



Holy Redeemer Parish Cluster

Sacred Heart - Holy Family – Our Lady Help of Christians
Wallaceburg & Port Lambton, Ontario

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Office Hours

Monday – Friday
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Weekend Mass Schedule

Sacred Heart

Sunday, 9:00 a.m.

Holy Family

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, 8:30 a.m.

Our Lady Help of Christians

Sunday, 10:30 a.m., &
12:30 p.m. (LifeTeen) Sept-June

Church Locations

Sacred Heart

464 John St.
Port Lambton, ON
N0P 2B0

Holy Family

647 Murray St.
Wallaceburg, ON
N8A 1W1

Our Lady Help of Christians

422 Elgin Street,
Wallaceburg, ON
N8A 3C1

Confessions

Our Lady Help of Christians

Saturday,
11:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.
Sacred Heart

Tuesday, 6:30 p.m.

(Or by request by calling 519-627-2013
ext. 222 or 245 to make
an appointment

March 17th, 2019

Second Sunday of Lent

Pastor - Father Chris Gillespie
Associate Pastor – Father Gerard Bedard
Deacons - Cyril Cogghe & Richard Walter
Seminarist - Br. Michael Mascarenhas, OFM
Pastoral Minister – Virginia Eade
Coordinator of Youth Ministry – Dorothy deBakker

PARISH MISSION

Holy Redeemer Parish Cluster will be hosting a parish mission on

Sunday, March 24th – Tuesday, March 26th

with Chris Bray

Chris Bray will be offering a Mission each night at 7 p.m.:

Sunday at OLHC, Monday at HF and Tuesday at SH beginning with Mass.

STAND FIRM IN THE LORD

It is not hard to imagine, in this age of wars, evil groups bent on the destruction of humanity, and political follies, that the words of Saint Paul were so accurate, even for his time. It seems that the world never changes. Paul says, “Many . . . conduct themselves as enemies of the cross of Christ. Their end is their destruction . . . Their minds are occupied with earthly things” (Philippians 3:18, 19). The result is the destruction of innocent people and of the Earth itself. But Paul says to the Philippians, “our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we also await a savior, the Lord Jesus Christ” (3:20). He will “change our lowly body to conform with his glorified body” (3:21). Note that he says “body” rather than “bodies.” He is talking about the whole community of believers, who, following the example of Jesus and of Paul, will come into the glory of God. So “stand firm in the Lord” (4:1).

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Baptisms - Contact Virginia Eade at 519-627-2013 ext. 227

Marriages - Contact clergy at 519-627-2013, ext. 222 or 245, one year prior to making any arrangements

Sunday Friends - Sept. through June; 9 a.m. at Sacred Heart and 10:30 a.m. at Our Lady Help of Christians

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR
MARCH 19th – MARCH 22nd, 2019**

TUESDAY: March 19th

Sacred Heart – 7:00 p.m.

- Tony VanCouter** – Melvin Pinsonneault
- Joyce Provost** – Frank & Cathy Johnston
- Robert Myers, 4th Ann.** – Diane & Family
- Wayne Brown** – Karen Boudreau & Gerry Glover
- William Welsh – Bonny & Tom**
- Intentions of Dolores Figueiredo** – Fernando & Maria

WEDNESDAY: March 20th

Our Lady Help of Christians – 7:00 p.m.
Holy Hour 6:00 p.m. Rosary at 6:30 p.m.
Benediction at 6:50 p.m.

- Ann Cochrane** - Fran Savage & Family
- Don Hoorelbeck** - Roos deBakker
- Diana Donkers** - Alex & Rosemary Furo
- Angela O'Neil** – Brad & Christine Thompson
- Joseph Gittens** - Angela Gittens
- Special Intention** – Kim VanDamme

THURSDAY: March 21st

Wallaceburg Retirement Residence - 10:30 a.m.
Margaret Lauwereys – Maurice Lauwereys
Kevin DeBot – Veronica
Romeo Charbonneau - Shirley & Family
Dec'd Members of Duchene Family - Roger & Eileen
Intentions of Duchene Family - Roger & Eileen
In Thanksgiving - Roger & Eileen

FRIDAY: March 22nd

Holy Family - 9:15 a.m.
Stations of the Cross—10 a.m.
Ryan Kennedy – The Family
Manuel Moniz - Art & Charlene
Roger Apers, 20th Ann. – Rene & Beata
Jose & Maria Moniz – The Family
Ryan Courteaux – Pat & Kathy
George & Emily Courteaux – Pat & Kathy

Stations of the Cross at Our Lady Help of Christians

**Readings for the Third Sunday of Lent
March 23rd/24th**

1st Reading: Exodus 3:1-8A, 13-15
 Psalm 103
 2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12
 Gospel Reading: Luke 13:1-9



24 HOUR ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament will begin at **12 Noon**, tomorrow **Monday, March 18th** until Benediction at **12 Noon** on **Tuesday, March 19th**.



HRPC OFFICE will be closed this **Wednesday, March 20th**.

