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SUNDAY, July 2, 2023

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Monday, July 3, 2023**



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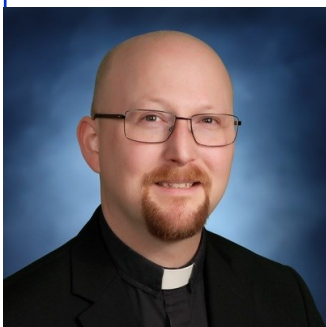
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Welcome Father Rob! Bienvenue Père Rob!



Hello, Sarnia Bluewater Roman Catholic Family of Parishes!

My name is Fr. Rob Renaud. I was born and raised in Chatham where I worked as a social worker for seven years until I entered seminary at thirty years old. I was ordained on August 15th, 2020 with a small gathering of family and friends and have since served the Windsor-Lake St. Clair Catholic Family of Parishes. I enjoy kayaking, board games and you might catch me outside stargazing with my telescope.

I look forward to meeting each of you!

Salut, Famille des Paroisses Catholiques Romaines de Sarnia Bluewater!

Je m'appelle le père Rob Renaud. Je suis né et j'ai grandi à Chatham où j'ai travaillé comme travailleur social pendant sept ans jusqu'à ce que j'entre au séminaire à trente ans. J'ai été ordonné le 15 août 2020 avec un petit rassemblement de famille et d'amis et depuis mon ordination j'ai servi la famille des paroisses catholiques de Windsor-Lake St. Clair comme pasteur associé. J'aime faire du kayak et jouer des jeux de société et vous me surprendrez peut-être dehors en train d'observer les étoiles avec mon télescope.

J'ai hâte de rencontrer chacun d'entre vous!

Reflection ~ Deacon Lyle LaLonge

Why do we need the 'Old' Testament?

Scripture is divided into two sections: the Old and the New Testament - but if we have the "new", why do we need the "old"? The Old Testament is full of rich history and is the foundation for understanding the world around us. But God's Word is more than a history textbook. It's packed with thousands of accounts about real people - their failures and successes, disobedience and faithfulness, and countless choices for good or evil.

Paul told the believers to learn from their Israelite ancestors. In the same way, we should study and learn from the lives of those in the Old Testament. Every detail God chose to include in Scripture is important, and all of it fits perfectly together to tell of God's plan to accomplish salvation for us.

Scripture has one consistent message and one central theme. From the first chapter of Genesis, we read of how God created a perfect world but man sinned, which brought a consequence of death - so a Deliverer was promised.

This promised Messiah is anticipated throughout the Old Testament and fulfilled in the New in the person of Jesus who died for us. It is critical that we seek to understand and declare all God's word because all Scripture is given by God and is profitable. We need to diligently study and strive to live out the truth of God's word - all of it.

Today's big idea: all Scripture is relevant and necessary for us today.

Réflexion ~ Diacre Lyle LaLonge

Pourquoi avons-nous besoin de « l'Ancien » Testament ?

L'Écriture est divisée en deux sections : l'Ancien et le Nouveau Testament - mais si nous avons le « nouveau », pourquoi avons-nous besoin de « l'ancien » ? L'Ancien Testament est plein d'histoire riche et est le fondement de la compréhension du monde qui nous entoure. Mais la Parole de Dieu est plus qu'un manuel d'histoire. Il regorge de milliers de récits sur de vraies personnes - leurs échecs et leurs succès, leur désobéissance et leur fidélité, et d'innombrables choix pour le bien ou le mal.

Paul a dit aux croyants d'apprendre de leurs ancêtres israélites. De la même manière, nous devrions étudier et apprendre de la vie de ceux de l'Ancien Testament. Chaque détail que Dieu a choisi d'inclure dans les Écritures est important, et tout cela s'accorde parfaitement pour raconter le plan de Dieu pour accomplir le salut pour nous. Les Écritures ont un message cohérent et un thème central. Dans le premier chapitre de la Genèse, nous lisons comment Dieu a créé un monde parfait mais l'homme a péché, ce qui a entraîné la mort - ainsi un Libérateur a été promis.

Ce Messie promis est anticipé tout au long de l'Ancien Testament et accompli dans le Nouveau en la personne de Jésus mort pour nous. Il est essentiel que nous cherchions à comprendre et à proclamer toute la parole de Dieu, car toute Écriture est donnée par Dieu et est profitable. Nous devons étudier avec diligence et nous efforcer de vivre la vérité de la parole de Dieu - tout cela.

