

Kent Lambton Roman Catholic Family of Parishes

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



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Weekend Mass Schedule

St. Michael

Sunday, 11:15 a.m.

Sacred Heart

Sunday, 8:45 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

Confessions

Sacred Heart

Tuesday, 6:30 p.m.

St. Michael

Thursday, 9:15 a.m.

Our Lady Help of Christians

Saturday,

11:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

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

December 29th, 2019

Feast of the Holy Family



Heavenly Father, you have given us the model of life in the holy family of Nazareth. Help us make our family another Nazareth where love, peace and joy reign. Teach us to see Jesus in the members of our families, especially in their distressing disguise. May we love one another as God loves each of us, more and more each day, and forgive each other's faults as you forgive our sins. Help us take whatever you give and give whatever you take with a big smile. Amen.

St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

St. Michael

698 Tecumseh Street
Dresden, ON
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Sacred Heart

464 John Street
Port Lambton, ON
N0P 2B0

Holy Family

647 Murray Street
Wallaceburg, ON
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Our Lady Help Of Christians

422 Elgin Street
Wallaceburg, ON
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**MASS INTENTIONS FOR
JANUARY 2nd - JANUARY 3rd, 2020**

THURSDAY: January 2nd

St. Michael – 8:30 a.m.

Stephanie Kuryvial – The Family

Roger Deprez – K of C #9473

A Special Intention – Kim VanDamme

A Special Intention – Peggy

FRIDAY: January 3rd

Holy Family - 9:15 a.m.

Bernice Fournier – John & Family

Will Vink Sr. – Clayton & Mary Ellen Crow

Walter & Mary Harris – Clayton & Mary Ellen Crow

Walter & Marion Crow – Clayton & Mary Ellen Crow

Bill Gilhuly – Ken & Linda Fox

A Special Intention – Clayton & Mary Ellen Crow

**Readings for the Epiphany of the Lord
January 4th / 5th**

1st Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6
Psalm 72

2nd Reading: Ephesians 3:2-3A, 5-6
Gospel Reading: Matthew 2:1-12

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

ST. MICHAEL K OF C #9473: Our next Bingos will be **Monday, December 30th from 4 p.m. - 6 p.m. and Friday, January 3rd from 8 p.m. - 10 p.m.**

ROBBIE BURNS CELEBRATION FUNDRAISER

In support of Fr. Chris's house building mission trip
Homes for Hope – El Salvador and Steubenville Youth
Conference for Teens

**Roast Beef Dinner and Canadian Haggis
Saturday, January 18th**

at the Knight of Columbus Hall
Doors open at 6 p.m. Dinner at 7 p.m.
\$35 per person/ \$65 per couple

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS

HF CWL: Our next meeting will next Wednesday,
January 8th at 6:30 p.m. in the Holy Family
Annex.

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
& preparation course is required

**NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE
2019/2020**

**Solemnity of Mary, New Year's Eve
Tuesday, December 31st, 2019**

5:00 p.m. Mass - Holy Family

**Solemnity of Mary, New Year's Day
Wednesday, January 1st, 2020**

8:45 a.m. Mass - Sacred Heart

10:30 a.m. Mass – Our Lady Help of Christians

11:15 a.m. Mass - St. Michael



HRPC HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS:

Closed at **12 noon Tuesday,
December 31st and reopen Friday,
January 3rd.**



2020 DAILY BIBLE READING GUIDES have arrived and are available at all the church entrances.

EPIPHANY OF THE LORD: We will be celebrating a potluck dinner (please no desserts) and evening prayer this coming **Sunday, January 5th at Our Lady Help of Christians Church** for the Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord. Dinner & fellowship will be at 4:30 p.m. followed by evening prayer at 6:30 p.m.

COME JOURNEY WITH US: Please join us on Fridays (excluding 1st Fridays) after the 9:15 a.m. Mass in the Holy Family Annex starting **January 10th** to praise & worship our Lord!

CARD CLUB will be starting again next **Tuesday, January 7th at 1 p.m.**

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT will take place at Holy Family Church this **Friday, January 3rd** following the 9:15 a.m. Mass, to 4:00 p.m.

