



Paroisse de la Visitation Parish

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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
Randy Barrette, Maintenance
Linda Richardson, Custodian
Mariette Comartin, Housekeeper
Yvonne Quinn-Chittle, Director of Music



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 4:00 pm to 4:30 pm
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.

20th and 21st Sundays in Ordinary Time

20e et 21e dimanches du temps ordinaire

August 16 & 23 août, 2020

Office Hours: The parish office is now open to the public. You will need to use the intercom buzzer at the door (as the door will remain locked) to be allowed in during regular office hours
Monday - Thursday 9:30 am-12noon ~ 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
You may still contact us by telephone 519-687-3118 or by email at visitation@dol.ca

Don't forget our website www.visitationcomber.ca to read our weekly bulletins.

Heures de bureau : Le bureau de la paroisse est maintenant ouvert au public. Vous aurez besoin d'utiliser le bouton intercom à l'entrée (la porte restera fermée à clé) pour être autorisé à entrer pendant les heures normales de bureau. lundi - jeudi 9h30-12h ~ 13h-16h
Vous pouvez toujours nous contacter par téléphone au 519-687-3118 ou envoyez-nous un courriel à visitation@dol.ca

N'oubliez pas notre site web www.visitationcomber.ca pour lire nos bulletins hebdomadaires.

Outreach Resources (*check for new additions)

The diocese has a webpage that will be continually updated with resources for the faithful <http://dol.ca/outreach>. Please refer to these resources to help find online Masses, Catholic publications and activities for families, children and youth. Please follow the Diocese of London on Twitter @ DOL_ca and <https://www.facebook.com/www.dol.ca/>, subscribe to our <https://www.youtube.com/user/wwwdolca> channel and visit <https://www.dol.ca/>

You can also follow Visitation Parish on Twitter

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<https://www.facebook.com/VisitationParish/>

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sur Twitter <https://twitter.com/VisitationCombr>

et Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/VisitationParish/>

Stay socially distant but spiritually close!

An Act of Spiritual Communion Prayer

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Un acte de prière de communion spirituelle

Mon Jésus, je crois que Tu es présent dans le Très Saint Sacrement. Je T'aime par-dessus tout, et je désire Te recevoir dans mon âme. Puisque je ne peux pas Te recevoir en ce moment de façon sacramentelle, viens au moins spirituellement dans mon cœur. Je T'embrasse comme si Tu étais déjà là et je m'unis entièrement à Toi. Ne permets jamais que je sois séparé de Toi. Amen.

Prayer Intentions

The Visitation Intercessors would like to pray for your intentions. Please call the office (519-687-3118) or email us (visitation@dol.ca). Our prayer team commits to pray daily for the intentions of our Parish.

Intentions de prière

Nous voulons prier pour vos intentions. Veuillez appeler le bureau (519-687-3118) ou nous envoyer un courriel (visitation@dol.ca). Notre équipe de prière s'engage à prier tous les jours pour les intentions de notre paroisse.

Continuing Education in the Catholic Faith – St. Peter's Seminary

Courses at St. Peter's Seminary are open for those interested to audit or take for credit. This year we plan to offer courses in person with social distancing; students may also be able to participate remotely via Zoom.

Courses offered in the evening during the Fall term include:

- *History of the Catholic Church I* (5123A)

with Fr. John Comiskey (Wednesday)

- *Introduction to Philosophy* (1300)

with Dr. John Killoran (Thursday)

In addition, Father Steve Wlusek will be offering *Introduction to Spiritual Theology* (5162A) online.

Again, this can be audited or taken for credit.

Details related to these and other courses which may be of interest, class times, and instructors are available at:

<https://www.stpetersseminary.ca/Degree-Course-Calendars/351?id=351>

Further information can also be obtained by contacting Dr. Bernardine Ketelaars by email at bketela@uwo.ca or by calling 519-646-7152.

Restez socialement distant mais spirituellement proche!

Adult Faith Formation from the Comfort of Your Own Home

The Diocese of London continues to partner with Dayton University to provide all parishioners with affordable, high quality formation opportunities. Parishioners can nourish their faith and continue learning during these times of physical distancing. Many online courses are offered for a reduced price. The next cycle of classes starts August 30. Registration is now open and closes August 26.

For a selection of course offerings go to

https://vlcff.udayton.edu/calendar/#cycle_6_2020_English to view the Cycle 6 courses online.

Growing in Faith, Growing in Christ Resources

The digital resources *Growing in Faith, Growing in Christ*, the Catholic School Religious Education program, are now available for home use. The website features videos, songs, bible stories, prayers, interactive activities and more. Go to https://media.pearsoncanada.ca/intl/pec/school/ca_sch_religion_sso/

To access these resources with

Username: GIFGIC_student99 and Password: Student99.