La grande idée d'aujourd'hui : toutes les Écritures sont pertinentes et nécessaires pour nous aujourd'hui.

Odbicie ~ Diakon Lyle LaLonge

Dlaczego potrzebujemy „Starego” Testamentu?

Pismo Święte jest podzielone na dwie części: Stary i Nowy Testament - ale skoro mamy „nowy”, to po co nam „stary”? Stary Testament jest pełen bogatej historii i jest podstawą zrozumienia otaczającego nas świata. Ale Słowo Boże to coś więcej niż podręcznik do historii. Jest wypełniona tysiącami relacji o prawdziwych ludziach - ich porażkach i sukcesach, nieposłuszeństwie i wierności oraz niezliczonych wyborach dobra lub zła. Paweł powiedział wierzącym, aby uczyli się od swoich izraelskich przodków. W ten sam sposób powinniśmy studiować i uczyć się z życia osób ze Starego Testamentu. Każdy szczegół, który Bóg zdecydował się zawrzeć w Piśmie Świętym, jest ważny, a wszystko to idealnie pasuje do siebie, aby opowiedzieć o Bożym planie osiągnięcia dla nas zbawienia.

Pismo Święte ma jedno spójne przesłanie i jeden główny temat. Z pierwszego rozdziału Księgi Rodzaju czytamy o tym, jak Bóg stworzył doskonały świat, ale człowiek zgrzeszył, co pociągnęło za sobą śmierć - obiecano więc Wybawiciela.

Ten obiecany Mesjasz jest antycypowany w całym Starym Testamencie i wypełnia się w Nowym w osobie Jezusa, który umarł za nas. Bardzo ważne jest, abyśmy starali się zrozumieć i głosić całe Słowo Boże, ponieważ całe Pismo jest dane przez Boga i jest pożyteczne. Musimy pilnie studiować i starać się wprowadzać w życie prawdę słowa Bożego - wszystko.

Dzisiejsza wielka idea: całe Pismo Święte jest dla nas dzisiaj istotne i potrzebne.

Reflexión ~ Diacono Lyle LaLonge

La Escritura se divide en dos secciones: el Antiguo y el Nuevo Testamento, pero si tenemos el "nuevo", ¿por qué necesitamos el "antiguo"? El Antiguo Testamento está lleno de rica historia y es la base para comprender el mundo que nos rodea. Pero la Palabra de Dios es más que un libro de texto de historia. Está lleno de miles de relatos sobre personas reales: sus fracasos y éxitos, desobediencia y fidelidad, e innumerables opciones para bien o para mal. Pablo les dijo a los creyentes que aprendieran de sus antepasados israelitas. De la misma manera, debemos estudiar y aprender de las vidas de aquellos en el Antiguo Testamento.

Cada detalle que Dios eligió incluir en las Escrituras es importante, y todo encaja perfectamente para hablar del plan de Dios para lograr la salvación para nosotros. La Escritura tiene un mensaje consistente y un tema central. Desde el primer capítulo de Génesis, leemos acerca de cómo Dios creó un mundo perfecto, pero el hombre pecó, lo que trajo una consecuencia de la muerte, por lo que se prometió un Libertador.

Este Mesías prometido se anticipa en todo el Antiguo Testamento y se cumple en el Nuevo en la persona de Jesús que murió por nosotros. Es fundamental que busquemos entender y declarar toda la palabra de Dios porque toda la Escritura es dada por Dios y es provechosa. Necesitamos estudiar diligentemente y esforzarnos por vivir la verdad de la palabra de Dios, todo.

La gran idea de hoy: toda la Escritura es relevante y necesaria para nosotros hoy.

First Friday Holy Hour and Adoration

Friday, July 7, 2023

St. Thomas d'Aquin – 9:00am

Our Lady of Mercy – 11:00am

Queen of Peace – 6:00pm



The Sisters of St. Joseph are looking for a part time caretaker for their cottages in Camlachie starting this Fall. If you are interested, please contact Michelle Vermeeren, Administrator, at 519-432-3781 x410

St. Joseph Church - Maintenance Day

Saturday, July 8th 10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Weather Permitting

We will be gathering on Saturday, July 8th to sand and stain the church doors, paint the front railings and to weed the gardens and prune the shrubs.

If you are able to come out and lend a hand it would be greatly appreciated. Coffee and refreshments will be provided as well as BBQ hot dogs for lunch.

