

**MASS INTENTIONS**

<b>Tuesday June 12 8:00am</b>	Euclid Mailloux ~ Chris & Carole Lanoue Wilfrid Comartin ~ Richard & Theresa Barrette Jeannette Mayer ~ Florence & Jacqueline
<b>Wednesday June 13 8:00am</b>	Joe King ~ Ernie & Mary Lou Hamelin Donna Mae Harding ~ David & Sharon Gagnier Jeanette Langlois ~ Francis & Jeanne Barrette
<b>Thursday June 14 8:00am</b>	Pierre Cecile ~ his wife & family Andréa Labbé ~ Robert & Madeline Labbé Wilfrid Comartin ~ Francis & Jeanne Barrette
<b>Thursday June 14 10:00am</b>	<b>CHAPEL AT SEASONS LAKESHORE</b> Russell Sauv�e ~ the family Wilfrid Comartin ~ Madeleine Desmarais Holy Souls in Purgatory ~ parishioners
<b>Friday June 15 9:30am</b>	JoAnne Hussey ~ Paul & Rena Gilbert May Durocher ~ Rosaire & Martine St. Joseph; those dying & in purgatory ~ parishioners
<b>Saturday June 16 9:00am</b>	Laura Derdaele ~ Jack & Helen Strong Pauline LeClair ~ Lise Lamar Maurice Levesque ~ Rosaire & Martine

**PRIEST PENSION COLLECTION**



This year's Priest Pension collection will be taken up on **Father's Day weekend, June 16-17**. Please look for a special envelope and flyer in our bulletin and give as generously as you can. Please also keep all our priests in your prayers. Your charity is a sign of the care and affection that we feel for our priests, who retire after having ministered to our spiritual needs for generations. Our priests give us a lifetime of service, this Father's Day let's give back!

**THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**



The K of C needs more members as our population ages. Please consider joining us. For more info, please contact the K of C office and leave a message at 519-728-2828.

**WE THANK THE FOLLOWING FOR GENEROUSLY SUPPORTING OUR BULLETIN:**

- Floor Coverings International 519-735-5515
- Lanoue Insurance Brokers Ltd. 519-728-1432
- Strong's Appliance Service Ltd. 519-728-2334

Melady Funeral Home by Arbor Memorial www.meladyfuneral.ca  
 Michael Sutton, K of C - Managing Director - 519-728-1500  
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**EVENTS AT A GLANCE**

- TUESDAY JUNE 12**
- St. Vincent de Paul Meeting, 6pm, Blue room
  - Soup and Video, 6pm, Hall
  - Prayer Gathering, 7:15pm, Church
- WEDNESDAY JUNE 13**
- Eucharistic Adoration, 8:30am to 1pm
  - Pastoral Council Meeting, 5:30pm
- THURSDAY JUNE 14**
- Choir Practice, 7:00pm, Church
  - Bingo every Thursday, 7pm, Hall
- SUNDAY JUNE 17**
- Youth Involved Mass, 11am

**PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS**

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|-----------------------|------------------|
| Fr. Antony Kolenchery | Gayle Lepine     |
| Sue Hofgartner        | Jeff Powell      |
| Mary Jo Battaglia     | Gerald Quinn     |
| Denise Deimling       | Jeanne Setler    |
| Meghan Lauzon         | Marguerite Hewer |

**VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION**



**FRIDAY JUNE 22<sup>ND</sup>**  
**Our Parish Evening of Appreciation will take place on Friday June 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30pm.**  
**This is our opportunity to honour and celebrate the contributions volunteers make to our Parish community.**  
**Invitations have been sent out.**  
**Please be sure to RSVP by June 12<sup>th</sup>**  
**You Can Call Mary Jo at 519-727-5841**

**SUNDAY MORNING ROSARY**

Every Sunday starting at 8:15am. Join us.



# St. Simon & St. Jude Parish

**Office Hours**

Tuesday - Friday 9:00am to 3:00pm  
 Closed between 12:00pm & 1:00pm

**Contact Us**

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**Weekend Mass Schedule**

Saturday 4:30 pm  
 Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am

**Weekday Mass Schedule**

Tuesday to Thursday 8:00 am  
 Friday 9:30 am  
 Saturday 9:00 am  
**Reconciliation**  
 Saturday 9:30am to 10:30am

## The Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 10, 2018

**MISSION STATEMENT**

ST. SIMON & ST. JUDE IS A VIBRANT, LIFE-GIVING, CHRIST-CENTERED PARISH COMMUNITY THAT IS GENEROUSLY AVAILABLE AND CHALLENGING IN THE TRUEST SENSE OF THE GOSPEL MESSAGE.

