

# ST. SIMON & ST. JUDE PARISH



## OFFICE HOURS

TUESDAY – FRIDAY 9 AM - 3 PM  
CLOSED BETWEEN 12 PM & 1 PM

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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 9:30 AM TO 10:30 AM

## Fourteenth & Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 7 & July 14, 2019

### 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.

## MONTHLY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

WEDNESDAY JULY 10, FROM 8:30 AM TO 1:00 PM

We have Monthly Eucharistic Adoration on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of every month from 8:30 am to 1:00 pm. You will find a sign up sheet at the entrance of the church which will allow you to sign up for 30 minutes of adoration. We will also have monthly parish intentions. Please note that this does **not** replace First Friday Adoration.

### JULY PARISH INTENTION:

*For all our children, may they be protected and continue to grow in their faith while away from school.*

## 4 STAGES OF MARRIAGE

The 4 stages of marriage are: **RETRouvaille** A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES  
(1) Romance, (2) Disillusionment, (3) Misery, and (4) Awakening. Many marriages experience the first 3 Stages. Marriages that end in divorce never make it to the 4<sup>th</sup> Stage of Awakening. Don't give up without learning about the 4<sup>th</sup> Stage of Awakening. If your marriage suffers from Disillusionment or Misery please contact Retrouvaille.

For confidential information about or to register for the August program call 1-800-705-6356 or email: [1015@retrouvaille.org](mailto:1015@retrouvaille.org) or visit the web site at [www.retrouvaillewindsor.com](http://www.retrouvaillewindsor.com)

## 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.

## SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

The **Society Truck** is coming here **August 17/18**. If you would like to donate any used clothing & excess items, please bring them here to **St. Simon & St. Jude Church**. Just like last year, there will be Volunteers to help receive your donated items **after the masses**. Thank you. God bless the poor.

## OFFERTORY COLLECTION

JUNE 30, 2019

Regular	6,030.95
Regular - Direct Deposit	465.00
Loonie & Toonie	303.87
Restoration Fund	835.00
Restoration Fund - Direct Deposit	90.00
Priest Pension Fund	315.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,039.82</b>

Thank you, your generosity is greatly appreciated!

## EVENTS AT A GLANCE

### TUESDAY JULY 9

- St. Vincent de Paul Meeting, 7:00pm
- Prayer gathering, every Tuesday 7:15pm

### WEDNESDAY JULY 10

- Eucharistic Adoration, 8:30am to 1:00pm

### THURSDAY JULY 11

- Bingo every Thursday, 6:00pm, Hall

### TUESDAY JULY 16

- Prayer gathering, every Tuesday 7:15pm

### THURSDAY JULY 18

- Bingo every Thursday, 6:00pm, Hall
- Novena to St. Anne begins, after morning mass

### SUNDAY JULY 21

- Youth Involved Mass, 11:00am

## SUNDAY MORNING ROSARY

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



## UNPLANNED ~ THE ABBY JOHNSON STORY

**THIS MOVIE IS A GAME CHANGER FOR THE PRO-LIFE MESSAGE!**

« A powerful witness of Abby Johnson's conversion from an adamant abortion supporter to an advocate for pre-born children. »

UNPLANNED IS BEING RELEASED IN CANADA ON FRIDAY JULY 12<sup>TH</sup>!!

SHOW TIMES AVAILABLE JULY 8<sup>TH</sup>  
**Imagine Cinema**  
164 Commercial Blvd (519) 979-2400  
**Silver City**  
4611 Walker Rd (519) 966-688

*"I recommend the movie for ages 13 and up because these young people are already forming their opinions about the rightness or wrongness of abortion by the rhetoric they hear in the media."*

(Parental accompaniment required) Laurie Eberhardt

For more information, and a **Sneak Peak**, visit <https://www.unplannedfilm.com/canada>

## PASTORAL ADMINISTRATION

ADMINISTRATOR

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PASTOR EMERITUS

**Rev. Dan Morand**

PERMANENT DEACON

**Deacon Don Hamelin**

PASTORAL MINISTER

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## FROM OUR PASTOR, FR. ANTONY

My Dearest Parishioners in Jesus Christ,

When Jesus sends out the seventy-two, He reminds them of the daunting task ahead of them and the tremendous opposition they are going to face. He tells them to lead the radical lifestyle of a wandering preacher who must face homelessness and renunciation of family and property. They are not to be encumbered by extra luggage and are not to spend time on the way for roadside chats. They are not to look for comfortable places to stay. They are to be content with whatever is offered.