Pray for Vocations: July 2 to July 8

Sunday: Deacon Wayne Waechter

Monday: Deacon Roy Brothers

Tuesday: Mrs. Debra Walsh, Pastoral Minister

Wednesday: Rev. Frank O'Connor

Thursday: Rev. Ted Johnson, C.S.B.

Friday: Deacon Guy Alden

Saturday: Mrs. Dorothy de Bakker, Coordinator of Youth Ministry

Please remember to pray for our Holy Father, Pope Francis

Readings for Sunday, July 2, 2023

1st Reading:

2 Kings 4.8-12a, 14-16

2nd Reading:

Romans 6.3-4, 8-11

Gospel

Matthew 10.37-42

1st Tuesday Coffee/ Muffins Cancelled

For the months of June,
July, August
and September.

We will return on
Tuesday, October 3rd
after the 8:30 am Mass.



*We pray for all who have died
and for those who mourn their
passing.*

*Rosaria DiMaria
Jannetje (Yanna) Primeau*



Please Pray For

Maurice Braet
Maria Margarida Pacheco
Bertha Priest
Jay Peckham
Ginette Villemaire
Charlie Knight
Mary Debus
Scot Blythe
Cecile Haywood
Sheila Klauke
Mike Genovy
Carol Waddell
Lee Williams Charlie O'Rae



The rosary is prayed before weekday Mass
at Our Lady of Mercy, Sacred Heart
and St. Michael.

**The rosary is prayed before all
weekday & weekend Masses at
Queen of Peace parish.**



The rosary is prayed before the 9am mass on
Sunday at St. Thomas d'Aquin.



Interviews with our
clergy, pastoral team
and lay leaders.

Watch on YouTube

[https://www.youtube.com/
@sarniabluewatercfamilyofp8554/videos](https://www.youtube.com/@sarniabluewatercfamilyofp8554/videos)

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS

Each Wednesday morning following 9:30am
Mass at St. Joseph the devotions to Our Lady
of Perpetual Help will be prayed.

Adoration will follow devotion time.



Liturgy of the Word with Children Prayer Service

will be wrapping up on Sunday, June 25th.
We will return Sunday, September 17th.
Have a happy and safe summer!



9AM to 12PM

COST: free will offering



**SAVE
THE DATE**

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

AUGUST 21-25

CHILDREN GRADE 1-5

**INFORMATION AND
REGISTRATION:**

WWW.SARNIACATHOLIC.CA

Weekday Mass Intentions - July 3 to July 9

Monday, July 3		
8:00 AM Queen of Peace – English +Pasquale Muscedere ~ Walter & Lana +Len De Bruin ~ Terry & JoAnne Burrell Special Intention	12:10 PM Our Lady of Mercy Dora Chamberlain ~ Family Janko “John” Simrak ~ Georgina & Joe Fric Intention of Deacon Lyle & Joan LaLonge ~ Frank & Margarita Roberts Consecration to the Blood and Passion of Jesus for Angele ~ Liliane N.	6:30 PM St. Michael Nancy A. DeSena ~ Anna Iacobelli Ryan D’Silva ~ The Family Lily Anne D’Silva ~ The Family Deceased Members of the Vukobratich Family ~ Barbara Vukobratich & Family
Tuesday, July 4		
8:30 AM Sacred Heart John Mahoney ~ Blanche Leore Trevor Kennedy ~ Jackie Chartrand Bertha Loosemore ~ Daughter, Ethel Dyck Deceased Members of the Hooper & Brennek Families ~ Barbara & Andrew Brennek Consecration to the Blood and Passion of Jesus for Innocent ~ Liliane N. 9:45 AM St. Thomas d’Aquin - French Gerry Birmingham ~ Maurice & Diane Coulombe	12:10 PM Our Lady of Mercy Souls in Purgatory ~ Ann M. Intention of Delores Murray ~ Jacqueline Christie 7:30 PM Queen of Peace – Polish +Mary Smith Hedy K. O nawrócenie dzieci i wnuków ~ Mama	6:30 PM St. Benedict Patrick Deery Sr. ~ Deery Family Intention of Gilroy Family ~ St. Benedict Funeral Lunch Ladies Belmira Feleciano ~ Gabriela Ferreira Kay Williams ~ Pieter & Willi Kole Bill Baarschers ~ Pieter & Willi Kole Intention of Fr. Dan Vere ~ Jackie Santoro
Wednesday, July 5		
8:30 AM St. Michael Trevor Kennedy ~ Grandparents, Joseph & Jacqueline Kennedy Intentions of Nancy Jackson ~ Dorothy Wright	9:30 AM St. Joseph Intention of Marquita Knowles ~ Mary Turner Pat Hayes ~ Liliane Hayes God’s Protection for Innocent ~ Liliane N.	12:10 PM Our Lady of Mercy Special Intention for Michelle Johnson & Her Family ~ From Family 7:00 PM St. Thomas d’Aquin – French Jeff Knapp ~ Maurice & Diane Coulombe
Thursday, July 6		
8:00 AM Queen of Peace – English +Ercole & Maria Gismondi ~ Loreto & Family +Susan Tirva +Irma Persichetti ~ Silvio & Tina Ferrera	9:30 AM St. Benedict Special Intention Tony, Ed, Joe & Noe ~ Maria Pacheco For Innocent Healing ~ Liliane N. 12:10 PM Our Lady of Mercy Madeline & Elaine Dozois ~ Larry Dozois Joe Matz ~ Wife, Rosalie	6:30 PM Sacred Heart Basil Kuiack ~ Helen Hulaj Bertha Loosemore ~ Daughter, Ethel Dyck Dorothy Summerfield ~ Lori, Jerry, Linda & Dallas Luigi Vozza ~ Ben & Rachael Gina Rotondi ~ David & Connie DaSilva Stanley Madej ~ The Monteiro Family

