       | Cathy Evans LaPorte                            | Tony LaPorte                    | & Confession<br>12pm—Mass                       | Int. of those suffering from<br>drug addiction       | Phil & Patty LaPorte        |  |
|   | St. Boniface, Z                                |                                 |   |  |                             |  |
|   | Wed, Feb 14, 20                                | 24                              |   |  |                             |  |
| 9:15am—Ash                                      | Joan Ducharme                                  | Swinkels Family                 |   | s life, at some time, ou                             |                             |  |
| Wednesday Mass                                  | Int. of Annette Hartman<br>Int. of Martha Risi | Jim Van Lanen                   |   | st into flame by an en                               |                             |  |
| 6:30pm—Ash                                      | Philip Overholt                                | Margaret Suplat Overholt Family |   | g. We should all be                                  |                             |  |
| Wednesday Mass                                  | Int. of Tillie Rau                             | Chris & Janet Brown             | peopie wno r                                    | rekindle the inner spiri                             |                             |  |
| Wednesday Mass                                  | Sr. Mary Regier                                | Francis & Doreen Hartman        |   | ~ Albert Schweit:                                    | zer                         |  |
|   |  | St. Peter                       | , Goderich                                      |  |                             |  |
|   | Wed, Feb 14, 20                                |                                 | ,   | Wed, Feb 21, 202                                     | 4                           |  |
| 9:30am—Ash                                      | William Van Osch                               | K of C, Goderich                | 8am—Adoration                                   | John Paul Rau  | Anthony & Pamela DeJong     |  |
| Wednesday Mass<br>6:30pm—Ash                    | Jack Armstrong                                 | Kevin & Kim Armstrong           | 9:15am–Mass                                     |  |                             |  |
| Wednesday Mass                                  | F.: F. L 1/ 00/                                | <b>N</b> 4                      |   | F.: F.L 02 0004                                      | •                           |  |
| 11am—Adoration                                  | Fri, Feb 16, 202<br>Int. of Patricia McCool    | Neil & Nancy Stapleton          | 11am—Adoration                                  | Fri, Feb 23, 2024<br>Int. of Terry & Crystal Crowley |                             |  |
| & Confession<br>12:15pm—Mass                    | III. OF Father Piccool                         | Nett & Namey Stapleton          | & Confession 12:15pm—Mass                       | Friends & Family                                     | , <b>s</b> cristina crowtey |  |
|   | Sat, Feb 17, 20                                | 24                              |   | Sat, Feb 24, 2024                                    | 1                           |  |
| 9am-Mass  | Bessy Jose                                     | Bian Estrella                   | 9am-Mass  | In Thanksgiving                                      | Matilda Jobi                |  |
| 9:30am—Adoration                                | Rick Jenne                                     | Helen Jenne                     | 9:30am-Adoration                                |  |                             |  |
| & Confession                                    |  | Turne sulata Hacet              | & Confession                                    | A  |                             |  |
|   | Wed, Feb 14, 20                                |                                 | of Mary, Grand Ben                              |  | 1                           |  |
| 6:20nm Ash                                      | Tania Johnson-Crawford                         | Sally & Paul Johnson            | 9:15am-Mass                                     | Wed, Feb 21, 202 Margaret & Lionel Schiller          | Sharon Strong               |  |
| 6:30pm—Ash<br>Wednesday Mass                    | Donna Hodkinson                                | John & Gera Peters              | 9.15diii—Mass                                   | For the Van Riel-Kloeck Family                       | · ·                         |  |
| vvcancoday i laoo                               | Fri, Feb 16, 202                               |                                 |   | Fri, Feb 23, 202                                     | •                           |  |
| 9:15am–Mass                                     | Sr. Mary Regier                                | Ron & Mary-Jo McLaughlin        | 9:15am-Mass                                     | For the deKort/Bertens/Van                           | Joanne Vandenberk           |  |
| 9:45am—Adoration                                | Special Intention                              | Sharon Strong                   | 9:45am-Adoration                                | Haaren Families                                      |                             |  |
| & Confession                                    |  |                                 | & Confession                                    | Peter Bastiaansen                                    | IHM CWL                     |  |
|   |  |                                 | Carmel, Mount Carm                              | el   |                             |  |
|   | Wed, Feb 14, 20                                |                                 |   |  |                             |  |
| 9:15am—Ash<br>Wednesday Mass                    | Mike Hartman                                   | Beth Mitchell                   |   |  |                             |  |
| rrouncoday mass                                 | Thu, Feb 15, 20                                | 24                              |   | Thu, Feb 22, 202                                     | 4                           |  |
| 9:15am-Mass                                     | Int. of Fr. Len Desjardins                     |                                 | 9:15am-Mass                                     | Gerhard Lindenblatt                                  | Carla Revington & Family    |  |
|   | Dorothy Roherty                                | Hazel Glavin                    |   |  | ,                           |  |
|   | Sat, Feb 17, 20                                | 24                              |   | Sat, Feb 24, 2024                                    | 1                           |  |
| 9:15am—Mass<br>9:45am—Adoration<br>& Confession | Theresa Kester                                 | Tony Kester & Family            | 9:15am—Mass<br>9:45am—Adoration<br>& Confession | Sr. Mary Regier                                      | The Foran Family            |  |
|   | Precious Blood, Ex                             | xeter                           |   |  |                             |  |
|   | Wed, Feb 14, 20                                |                                 |   |  |                             |  |
| 12:45pm—Ash<br>Wednesday Mass                   | Barry Baynham                                  | Huron Perth Catholic DSB        | 11.02.20  | 024  |                             |  |
|   | Fri, Feb 16, 202                               | 24                              | WORLD   | DAY THE  | t is not good that          |  |
| 12:45pm—Mass                                    | Jack Hogan                                     | The Ducharme Cousins            | OF THE  |  | should be alone             |  |