(NOTE: Login will only work when using Internet Explorer/Edge).

Summer Camp Opportunity for all Parishes

The Family and Youth Ministry Outreach office is excited to be able to offer an abundance of activities, programs and resources for kids, teens, young adults and families this year.

The best place to start is with our new website

<http://www.dolcampfire.com/>

20th Sunday in Ordinary time

God's grace and mercy are promised to all.

The readings today wrestle with the questions of who is in and who is out. When it comes to God's grace, who will receive it? We learn that all who accept the gift of faith are incorporated into the covenant relationship with God.

20e dimanche du temps ordinaire

Les miettes goûtent bon!

Le salut de Dieu s'adresse à toute l'humanité, sans distinction. Il s'étend au-delà des frontières et des obstacles.

The Readings / les lectures

Aug 23 août, 2020

Isaiah / Isaïe 22:19-23
Romans / Romains 11:33-36
Matthew / Matthieu 16:13-20



21st Sunday in Ordinary time

Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God.

We are reminded in the reading from Romans that God is the ultimate authority. It is God who gives all, who creates all, and for whom all exists. Let us, then, through prayer and deeds, humbly and confidently acknowledge Jesus as the Son of the Living God.

21e dimanche du temps ordinaire

Ce Jésus, mal connu

Comme à ses disciples autrefois, Jésus nous pose aujourd'hui la question: «Pour vous, qui suis-je?» La réponse à donner n'a rien d'académique. Elle interpelle tout notre être.

The Readings / les lectures

August 30 août, 2020

Jeremiah / Jérémie 20:7-9
Romans / Romains 12:1-2
Matthew / Matthieu 16:21-27



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

Harvey Couture, frère de Cécile Campeau

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

Louise Béchar, Alphonse Bellaire, Bill Bulley, Jeannette Chauvin, Lawrence Comartin, Loretta Damphousse, Pierrette Derikx, Jerry Dunn, Rose Duquette, David Holt, Marr Huson, Jean-Guy Langlois, Florent Laprise, Marcel Lefaive, Jean-Rémi Mailloux, Justine Mailloux, Shirley Mailloux, Carol Meloche, Mike Martin, Charlene Parent, Agnes Quick, Brenda Quick, Randy Reaume, Mariette Renaud, Jeannette Rivest, Juliette Rivest, Logan Smith, Steven Trepanier, Timothy Trepanier.

Permanent Diaconate

Admissions Process is now Online

The current pandemic situation has made it necessary to move the admissions process in part or in whole to an online format. Anyone who would like to inquire about admission to the Permanent Diaconate Formation and Study Programme is invited to visit www.deacons.space/admissions. Please use the contact forms on the site to register. Any other questions about the diaconate in the Diocese of London can be directed to pdinquiries@dol.ca.



CORONA VIRUS & 40 DAYS FOR LIFE

2020 FALL CAMPAIGN in WINDSOR

Dear 40 Days for Life Volunteers and Supporters, Plans for the Fall 40 Days for Life Campaign are underway! I realize that it has been with heavy hearts we have known since March that abortion remained an essential service all across Canada, while at the same time pro-life organizations from coast to coast put our communities well being first and suspended all street activism. As a result, in Canada alone, thousands of pre-born children have perished. As we are all aware, the Windsor and Essex County region is one of the areas where COVID 19 cases continue at a greater number than most of the province. However, we are able to gather with precautions and I hope that we will show up for our pre-born brothers and sisters with generosity and faithfulness, beginning on **Wednesday, September 23rd until Sunday, November 1st, from 7 am to 7 pm daily.** I will not at this time be organizing rallies at the vigil site such as the Prayer of Blessing, Midpoint or Closing Rallies, since the logistics would make it difficult to hear and the number of participants is usually quite unpredictable even in normal circumstances. Now that Windsor and Essex County have moved into stage 3, I will adjust the vigil events to comply with those changes. I would like to thank **Father Patrick Beneteau** from **Good Shepherd and Saint Anne's** family of parishes for agreeing to offer **Mass on Tuesday evening September 22nd for the victims of abortion at 7 pm, at Good Shepherd Church in Lakeshore.** You can plan to attend Mass in person or virtually through the Good Shepherd YouTube Channel. Just be aware that Church attendance at all Churches is restricted to one-third of capacity at this time and I don't anticipate that will change much by September. If it does that will be communicated. At the present time weekday Mass attendance is on a first come first served basis. You must meet the health criteria set by the Diocese of London and will be asked screening questions before entering the Church. Masks are highly recommended in the Church. Father Patrick is also creating a **pre-recorded ecumenical prayer of blessing that will be streamed on Wednesday, September 23rd also from the Good Shepherd YouTube channel.** Preparing for the fall 40 Days for Life campaign means being aware of and following all COVID-19 safety protocols:

- volunteers are to make sure that your personal signs are disinfected before and after each visit to the vigil site.
- volunteers are to wear a mask at the vigil site, in the event that pedestrians may be passing by.
- volunteers should follow the 6 meters social distancing guideline unless you are from the same household or in each other's social bubble.