ATTENTION ENGAGED COUPLES: If you are planning to be married in 2020, the Marriage Preparation Course will be **Saturday, February 22nd & Sunday, February 23rd, 2020.** Please contact the office at 519-627-2013 ext. 200 if you require a registration form or for more information contact Jay & Brigette Moore at 519-359-3884 or jbmoores@kent.net

New Year's Eve Dinner Dance: There will be a New Year's Eve Dinner Dance, **December 31st** at St. Mary's Hall, Blenheim. Dinner will be at 6:30 p.m. with live music (not rock n' roll) and dancing from 8 p.m. to Midnight. Advance tickets only and are \$60/person, available from Lasting Memories, 519-676-0530, Annie Timmermans, 519-360-7444, Kathy Kresan, 519-676-2905 or St. Mary's Parish Office.



Blessed are all who fear the LORD,
and who walk in his ways. Psalm 128:1

**"...TO EVERYTHING THERE IS A SEASON AND A TIME
FOR EVERY PURPOSE UNDER HEAVEN..."**

A TIME TO BE BORN...

This year, through the water of Baptism, we welcomed ...

Skyla VandeVelde, Lily Davis, Cash Davis, Karson Swain, Dominic Childs, Colt Smith, Bennett Andrews, Raylan Oliveira, Laken Williams, Elyse Lalonde, Darrius Benoit, Lily Simpson, Cutler Konecny, Liam McKillican, Jayden Kemsley, Mackenzie Kemsley, Arthur Kemsley, Nikolai Kemsley-Cowell, Jorgia Rose, Cali Clements, Charity Konola, Emery Lozon, Lukas Toulouse, Joanna Rivard, James Di Ubaldo, Charley Hogan, Dreyterro Voisin, Qwynn Turner, Carter Turner, Xavier Campbell, Charlotte Larabee, Lillian Lane, Hudson Williams, Miguel Santos, Addilyn Bechard, Leah Babcock, Jeffrey Babcock, Paxton Raymond, Knox Rudakas, Murray Hillis, Alice Chandler, William Chandler, Maverick Dumais, Ethan Van Damme, Evelyn Windover, Jaelyn Burgess, Graham Laprise, Joselyn Schepens, Elijah LeBel, Sellyna Irwin, Zachary Dobbelaar, Grayson Sparling, Wyatt Vancaille, Eric Swallowell, Claire Mitchell, Olivia Foster, Kennedy McCarron, James Sheeler, Logan Tarr, Leah Talbot, Ethan Gayle, Helaina Wickett, Declan O'Neil, Everley Walter, Makai Collier, Malakai Thompson, Kenzie Rottier, Penelope Yacks, Reid Mills, Dalilah Mills, and MacKenzie Mills

Profession of Faith: Tara Griffioen, Megan Gillespie, Carole Everitt, Rebecca McKillican

A TIME TO SEEK (RCIA)...

Brittanie Kemsley, Shannon Stacey, Nancy Strong

A TIME TO LOVE...

Couples who celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage this past year...

Joel Shepley & Eleena deBakker, Kevin VanDamme & Elizabeth Meloche, Lionel Ouellette & Mary VanDamme, Jordan Lockrey & Richelle Miller, Peter Knight & Krystle VanDamme, Kody Vandevenne & Katie Muongchanh, and Joel Clancy & Jessica McDougall

A TIME TO ENTER ETERNAL LIFE...

Carol Robinson, Margaret Lauwereys, Joyce Provost, Brian Chandler, Lila Hofmann, Shirley Hyatt, Henry Debergh, Salavair Jacques, Arthur Seys, Deborah Foubert, Fernando Fernandes, Lawrence LaMarsh, Catherine Mahu, Mary Jinkerson, Louise Hereygers, Helen Riedl, Marie VanLinden, May Gallerno, Marie VanLinden, Bella Brown, Maria Canullo, Patrick Turner, Patricia Bunda, Yvonne Bechard, George Moran, Roger Flynn, Deborah Benusik, Peter Mahu, Margaret Lauzon, Ron Judson, Kelly Nantais, William Gilhuly, Denise St. Pierre, Chris Hetherington, Shirley DeWolf, Joseph DeCou, Bob Parkers, Rose Dierx, Willie Vink, Marjory Bishop, Gerald Alexander, Thomas McGee, Armand Van Mensel, Eliza Hunter, Marjorie Johnston, Clarimundo Matos, Roger Deprez, Olivette Allard, Manuel deSousa and Ky Bechard

AND A TIME FOR PEACE..."

God bless and keep you and yours safe and healthy throughout the coming year.

HAPPY NEW YEAR EVERYONE!!!