## **Resources for Lent**

1:15pm—Confession

Resources for Lent, such as books, videos, and music, were in the most recent edition of Pastoral Services' Good News Notes. You can find them at this link (PDF)



The World Day of the Sick on February 11, is a Catholic day of observance established by Pope John Paul II to encourage prayers and reflections for those who are ill and for all those who care for them. Daily Reflections and other resources are available at www.chac.ca or on the diocesan website.

#### Message of His Holiness Pope Francis for Lent 2024

The Vatican has released Pope Francis' Message for Lent, "Through the Desert God Leads us to Freedom." It can be found in several languages at this link.

## **Special Dates Coming Up**

- · R.C.I.A.: Next Meeting is Sunday, Feb. 11th and 25th
  - Runs every other week
  - St. Boniface, Zurich at 1:30pm
- World Day of the Sick is Sunday, Feb. 11th
  - Message of His Holiness Pope Francis XXXII
- · Prayer Team Meeting: Tuesday, Feb 13th
  - Online meeting at 7pm
- Ash Wednesday Masses: Feb 14th
  - Marks the beginning of Lent
  - 9:15am Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Mt. Carmel
  - 9:15am St. Boniface, Zurich
  - 9:30am St. Peter, Goderich
  - 12:45pm Precious Blood, Exeter
  - 6:30pm St. Peter, Goderich
  - 6:30pm St. Boniface, Zurich
  - 6:30pm Immaculate Heart of Mary, Grand Bend
- AED Review / In service: Saturday, March 16th
  - St. Peter, St. Joseph at 12pm
- · Youth Ministry Group: Wednesday, Feb 21st
  - Runs every other week
  - St. Boniface, Zurich at 6:30pm
- · Baptismal Prep Class: Thursday, March 14th
  - St. Boniface, Zurich at 6:30pm
- · Day of Confessions: Wednesday, March 20th
  - Mass Times coming soon. Brochure available now.