On their return the disciples are delighted at the success of their mission. But Jesus counsels them to rejoice, not because of their successful mission, but because their names are written in heaven. If they rejoice only on account of the success of their mission, what will happen to their joy when their mission fails? Jesus plainly tells them that even on such occasions they must remain happy because their names are written in heaven.

Christianity's punch and originality is in its poverty, detachment and weakness. The work Christ came to do and left to the Church to carry on is immense and important. What about the tools? During World War II, the slogan, "Give us the tools and we will finish the job!" was famous. What tools did the Father give Jesus and what tools did Jesus give us for the job? The task indeed is enormous, the tools pitifully inadequate.

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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.

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

Floor Coverings International 519-735-5515

Hallmark Memorial - Hwy #3, Walker Rd 519-737-6158

Strong's Appliance Service Ltd. 519-728-2334

Melady Funeral Home by Arbor Memorial [www.meladyfuneral.ca](http://www.meladyfuneral.ca)

Michael Sutton, K of C - Managing Director 519-728-1500

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**FROM FR. ANTONY (continued)**

For the work that Christ came to do and that the Church has to continue, there is nothing more suited than the language of the cross, of poverty and weakness. In and for the Kingdom of God only, this language is persuasive. All the rest are manipulative. Can we think of a more armless and harmless religious leader and a more defenseless king than Christ on the Cross? And yet He says, "When I am lifted up on the cross, I will draw all men to myself."

St. Paul takes up the refrain: "The thing I can boast about is the Cross of Christ." Have we understood the language of the cross as the most powerful and effective tool for evangelization? The harvest is great. What we lack is faith.

To accept the Good News is to accept salvation and life; to reject is to choose judgement and death. It is in one's power to accept it or reject it but the messengers of the Good News must not leave people in ignorance of the meaning of their choice; they are choosing or rejecting for themselves the kingdom of God which has come near.

Salvation in Christ is present and available wherever the Gospel is preached. Men always stand in a crisis of judgment and are faced with the necessity of choosing either life or death, either heaven or hell. The Church's principal task as messenger of God is to confront men with these crucially vital alternatives.

Right now, what is my daily cross and what is my attitude towards it? Lord, may I never be afraid of the cross in my life or ashamed of my weakness.

With kindest regards,  
Fr. Antony Kolenchery

**FROM OUR PASTORAL MINISTER, SUE HOFGARTNER**

Dear Parishioners,  
I recently read the following reflection written by Brené Brown, in her book *Daring Greatly*. I hope and pray you will enjoy it as much as I do. I encourage you to read it aloud to yourself, to a small child or anyone whom you love dearly. As we spend time with our families during these summer months please keep the wisdom below ever-present.

*"Above all else, I want you to know that you are loved and lovable. You will learn this from my words and actions—the lessons on love are in how I treat you and how I treat myself.*

*I want you to engage with the world from a place of worthiness. You will learn that you are worthy of love, belonging, and joy every time you see me practice self-compassion and embrace my own imperfections.*

*We will practice courage in our family by showing up, letting ourselves be seen, and honoring vulnerability. We will share our stories of struggle and strength. There will always be room in our home for both.*

*We will teach you compassion by practicing compassion with ourselves first; then with each other. We will set and respect boundaries; we will honor hard work, hope, and perseverance. Rest and play will be family values, as well as family practices.*

*You will learn accountability and respect by watching me make mistakes and make amends, and by watching how I ask for what I need and talk about how I feel.*

