

# Kent Lambton Roman Catholic Family of Parishes

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

## Office

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### Pastoral Staff

#### **Pastor**

Father Chris Gillespie

#### **Associate Pastor**

Father Gerard Bedard

#### **Deacons**

Cyril Cogghe

Richard Walter

#### **Pastoral Minister**

Val Walter

#### **Coordinator of Youth Ministry**

Dorothy deBakker

#### **Youth Ministry Assistant**

Jacqueline Rowe

### 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)

## January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020

### *Epiphany of the Lord*

By the time the wise men arrive, the Gospel recounts that they find Jesus in a house. This detail – which I haven't noticed before – is comforting to me. Somewhere after the unanticipated stable delivery, room was found for the fledgling family. The wise men go seeking Jesus surrounded by his family, held by another family.

WE are the people making room for Jesus and for the people who are seeking him in the world today. Right in the middle of the Christmas leftovers, the decorations which will soon be put away, and the ached to get back to routine after feasting, Jesus is with us. The star could be stopping over our imperfect, crowded or messy homes.

The Gospel doesn't talk about what the wise men ate, where they slept or whether things were cleaned up. The star stopped over the place where they could encounter Jesus. And "when they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy."

Who is overwhelmed with joy at the light of God has set over you? Who needs the Jesus that resides in your heart and home? We celebrate Epiphany not so that we can pay homage with the kings of Jesus' time, but so that we can practice being overwhelmed with joy by the places in our lives where the star has stopped – even when that place is within us.

*Leah Perrault –  
Saskatoon, SK*



#### St. Michael

698 Tecumseh Street  
Dresden, ON  
N0P 1M0

#### Sacred Heart

464 John Street  
Port Lambton, ON  
N0P 2B0

#### Holy Family

647 Murray Street  
Wallaceburg, ON  
N8A 1W1

#### Our Lady Help Of Christians

422 Elgin Street  
Wallaceburg, ON  
N8A 3C1

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR  
JANUARY 5<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

**TUESDAY: January 5<sup>th</sup>**

**Theresa Denys** – Richard & Val  
**Jean Munday** – Richard & Val  
**Richard Roe** - Marlene  
**Joseph & Julia Borek** – The Clancy Family  
**Dylan Conlon** - A Parishioner  
**A Special Intention** - Kim VanDamme

**WEDNESDAY: January 6<sup>th</sup>**

**Annie Everaert** - Wayne & Rosalie VanDamme  
**Jeanine Stragier** - Norbert & Rose Baertsoen  
**John & Jeannine Blommers** - Bob & Maria Blommers  
**Cyriel & Shislaine VandeWalle** – Bob & Maria Blommers  
**Christopher Palocz** – Jessica Vanhie  
**Dec'd Members of Martinello Family** – Al Martinello

**THURSDAY: January 7<sup>th</sup>**

**Jerry Kuryvail** – The Family  
**Elsie Segardt** – KLRCFP  
**Intentions of Marion Coveny, for healing** - Her Sister

**FRIDAY: January 8<sup>th</sup>**

**Teresa Alves** – John & Rosa DaSilva  
**Jack Alves** – Fernando & Maria  
**John Hooper** - Kathy & Family  
**Patricia Turner** – Kathy & Family  
**Lawrence & Vina Murphy** – Sandy  
**Brian Londry** – Mom

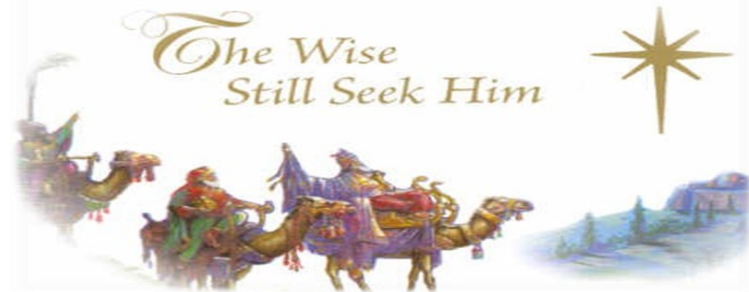
**Fr. Fernando Suarez** – Healing Ministry  
**Judy Roberts** – KLRCFP  
**Gary Carroll** - KLRCFP  
**John Ferreira** – John & Ana Nogueira  
**John Cracknell** – Roos deBakker  
**Alice Steen** – Becky

**Readings for the Baptism of the Lord  
January 9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup>**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7  
 Psalm 29:1-2, 3-4, 9-10  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Acts 10:34-38  
 Gospel Reading: Mark 1:7-11



**ENVELOPES:** Please DO NOT use your 2020 envelopes any longer.



**BAPTISMS**

Contact Val Walter 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

**OFFERTORY FOR DECEMBER 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup>**

St. Michael	\$ 771.44
Sacred Heart	\$ 3393.33
Holy Family	\$ 1992.71
Our Lady Help of Christians	\$ 4413.89

**OFFERTORY FOR CHRISTMAS**

St. Michael	\$ 2535.00
Sacred Heart	\$ 2255.00
Holy Family	\$ 3795.50
Our Lady Help of Christians	\$ 5131.00

**YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRY**

**THRIVE FAMILY BOX**

Each month receive a free pack of activities for your family to do together; focusing on creating a culture of faith, life, and connectedness at home. Includes crafts, recipes, stories, media suggestions, service projects, and parent pep-talks about our Catholic faith. Suitable for families of all ages!

**Sign up today! [www.klrcfp.com/THRIVE](http://www.klrcfp.com/THRIVE)**

**SACRAMENTAL PREP**

**GRADE 2 PARENT MEETING FOR FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST COMMUNION:**

A virtual meeting will be available for viewing **Monday, December 14<sup>th</sup>** on our parish website [www.klrcfp.com](http://www.klrcfp.com) under the sacrament tab, for all families with children who will be receiving the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion this year. If you would like your child to receive their Sacraments and they do not attend one of our four Catholic schools in our family of parishes please contact Val at 519-627-2013 ext. 227.

**ROC (Confirmation Preparation):** All Grade 8's interested in the Sacrament of Confirmation are welcome to register online at [www.klrcfp.com/ROC](http://www.klrcfp.com/ROC). This year we are going virtual with our small groups and sessions! Check out the information package online for more details. Contact Jacqueline Rowe [jrowe@dol.ca](mailto:jrowe@dol.ca) / 519-466-0593 with any questions.

**MEN OF FAITH CONFERENCE:** Men! Are you looking for the opportunity to reinvigorate your Catholic Faith? The 2021 Men of Faith Conference is happening Saturday January 16, from 9am - 12pm. This is a free virtual event featuring live streamed Rosary, Mass, PLUS two talks and a Q&A session with guest speaker and evangelist Patrick Sullivan. For more information contact Paul at [londonmensconferenceinfo@gmail.com](mailto:londonmensconferenceinfo@gmail.com). Visit [www.famfi.ca](http://www.famfi.ca) to register online.