

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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Val Walter

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Dorothy deBakker

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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 10th, 2020

Baptism of the Lord

The celebration of the Baptism of the Lord draws the Christmas season to a close. Tomorrow we move into Ordinary Time. And Jesus moves into the time of his public ministry.

Jesus' baptism prepares him for ministry. As he rises from the waters, the heavens open and the Spirit descends upon him. God says, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am we pleased.

"Secure in his identity as God's Beloved and graced by the Spirit, Jesus is ready for his mission. Do we see our baptism as preparing us for mission? Many of us were baptized as babies; we don't even remember it.

We may not have experienced the heavens being "torn apart" but we were claimed as God's children and received the Spirit in baptism, God continually reminds us that we are uniquely known and loved, uniquely gifted and called to serve. He "tears apart the heavens" to connect with us through the Mass, the sacraments, Scripture, hymns, prayers and one another.

These ways may not seem special, compared with Jesus' baptismal experience. Ordinary Time may not seem special compared with Christmastime. But God is with us in the ordinary moments as much as in the extraordinary ones. Ordinary Time is a time of growth and maturing in discipleship. Everyone's baptism is an invitation into Jesus' mission. Responding is the work of a lifetime.

Dinah Simmons, Halifax, NS

THANK YOU!

Fr. Gerard, Fr. Morrison, Deacon Cyril, Deacon Richard and I would like to express our thanks to the many parishioners who kindly sent us Christmas cards, gifts and sweets. Your support and encouragement is greatly appreciated! God bless!

~ Fr. Chris



St. Michael

698 Tecumseh Street
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Sacred Heart

464 John Street
Port Lambton, ON
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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 12th - 15th, 2021**

TUESDAY: January 12th

Helen Alves VanDamme – Fernando & Maria
Chris Palocz – Frank & Cathy Johnston
Georgette Cornelis - Becky Dramnitzke
Ron & Evelyn Janssens – Dave & Shelley
Jenny Allen - Dave & Shelley
Souls In Purgatory - A Parishioner

WEDNESDAY: January 13th

Tereas Alves - Bob & Maria Blommers
Mary Beth Owens - Mom
Clarimundo Matos - Jeronimo & Rosa Silva
Staszek Lipinski – Mary Rosseel
Herke Jongert – Mary Rosseel
Dec'd Members of Wisby Family –The Family

THURSDAY: January 14th

Lorraine VanDaele – St. Michael K of C
Jean Munday – Marlene
Pearl Foster - KLRCFP

FRIDAY: January 15th

Tony deSousa, 25th Ann. – The Family
George Keller – Kit
Manuel deSousa - Maria & Joel
Ky Bechard – Frank & Stacey diCiocco
Manuel Moniz – The Family
Theresa Denys – Mary Sue & Family

**Readings for the 2 Sunday of Ordinary Time
January 16th/17th**

1st Reading: 1 Samuel 3:3b-10, 19
Psalm 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17, 20
Gospel Reading: John 1:35-42



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

PLEASE NOTE: St. Michael Knights of Columbus meeting is cancelled January 19th, 2021.

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 Visit www.famfi.ca to register online.

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

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

SACRAMENTAL PREP

GRADE 2 PARENT MEETING FOR FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST COMMUNION:

A virtual meeting is available for viewing on our parish website 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. 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 / 519-466-0593 with any questions.

COVID-19 UPDATES

KLRCFP OFFICE: Due to the Covid-19 restrictions the office will be closed until Monday, January 25th.



Offertory envelopes may be dropped off at the rectory located at 422 Elgin Street or by e-transfers at kentlambtonrcfp@dol.ca

WEEKEND & WEEKDAY MASSES: All Masses are cancelled until January 25th.

If you have a Mass intention booked for the month of January, the clergy will be offering their private Masses for those intentions. Mass intentions will be posted on Facebook and the parish bulletin.

