

Family of Parishes Update

From Fr Tom...

As you are aware, beginning in July we are activating a new family of Parishes.
(Leamington, Kingsville, Wheatley and Pelee Island)

We have begun preparations to be ready for this new reality for our parish life. I'm excited to consider all the possibilities that come when we work together for the mission Jesus' entrusts to us.

I have started a "transition team"... we hope to meet together twice a month from now until July in order to help me make good decisions.

Transition Team

Fr Tom

Fr Steve

Diane O'Neill

Deacon John

Deacon Dennis

Tony Fellbaum

Rob Frias

Mary Shaw

Fatima Branco

Janet Barraco

Sandy Foldesi

Please pray for wisdom and right judgement as we discern God's will for us.

You are welcome to chat with me or any of the members of the team if you have insights, or questions.

PRAYER FOR OUR FAMILY OF PARISHES

As sisters and brothers of Your son,
we offer You thanks for the love
that you have poured into our hearts.
Grant strength to this new family of faith
and keep us faithful in Your service.
Fortify the men and women
that have been given oversight of this community.
Provide them discerning hearts
and the ability to make courageous decisions.
May the same Spirit
who ushered those in the Upper Room
into the market,
grant to all the faithful,
the ability to proclaim the gospel
in bold and new ways.
Having come to know Your mercy and forgiveness,
transform all that we do,
so that the last and the least,
may come to know the goodness of Your Reign.
Finally, on the last day, grant to all of Your people,
the vision of Your face.
We ask through Your son, Jesus the Christ,
the first born from the dead,
who lives and reigns with You,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God forever and ever.

Michael Bechard (Rev.)