*I want you to know joy, so together we will practice gratitude. I want you to feel joy, so together we will learn how to be vulnerable.*

*When uncertainty and scarcity visit, you will be able to draw from the spirit that is a part of our everyday life.*

*Together we will cry and face fear and grief. I will want to take away your pain, but instead I will sit with you and teach you how to feel it.*

*We will laugh and sing and dance and create. We will always have permission to be ourselves with each other. No matter what, you will always belong here.*

*As you begin your Wholehearted journey, the greatest gift that I can give to you is to live and love with my whole heart and to dare greatly.*

*I will not teach or love or show you anything perfectly, but I will let you see me, and I will always hold sacred the gift of seeing you. Truly, deeply, seeing you."*

Sincerely, Sue

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE**



At the recent Diocesan Convention, a per capita increase was voted on for the London Council. With this increase and the cost of insurance increase, we must submit \$22.00 for each member. Therefore, under the circumstances, we will increase our membership dues to \$25.00, effective immediately.  
Thank you for your understanding.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

Mass requests for the summer Bulletins are needed at this time. We are low on Mass intentions and I need to plan ahead. Please call Angela ~ 519-728-3381 ext 0 or leave a note in the Offertory Basket. Thank you



**WELCOMING THE NEWLY BAPTIZED**

**Joséphine Marie McLeod**

DAUGHTER OF JOHN MCLEOD & JACQUELINE (LEVESQUE)

**Andie Caroline Beneteau**

DAUGHTER OF PAUL BENETEAU & AMY (SERRAN)

**Year of Prayer**

Pentecost 2019 to Pentecost 2020

*The Diocese of London: Being a mission-oriented Church that forms disciples of Jesus*

**Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and fill the hearts of your people with an ardent desire to follow Jesus, to be his missionary disciples.**

Fill us with joy and a desire to know your word.

May we boldly proclaim the Good News to others; for when we help others to know that God loves them, they will know true happiness.

Fill us with a deep desire for the Eucharist.

May we recognize Jesus in the proclamation of the Scriptures and in the Breaking of the Bread; for when we are united with Jesus, joy is constantly born anew.

Fill us with a true love of neighbour.

May we seek opportunities for reconciliation, and with big hearts serve those in need; for in serving them, we know we are serving your Son.

With the help of the Holy Spirit, may we commit ourselves to loving you and doing your will.

We make this prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

<b>Tuesday July 9 8:00am</b>	Jackie Mojeske ~ Ron & Kathy Peltier Ray Tellier ~ Lucille & family Pizza Quenneville ~ wife Diana
<b>Wednesday July 10 8:00am</b>	LaVaughn Martin ~ Mike & Diane Connor Roger Doyon ~ Robert Labbé Louis Moison ~ Roger & Linda Bellaire
<b>Thursday July 11 8:00am</b>	Denis Poisson (37 <sup>th</sup> Ann) ~ John, Burgandy, John D. & Trinna Frank, Ursula, Joe & Bernard Cottele ~ Pat & Patty Lanoue Bobby Stanley ~ John & Pauline Levesque
<b>Thursday July 11 10:00am</b>	<b>CHAPEL AT SEASON'S LAKESHORE</b> Roy & Josephine Murphy & relatives ~ the family Felix Rivard ~ Monique & family Debbie Dame ~ Dad & Mary Lou & family
<b>Friday July 12 9:30am</b>	Souls in Purgatory ~ a parishioner Jamil Shamo ~ the family St. Joseph; those dying & in purgatory ~ parishioners
<b>Saturday July 13 9:00am</b>	Thanksgiving for Richard & Denise Bilodeau's 41 <sup>st</sup> Wedd. Ann Bill Snyder (2 <sup>nd</sup> Ann) ~ Doreen & family Our Blessed Mother ; Souls in Purgatory ~ parishioners

