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#### MASS TIMES FOR ST. MARY'S, BLENHEIM

WEEKDAY MASSES  
Tuesday to Friday at 8am

SUNDAY MASSES  
Saturday at 5pm  
Sunday at 10:30am

SUMMER MASSES  
St. Anne of the Lakes, Erieau  
Saturday at 3:45pm  
May to September

#### MASS TIMES FOR ST. MICHAEL'S, RIDGETOWN

WEEKDAY MASSES  
Tuesday to Friday at 8:30am

SUNDAY MASSES  
Saturday at 5pm  
Sunday at 9 & 11am

SUMMER MASSES  
St. Gabriel's, Rondeau  
Saturday at 5pm  
May to September

#### MASS TIMES FOR ST. PAUL'S, THAMESVILLE

WEEKDAY MASSES  
Tuesday at 6:30pm  
Thursday at 6:30pm  
Saturday at 8:30am

SUNDAY MASSES  
Saturday at 7pm  
Sunday at 8:30am

**OCTOBER 11TH, 2020**

**28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**Please Pray for Healing:** Art Kemp brother of Jeff Kemp (R), Paul Cameron (T), Carolyn Malic (T), Deacon Marcel DeClerk, Dale Gilbert (B), Mary Recoski, aunt of Barb Delanghe (B), Adam Roberts (R); Cathy Taylor (R), Peggy Vlasschaert Hart (B), Sister Emerita, Cheryl Ann Fisher (T), Linda Burk (B), Andrea Pike (R), Ray Breault (R), Sandra Sonneveld, sister of Randy Sterling (B), Max Connolly (B), Germaine Pynenbrouck (R), Connie Murray (B), Michelle MacLean (B), Irene Stepniak (R), Art Tremblay (B), Lena Mazan (R), Ruth Demaiter (T), Denise DeWitte (B), Frank Slemensky (B), Bill Van Loon (B), Lorraine Trinacty (B), Leatha Burke (R), and all others in our parish who need prayers.

**Please Pray for the Deceased:** Please pray for those who have died, Mary Hoskins, and for all the deceased members of our families.

**Diocesan Ministers Prayer Calendar:** Deacon Charles Stillwell; Rev. Gregory Bonin; Rev. Francis (Jack) Hurley; Rev. Mukucha Kathemo; Mrs. Nancy Ascik, Coordinator of Youth Ministry; Deacon Gerald Clement; Sister Matija Filipovic SPBZ, Pastoral Worker

**\*\*The Deadline for the bulletin is Wednesday at 10am for St. Mary's & St. Michael's and Tuesday at 11am for St. Paul's\*\***

Please phone the parish office concerning the Sacrament of Baptism, Anointing of the Sick and Communion visits.

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:** Half hour before all Weekend Masses or by appointment

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:** Please phone the parish office at least six months before your planned wedding date.

Dear Brothers and sisters in Christ,  
Peace and goodness. I have been thinking of prayer the last few days, and I thought I would share with you something that is found in our Capuchin Constitutions: "Prayer to God is the breathing of love stirred into life by the Holy Spirit through whom the inner person begins to listen to the voice of God speaking to the heart. God has been the first to love us and speaks to us in many ways: in all creatures, in the signs of the times, in the lives of people, in our hearts and, above all, through His Word the history of salvation."

May God bless you and have a great week.

Fr John

You can visit our website at <https://southkentcatholicfamilyofparishes.ca/> for updates and the bulletin (*be sure to click on the date at the left of the page to see the full bulletin*). Sunday Mass at 11am is available by clicking on the 'Watch Sunday Mass' link.

And don't forget to follow us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/skrfamily>

**\*\*MASKS\*\*** Please be advised that it is mandated by the Province of Ontario and Chatham Kent that masks **MUST** be worn in all public places. Please remember that Church is a public place.

**St. Mary's Mass Intentions**

**October 13th - October 18th, 2020**

Tue 8:00am - Souls in Purgatory  
Wed 8:00am - +Annie Myslik  
Thu 8:00am - +Tony Driessen  
Fri 8:00am - +Paul Kluka  
Sat 5:00pm - For our Parish Family  
Sun 10:30am - For our Parish Family

**St. Michael's Mass Intentions**

**October 13th - October 18th, 2020**

Tue 8:30 am - †Ida Goodreau  
8:30 am - Int. of Mark & William Timmermans  
Wed 8:30 am - †Donald & Frank Borg  
8:30 am - Int of Geoff & Angela Burke (Ann)  
Thu 8:30 am - †Jure Banovic  
8:30 am - †Jean Miller  
Fri 8:30 am - †Paul DeCock  
Sat 5:00 pm - For our Parish Family  
Sun 9:00 am - For our Parish Family  
11:00am - For our Parish Family

**St. Paul's Mass Intentions**

**October 13th - October 18th, 2020**

Tues 6:30 pm - Capuchin Intention  
Thurs 6:30 pm - Capuchin Intention  
Sat 8:30 am - The ill in our Parish Family  
Sat 7:00 pm - For our Parish Family  
Sun 8:30 am - For our Parish Family

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**

Next week is World Mission Sunday. This celebration of the missions will take place in every parish in the world. It is also a Global celebration of the Universal Church. Your prayers and donations will assist churches, hospitals, schools, and vocations where the church is still at a formative stage. With the assistance that Catholic communities throughout the world receive through World Mission Sunday, they will become self-sufficient and continue to flourish. By sharing the gift of faith, we can bring hope and love to those who need it most.