SUNDAY FRIENDS SCHEDULE:

Our Lady Help of Christians Church
 10:30 a.m. Mass
 March 24th & 31st

OFFERTORY FOR March 2nd/ 3rd, 2019

Sacred Heart	\$ 1661.50
Holy Family	\$ 2490.91
Our Lady Help of Christians	\$ 3728.02

NEXT TIME AT THE GROCERY STORE

please remember the St. Vincent de Paul Society. We are in need of peanut butter, jam, cereal and vegetables. Thank you for your continued support.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS: will be celebrated on Tuesday evenings 6:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart followed by Mass at 7:00 p.m., Friday mornings at 10:00 a.m. at Holy Family Church following the 9:15 a.m. Mass and Our Lady Help of Christians beginning at 7:00 p.m. For private Stations of the Cross, Holy Family Church is open from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

DO YOU HAVE OLD PALMS AT HOME? Please bring them to the church and place them in the designated containers at the church entrances. **PLEASE DO NOT THROW THEM AWAY**, they are blessed.



CARD NIGHT AND SOCIAL: Come and join us on **Friday, April 5th** at Our Lady Help of Christians parish centre beginning at 7 p.m. for an evening of fun as we gather to meet new members of our soon to be new family! Our Transition Team is hosting this event where parishioners from Port Lambton, Wallaceburg and Dresden are invited to come and spend some time getting to know one another. There will also be the opportunity to play cards for those who wish to do so. We look forward to seeing you there!



Christ with me,
 Christ before me,
 Christ behind me,
CHRIST IN ME. CHRIST OVER ME.
Christ to right of me,
CHRIST TO LEFT OF ME,
CHRIST IN LYING DOWN. CHRIST IN SITTING.
Christ in rising up, Christ in the heart
of every person who may think of me,
Christ in the mouth of every
person who may speak of me,
CHRIST IN EVERY EYE,
WHICH MAY LOOK ON ME!
CHRIST IN EVERY EAR. WHICH MAY HEAR ME!
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CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS

OLHC CWL: Mark your calendars our **Annual Spring Banquet** will be held on **Thursday, April 4th** at the K of C Hall following Mass at OLHC at 5:30 p.m. Doors open at 6 p.m. with dinner at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$18.00 per person. Anniversary pins will be presented. For tickets contact Kathi Janssens 519-627-8104, Mary Van Damme 519-627-8979, Margaret Cushman 519-627-4556 or at HRPC office.

SH CWL: Our next meeting will be this **Tuesday, March 19th**, beginning at 1 p.m. The CWL Bursary for Grade 12 students can be found at the main entrance of the Church.

During Lent, please pray for those in our parish who are celebrating the Rite of Election today and are preparing to receive the Easter Sacraments.

God of all ages,
you sent out your spirit
to touch the hearts of people
so that they may believe in you
and in Jesus, whom you sent.

Look kindly on all
the elect of our parish
as they listen to your voice.
Open their hearts to your spirit
and bring to fulfillment the good work
you have begun in them.

We praise you through Christ Our Lord.
Amen

Carole Clements	Tara Griffioen
Brittannie Kemsley	Nancy Konola
Shannon Stacey	Rebecca McKillican
Meghan VanDamme	



D & P: Share the journey with members of the Umuechem community in Nigeria. In 1990, a peaceful community in the south of Nigeria became the victim of what has been recognized as the first crime committed by an oil company. Traumatized by a massacre of unparalleled violence, a large majority of the members of this community fled to neighbouring communities, never to return home again. To make sure that their story is never forgotten and to combat impunity, Development & Peace's partner Social Action is supporting the Umuechem community in their legal action against the oil company. Discover the story of people forced to flee their homes and ways for each one of us to act in solidarity with them: devp.org/lent.

K OF C PORT LAMBTON BREAKFAST will be this coming **Sunday, March 24th** in the SH Parish Hall. There will be a free will offering. Everyone is welcome!



*The LORD is my light and my salvation;
whom should I fear?
— Psalm 27:1*

SPARK/EDGE PROGRAM

The Spark/Edge program is for kids in grades 3-7 and is a part of Holy Redeemer Parish Cluster Youth Ministry. This year there are FAMILY NIGHTS where all members of the family are invited to stay. Each night runs from 6-7:30 p.m.

Monday, March 18th - at OLHC Parish Centre Family Night

Monday, April 1st - at OLHC Parish Centre Just for Kids

Monday, April 15th - at OLHC Parish Centre Family Night

Monday, April 29st - at OLHC Parish Centre Just for Kids

Monday, May 6th - at OLHC Parish Centre Family Night



RIGHT TO LIFE BANQUET: All are invited to this year's banquet! The banquet will be held on **Tuesday, April 9th** at the Portuguese Canadian Social Club, 346 Grand Ave., Chatham. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. evening program starts at 6 p.m. with dinner at 6:30 p.m. The guest speaker will

be Jonathan Van Maren, a well-known public speaker and pro-life activist. Also, here is some very exciting news! Bishop Dabrowski will be attending our banquet this year. Tickets are \$35 per person and are now available for purchase at our office, 39 Grand Ave. W. Chatham. We will not be holding tickets for anyone this year, so stop in and get yours early!

FORGIVEN VIDEO SERIES: Join Br. Michael as he leads the FORGIVEN video series following the Wednesday 7 p.m. Mass at Our Lady Help of Christians parish centre. The series will run Wednesday's: March 27th, April 3rd, 10th and 17th.

COR (Christ in Others Retreat): Join us for a retreat to reconnect and refocus! COR is a retreat for all high school students to get rid of distractions for a weekend and find community, faith and fun. COR will be held at St. Michael's Parish, Ridgetown the weekend of **March 29th-31st**. For more information please see the flyers at the entrance of the church or contact Jacqueline at 519-466-0593.