Friday, July 7

8:30 AM St. Thomas d'Aquin - English Intentions of Trevor ~ Grandparents, John & Jackie 7:00 PM Queen of Peace – Polish O błogostawieństwo Boże dla Elżbiety +Janina, Czesław i zmarli z Rodziny Woźniak ~ Witold z Rodziną	9:30 AM Sacred Heart Edmond & Chahida Lteif ~ The Armali Family Garvin Lee ~ Rene & Juliet Estanol Gino Iacobelli ~ Onoria Iacobelli In Thanksgiving ~ Helen Tavares Intentions of Fr. Dan Vere ~ Helen Tavares Intentions of Jocelyne	12:10 PM Our Lady of Mercy Anie Hvizdos ~ Sister Helen Umberto Lupi ~ Lidia Lupi & Family Noe Aguiar ~ Maria E. Aguiar In Thanksgiving & Blessings ~ Rosario Family
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Saturday, July 8

8:00 AM Queen of Peace – English <i>Blessings for Remington Rade ~</i> <i>Bernice Rade</i> <i>+Irma Persichetti ~</i> <i>Silvio & Tina Ferrera</i> <i>God's blessings for children &</i> <i>grandchildren ~ Mother</i>	8:30 AM St. Michael Cindy & Rachel Schwab ~ Steve & Margaret Schwab	8:30 AM St. Thomas d'Aquin Clare Dickie ~ Terry & JoAnne Burrell 9:30 AM St. Joseph Horacio Teixeira ~ Maria Margarida Teixeira Johanne Fillion ~ Cheryl, Steve, Lauren & Emily
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WEEKEND CONFESSION & MASS SCHEDULE

<u>Saturday Confessions</u> 8:45 - 9:30am ~ Queen of Peace 9:15 - 10:00am ~ St. Thomas d'Aquin 9:15 - 10:00am ~ St. Michael 11:00am - 12:00pm ~ Our Lady of Mercy <i>Confessions are also available by appointment</i> <i>by calling the parish office.</i> <u>Saturday Vigil Masses</u> 4:00pm - Our Lady of Mercy 4:30pm - St. Thomas d'Aquin (English) 5:00pm - Queen of Peace (English)	<u>Sunday Masses</u> 8:30am - Our Lady of Mercy 9:00am - Queen of Peace (Polish/English) 9:00am - Sacred Heart 9:00am - St. Benedict 10:30am - St. Michael, Bright's Grove 11:00am - Sacred Heart 11:00am - St. Joseph 11:00am - St. Thomas d'Aquin (French) 5:00pm - St. Thomas d'Aquin (Spanish) 6:30pm - St. Benedict
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NURSING HOME MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

Dear fellow parishioners:

Post Covid, restoration of holy communion being brought to our parishioners in nursing homes has been underway for over a year now. Deacon Christopher Stoesser has been presiding at Eucharistic liturgies at five of Sarnia's long term care homes. Since last fall, I have been accompanying him in this ministry.

We are seeking volunteers from all our Sarnia churches to help in this ministry. This would involve a commitment of one morning, once-a-month. All training and mentoring would be provided. It is essential that we look after the spiritual needs of our most vulnerable parishioners.

If you are willing to consider this ministry, please call the Family of Parishes office 519-336-2573 or email Leonia Downey, Lay Ecclesial Minister ldownie@dol.ca.