Children's Church welcomes any child in grade one or younger during Mass. We look forward to seeing them there! Children's Church is **every Sunday Mass** at:

• St. Peter Parish in Goderich • St. Boniface in Zurich • Our Lady of Mt. Carmel in Mt. Carmel • Precious Blood in Exeter • Immaculate Heart in Grand Bend

## Diocesan Ministers Prayer Calendar

Please Keep In Your Prayers

| T | 13-Feb-2024 | Rev. Glen Ball                              |  |  |  |
|---|-------------|---|--|--|--|
| W | 14-Feb-2024 | Ash Wednesday                               |  |  |  |
| T | 15-Feb-2024 | Rev. Philip Joseph                          |  |  |  |
| F | 16-Feb-2024 | Rev. Clare Coleman                          |  |  |  |
| S | 17-Feb-2024 | Lynne Tibor, Youth Minister                 |  |  |  |
| T | 20-Feb-2024 | Rev. Mark Poulin                            |  |  |  |
| W | 21-Feb-2024 | Rev. Cecil Nunez                            |  |  |  |
| T | 22-Feb-2024 | Feast of the Chair of St. Peter the Apostle |  |  |  |
|   |             | Deacon Anthony Rebkowec                     |  |  |  |
| F | 23-Feb-2024 | Memorial of St. Polycarp                    |  |  |  |
|   |             | Mrs. Margaret Olszewski, Pastoral Minister  |  |  |  |
| S | 24-Feb-2024 | Rev. Ronaldo (Ronnie) Tagnines              |  |  |  |







From left to right:
Pastor Rev. Antoine (Tony) Laforet Ext-222
Associate Pastor Rev. Vince Gulikers Ext-223
Associate Pastor Rev. Steve Marsh Ext-226

## **Sacramental Information**

Baptism

Please contact Fr. Tony at <a href="mailto:tlair">tlaiforet@dol.ca</a> if you wish to have your child baptized. Baptisms are now being celebrated during Saturday and Sunday Masses. The next Baptism Preparation Class will be held March 14th, 2024 at 6:30pm.

#### Confirmation

All students and parents are invited to <u>register online</u> and to join us at St. Boniface for our first meeting. **Note: The date has been postponed.** Any students in grade 8 and in high school who missed the opportunity to celebrate confirmation are also welcome to register for classes through our website at: <a href="mailto:lakehuroncatholic@dol.ca/sacraments">lakehuroncatholic@dol.ca/sacraments</a>.

Marriage

Please contact Fr. Vince at least one year in advance: vgulikers@dol.ca.

Contession

Catholics are encouraged to partake of the sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) as much as possible, confession is good for the soul. None of us are perfect, and all of us carry burdens that could be lightened through honest reflection and repentance.

# AED Inservice Automated External Defibrillator

The AED review / Inservice will be held March 16th at 12pm at St. Peter, St. Joseph's Hall. It will be a review of how and when our AED's are used. If there are any questions or concerns regarding this review, please email: cocirescue@gmail.com.

Sign up forms will be available at your church entrance.

## A fun night of games, snacks and faith!



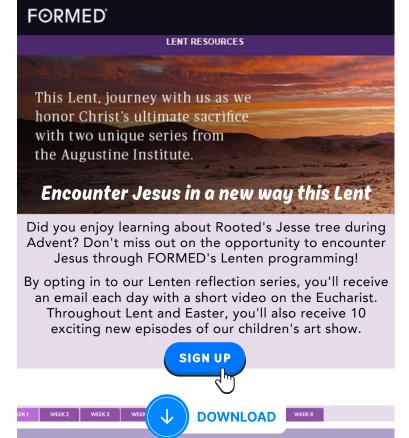
- Join us February 21st from 6:30pm to 8pm
- Running every other Wednesday night at St. Boniface Church, Zurich
- Youth group ages from grade 5 to 8
- · High school students and young adults are welcome to help!
- Registration forms will be available at the meetings.
- Questions can be directed to Lucas Ducharme at 519-317-7736 or Iducharme.vol@dol.ca

We look forward to seeing you there!



## Pilgrimage to Poland - October 2024

Fr. John Jasica, pastor of the Chatham Catholic Family of Parishes, will be leading a pilgrimage to Poland "In the Footsteps of St. John Paul II" from October 17 to 30, 2024. This trip is being organized by Mary Catherine Bishop of Travel Merchant Tours. There will be an information meeting on Saturday February 24, 2024 at 10 a.m. at St. Justin's Church, 855 Jalna Blvd. in London. Go to <a href="https://www.revjj.ca">www.revjj.ca</a> for more information or contact Mary Catherine Bishop at 519-617-1279 or mcbishop@nexioncanada.com.