I will ensure that all signs in my possession are disinfected before they are passed on to new volunteers.

If you have underlying health concerns I urge you to put your own well being and safety first.

During the last part of the spring vigil, 40 Days for Life campaigns continued with prayers from home while registering virtually so that hours could still be tracked. If necessary I am prepared to let 40 Days for Life know that our vigil will be a combination of both virtual and in person prayer to end abortion.

United with you in prayer to end abortion,

Laurie Eberhardt

Campaign coordinator, 40 Days for Life Windsor
519 300 6792 laurie.eberhardt@gmail.com



Masses - INTENTIONS - Messes

lundi/Monday, August 17 août, 2020

No mass / pas de messe

mardi/Tuesday, August 18 août, 2020

7:00 pm (E)

Marie-Anne Marentette

by Hélène and Russ Fawcus and family

Annette Lebert (5th ann.) by Ed and Thérèse Glasier

Bill Broad by his wife Pierrette

mercredi/Wednesday, August 19 août, 2020

9:00 am (F)

John Duplessie

par la famille

Jeannine Oriet par Juliette Oriet et famille

Rene Sylvestre par Lucille Comartin

jeudi/Thursday, August 20 août, 2020

7:00 pm (F)

Blanche Bénéteau

par Aurèle

Rita Knapp par Rene et Yvette Janisse

Parents et amis défunts par Jacqueline Lalonde

vendredi/Friday, August 21 août, 2020

9:00 am (E)

Louis and Corinne VanDenDriessche

by Mike and Bernadette Mullins

Souls in purgatory by a parishioner

Rose-Marie Marentette by the family

samedi/Saturday, August 22 août, 2020

4:00 pm - 4:30 pm Confessions

5:00 pm (E)

For the intentions of the people of God

dimanche/Sunday, August 23 août, 2020

9:00 am (F)

Pour les intentions du peuple de Dieu

11:00 am (E)

For the intentions of the people of God



Masses - INTENTIONS - Messes

lundi/Monday, August 24 août to

Friday/vendredi, August 28 août, 2020

No masses / pas de messes

samedi/Saturday, August 29 août, 2020

4:00 pm - 4:30 pm Confessions

5:00 pm (E)

For the intentions of the people of God

dimanche/Sunday, August 30 août, 2020

9:00 am (F)

Pour les intentions du peuple de Dieu

11:00 am (E)

For the intentions of the people of God



Reopening our Churches Safely

To see a copy of the Diocese of London's document concerning the

Directions and Recommendations for the First Stage of Reopening Churches

17 June 2020 go to

<https://dol.ca/news/reopening-directives>

The video the diocese has created to demonstrate the measures we've taken to open our churches and safely celebrate Mass and Communion is at

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EYGX1ghluUc&feature=youtu.be>

Job Posting

St. Simon and St. Jude Parish, Belle River is seeking a part-time housekeeper (Closing date: August 18). Details at <https://dol.ca/employmentvolunteering>.

For those wishing to drop off their Offertory and/or Building Fund donations...

We have a secure mail slot at the church office door.

Pour ceux qui souhaitent déposer leurs dons d'Offertoire et/ou de Fonds de construction...

Nous avons une fente de courrier sécurisée à la porte du bureau de l'église.

Our Collections

August 9 août, 2020

Envelopes (74)	\$2277.00
Pre-auth. debit (43 donors)	\$1104.60
Canada Helps Donations	\$96.00
	\$3477.60

Thanksgiving Appeal.....	\$1080.00
Diocesan Assessment.....	\$155.40

Building Fund

Donations.....	\$570.00
Memorial Donations.....	\$80.00
Pre-Auth. Debit (35 donors).....	\$533.87
Pledge Payments.....	\$332.70
Canada Helps Donations.....	\$144.00

Loan Fund Payable

\$1,580,000.00

Fonds d'emprunt à rembourser

1 580 000,00 \$

Our Collections

August 2 août, 2020

Envelopes (74)	\$3141.10
Pre-auth. debit (43 donors)	\$1104.60
loose	\$35.00
	\$4280.70

Thanksgiving Appeal.....	\$50.00
Diocesan Assessment.....	\$150.00

Average Weekly Operating Costs

(based on 2019 expenses)

** \$7482.12 **

Coûts moyens des opérations hebdomadaires

(basé sur les dépenses de 2019)

Building Fund

Donations.....	\$395.00
Pre-Auth. Debit (35 donors).....	\$533.87
Pledge Payments.....	\$180.00