Thank you,

Barbara Brennek

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE...

Sunday, July 2	• Coffee Sunday ~ Our Lady of Mercy – following 8:30am Mass • Coffee Sunday ~ St. Benedict – following the 9am Mass • Coffee Social ~ St. Michael – following the 10:30 am Mass • Coffee & Conversation ~ St. Joseph – following 11am Mass • Youth Events ~ St. Joseph – following 11am Mass • Coffee Social ~ Sacred Heart – following 11am Mass • Open House Father Dan ~ Our Lady of Mercy – 2pm to 4pm • Coffee Social ~ St. Thomas d'Aquin – following 5pm Mass
Monday, July 3	• Pensioners Club of Sarnia ~ Our Lady of Mercy – 1pm • Book Club ~ Sacred Heart – 7pm
Tuesday, July 4	• Conversational English/Spanish ~ St. Thomas d'Aquin – 6pm to 7pm • Youth Ministry grades 6 to 8 ~ St. Thomas d'Aquin – 6:30pm • St. Benedict CWL Executive Meeting ~ St. Benedict – 7pm • Knights of Columbus General Meeting ~ St. Benedict – 7pm
Wednesday, July 5	• Soup Wednesday ~ Our Lady of Mercy – 1pm-4pm • Youth Ministry grades 9 to 12 ~ St. Thomas d'Aquin – 6:30pm
Thursday, July 6	• Pensioners Club of Sarnia ~ Our Lady of Mercy – 1pm • Conversational English ~ St. Thomas d'Aquin – 6pm to 7pm • Catholic Girls League ~ St. Benedict – 6:30pm • Meat Bingo ~ Our Lady of Mercy – 7pm
Friday, July 7	• First Friday Holy Hour St. Thomas d'Aquin: 9:00am Our Lady of Mercy: 11:00am Queen of Peace: 6:00pm • Art Group ~ Our Lady of Mercy – 1pm
Saturday, July 8	• Coffee Social ~ Our Lady of Mercy – following 4pm Mass • Sunday Sundaes ~ Queen of Peace – following 5pm Mass

SARNIA BLUEWATER ROMAN CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES NURSING HOME COMMUNION LITURGIES

1st Monday of the Month

Marshall Gowland Manor ~ 9:30AM Trillium Villa ~ 10:30AM

1st Wednesday of the Month

Twin Lakes Terrace ~ 9:30AM Afton Park Place ~ 10:30AM Vision Nursing Home ~ 11:15AM

If you have questions or queries regarding these services feel free to contact me, Deacon Christopher,
by leaving a message at the parish office or via email cstoesser@dol.ca

MOVING TO A RETIREMENT HOME, LONG TERM CARE FACILITY, NURSING HOME...

Please inform the parish office if you or family members have moved to a retirement home, long term care facility or nursing home so we can ensure you are included in the Communion Liturgies and we can update our files and keep in touch.

UPCOMING EVENTS...

Sunday, July 9	• Coffee Sunday ~ Our Lady of Mercy – following 8:30am Mass • Coffee Sunday ~ St. Benedict – following the 9am Mass • Coffee Social ~ St. Michael – following the 10:30 am Mass • Coffee & Conversation ~ St. Joseph – following 11am Mass • Youth Events ~ St. Joseph – following 11am Mass • Sunday Sundaes ~ St. Joseph – following 11am Mass • Coffee Social ~ St. Thomas d'Aquin – following 5pm Mass
Monday, July 10	• Pensioners Club of Sarnia ~ Our Lady of Mercy – 1pm • Book Club ~ Sacred Heart – 7pm
Tuesday, July 11	• Conversational English/Spanish ~ St. Thomas d'Aquin – 6pm to 7pm • K of C Planning Meeting ~ St. Benedict – 7pm
Wednesday, July 12	• Soup Wednesday ~ Our Lady of Mercy – 1pm-4pm • Dames de Ste Anne Executive Meeting ~ St. Thomas d'Aquin – 6:30pm
Thursday, July 13	• Pensioners Club of Sarnia ~ Our Lady of Mercy – 1pm • Conversational English ~ St. Thomas d'Aquin – 6pm to 7pm
Friday, July 14	• Art Group ~ Our Lady of Mercy – 1pm • Latin Mass ~ St. Joseph – 7pm
Saturday, July 15	• Coffee Social ~ Our Lady of Mercy – following 4pm Mass • Potluck Social ~ St. Thomas d'Aquin – following 4:30pm Mass



Sarnia Bluewater
Roman Catholic
Family of Parishes

SATURDAY JULY 22, 2023

11am - 3pm on the grounds of
St. Thomas d'Aquin parish

Everyone Welcome










Games... Games... Games
Hot dogs, Hamburgers,
Frozen Treats

Fun... Fun... Fun
Music, Entertainment,
Surprises



KRÓLOWA POKOJU ~ QUEEN OF PEACE

- ♦ W tym tygodniu, przypada PIERWSZY PIĄTEK miesiąca, (7 lipca). Adoracja Najświętszego Sakramentu, od 6:00 pm, zapraszamy.