**LENT CALENDAR** 

# STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND THE ROSARY Beginning after Ash Wednesday

**Every Thursday during Lent starting Feb 15th:** 

• Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Mt. Carmel, after Mass.

#### **Every Friday during Lent starting Feb 16th:**

- St. Boniface, Zurich, 9am
- St. Peter, St. Joseph's, 11:30am
- · St. Peter, Goderich, 6:30pm
- Immaculate Heart of Mary, Grand Bend, after Adoration



## LENTEN SOUP and BREAD/BUN SUPPERS

This event is a fund raiser for Development and Peace.

Information regarding Development and Peace/Caritas Canada, will be presented. This organization advocates for fair and just systems to allow vulnerable people to escape the tyranny of poverty. Programs range from investment and training in agriculture and business, building homes and schools, and much more.

St. Boniface Hall every Monday, February 19th through to March 18th, 2024. 5:00pm to 6:30pm.

Free Will Offering. Thank you for your support! Questions? Contact Kathy Regier 519-236-4379



This Lent, let's work toward Reaping our Rights
This year, Development and Peace — Caritas Canada's
Create Hope: Reaping our Rights campaign calls you to
stand with small-scale farmers and peasant communities
who feed the world while caring for the Earth. Do this by:

- 1. Donating online at <u>devp.org/give</u> or during the Solidarity Sunday collection on March 17, the fifth Sunday of Lent. Your generosity helps support over 73 projects in 36 countries around the world!
- Learning more by reading the Mini-magazine and other resources available at <u>devp.org/lent/resources</u>.
- 3. Meeting our solidarity visitors and participating in the <a href="mailto:campaign launch webinar">campaign launch webinar</a> on February 17 at 1:30pm FT
- 4. Attend the SHARE LENT WORKSHOPS:
  - a.LONDON **(Feb 17)** together with the National launch: Registration Form

b. Virtual Workshop via zoom **(Feb. 20)**: Registration For more information, contact Daniela Salcedo, Southwestern Ontario animator at <a href="Daniela.Salcedo@devp.org">Daniela.Salcedo@devp.org</a>

## **Camp Vincent**

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# Time Well Spent Improve Productivity through Effective Time Management

We know... you don't have time for another meeting or webinar or training, there is just too much to do to be able to fit another thing into your schedule. Well, this webinar may be just the thing you need. We will be into the importance of prioritization and tidy up your to-do list and explorer practical time management techniques like time blocking, monotasking, pomodoro technique and more! Join us for a Zoom webinar on Thursday, February 15 from 1:30-2:30 to learn some great tools to help you get things done. The registration link can be found here.

## Save the dates for the next Alpha

Location: Grand Bend Thursday evenings April 4th to June 20th, 2024

Older people are not a problem to be rid of...they're a generation to be honoured and cared for. We cannot put older people at risk by creating new paths to elder abuse. Assure your elders that you honour them. Give them your time and attention by caring, calling and visiting. *Taken from: The Declaration of Hope*.



Our Member of Parliament is

Ben Lobb for the Huron-Bruce areas.

To find your MP, outside of this area, go to:

https://www.ourcommons.ca/members/en

Thank you for joining the EPC postcard campaign against Euthanasia in Canada. There are some points of which you need to be aware before you send the cards.

The cards being sent to MPs in Canada have a specific time when they can be sent. This is because you cannot send Parliamentary mail in Canada when the house is in Recess, or not sitting.

Send the postcards when the House is sitting in the dates below:

<u>The House is sitting between</u>: January 29, 2024 to February 16, 2024 (**Send** cards to Ottawa during the dates above)

The House is in recess between: February 19, 2024 to February 23, 2024 (do NOT send cards to Ottawa during the dates above).

The House sits again after: February 26, 2024 to March 1, 2024 for that week.

This is taken from the House of Commons website, the House sitting Schedule.

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To/À:

House of Commons Chambre des communes Ottawa ON K1A 0A6

Don't abandon Canadians with mental illness to death by euthanasia ("MAiD").



In March 2024, Canada's ("MAiD") law is scheduled to expand to allow euthanasia for mental illness alone.

The faces of those struggling with mental illness are our brothers, veterans, neighbors, and the face in the mirror. Canadians need access to quality mental health care and other social supports; we need advocacy and resources that support healing and resilience. WE DO NOT NEED "MAID" FOR MENTAL ILLNESS.

