

# FORMED

PICK FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST

FORMED RECOMMENDATIONS



Discover all the best Catholic content in one place. Entertaining movies, programs, talks, audio dramas, and ebooks—just a click away!

Visit [Formed.org](http://Formed.org) and use our Parish Code: **GKKYTH**

### FORMED UPDATE

We hope you are enjoying your free subscription to FORMED – an amazing revolutionary online platform providing access to the best Catholic audio talks, movies, e-books and video-based studies. If you are new to FORMED and want to sign up please visit [Formed.org](http://Formed.org) and login using our parish code GKKYTH. If you need help navigating the FORMED platform please contact us at the parish office – we would be happy to help!

### DECORATION DAY- TILLSONBURG CEMETERY

Decoration Day at Tillsonburg Cemetery is on Sunday August 18, 2019 with a prayer service at 2:00 pm. All are welcome!

### HOW TO PRAY

Grant us grace, Almighty Father, so to pray as to deserve to be heard.  
—Jane Austen

### WEEKLY OFFERTORY – AUGUST 10/11, 2019

<b>St. Michael's</b>	
Regular Envelope	\$ 455.00
Thanksgiving Appeal	\$ 10.00
Loose	\$ 92.00

**Sub-Total \$ 557.00**

### Sacred Heart

Regular Envelope	\$1,275.00
Thanksgiving Appeal	\$ 50.00
Building Fund	\$ 70.00
Loose	\$ 159.00

**Sub-Total \$ 1,554.00**

**Total \$ 2,111.00**

### PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND & JORDAN

Under spiritual guidance of Rev. Thomas Kuriacko, pastor of Sacred Heart, Langton & St. Michael's, Walsh Parish, on October 18-29, 2019- 12 days CA \$3990. (taxes & tips Incl.) Travel arrangements by QS Travel & Tours Inc. affiliate of Queen Syrena Travel Inc. Telephone # 905-412-3355 or 1-800-565-3619. [www.qstours.com](http://www.qstours.com)

### CENTREFEST 2019 UPDATE

Mark your calendar for **Sunday, September 8, 2019** for our Annual Fundraiser for the Father Langan Parish Centre in St. Mary's Church, Tillsonburg. This event will be held after the 11:00 am Mass. Serving starts at 12:30 pm. Tickets for the Pork BBQ are now available and will be sold at St. Mary's Church after all weekend Masses beginning August 24/25 & August 31/September 1st. Tickets are available prior to these dates at the Parish Office at St. Mary's as well as Sacred Heart Church during regular office hours or by calling (519)842-4774. Tickets will be available at the door September 8th. Good News! No charge in the price for this wonderful dinner- \$15.00 for Adults (13 yrs. & up) & \$6.00 for children (6-12 yrs.). There will be a 50/50 cash draw the day of the event.

### ST. MARY'S CWL TILLSONBURG

St. Mary's CWL is taking orders for Meat & Apple pies. The cost is \$4.00. To place an order, please call: Nora Marie Bruder at 519-842-8460 or Irene Gubesch at 519-842-3312.

**AUGUST 18 & 25, 2019**

**20TH & 21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

### SACRED HEART PARISH

Sacred Heart Church  
24 Albert St.  
Langton, ON



St. Michael's Church  
978 St. John's Road  
Walsh, ON



### Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday – 5:00 pm  
Sunday – 8:30 am (St. Michael's)  
Sunday – 10:30 am

### Daily Mass

Tues. – 5:00 pm  
Wed. to Fri. – 9:30 am

### Reconciliation

20 min. prior to weekday mass  
Sat. 4-4:45 pm  
Sun. 8-8:20 am, or by appt.(St. Michael's)

### Mailing address

Box 8, Langton, ON N0E 1G0  
**Phone:** 519-875-4438  
**E-mail:** [sacredheartlangton@dol.ca](mailto:sacredheartlangton@dol.ca)  
**Fr. Thomas e-mail:** [tckuriacko@dol.ca](mailto:tckuriacko@dol.ca)

### Parish Clergy

Rev. Thomas Kuriacko, Pastor  
Jack Grim, Deacon  
Brian Hanley, Deacon

**Office Hours:** Tues. and Thurs. 9 am – 4 pm;

**Baptisms** – Contact Rev. Thomas—6 months notice **Marriages** – Contact Rev. Thomas— one year notice required  
**Schools** – Sacred Heart, Langton - St. Michael's, Walsh - Our Lady of Fatima, Courtland

### FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENT, BISHOP FABBRO'S MESSAGE, AND OBITUARY:

#### THE MOST REV. JOHN MICHAEL SHERLOCK

### FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

Bishop John Michael Sherlock passed away peacefully on Monday August 12, 2019 in his 94th year. The funeral mass for him was celebrated on Friday August 16, 2019 at 11:00 am at St. Peter's Cathedral Basilica. His burial was at St. Peter's cemetery, London.