**LIFE CHAIN 2020- POSTPONED**

The Board of Directors of Right to Life Kent have decided to postpone our LifeChain event to the tentative date of November 1st, due to the latest COVID-19 restrictions from the government of Ontario, and to allow us to follow the recommendations of our Public Health by-law officer. New lawn signs will be available for pick-up from the office next week. Please call our office and arrange a time for pick-up @ 519-352-3611. The office will be open for contactless pick-up Mon., Tues., Wed, and Fri. from 10:00 a.m. to noon. If these hours do not work for you, please call and we will arrange a good time for you to pick-up. These lawn signs are available for a suggested donation of \$20.00; please leave cash or cheque in an envelope in our mailbox at time of pick up. The signs will be placed in our vestibule for you. Any questions please contact our office. Thank you for your kind understanding in this matter.

## 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*"I shall dwell in the house of the Lord my whole life long."*

### ST. PAUL'S

**READERS:** St. Paul's is in need of more readers. Please call the office, or speak to Fr. John if you are interested.

**SCHEDULED READERS OR MONEY COUNTERS:** Please check your schedules. These responsibilities still need to be met. If you are unable to be there on your scheduled date, please contact the office.

### THAMESVILLE FOOD BANK

If you require something daily, the food pantry is located by the drive way of the United Church in Thamesville. Please only take what you need so that others may also have access to non-perishable food items. If you wish to make non-perishable food donations, please take items to the front doors of that church.

### ST. MICHAEL'S RIGHT TO LIFE BABY SHOWER

It's time again for the Right to Life Baby Shower! Donations can be placed in the bassinet that will be in the entryway of the Church during the month of October. Items needed this year include new and gently used: preemie clothing; boys sizes 6-9, 6-12, 9 and 12 month sleepers; girls 6-9, 6-12, 9 and 12 month onesies/undershirts and sleepers; newborn boy onesies/diaper shirts; prenatal vitamins; baby shampoo, lotion, diaper rash cream (no powder).

Thank you.



### ST. MICHAEL'S CWL

There will be a CWL meeting with the Executive and the Convenors only on Monday, October 19th in the Parish Hall at 7PM. We would love to have a meeting where all members can attend, but due to Covid 19 restrictions, we have to limit our gathering to 10 individuals. If any member has any concerns or questions that they would like the CWL to bring forward at the meeting, you can give me a call at 519-674-3534 or let one of our executive members know. Thank you for your understanding.

As mandated by the Diocesan CWL, we cannot have our annual Harvest Bazaar this year because of this pandemic. Therefore, we will **not** be making cabbage rolls or selling them. We are sorry for the inconvenience to our parishioners and the community, but we look forward to having them available next year providing this pandemic passes. Please continue to pray with our members that this pandemic passes in the near future. Sue Martens (CWL President)

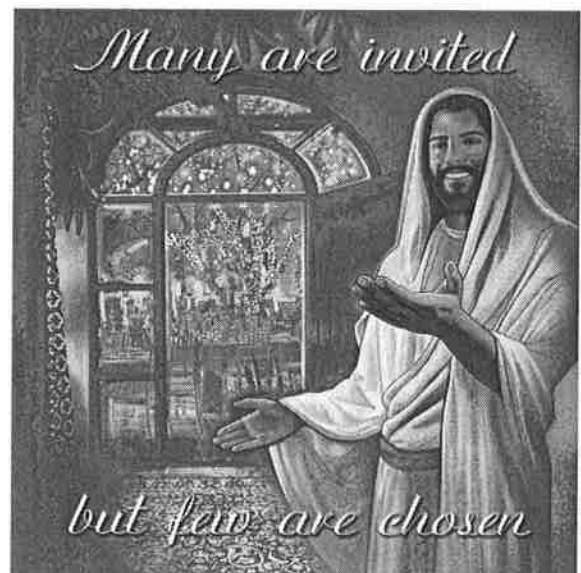
### OFFERTORY OCTOBER 4TH, 2020

*St. Mary's:* Offertory NA

*St. Michael's:* Offertory \$1,757.00

*St. Paul's:* Offertory \$550.00

**Stewardship - A Way of Life - Sharing God's Gifts**  
*As we move to the end of another liturgical year, our reading begin to speak to us about the end times. Full of hope and encouragement, they are meant to spur us on to faithful Gospel living no matter what befalls us in this life. Set among them is the responsorial psalm for today, Psalm 23, where the Lord is our shepherd who leads us to green pastures.*



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**COMMUNITY VILLAGE MASSES:**

Mass is held every second Friday of every month at 10am at Blenheim Community Village, and every second Tuesday of every month at 10am at the Ridgetown Village. All parishioners are welcome to attend.

**FOOD BANKS HOURS AND LOCATIONS:**

**BLenheim FOOD BANK**  
Blenheim Baptist Church,  
24 Talbot St. E.  
Wed. 1pm-4pm, Thurs. 1pm-4pm

**RIDGETOWN FOOD BANK**  
Salvation Army,  
18 Main St. 519-674-3765  
Tues. & Fri. 10am-4pm, Wed. & Thurs. 10am-12pm

**THAMESVILLE FOOD BANK**  
Thamesville United Church,  
107 Elizabeth St.

**FOOD BANKS:**

A basket is available at St. Mary's for anyone wishing to drop off donations for the Blenheim Food Bank for distribution to those in need. There is a cubby by the driveway at Thamesville United Church, open 24/7. Take only what you need. If you are able to help with donations, please bring to the front entrance of the United Church Monday through Friday.

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