

**Masses - INTENTIONS - Messes**

lundi/Monday, January 20 janvier  
to/à vendredi/Friday January 24 janvier, 2020  
No masses / pas de messes

samedi/Saturday, January 25 janvier, 2020  
No Confessions  
5:00 pm (E)  
For the intentions of the people of God

dimanche/Sunday, January 26 janvier, 2020  
9:00 am (F)  
Pour les intentions du peuple de Dieu  
11:00 am (E)  
For the intentions of the people of God



**Pilgrimage to the Holy Land April 19 - 30, 2020**

Have you ever wanted to Walk in the Footsteps of Jesus? Fr John Pirt, along with Mary Ann Alexander and Joan Bolt, have arranged for a pilgrimage to Israel next April. Please consider joining us as we visit Nazareth, the home town of Jesus. We will also celebrate Mass in Bethlehem. We will have a opportunity to walk the shores of the Sea of Galilee where Jesus spent his 3 years of preaching. We will visit Jerusalem and the place of the death and resurrection of Jesus. If you would like information about this pilgrimage, please contact Joan Bolt at 519 471 6373, or email me at [jpirt@dol.ca](mailto:jpirt@dol.ca).

**Pilgrimage to England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales and Oberammergau in Germany**

May 11 - 23, 2020. Facilitated by Dr. Tina Vergel de Dios and Fr. Bill Kornacker  
For more information contact  
QS Tours at 1 800 565 3619

**Oberammergau 2020  
The Passion Play**

Every 10 years, half of the village crowd the scene of this open-air theater. Eastern Europe & the Passion Play, Poland, Hungary, Slovakia, Austria, Germany

September 6<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020 (12 days | 10 nights)  
Spiritual guide: Bella Albos Pozo

Former History professor, presently involved in Ecclesial movements in the Church. Years of experience in Faith-based travel as well as in coordinating Educational tours. Adheres to sustainable/responsible tourism

**Oberammergau & Poland, The Passion Play**

September 24<sup>th</sup> to October 3<sup>rd</sup> 2020 (10 days | 8 nights)

Accompanied by Deacon Brian Cordeiro & Fr. Raymond Lafontaine Episcopal Vicar – English sector Deacon Brian Cordeiro is a CPA (Illinois, USA) and the Associate Finance Director of the Archdiocese of Montreal. He also has a master's in theology. He serves as one of the permanent deacons at St. Luke's Catholic Parish, which is a parish offering Masses and services in English, French and Spanish. He expects, with God's grace, that this pilgrimage will be another excellent opportunity for pilgrims of all backgrounds to grow in their faith while exploring the beauty and spiritual treasures of these countries.

Informations & reservations 514-374-7965  
or toll free 1-866-331-7965 [www.spiritours.com](http://www.spiritours.com)



**Our Collections**

**January 12, 2020**

Envelopes (131 donors) \$2752.00  
Pre-auth. debit (45 donors) \$1465.75  
+ loose \$82.50  
\$4300.25



Thanksgiving Appeal.....\$80.00  
Diocesan Assessment.....\$60.00  
Initial Offering.....\$60.00  
Christmas Angel Donations.....\$14.95  
Late New Year's donations.....\$20.00  
Holy Redeemer Cemetery.....\$5.00  
St. Joachim Cemetery.....\$1000.00

**Average Weekly Operating Costs**

(Based on 2018 expenses)  
\*\* \$7435.00 \*\*

**Building Fund**

Donations.....\$380.00  
Pre-Auth. Debit (37 donors).....\$709.33  
Pledge Payments.....\$2740.00  
Memorial Donations.....\$25.00

**Loan Fund Payable**

\$1,668,000.00

**Fonds d'emprunt à rembourser**

1 668 000,00 \$

**Development & Peace Share Lent Workshops**

Our Windsor & Essex County workshop is **Sat .Feb 8, 9:30am-1pm**  
Corpus Christ Parish Hall 1400 Cabana Rd W. Windsor.  
Lunch with Vegetarian Option. Maybe bring a friend!  
Please contact one of the following  
if you plan to come Bonnie Drago 519-972-5590,  
Freda Jones 519-915-3832 Pat Hudak 519-733-8702

**Assumption University Lecture**

Assumption U presents their latest lecture from The Stephen Jarislowsky Chair in Religion and Conflict, **"Are Limits on Religious Expression Becoming a Trend in Canada?"** on Wednesday, Feb. 5 at 7 pm at the Signature Events Centre, 3310 Dougall Ave., Windsor. "The rise of secularism in Quebec with Bill 21 has prompted questions as to the future of religious expression in Canadian society, particularly with regard to wearing religious symbols and attire. This panel will consist of local community members from four different religious backgrounds. Each panelist will be asked to share their thoughts on the current state of religious expression in Canada and speculate as to whether religious symbols will become less visible as time progresses." All are welcome and admission is free, with discussion and refreshments to follow. For more information please call Cecile at 519-973-7033 and press '0' (zero).

