

# 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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### 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)

## March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2021

### *Fifth Sunday of Lent*

Acknowledgement, openness and acceptance of what God wants of us are central to what it means to be a Christian.

Our Lenten prayer and fasting give us the strength to remain open to understanding what God wants of us, acknowledging God's purifying grace that will wash us thoroughly "from our iniquity and cleanse us from our sin," and accepting God's will with "a new and right spirit."

Through this willingness to be ever open to God's call, we enter into a new covenant and new life, one in which God is our guarantor. It is only when we allow God to write in our hearts what is being asked of us that our covenant with God is assured.

In the Annunciation (which we commemorate later this week), Mary gives us a magnificent example of acknowledging God's invitations, opening her heart and accepting what she is being called to do. Our response, like Mary's, must be unreserved and unconditional.

Even Jesus "in the days of his flesh" offered up prayers and supplications. We need to acknowledge that we must die to ourselves and be open to God's word. Through our acceptance we will "bear much fruit."

Let us remember, as the Gospel reminds us, that when Christ is lifted up, we will also share in the glory of his resurrection.

*Jack Panozzo, Toronto, ON*

#### 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  
MARCH 23<sup>rd</sup> - 26<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

**TUESDAY: March 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**Sacred Heart – 7:00 p.m.**

**Richard Nantais** - Dave & Bunny Atkins & Family

**Christopher Palocz** – Mary Rosseel

**In Thanksgiving** - A Parishioner

**Intentions of Fr. Chris** – A Parishioner

**Intention of Fr. Gerard** - A Parishioner

**Intentions of Fr. Morrison** - A Parishioner

**WEDNESDAY: March 24<sup>th</sup>**

**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.**

**Al Bechard** - The Family

**Harriet & Ronald Knazook** - Roger

**Lenard Ouellette** – The Family

**Manuel Moniz** - Art & Charlene

**Ron Janssens** – Mary Rosseel

**Intentions of Lucas Coene** – Kevin & Amanda

**THURSDAY: March 25<sup>th</sup>**

**St. Michael – 8:30 a.m.**

**Theresa Denys** – Jack & Marg Roest

**Roger Deprez** – St. Paul CWL

**Lorraine VanDaele** - The Estate

**FRIDAY: March 26<sup>th</sup>**

**Holy Family - 9:15 a.m.**

**Florentina Bogaert** – Sandra & Eugene Schepens

**Francisco Morais** - Hortencia Fernandes

**Pearl Foster** - HF CWL

**Georgette Cornelis** – Bernard

**Catharine Broadbent** - Andy & Simone O'Neil

**Intentions of Maurice Lauwereys** – Christine

**OFFERTORY FOR MARCH 13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup>**

St. Michael	\$ 584.46
Sacred Heart	\$ 1625.91
Holy Family	\$ 1509.05
Our Lady Help of Christians	\$ 3282.14

**COVID-19 UPDATES**

**KLRCFP OFFICE:** Due to the Covid-19 restrictions the office will be closed until further notice.



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

**Readings for the Palm Sunday  
March 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup>**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7

Psalm 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 2-24

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Philippians 2:6-11

Gospel Reading: Mark 14:1-15:47

**CELEBRATIONS OF  
THE EASTER TRIDUUM 2021**

**HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 1<sup>st</sup>**

7:00 p.m. Mass – Our Lady Help of Christians Church followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until Benediction at 12 Midnight in Parish Centre

**GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 2<sup>nd</sup>**

11:00 a.m. Service –

Our Lady Help of Christians Church

3:00 p.m. – Solemn Service – St. Michael Church

3:00 p.m. – Solemn Service – Sacred Heart Church

3:00 p.m. – Solemn Service – Holy Family Church

3:00 p.m. – Solemn Service –

Our Lady Help of Christians Church

**EASTER VIGIL, SATURDAY, APRIL 3<sup>rd</sup>**

5:00 p.m. Mass – Sacred Heart Church

5:00 p.m. Mass – Holy Family Church

7:30 p.m. Mass – St. Michael Church

8:00 p.m. Mass – Our Lady Help of Christians Church with Christians Initiation

**EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 4<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 a.m. Mass – Holy Family Church

8:45 a.m. Mass – Sacred Heart Church

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

11:15 a.m. Mass – St. Michael Church

12:30 p.m. Mass – Our Lady Help of Christians Church

**A DOLLAR A DAY:** The Knights of Columbus, along with the Sacred Heart Food Bank are doing our annual \$1.00 a day for 40 days during this Lenten season. All donations will go to the Sacred Heart food Bank to help support the needy in our area. Donations over \$20.00 will be issued a receipt, unless otherwise requested. Donations can be left at the back of the church. Thank you!

**SVDP HOURS:** St. Vincent dePaul is only open **Monday, Wednesday & Fridays from 9 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.** If you need to contact SVDP please call 519-627-2013 ext. 3.



