

Masses - INTENTIONS - Messes

lundi/Monday, February 25 février, 2019
No mass / pas de messe

mardi/Tuesday, February 26 février, 2019
6:30 pm (E)
James Bradford by Rose Marie and Robert Brissette
Paul Reaume by Doreen
Deceased members of the Brissette family by the family

mercredi/Wednesday, February 27 février, 2019
9:30 am (F)
Messe pour les vocations à l'école St-Paul
John McMahon (1er ann.) par la famille
Arthemise Marentette par Acacio et Maria Almeida
Estelle Lebert par Edward et Anne DeRoche

jeudi/Thursday, February 28 février, 2019
8:30 am (E)
Bill Jewell by Doreen Marchand
Gemma Patricia Bowler by Patricia Bowler
Walter and Olga Glajch by the Glajch family

vendredi/Friday, March 1 mars, 2019
8:30 am (F)
Loretta Demers par Paul et Lorraine Chauvin
Roger Mailloux par Rita Dupuis
Blanche Bénéteau par Louis et Yvette Bondy

samedi/Saturday, March 2 mars, 2019
11:30 am - 12:00 pm Confessions
5:00 pm (E)
For the intentions of the people of God

dimanche/Sunday, March 3 mars, 2019
9:00 am (F)
Pour les intentions du peuple de Dieu

11:00 am (E)
For the intentions of the people of God

Alliance of the Two Hearts of Jesus and Mary
monthly all night

Communion of Reparation Eucharistic Vigil
at Our Lady of Assumption Rosary Chapel
on March 1st at 8:30 pm to March 2nd at 7:30 am.
First Friday mass at 9 pm and first Saturday mass at 7 am.
All are invited.

Youth Ministry Certification
Registrations are now being accepted for the Youth Ministry Certificate program, an on-line program in partnership with the Catechetical Institute at the Franciscan University of Steubenville to provide for the training of those with an interest Youth Ministry. This program will now be the expected standard for those who desire to work as a Coordinator of Youth Ministry in the Diocese of London. More information is available at www.dol.ca/ymcertification.

Our Collections
February 17 février, 2019

Envelopes (156 donors)	\$3144.00
Pre-auth. debit (47 donors)	\$1504.50
+ loose	\$205.50
	\$4854.00

Thanksgiving Appeal.....\$240.00
St. Peter's Seminary.....\$50.00

Average Weekly Operating Costs
(Based on 2018 expenses)
**** \$7435.00 ****

Building Fund
Donations.....\$145.00
Pre-Auth. Debit (39 donors).....\$752.33
Pledge Payments.....\$50.00
Canada Helps Donations.....\$233.04

Loan Fund Payable
\$1,808,000.00

Fonds d'emprunt à rembourser
1 808 000,00 \$

A Lenten Invitation from Marie Rose Place
Please consider joining us at Marie Rose Place as we begin our Lenten journey. The disclosure of sexual abuse in the Church signals not only a Church in crisis but also a suffering one. We cannot impact what has already happened but we can be hopeful that the national abuse policy adopted by the bishops will provide concrete solutions now and for the future. For us as individuals, Lent can be a time to begin a healing process to help address this suffering and to lay a foundation for future change. We will use the following format:

Mon., Mar. 11, 12pm -3:30pm **Grief and Healing.**
Mon., Mar. 25, 12pm – 3:30pm **Forgiveness and Healing**
Mon., Apr. 8, 12pm – 3:30pm **Community and Healing**
A light lunch will be offered at noon with the sessions beginning promptly at 12:30
Group Facilitator- Ruth Ann Wilhem
Free will offering.
318-320 Randolph St., Windsor telephone: (519) 253-1383
E-mail: marierose@mnsi.net - www.marieroseplace.com

Online Studies for Parish Nurses & Health Care Workers
The Institute for Ongoing Formation at St. Peter's Seminary has partnered with the University of Dayton, Ohio to offer online education programs. All nurses and other health-care workers are invited to enroll for their own personal and/or professional development. "Parish Nursing: Facilitating Wholistic Health Through the Lifespan" addresses topics through the ages, from childhood until the end of life. Many other online courses are also offered. **Register by March 6.** Course dates: March 10 – April 13.
For more information, visit www.stpetersseminary.ca/Programs/Parish-Nursing/21 under the "Online Studies" heading on the Parish Nursing page.



Paroisse de la Visitation Parish

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www.facebook.com/VisitationParish

Office Hours / Heures du bureau:
Monday/lundi — Thursday/jeudi
9:30 am to 12:00 noon.....1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Pastoral Team / Équipe de pastorale
Rev. Robert Champagne, Pastor/curé
Katherine Marsh, Pastoral Minister/Youth Minister/
Agente de pastorale/pastoral-jeunesse

Parish Staff / Personnel de la paroisse
Rachelle Moison, Financial Secretary
Annette Rondot, Secretary/Receptionist
Sarah Moison, Caretaker
Randy Barrette, Maintenance
Mariette Comartin, Housekeeper
Kelly Authier, Choir Director

Weekend Masses
Saturday 5 pm (E)
dimanche 9h (F)
Sunday 11 am (E)

Baptism
Celebrated once a month during weekend masses. Preparation is mandatory.