**Assumption University Learn for Life Series**

Assumption University, Windsor, presents Learn For Life 2020 Winter/Spring Courses. For information and to register, please visit <http://www.assumptionu.ca/learnforlife>.



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**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. Eugène Roy, Pastor/curé  
Jamie Soullière,  
Pastoral Minister / Ministre de la pastorale

**Parish Staff / Personnel de la paroisse**

Rachelle Moison, Financial Secretary  
Annette Rondot, Secretary/Receptionist  
Sarah Moison, Caretaker  
Randy Barrette, Maintenance

**Weekend Masses**

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

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**Baptism**

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

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**Reconciliation**

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

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**Marriage**

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

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**Ministry to the Sick**

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



**2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**2e dimanche du temps ordinaire**

**January 19 janvier, 2020**



## 2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

*By virtue of our baptism, we have been called to be servants for the Father's mission.*

As followers of Jesus, we are duty-bound to bring the good news of salvation to a world very much in need of saving. As disciples of the one true God, we must find our voice and speak his holy truth even when it may be inconvenient or unwanted.

### 2e dimanche du temps ordinaire

#### Témoins recherchés

Depuis toujours, Dieu se révèle par l'entremise de témoins. Par son attitude et son courage, Jean Baptiste nous apprend ce que signifie être témoin du Christ.

### The Readings / les lectures

January 26 janvier, 2020

Isaiah / Isaïe 8:23-9:3

1 Corinthians / 1 Corinthiens 1:10-13, 17-18

Matthew / Matthieu 4:12-23



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

Jeannine Oriet, wife of Roger



### Please pray for the sick... Prions pour les malades...

Louise Béchard, Alphonse Bellaire, Bill Bulley, Jeannette Chauvin, Loretta Damphousse, Pierrette Derikx, Rose Duquette, David Holt, Marr Huson, Rita Knapp, Jean-Guy Langlois, Florent Laprise, Marcel Lefaive, Jean-Rémi Mailloux, Shirley Mailloux, Carol Meloche, Mike Martin, Charlene Parent, Brenda Quick, Brian Quick, Randy Reaume, Mariette Renaud, Sally Repeck, Jeannette Rivest, Juliette Rivest, Logan Smith, Steven Trepanier, Timothy Trepanier.



Thank you for all the prayers, well wishes and gifts during my recent illness. Please know that I will be praying for you all.

Your sister in Christ, *Sis Lucas*

### Canadian Catholic Youth Ministry Conference

Every two years the Canadian Catholic Youth Ministry Network (CCYMN) hosts a National Youth Ministry Conference that serves the professional development, ongoing-formation, and pastoral needs of adults ministering to young people in parishes, schools, communities and at the diocesan level.

The Diocese of Hamilton, in partnership with the Catholic Youth Organization of Hamilton is pleased to be hosting the conference from February 21-23, 2020 at the Hamilton Convention Centre.

Bishop Fabbro is encouraging all of those who work with young people to plan on attending the conference and the Diocese is offering to supplement each registration up to \$50. Please find the Bishop's letter with details about the registration support here, and more information for the conference at [hopecomeshome.com](http://hopecomeshome.com).

### The Diocese of London on Social Media

Did you know that there are several Facebook pages relating to our diocese? In addition to the main Diocese of London Facebook page, there are also pages for Diocese of London Youth Ministry Outreach, Events in the Diocese of London, and most recently a new page for Diocese of London Missions. Additionally, the Youth Ministry team also has an Instagram page, and the Diocese has a Twitter account. Many parishes also have their own social media pages. Come join us in cyberspace! Find us using your search bar, or get the links at [www.dol.ca/news/social-media](http://www.dol.ca/news/social-media).

### Mass Streamed Online

Did you know that Mass is live-streamed every weekend in the Diocese of London? Courtesy of St. George Parish, London, Mass is available at [www.youtube.com/user/sgtvlondon](http://www.youtube.com/user/sgtvlondon). There is even an archive of past Masses, homilies, and special liturgical events. Online viewing is a great option for those who are unable to attend Mass in person due to illness, infirmity, travel, or any other reason. And if you know someone who is "interested" in the Catholic Church but not quite ready to make the leap, this may be an easy introduction.