### MESSAGE FROM BISHOP FABBRO

Bishop Sherlock was a true pastor who was close to his priests and his people. In his episcopal ministry over the past 45 years, he gave his life in service of our diocese and the wider Church in Canada. We will miss him, and we pray for him that he will rest in peace.

### OBITUARY FOR BISHOP SHERLOCK

John Michael Sherlock was born in Regina, Saskatchewan, on January 20, 1926. He grew up in Brantford, Ontario with his parents, two sisters, and five brothers. After high school, called by God, he entered St. Augustine's Seminary in Toronto. He was ordained to the priesthood on June 3, 1950. Incredibly, he was one of three priests from his family, along with his brothers Philip and William.

Immediately after his priestly ordination, then-Father Sherlock began graduate work in canon law. He completed his licentiate in 1952 and began parochial work in Hamilton, Ontario, and then Dundas, Ontario. He later returned to Hamilton as pastor of St. Charles Garnier parish, where he had the responsibility of building a new church for a growing community. Throughout this time, he was involved in the Diocese of Hamilton's tribunal, the Newman chaplaincy (both locally and nationally), and co-operative housing. He taught Sacred Scripture at McMaster University and worked closely with school and hospital boards.

In 1974, Pope Saint Paul VI named John Michael Sherlock as the Auxiliary to London's then-Bishop G. Emmett Carter. Bishop Sherlock was ordained on August 28, 1974. Four years later, he was named the ninth Bishop of the Diocese of London and installed at St. Peter's Cathedral Basilica on August 21, 1978, by his predecessor, then-Archbishop Carter.

*(continued on inside)*

**PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

*(Continued from front)*

For 24 years, from 1978 to 2002, Bishop Sherlock served as the Bishop of London. He was a deeply spiritual man with a keen intelligence, a natural ability to lead, and a joyful sense of humour. A lifelong priest and shepherd, he was deeply and lovingly committed to Jesus, his Church, and her people.

Bishop Sherlock led the Diocese through the final quarter of the twentieth century, a time of social upheaval when the Church searched for new ways to continue its mission. With his leadership, the Diocese adopted a profound shift in the concept of ministry, one which affected not only priests and religious, but the laity and diocesan administrators.

A tireless and forward-thinking Bishop, John Sherlock made important contributions in Catholic education, health care, social justice, pastoral care, and the implementation of changes resulting from the Second Vatican Council. His influence reached across not only the Diocese but across Ontario and Canada.

In September 1983, Bishop Sherlock was elected president of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB). He was tasked with organizing the 1984 papal visit to Canada. He made countless trips to Ottawa and Rome to plan logistics, navigate schedules, and help fine-tune Pope Saint John Paul II's public speeches. Bishop Sherlock accompanied the Pope during the cross-country visit in September 1984, an odyssey which resulted in a lasting friendship between the two. The papal visit was one of the highlights of Bishop Sherlock's episcopacy, and indeed of his life.

Bishop Sherlock inspired a strong bond of fraternity among the priests of the diocese as well as the men studying for the priesthood at St. Peter's Seminary. The seminary, which was comprehensively restored in the final years of Bishop Sherlock's lifetime, remains a viable centre of formation for both seminarians and lay students, thanks in large part to the Pentecost 2000 capital campaign which Bishop Sherlock launched in 1989. Response from diocesans was incredible and the campaign raised more than \$21-million. This provided a lasting endowment for St. Peter's Seminary, as well as the vital funding need to establish a Youth Ministry Office, the Diocesan Refugee Office, the Office of Liturgy, and the Justice Office, all of which continue in some form.

