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St. John the Baptist

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Sacraments

Baptism

Contact the Parish Office

Reconciliation

Saturday - Amherstburg 9:45am - 10:30am
or by appointment 519-736-5418

Holy Matrimony

Contact the Parish Office one year
prior to your wedding

St. Anthony of Padua

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Our Mission Statement

"Guided by the Holy Spirit, we are a welcoming, Eucharistic community, rooted in love and service, leading all to an encounter with Christ."

July 20, 2025 - 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 27, 2025 - 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Regular Mass Times and Location

Weekday

Tuesday 5pm - Harrow
Wednesday 9am - Amherstburg
Thursday 9am - Harrow
Friday 9am - Amherstburg

Weekend

Saturday 5pm - Amherstburg
Sunday 9am - Harrow
Sunday 11am - Amherstburg

Bulletin Notices

All submissions must be in writing
or emailed no later than Tuesday
at 4:00 pm

Office Hours

Monday ~ Closed
Tuesday - Friday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Closed for lunch 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Weekday Mass & Mass Intentions

Tuesday, July 22 5:00pm St. Anthony of Padua

- † Emilia Gomes by Liz & Brian Yaciuk
 † Maria Rodrigues by Antonio DeSilva
 † Antonio Nascimento by Eugenia Pedro
 † Maria Gertrudes Caixeiro by Joe & Fernanda Nascimento

Wednesday, July 23 9:00am St. John the Baptist

- † Florence Lanoue by Denise & Rob Conte
 † Sue Prieur by David & Carol Mailloux
 † Colleen Sinasac by Joe & Donna Cormier
 † Julie Triferis by Jeremie & Kim Bornais
 † Gary & Dorothy Jenner by Ted & Judy
 † Ronald Meloche by Ted & Judy

Thursday, July 24 9:00am St. Anthony of Padua

- † Tony Avelar by Francisco Pereria
 † Tony Teves by Marlene & Carlos Fernandes
 † Ronnie McDonald by Theresa McDonald
 † Pat Bondy by Theresa McDonald
 † Fernando & Alda Martins by The Nieces & Nephews

Friday, July 25 9:00am St. John the Baptist

- † Mike Pascoe (5th A) by Anne Pascoe
 † Tony Federico (27th A) by Betty & Family
 † Sue Prieur by Debbie Nedin
 † Gary & Dorothy Jenner by Ted & Judy
 † Mary Jane Jenner by Ted & Judy
 † Barb & Bob Mayville by The Family

Weekday Mass & Mass Intentions

Tuesday, July 29 5:00pm St. Anthony of Padua

- † Pamela Praill (39th b-day) by Mom & Dad
 † Valerie Pereira by Teresa & Domingoes Pereira
 † Durvalina Mare by Laurinda Carvalho
 † Steven Teves by Grace & Tony Teves
 † Joaquim Rodrigues by Eugenia Pedro
 † Joao Soares by Gabriela & Family

Wednesday, July 30 9:00am St. John the Baptist

- † Gary & Dorothy Jenner by Ted & Judy
 † Sue Prieur by Karen & Keith McGuire
 † Theresa Bellefleur by Jeremie & Kim Bornais
 † Colleen Sinasac by Richard & Judy Sinasac

Thursday, July 31 9:00am St. Anthony of Padua

- † Laura Gaspar by Joe Raposa
 † Ralph Craig by AHCFOF
 † Carlos Teves by Regina Carriera
 † Antonio Gomes by AHCFOF
 † Maria Gertrudes Caixeiro by Joe & Fernanda Nascimento

Friday, August 1 9:00am St. John the Baptist

- † Matteo Cristofaro by Teresa Cristofaro
 † Edgar Morrison by Gina Morrison
 † Dominico Gabales JR. by Gina Morrison
 † Sue Prieur by Patty & Craig Drury
 † Vicky Bondy by Patty & Craig Drury
 † Maria Cafarelli by Livia Donofrio