I demand that the Canadian government reverse its decision to permit "MAiD" for mental illness alone.

Postcards are available at your church!



## **Rally & Young Adult** Gatherings with Paul J. Kim

Save the date! Spread the word and mark your calendar for this amazing Catholic Faith opportunity.

May 22nd - Holy Family Parish in London 7pm - Young Adult Evening.

### **Catholic Women's League and Knights of Columbus**

Knights of Columbus and CWL links below will take you to our website for more information.

#### Knights of Columbus Council 8480

- Shrove Tuesday Dinner: February 13, 5-6:30pm at Precious Blood. Tickets \$10ea. All profits go to Precious Blood keyboard repair or replacement.
- Next meeting: February 20, 7pm Precious Blood,

#### St. Peter, Goderich CWL

- General Meeting: Tues., February 13, 7pm 8pm followed by a social, Columbus Club Lounge. Tracy van Diepen, President.
- Rheo Thompson Mint Smoothies: Just in time for Valentine's Day! Milk chocolate or dark chocolate is available. Call Jo to order: 519.612.1598. \*\*\*as a friendly reminder, Ash Wednesday is on Valentine's Day this year, so you may want to celebrate earlier.

#### Precious Blood, Exeter CWL

- Souper Sunday: February 11, 12pm 1:30pm
- Reminder to collect and save your Hansen's Independent receipts and deposit them in the box in the church entrance.

#### Immaculate Heart of Mary, Grand Bend CWL

- Coffee Sunday: February 25, Group "B" on duty
- Next Meeting: Tuesday, March 5

#### St. Boniface, Zurich CWL

- Jesu Ashram / Brother Bob Fundraiser: February 17 and 18. Donations can be made by cheque, cash or etransfer to stbonifacecwl@gmail.com. Please mark envelope to Brother Bob, add your name and address on an envelope if needing a tax receipt. Thank you for
- General Meeting: February 20, 7pm St. Boniface Church Hall
- World Day of Prayer: Friday, March 1. If you are unable to join an in person group, watch a virtual presentation <a href="https://stbcwl.weebly.com/wdp2023.html">https://stbcwl.weebly.com/wdp2023.html</a>

## NEWSLETTER

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## **BLOOD DONATIONS NEEDED IN GODERICH**

Join Canada's Lifeline. Book now at blood.ca **Knights of Columbus Hall** 

390 Parsons Ct., Goderich

Thursday, February 22 from 1pm to 7pm



The theme is "I beg you...Bear with one another in love" **Ephesians 4:1-3** 

## **World Day of Prayer March 1, 2024**

- Shores United Huron church in Grand Bend at 1:30pm
- St. George's Anglican Church in Goderich at 2pm. Social to follow.

The 5 churches involved are Mt. Carmel, Immaculate Heart of Mary, New Life Community, St. John Anglican and Huron Shores United.

This year the World Day of Prayer has been prepared by Palestine Women. It is an ecumenical Worship Service available through Women's Inter-Church Council of Canada (wicc.org)

Everyone is welcome to attend!



## **MONEY MATTERS**





Please ensure that all cheques are made payable to your parish and NOT to Lake Huron Catholic Family of Parishes. For e-transfers please use the email address for your parish found below, under "4 Ways to Donate to Our Family of Parishes". Please be sure to include your first and last name as well as your email address in the notes section of e-transfer. This is important for tax receipt purposes. Mass stipends follow the same rules as donations. Thank you for your time and consideration.

## 4 Ways to Donate to Our Family of Parishes

E-Transfers: send funds from your account to your parish site:

- St. Peter, Goderich stpetersqh@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: <u>lakehuroncatholic@dol.ca</u> for more information.

Envelopes: contact the office for a box of offertory envelopes.

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

lakehuroncatholic.ca/donate

Have you considering donating to your parish as part of Estate planning? 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 Laporte-x-241 or Karen Kester-x-242: 1-877-450-6414 or email: lakehuroncatholic@dol.ca



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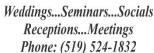


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## Goderich Columbus Hall



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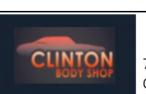
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