On April 27, 2002, Rome accepted Bishop Sherlock's resignation. He chose to spend his retirement years in the city of London, so that he could remain in the diocese which he considered his home. Even in retirement, he remained active by teaching, conducting retreats and parish missions, helping at parishes on weekends, and participating in diocesan celebrations. He continued hearing confessions and celebrating Mass almost every Monday at the cathedral into late 2018.

Bishop Sherlock passed away peacefully on Monday, August 12, 2019 in his 94th year.

When he was elevated to the episcopacy, Bishop Sherlock chose *Omnia et in omnibus Christus* as his episcopal motto. Translated into English, his motto proclaimed that "There is only Christ: he is everything and he is in everything" (Col. 3: 11, Jerusalem Bible). These words guided him throughout his term as Bishop and until his last hour.

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Tues Aug 20/19: St. Bernard  
 Wed Aug 21/19: St. Pius X  
 Thurs Aug 22/19: The Queenship of the blessed virgin Mary  
 Sat Aug 24/19: St. Bartholomew

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Tues Aug 27/19: St. Monica  
 Wed Aug 28/19: St. Augustine  
 Thurs Aug 29/19: The Passion of St. John the Baptist

**THE WINTERING SITE 350TH ANNIVERSARY MASS**

The WINTERING SITE 350th Anniversary Mass will be held 5:30 PM Friday September 6th 2019 at the park off Donjon Boulevard, Port Dover, with Auxiliary Bishop Joseph Dabrowski and our pastors. After Mass a reception with light refreshments will be held at St. Cecilia School gymnasium (3 Lynn Park Ave.) -All welcome. Bring your own lawn chairs and dress for outdoors. In case of inclement weather the Mass will be at St. Cecilia's. if you would like to see more information, there are booklets at the back of the church.

**WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE – SACRED HEART, LANGTON**

DATE	TIME	MASS INTENTION	BY
Tues Aug 20/19	7:00 pm	• Maria & Albert Van De Voorde	• Yvonne Baswick & Family
Wed Aug 21/19	9:30 am	• Regina Zarycki	• Teresa Keenlside
Thurs Aug 22/19	9:30 pm	• Yvonne Van Haecke	• Margaret Van Laeken
Fri Aug 23/19	9:30 am	• For vacations to priesthood & religious life	

**WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE – SACRED HEART, LANGTON**

DATE	TIME	MASS INTENTION	BY
Tues Aug 27/19	7:00 pm	• Yvonne Van Haecke	• Marie Van Damme
Wed Aug 28/19	9:30 am	• For a special intention of Harold Holbrooke	• Liliane Rigole
Thurs Aug 29/19	9:30 pm	• For all parishioners	
Fri Aug 30/19	9:30 am	• For vacations to priesthood & religious life	

**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE (Aug 24/25)**

Saturday (5 pm)

Lector: Phil Verhegghe  
 Eucharistic Minister: Deacon Jack  
 Altar Servers: Lauren Provoost, Ade'a Oud, Mvita Oud

Sunday (10:30 am)

Lector: Godelieve Townsend  
 Eucharistic Ministers: Deacon Jack & Mary Ann Kersten  
 Altar Servers: Colton Butler, Jennifer Vandewiele, & Sophie Butler

**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE (Aug 31/Sept 1)**

Saturday (5 pm)

Lector: Marleen Vandewiele  
 Eucharistic Minister: Cindy Brooke  
 Altar Servers: Ethan Spriet, Chelsie Spriet & Jeffery Lindsay

Sunday (10:30 am)

Lector: Jenny Zamecnik  
 Eucharistic Ministers: Anne Marie Claes & Christine Denn  
 Altar Servers: Scott Boyd, Luke Smithers, & Rosa Smithers

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Tues Sept 10/19	7:00 pm	Mass + parents + Confirmation Candidates meeting SHC
Fri Sept 20/19	9:30 am	Commencement of School Year Mass (all 3 schools) SHC
Sun Sept 15/19	10:30 am	Cemetery Sunday - following the 10:30 am mass SHC
Tues Sept 17/19	8:00 pm	Parish Pastoral Council meeting with St. Mary's Church, Tillsonburg following the 7:00 pm mass at SHC

**CEMETERY SUNDAY 2019**

This year's Cemetery Sunday will take place on September 15th, Immediately after the 10:30 am Mass, we will proceed to the cemetery for special prayers.