**A new Pastoral Minister:** It is with great joy that I announce to you that we have welcomed to the Pastoral Teams of Visitation, St. Francis-Xavier & St. Peter Parishes **Mr. Jamie Soullière**. Effective immediately, Jamie will be working with us part-time, primarily in the areas of Family ministry, with children in their sacramental formation and preparation for Baptism, First Holy Communion & Reconciliation and Confirmation. Please welcome him and support him with your cooperation, your prayers and encouragement.

**Un nouveau ministre de la Pastorale :** C'est avec une grande joie que je vous annonce que nous avons accueilli dans les équipes pastorales de la Paroisse de la Visitation et des paroisses St. François-Xavier & St. Peter **M. Jamie Soullière**. Dès maintenant, Jamie travaillera avec nous à temps partiel, principalement dans les domaines du ministère de la famille, avec les enfants dans leur formation sacramentelle et préparation au Baptême, à la Première Communion & Réconciliation et à la Confirmation. Veuillez l'accueillir et le soutenir par votre collaboration, vos prières et vos encouragements.



**Join us on Friday, February 7th  
At 6:30 pm for a special screening of  
the Movie « Unplanned » at  
St. Simon & St. Jude Church Hall, Belle River**

« Unplanned » is based on the real life conversion of Abby Johnson from the youngest ever Planned Parenthood clinic director to a prominent anti-abortion activist.

The movie also depicts the humble beginnings of a now world wide movement called 40 Days for Life. In Windsor 40 Days for Life vigils are held twice a year. The next vigil begins February 26th, Ash Wednesday. There will be information about 40 Days for Life, as well as an opportunity to discuss the movie with guest speaker Laurie Eberhardt, campaign coordinator of 40 Days for Life in Windsor.

A free will offering will be taken for the movie distributor, « Full of Grace Productions ».

The licensing cost has graciously been covered by Windsor-Essex County Right to Life.



### SAVE THE DATE 5th Annual Denim & Diamonds Ladies Night

is Saturday April 25th, 2020. Find us on Facebook to keep up to date on what's going on! Visitation FunRaising

### 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.*

### Réunions... Meetings...

Tues. Jan 21 @ 5:30 pm KofC Executive Mtg. -hall A  
@ 7:30 pm KofC General Mtg. -hall A

Wed. Jan. 22 @ 19h00 pratique de la Chorale -nef

Thurs. Jan. 23 @ 7:00 pm Squires Mtg. -hall A

### Congratulations to the winners!

Our Squires Circle, here at Visitation Parish, would like to congratulate the winners and thank everyone who supported our Annual Christmas Raffle again this year. Your support is Greatly Appreciated! All profits go directly into our Charity Account.

Our winners this year are / Nos gagnants cette année:

1st Prize \$100.00 Gift Card - Gilbert Tremblay

2nd Prize - Snowman Figure - Donna Grant

3rd Prize - Waterford Biscuits - Norma Glabb

### Félicitations aux gagnants!

Notre Cercle des écuyers aimerait féliciter les gagnants et remercier tous ceux qui ont appuyé notre tirage annuel de Noël encore cette année. Votre appui est grandement apprécié! Tous les profits vont directement dans notre compte de charité.

Our next **Ultreya for Windsor/Essex County** is being held at *Our Lady of the Assumption Parish, 350 Huron Church Line, Windsor*



On Friday, January 31st at 7:30pm.

If you have made a Cursillo Weekend please come and share in a Faith-filled evening.

All Cursillistas are WELCOME!

### Take three breaths.

Thank God

*-Father, Son, and Holy Spirit-  
for today's blessings.*

Please join us for our annual

### Hearts Together for Haiti Gala

on February 8, 2020 at Fogolar Furlan.

We would love to celebrate our  
**20 year Haitian/Canadian friendship**  
with you!

Tickets are \$75 for adults, \$50 for students  
and \$25 for children 4-12 yrs.

Please call 519-972-3374



**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.



### Do You Want to Come to Portugal?

World Youth Day 2022 will take place in Lisbon, Portugal in the summer of 2022. While the exact dates have not yet been announced, preparations are beginning for a Diocesan Pilgrimage. We are asking parishes and individuals to take a few minutes to [fill out this very brief survey](#) to indicate interest in this event. This form will also get your name on the email list for any upcoming communication.