**PASTORAL ADMINISTRATION**

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**PERMANENT DEACON**

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**PROMISES**



Today's liturgy is full of promises. The reading from Genesis promises a final triumph over the power of sin and a return to a new creation. The reading from Second Corinthians promises that all who follow Christ will have to struggle. It also promises, however, that we can persevere if we but recognize that Christ is within us, renewing us daily, and giving us the courage and the strength we need to endure. The Gospel promises that doing God's will makes us "family" with Jesus, who forgives all sin and triumphs over evil.

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**INFORMATION ON THE SACRAMENTS**

**BAPTISMS**

Please call the office to register and make an appointment with our Pastoral Minister - Sue Hofgartner

**ANointing OF THE SICK**

This is primarily a sacrament of physical healing and spiritual strengthening. The sacrament is administered to those facing serious surgery or illness. If you desire this sacrament please call Fr. Antony. We offer a communal Anointing Service in the spring and fall.

**MARRIAGE**

Couples desiring to marry please call the office and contact Fr. Antony. Arrangements must be made at least nine months prior to the wedding.

PROMISES (CONTINUED)

Today might be a good day for us to make some promises as well. We can promise to stop kidding ourselves about our own tendencies to selfishness and sin. We can promise ourselves to believe—really believe—that while we are not sinless, we are forgiven. We can promise ourselves to combat evil and sin by acting as sisters and brothers not only to the Lord, but to one another as well.

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITIONS

The cathedral is a treasure in a diocese and in our tradition. It is not simply a “big church,” as some say; some parish churches are larger. What makes a cathedral is the presence of the chair, called a *cathedra* (Latin for seat) reserved for the bishop.

There are many instances in our country and in the United States, of a local church (diocese) outgrowing a cathedral. In Baltimore and St. Louis, the former cathedrals are historic treasures in the heart of the old city, but new and larger structures now function as the seat of the bishop.

When a bishop dies or retires, it is said that “the seat is vacant,” and when the new bishop is installed, the central ritual is the moment when the decree of the Holy Father is read and the new bishop is escorted to the *cathedra*. No one but the bishop sits in the *cathedra* during a ritual, but in Los Angeles the *cathedra* in the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels is accessible, and no one seems to mind when a visitor tries the *cathedra* out for the bishop’s point of view.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch

FROM OUR PASTORAL & YOUTH MINISTER, MARGUERITE HEWER

This week, the newness and beauty of Spring, hearing children at play, reminded me that God has created an amazingly beautiful world.

But a seemingly steady flow of **bad news** in the media, bad influences, a sense of moral decline, can overwhelm and tempt us toward despair. We hope for a beautiful world for our children. The **Good News** is that **love and prayer** are more powerful forces than greed in the world! Therein lies our hope and calling. Jesus said “*Love one Another.*” Since the whole world hasn’t grasped that basic instruction, we’re called to **live** “in imitation of Christ”, to pray as Jesus did, so a hungering world can see the **Good News** of the Gospel in our lives and, as St. Francis of Assisi put it: “*If necessary, use words*”. Seem challenging? When God calls us to mission, He equips us with ability. We may fall. God provides consolation too: People to lift us back up, encourage, challenge, pray for our children- a powerful antidote when doubt or despair tries to knock on our door. Our **hope** then, for a beautiful world, is in Jesus Christ and in the power of His Holy Spirit alive and working through people. We can ‘love one another’, find strength and food for the journey in prayer. This is Communion. It’s why we gather.

Persevere in Prayer! The Sisters of Charity at Mother Teresa’s home for dying in Haiti, made a solemn pact with our group: “**Pray for us and we will pray for you.**” They knew that being embedded daily in the extremes of poverty and suffering could tempt them to despair. They felt despair would be sinful, because God called, gifted and sent them there to bring His Love, Good News, and hope; to make a difference, *one soul at a time*. They know prayer partners sustain them in their work for God’s glory.

Jesus is Alive! We saw Jesus, working in and among the poor and the prayerful who serve them. His love is our most important seed to sow, and prayer, its cultivating tool. In parting, the Sisters asked us to make a difference at home – to bloom where God has planted us. One soul, one smile, one welcome, one prayer at a time. Our Children imitate us. Do they see us pray? Do they see us give thanks? Do they see our hope? Let’s feed His little lambs with what is noble, good, and beautiful - with The Good News - and persevere in prayer. Children bring hope. They remind us that God created a beautiful world. We have power in prayer. And God hears every one. I pray we get the Joy of the Good News deep into our hearts, into our beautiful world, to stay. Our mission can begin at the table of the Lord! Know that you are never without a friend who will pray for you at St. Simon and St. Jude Parish.

CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE



Mark Your Calendar!!