FIRST FRIDAY is on July 7. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 6:00pm

- ♦ Od czerwca, msza św. niedzielna, jest odprawiana o 9: 00 rano i w dwóch językach (polski i angielski). Pieśni, czytania, Ewangelia, Homilia i części stałe mszy świętej będą wspólne, w miarę możliwości. Ta próba dwujęzycznej mszy świętej, w naszym kościele będzie trwała przez czerwiec, lipiec i sierpień.

Each Sunday, the 9:00 am mass will be in both languages (Polish & English). Hymns, readings, gospel, homily will be shared and announced in both languages (wherever possible). This trial Mass will take place for the months of June, July and August.

- ♦ Prosimy o zgłaszanie w biurze parafialnym, Parafian, którzy nie mogą przychodzić do Kościoła (z powodu zaawansowanego wieku, choroby) a chcieliby skorzystać ze Sakramentu Pojednania i Eucharystii. Ksiądz Jan będzie odwiedzał chorych w Pierwsze Piątki miesiąca.

For parishioners, who cannot come to the Church (due to age, illness, etc.). it will be possible to have a priest visit them in their home. It is an opportunity to have the Sacrament of Reconciliation and the Eucharist. Father Jan will be visiting the sick on the First Fridays of the month.

PAROISSE ST-THOMAS d'AQUIN PARISH

La célébration de la fête de la St-Jean-Baptiste dimanche le 25 juin fut un grand succès.

Nous tenons à remercier tous nos commanditaires : Famille des paroisses Sarnia-Bluewater, le Centre Culturel Francophone Jolliet, le Centre Communautaire Francophone, On Y Va, le conseil scolaire Providence, le conseil scolaire Viamonde, les Chevaliers de Colomb, les Dames de Ste-Anne et Patrimoine Canadien.

Un gros merci aussi à tous les bénévoles qui ont aidé au BBQ, à la cuisine, à l'installation, aux jeux, à l'animation et au rangement. Et surtout un merci à vous tous qui êtes venus en grand nombre fêter la St-Jean avec nous. Sans tout ce beau monde, la fête n'aurait pas pu prendre place.

Comité organisateur de la St-Jean 2023

The St-Jean-Baptiste celebration on Sunday, June 25th was a great success.

We want to thank our sponsors: Sarnia Bluewater Family of Parishes, Centre Culturel Francophone Jolliet, Centre Communautaire Francophone, On Y Va, Providence schoolboard, Viamonde schoolboard, Knights of Columbus, Dames de St-Anne and Canadian Heritage.

A special thanks to all volunteers who helped with the kitchen, the BBQ, the setup, the cleanup, the games and the host.

Last but not least, thank you to all that came to celebrate the St-Jean with us. Without your participation, this event would not have been such a success.

St-Jean organizing team 2023





Thank you for your support!



More details can be found at <https://www.giannahome.ca/> and in the July Family of Parishes newsletter.

Sarnia Youth Ministry
Summer Events
 For All 6th - 8th Graders

JULY 4 MOVIE NIGHT & SMORES
 @ ST. THOMAS D'AQUIN
 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

JULY 18 SLIP'N SLIDE KICKBALL
 @ ST. THOMAS D'AQUIN
 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

AUG 1 CHALK FIGHT
 @ ST. THOMAS D'AQUIN
 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

AUG 15 BUDDY OLYMPICS
 @ ST. THOMAS D'AQUIN
 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Sarnia Youth Ministry
Summer Events
 For All 9th - 12th Graders

JULY 5 BUBBLE SOCCER
 @ ST. THOMAS D'AQUIN
 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

JULY 19 SLIP'N SLIDE KICKBALL
 @ ST. THOMAS D'AQUIN
 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

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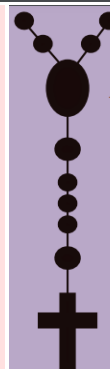
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