Reconciliation
Saturday 11:30 am to 12 noon or by appointment.

Marriage
At least one party must be a registered member of the parish.
Minimum 6 months notification.
Mandatory marriage preparation course.

Ministry to the Sick
Communion to shut-ins every first Friday.
Hospital visits upon request.
Sacrament of the Sick upon request.



7th Sunday in Ordinary Time
7e dimanche du temps ordinaire

February 24 février, 2019



7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus challenges us to act with love.

Being a Christian – truly following Jesus – isn't easy. Today's Gospel is a reminder of that fact. Jesus describes what it means to act with love. He challenges us to do what seems humanly impossible: to love our enemies and forgive those who hurt us. These are not easy tasks! Only with the help of Jesus can we truly do what he commands.

7e dimanche du temps ordinaire

La règle d'or

Le Seigneur est tendresse et miséricorde. En Jésus, nous pouvons nous aussi aimer à la manière du Père.

The Readings / les lectures

March 3 mars, 2019

Sirach / Ben Sira le Sage 27:4-7
1 Corinthians / 1 Corinthiens 15:54-58
Luke / Luc 6:39-45



Pray for... Prions pour the deceased... les défunts et défuntes

Patricia Rivard, mother of Mark Rivard
Bobby Wood, brother of Jeanne Rivard
Claudette Bibeau, épouse de Roger Bibeau



Please pray for the sick...

Prions pour les malades...

Alphonse Bellaire, Bill Bulley, Jeannette Chauvin,
Loretta Damphousse, Rose Duquette, Marr Huson,
Rita Knapp, Jean-Guy Langlois, Ashley Mackey,
Carol Meloche, Steve MacLean, Mike Martin,
Charlene Parent, Dorothy Provost, Brenda Quick,
Brian Quick, Sally Repeck, Jeannette Rivest, Juliette Rivest,
Logan Smith, René Sylvestre, Steven Trepanier,
Timothy Trepanier, Elaine Wilkinson.



Spring Campaign 2019!

Blessing Prayer - Monday, March 4th, @ 7 pm
The spring campaign begins Wednesday, March 6th

From March 6 through April 14, you're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Windsor Regional Hospital, Metropolitan Campus, during the vigil hours between 7 am to 7 pm each day. If you'd like more information – and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact: Laurie Eberhardt, Campaign Coordinator

at 519-300-6792 or visit the website
40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/Windsor.

La communion pour nos confinés au logis

Les personnes incapables d'assister à la messe sont invitées de recevoir la Sainte Communion le premier vendredi de chaque mois. Un des Ministres Eucharistiques visiterons, avec plaisir, ces gens. Si vous ne recevez pas ce service mensuel ou si vous connaissez quelqu'un qui aimerait avoir leur nom ajouté à notre liste, téléphoner au bureau au 519-687-3118.

Communion to our Shut-ins

Those who are unable to attend mass are invited to receive Holy Communion on the first Friday of each month. One of the parish Eucharistic Ministers will gladly visit the homes of our shut-ins. If you are not receiving this monthly service or know someone who would like to have their name added to our list, please contact the parish office at 519-687-3118.

Attention : Interlocking brick is never

salted or shovelled. Please use the cross walk.
Thank You.

Le pavé entrecroisé ne reçoit aucun sel et n'est pas nettoyé pendant l'hiver. Veuillez svp passer par l'endroit nettoyé pour les piétons. Merci.



World Day of Prayer Service March 1st at 11:00 am at Visitation Church



World Day of Prayer is a global ecumenical movement which brings Christians of many traditions together to observe a common day of prayer each year. This year the WDOP service was written by the women of Slovenia.

Everyone is invited to join us as we pray with and for them.

Friday March 1st at 11:00 am
followed by a light lunch in the Parish hall.

Il y aura une soirée d'information pour les parents par rapport à la "sécurité à l'Internet"

au gymnase de l'École St-Paul le lundi 25 février à 18h. Nous offrons un service de garde gratuit avec des places limitées, alors svp réserver en appelant l'école au 519-798-3022.

Tous sont invités. - All are welcome.

There will be an information evening for parents about "Internet safety"

at École St-Paul gymnasium on Monday, February 25th at 6 pm We offer a daycare service with limited spaces, so please book by calling the school at 519-798-3022.

Attention to Raffle ticket holders from « Mighty Megan » fundraiser breakfast.

The following ticket numbers won a prize but no name was found on the ticket stub. If you still have your ticket please check for the following numbers: 0416424; 0416729; 0416528; 0416535; 0416518; 0416429.