**EASTER FLOWER DECORATIONS:** If you would like to make a donation for Easter Decorations in memory of a loved one, please use the envelope included in your weekly offertory envelopes, dated March 14<sup>th</sup>. For those who do not have envelopes, please use an envelope with your name, address and loved ones name. Please make all cheques payable to Holy Redeemer Parish Cluster. All donations must be in by **noon, Tuesday, March 30<sup>th</sup>**. The memorial list of names will be published in the Easter Sunday bulletin.

**KLRCFP DONATIONS:** We give as a response to what Christ has first given us. We give to support the mission of God through the work of Kent Lambton Roman Catholic Family of Parishes and the causes and ministries it supports. **Thank you so much to those that are able to give!** Click [HERE](#) to learn how you can donate easily.

**During Lent**, please continue to pray for those in our family of parishes preparing for Reception into full Communion with the Church this Easter.



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 these candidates  
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

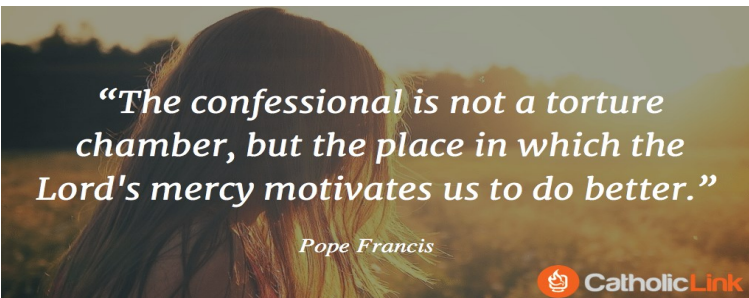
Erin Hill, Josh Mitchell and Tara Shepley

**HEART OF WORSHIP:** We may only realize the absolute 'Goodness of God' when we enter into His Kingdom and are shown the many moments that He was moving and working in our lives while on earth. As you listen to this worship song, called '**Goodness of God**' open your heart to recognizing how He is working in your life today. Each week we will share a new worship song on the parish website under the tab **Heart of Worship**.

**KLRCFP YOUTUBE CHANNEL:** Find all the latest online Masses and uploads by going to our parish **Youtube channel**

**THE CATHOLIC PATH ON DEMAND:** Sign up for **FORMED today!** It is Catholic NETFLIX and it is totally free for our parishioners. Get thousands of movies, programs, audio, and books instantly. Register [here](#) for a FREE subscription for all KLRCFP parishioners.

**MINISTERIAL HOLY WEEK OF PRAYER** will be held at Christian Reformed Church March 29<sup>th</sup>-April 1<sup>st</sup>. It is open to people coming to the church as well as it will be livestreamed. Speakers for the week are:  
Monday, March 29<sup>th</sup> - Josh Tuinga  
Tuesday, March 30<sup>th</sup> - Sharon Campbell-Rayment  
Wednesday, March 31<sup>st</sup> - Wayne Hasson  
Thursday, April 1<sup>st</sup> - Ron Bartolo.  
Service begins at 12:10 pm and goes until 12:30pm.  
Due to covid restrictions there will be no lunch provided this year.



## SACRAMENTAL PREP

### CONFIRMATION

Learn more about the ROC (Rite of Confirmation) by clicking [HERE](#)

## 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)**

**DAILY LENTEN REFLECTIONS:** Sign up to have the Daily Lenten Reflection sent right to your email inbox each day. (Monday-Saturday) Listen to a member of the Pastoral Team (Fr. Chris, Fr. Gerard, Fr. Morrison, Deacon Cyril, Deacon Richard, Dorothy, Val, Jacqueline and TJ) read the Gospel for the day and give a 2-3 minute sharing. Click to [Subscribe](#)



### DEVELOPMENT & PEACE: Share Love, Share Lent: The passion of youth.

Did you know that over 10,000 Canadian Catholics like you are members of Development and Peace? The Share Love, Share Lent campaign invites you to pray for them and to honour their solidarity towards our sisters and brothers in the Global South. Show your support by donating generously this coming Solidarity Sunday. You can also become a monthly donor and have your year-long contribution matched, thanks to the support of religious communities across Canada. Not only will you double your impact, but you will also automatically become a member of Development and Peace! Learn more at [devp.org/lent](http://devp.org/lent).

**HOW TO GIVE**

Online:  
[devp.org](http://devp.org)

By phone:  
**1 888 234-8533**

Send a cheque to:  
**Development and Peace**  
1425 René-Lévesque Boul. West, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
Montreal, QC H3G 1T7

Through your parish

Share Lent 2021 Development and Peace CARITAS CANADA

**YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH:** Fr. Chris Gillespie explains about the year of St. Joseph as declared by Pope Francis from December 8, 2020. December 8, 2021 in [this video](#). Pray along with Fr. Chris and Dorothy as they sing an original version of the **Litany of St. Joseph**.