**MASS INTENTIONS**

<b>Tuesday July 16 8:00am</b>	In thanksgiving for Fr. Dan Morand's 60 years of Priesthood ~ Ernie & Mary Lou Hamelin Gil & Dorothy Lanoue ~ Pat & Patty Lanoue Margaret Gyemi ~ Lorette Barrette & family
<b>Wednesday July 17 8:00am</b>	Irene Leboeuf (2 <sup>nd</sup> Ann) ~ Deedee Sylvestre Russell Sauvé ~ the family Dolly Marcus ~ Pat & Ray Lalonde
<b>Thursday July 18 8:00am</b>	Thanksgiving for Frank & Del Lipischak's 50 <sup>th</sup> Wedd. Ann Gisèle Messier ~ Roger & Linda Bellaire Bob Bechard ~ wife Pauline & family
<b>Thursday July 18 10:00am</b>	<b>CHAPEL AT SEASON'S LAKESHORE</b> Margaret Logue ~ sister Julie (Tellier) Nichols Richard Hargreaves ~ Nancy Hargreaves Jackie Mojeske ~ Cecile & Danny Mayrand
<b>Friday July 19 9:30am</b>	Beatrice Quenneville ~ Claudette & Morris Mousseau Julianne Maurice ~ Debbie & Carlo Baldi St. Joseph; those dying & in purgatory ~ parishioners
<b>Saturday July 20 9:00am</b>	Edward Tellier ~ wife & family Harold Hergott ~ Ron & Pat Scharlach Our Blessed Mother ; Souls in Purgatory ~ parishioners

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

Holy Family Retreat House, Oxley, is seeking a full-time Maintenance/Property Manager.  
Assumption Parish, Windsor, has extended the closing date of Community Outreach Coordinator to July 19, 2019.  
The Chatham Catholic Family of Parishes is seeking a full-time Bookkeeper.

Details for these and other opportunities are available at [www.dol.ca/employment](http://www.dol.ca/employment).

**DIOCESAN MINISTERS PRAYER CALENDAR**

**FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

- July 7 ~ Catholic Secondary School Teachers
- July 8 ~ Mrs. Dorothy de Bakker, CYM
- July 9 ~ Deacon Gerard Charette
- July 10 ~ Rev. Pio Beorchia
- July 11 ~ **Memorial of St. Benedict**  
Rev. Michael Brand, C.S.B.
- July 12 ~ Deacon John Lammers
- July 13 ~ Sister Teresa Morrison, C.P.S. Pastoral Minister

**FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

- July 14 ~ Ms. Veronica Costa, CYM
- July 15 ~ **Memorial of St. Bonaventure**  
Mr. Christopher Laforet, CYM
- July 16 ~ **Memorial of Our Lady of Mount Carmel**  
Deacon Donald McCullough
- July 17 ~ Mrs. Heather Cushing, Pastoral Minister
- July 18 ~ Deacon Marcel DeClerk
- July 19 ~ Deacon Jack Grim
- July 20 ~ Rev. Antoine (Tony) Laforet



**PLEASE BE ADVISED**

Beginning this weekend, the bulletin will be published every two weeks for the summer months.

**PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE SICK**

DIANE REAUME	JULIETTE RIVEST	LOIS & CLARENCE JANISSE
LISA BOND	HANY YOOSOF	DALE SIMMONS
MADELEINE DUPUIS	PAT BOWSHER	LUELLA LEBOEUF
ALICIA DAVEY	PAT BUTLER	MARY LOU BOMBARDIER
JIM LIGHT	CECILE STRONG	LUCILLE TELLIER
MARI SCHROEDER	BETTY & DON SIGRIST	MARION GAUTHIER
DIANE LAUZON	MIKE PRESTON	DAVE LEMIRE
A.J. LALIBERTE	JULIA GAGNON	ANNA ST. JOHN
MADALAYNA DUCHARME	KEVIN DUCHARME	NORM VANIER
RENE TELLIER	PAUL DUCHARME	DEACON DON HAMELIN
CARMEL LETTENBICHLER	BETTY & GERRY ALEXANDER	KRISTY LEE ZIMMERMAN
MIKE LANOUE	ANGELA RICE	

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

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

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.