Financial Report for the Week of July 6, 2025

St. John the Baptist Church

Regular Sunday Offertory	\$ 3,077.50
Debits / e-transfers	\$ 3,261.47
Dio. Assess (including Debits)	\$ 1,540.30
Other: Booklets	\$ 107.00
Other: Cooling of the Church	\$ 30.00
Total	\$ 8,016.36
Average weekly budget 2025	\$ 9,159.00
Shortfall / Surplus	\$-1,142.64
Capital Funds including Debits	\$ 231.93
Priest Pension Fund	\$ 5.00

Gift Card	Sales	Profit	YTD
	\$2,335.00	\$70.40	\$3,163.46

St. Anthony of Padua

Regular Sunday Offertory	\$ 1,472.00
Debits / e-transfers	\$ 1,057.62
Dio. Assess (including Debits)	\$ 251.16
Other: Miscellaneous	\$ 2,460.10
Other: Initial Envelope	\$ 20.00
Total	\$ 4,800.78
Average weekly budget 2025	\$ 3,958.00
Shortfall / Surplus	\$ 842.78
Capital Funds including Debits	\$ 73.08
Priest Pension Fund	\$ 10.00

Parish Giving

For Your Information



In 2013, Bishop Fabbro wrote to the priests of the Diocese of London reminding them of the 1998 statement by Bishop Sherlock banning any activities in the Diocese of London by the BNP Movement (Banal Na Pag-aaral, aka Holy Studies Group). This “movement” originated in the Philippines and came to be seen as having aspects contrary to the teachings of the Church. This week, it has come to our attention that this movement is trying to re-establish retreats in the Diocese, particularly in the Windsor-Essex deanery.

Financial Report for the Week of July 13, 2025

Week of July 13, 2025

Regular Sunday Offertory	\$ 2,760.00
Debits / e-transfers	\$ 6,241.47
Dio. Assess (including Debits)	\$ 160.39
Other: Cooling of the Church	\$ 1,752.00
Other: Funeral	\$ 250.00
Total	\$11,163.86
Average weekly budget 2025	\$ 9,159.00
Shortfall / Surplus	\$2,004.86
Capital Funds including Debits	\$ 281.93
Mass Intentions	\$ 450.00
Priest Pension Fund	\$ 5.00

Gift Card	Sales	Profit	YTD
	\$3,595.00	\$106.40	\$3,269.86

Week of July 13, 2025

Regular Sunday Offertory	\$ 1,222.72
Debits / e-transfers	\$ 1,057.62
Dio. Assess (including Debits)	\$ 121.16
Other: Cooling of the Church	\$ 790.00
Other: New Year's Day	\$ 30.00
Total	\$ 2,431.50
Average weekly budget 2025	\$ 3,958.00
Shortfall / Surplus	\$-1,526.50
Capital Funds including Debits	\$ 73.08
Priest Pension Fund	\$ 10.00

**Thank you for
giving
generously!**



Reflections on the Readings



The readings for the 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time, guides us through the themes of hospitality, service, contemplation, and finding strength in hardships. They encourage us to open our hearts to others, balance our active lives with prayer, and trust in God's promises even in tough times. These readings invite us to welcome God into our lives, make time to listen to Him, and share His message with others. They remind us to balance our work and service with quiet moments of prayer and reflection.

How can you welcome God into your daily life and make time to listen to Him? What steps can you take to share His message with others?



The 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time invites us to reflect on the gift of prayer and our relationship with God. Through the readings, we learn how to speak with God, trust Him in all circumstances, and remain persistent in prayer. We are encouraged to trust God more fully, pray more sincerely, and rely on His love for guidance and strength.

How do these readings inspire you to pray and trust more?

from: young-catholics.com

Holy Hour

Sunday, July 20, 2025
7:00pm

St. John the Baptist Church

This is an opportunity to spend an hour with Jesus.
There will be a Scripture reflection, beautiful music and times of quiet prayer before our Lord.
All are welcome!