The London Diocesan Catholic Women’s League is having a day at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Rosary, St. Patrick’s Church, Merlin, on **Wednesday, July 18<sup>th</sup>**, from 10:00am to 3:00pm. The day begins with prayer at 10:30am, Mass at 11:00am, and lunch at 12:00noon. Please bring a lunch and a drink. At 1:00pm the Rosary will be said on the Rosary Trail. At 1:30pm, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Reflection and Benediction. Closing Prayer and Blessing at 2:30pm. We hope you will be able to join us for this wonderful day!!!

We want to carpool, so please call Linda (519-728-2275) to sign up.

MONTHLY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

JUNE 13, 2018, FROM 8:30 AM TO 1:00 PM

JUNE PARISH INTENTION:

*For all Fathers and Family Life*

Please sign up for 30 minutes of adoration using the sheet at the entrance of the church.

FATHER’S DAY MEMORIAL PRAYER SERVICE

Resurrection Mausoleum,  
Heavenly Rest Cemetery.

SATURDAY, JUNE 16, 2018 AT 9:30 AM.

Honouring our deceased fathers  
with prayer and live music.

For information: 519-969-4836  
Mary Heath, Pastoral Minister.

SOUP & VIDEO

Please join us **June 12<sup>th</sup>** as we conclude our Matthew Kelly soup and video series.

This month he sums up the program with: “**Be The Difference That Makes A Difference**”.

Soup at 6:00pm followed by video at 6:30pm.



SENIOR APPRECIATION DAY



*Celebrating Lakeshore’s  
citizens with the*

**NIL-A-NOVA-BAND**

FRIDAY JUNE 15<sup>TH</sup>

12:00pm Doors open

12:30pm-1:30pm Lunch is served

1:30pm-3:30pm Entertainment



**Atlas Tube Center**

447 Renaud Line Rd, Belle River

Register online at [www.lakeshore.ca](http://www.lakeshore.ca) - code #8375

Or call Recreation Services at 519-727-0470 to register.

**FREE FOR LAKESHORE RESIDENTS.  
REGISTER TODAY! LIMITED SEATING.**

SAVE THE DATE!

On Saturday, June 16, 2018 **Madonna House** will mark **35 years** of presence in Windsor with a Mass of Thanksgiving celebrated by Bishop Dabrowski at Immaculate Heart Parish at 10:00am. All are welcome. A light repast will follow down in the Church Hall.

**Our Lady of the Rosary Shrine’s  
19<sup>th</sup> Annual Shrine Sunday**

SUNDAY JUNE 10 AT 3:00PM IN MERLIN

- Bring your family to pray the Rosary and visit the Shrine
- Come early and visit the various religious theme trails
- Bring your lawn chairs
- Groups bring your banners and join the procession
- Fourth Degree Knights are invited to attend in full regalia
- Dinner will take place after the Shrine Mass at Visitation Parish in Comber, tickets are \$25.00 and must be pre-ordered
- For more information contact Maurice Janisse, 519-728-3044

DIOCESAN MINISTERS PRAYER CALENDAR

**TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

June 10 ~ Deacon Carol Tamas

June 11 ~ **Memorial of St. Barnabas**

Deacon Guy Alden

June 12 ~ Rev. John (Jack) Devine

June 13 ~ **Memorial of St. Anthony of Padua**

Rev. Dariusz Jagodzinski

June 14 ~ Rev. Greg Blonde

June 15 ~ Mr. Jim Cookson, Pastoral Minister

June 16 ~ Rev. John Peter Dunstan, C.R.

PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE SICK

DIANE REAUME	DIANE LAUZON	RENE TELLIER
LISA BOND	A.J. LALIBERTE	THERESA BEAULIEU
LUCILLE TELLIER	LOUANNE HAMELIN	CARMEL LETTENBICHLER
MADELEINE DUPUIS	LINDA LEE CASSIDY	JACKIE BARRETTE MOJESKE
ALICIA DAVEY	LUCILLE ROY	MIKE LANOUE
JIM LIGHT	MADALAYNA DUCHARME	JULIETTE RIVEST
MARI SCHROEDER	STEPHEN ILIJANICH SR.	HANY YOOSAF

PLEASE INFORM THE OFFICE TO HAVE SOMEONE’S NAME ADDED OR REMOVED

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED LOVED ONES,  
PARISHIONERS AND FRIENDS.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE AND MAY THE LORD SEND  
COMFORT AND CONSOLATION TO THEIR FAMILIES.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

JUNE 3, 2018

Regular Offering	6,243.89
Regular Offering - Direct Deposit	425.00
Loonie & Toonie	308.90
Restoration Campaign	615.00
Restoration Campaign - Direct Deposit	78.00
Initial Envelopes	5.00
<b>TOTAL DEPOSIT</b>	<b>7,675.79</b>

Thank you, your generosity is greatly appreciated!