If you have one of the matching tickets please call the office to claim your prize! 519-687-3118

♠♦♣♥ Lenten Card Parties ♠♦♣♥

The various groups of Visitation Parish, Comber will collaborate to sponsor the Lenten Card Parties every Sunday evening, starting March 10th to April 7th, 2019. The evening will start at 7:00 pm with cards followed by a luncheon and prize draws. Admission is \$4.00 per person. Come out and have a fun night! For more information contact:

Therese Duquette at 519-687-2304
or Bob Baillargeon at 519-728-0209



Parties de cartes du Carême

Les différents groupes de la Paroisse de la Visitation, Comber vont collaborer pour parrainer les parties de cartes du Carême chaque dimanche soir, du 10 mars au 7 avril 2019. La soirée débutera à 19 h avec jeux de cartes suivies d'un léger repas et de tirages au sort. Le prix d'entrée est de 4,00 \$ par personne. Venez et passez une bonne soirée!

Réunions... Meetings...

- Sun. Feb. 24 @ 10h00 Préparation pour les jeunes qui font leurs premières confessions -salle A
- @ 12:00 pm Preparation for children making their First Confession -hall A
- Mon. Feb. 25 @ 5:30 pm CWL Exec. Mtg. -hall A
- @ 7:30 pm CWL General Mtg. -hall A
- Wed. Feb. 27 @ 6:45 pm Squirettes Mtg. -hall A
- @ 19h00 pratique de la Chorale -nef
- Thurs. Feb. 28 @ 7:00 pm Squires Mtg. -hall A

Tween Dance - Danse

Students Grades 5 to 8 - Élèves de 5e à 8e années
Friday, March 1, 7:00 to 10:00 pm.
Visitation Parish Hall
Entry/entrée \$5.00



Windsor-Essex Catholic District School Board

Kindergarten Registration www.wecdsb.on.ca

Tuesday, February 19th to Friday March 1st, 2019

Requirements: Birth Certificate, Baptismal Certificate, Health Card and Immunization Record

Junior Kindergarten: Children must be 4 years of age by December 31, 2019

Senior Kindergarten: Children must be 5 years of age by December 31, 2019



Attention CWL members:

1) **Our General Meeting** will be held February 25th (1 week later than usual due to Family Day) at 7pm - hall A. We will be reviewing the 2018 Financial Statement for Visitation CWL. There will be a copy of the financial statement in the foyer if anyone wishes to view it. Please **DO NOT REMOVE IT FROM THE FOYER!**

Our installation of Officers and new members will be at our General Meeting on March 18th, 2019.

2) Lent is a Time to Grow Closer to Jesus.

Our Lenten Retreat will be at **Spirit and Life Centre in Chatham on Saturday, March 9th.** Those interested in going please contact **Nancy Sylvestre** at 519 551 5418 by **February 25th**, car pooling will be available.

3) We will be hosting this year's **World Day of Prayer** here at Visitation Parish on March 1st. Service is at 11 am and a light lunch will follow.

Prayer Intentions

The Visitation Intercessors would like to pray for your intentions. Please fill out your intention below and place it in the collection basket during the offertory. Our prayer team commits to pray daily for the intentions of our Parish.

Intentions de prière

Nous voulons prier pour vos intentions. S'il vous plaît remplir votre intention ci-dessous et la placer dans le panier d'offertoire. Notre équipe de prière s'engage à prier tous les jours pour les intentions de notre paroisse.



Ethan Christopher Bowler,
grandchild of Patricia

Aurora Gillian and Zara Ann Zylstra,
children of Alejandro and Nicole

*Soyez l'expression vivante
de la bonté de Dieu.*



Lift Jesus Higher Rally

Be inspired, encouraged and healed at the largest single day Catholic event in Canada, the 27th annual Lift Jesus Higher Rally! This year's theme is "Hope In The Midst of Suffering". It takes place Saturday, March 2 from 9 am to 5:30 pm at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Toronto. There will be inspired talks by Ralph Martin, Sr. Ann Shields, and guest speaker Fr. Mark Goring; there will be an adult high Mass (with Sunday readings) celebrated by His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins; there will be a separate youth event (13-18 years) with great music, dynamic talks and inspirational skits and a youth Mass (with Sunday readings) which will be celebrated by Fr. Mark Goring. Tickets are \$25 for adults, \$15 for youth. For additional information, please visit www.lift-jesus-higher-rally.ca, call 647-243-9441, or email contact@lift-jesus-higher-rally.ca.

Come and See Weekend at St. Peter's Seminary March 1-3, 2019

St. Peter's Seminary invites you to a discernment retreat for men 17-45 years old considering a call to the priesthood. This weekend offers a first-hand experience of the life of a seminarian, spiritual helps for discernment, and an opportunity to meet current seminarians and faculty. For more information or to register, contact Fr. Patrick Bénéteau at vocations@dol.ca or 519-432-1824 ext. 204.