Please join us
every Wednesday from 9:30am - 9:30pm
for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
at St. John the Baptist Church
in the Adoration Chapel

Divine Mercy Hour
every Friday afternoon at 3:00pm
at St. John the Baptist Church
in the Adoration Chapel



**“Every Holy Hour we make so pleases the Heart of Jesus that it is
recorded in Heaven and retold for all eternity!”**

- St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Windsor Essex Right to Life (www.wertl.ca)

As Catholics, one of the many difficulties we struggle with is the knowledge of the value of life from “Conception to Natural Death”. We are lead to believe that life is expendable when someone is old, unhealthy, unfit and no longer “useful” in society. Women are encourage to eliminate their unborn child because it is not really a child, but rather a “parasite” that will disrupt the harmony of their lives. We are being soft sold by the laws of Canada, that aborting a child, or scheduling your own demise is a noble thing to do, because choosing your own time and place, gives you complete control of your destiny. A destiny created by God, but one that you are choosing to over rule.



One of the Seven pillars of Catholic Social teaching is about the “Life and Dignity of the Human Person”. As the Parish Liaison for the Windsor Essex Right to Life, I will be promoting and explaining the various Pro-Life events in the upcoming months. Now I understand these topics of Aborting, Assisted Suicide, Euthanasian and MAID (Medical Assistance in Dying) are extremely difficult and controversial subjects, but they need to be discussed, openly.

We all have an opinion about the subjects, but for right now I will be looking for people who will be willing to walk with me at various Pro-Life prayer vigils and events. As each event comes up I will provide a description about the event and the dates if you are interested. I am looking forward to walking with you because “Defending Life is not a spectator Sport”.

Peace, Deacon Len

Have you thought about pre-planning?



Heavenly Rest Cemeteries invites you to an information session about pre-planning with them.

Sunday, July 27th from Noon - 4:00pm

Speakers scheduled from 1:00-3:00pm

Heavenly Rest Cemetery in the St. Francis Mausoleum

For more information please call 519-969-4836 or email: cemeteries@dol.ca

Public Rosary

Saturday, August 23rd at 1:00pm

St. John the Evangelist Parish

1688 County Rd. 46, North Woodslee

(Meet by the Statue of Our Lady of Fatima)

Remember to bring: a rosary, chair or kneeling pad, water and umbrella (if needed).



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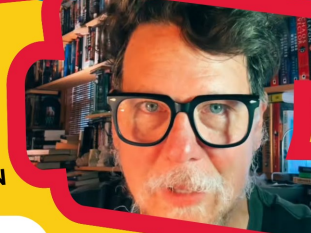
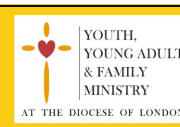
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We want to make booking a Mass Intention convenient.

On our new website, you can easily book an intention when you think of it and before you forget.

Below are the steps to follow to Book a Mass Intention.

01. Visit our Website

Visit www.ahcfop.ca and scroll mid way through under “What’s happening in our Family of Parishes”. Click on “Click Here to Book a Mass Intention”



02. Come Worship & Pray with Us Page

On our “Come Worship & Pray with Us” page on the right hand side, you will see a form “Online Mass Intention Request”. Intentions are celebrated during weekday Masses. If you wish to request more than one intention, you will have to submit another form. You may pay for all intentions together.

03. Fill out the Form

The form is easy to fill out! For the boxes, simply click and type the information that is required. For the drop down, click on the arrow and select your choice. Payment method includes, e-transfers, cash and cheque with different ways to get them to the office.

04. Email Confirmation

You will receive an email confirmation from the ahcfop@dol.ca.
“Thank you for booking a Mass Intention Online. We have scheduled your intention on Wednesday, June 11, 2025 at St. John the Baptist at 9:00am. Your e-transfer payment has been received.”



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