



LAKES ERIE AND ST. CLAIR
CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES

FAMILLE DES PAROISSES CATHOLIQUES
DES LACS ÉRIÉ ET STE-CLAIRE

February 8 février 2026

*5th Sunday
in Ordinary Time
5e dimanche
du temps ordinaire*

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www.ErieStClairParishes.com

**Next Steps: Discernment Gathering
for our Family of Parishes**

All parishioners are invited to take part in the next Discernment Gathering for our Family of Parishes on **Monday, February 9 at 7:00 PM at St. Peter's on the Thames, Tilbury East.**

This gathering will focus on prayerful discernment around the weekend Mass schedule, recognizing that changes are expected, and on sharing our hopes for evangelization and parish renewal that can support these changes.

Parishioners from across our Family of Parishes are encouraged to come listen, share, and reflect together, offering important insights to help parish leaders make the best decisions for our communities.

Prochaines étapes :

**Rencontre de discernement
pour notre Famille de paroisses**

Tous les paroissiens et paroissiennes sont invités à participer à la prochaine rencontre de discernement pour notre Famille de paroisses, le **lundi 9 février à 19 h**

à St. Peter's on the Thames, Tilbury Est.

Cette réunion sera axée sur le discernement dans la prière autour de l'horaire des messes de fin de semaine, en reconnaissant que des changements sont à prévoir, et sur le partage de nos espoirs en matière d'évangélisation et de renouveau paroissial qui peuvent soutenir ces changements.

Les paroissiens et paroissiennes de toute notre Famille de paroisses sont encouragés à venir écouter, partager et réfléchir ensemble, en offrant des idées importantes pour aider les responsables paroissiaux à prendre les meilleures décisions pour nos communautés.

Weekday Masses ~ Messes en semaine

lundi/Monday February 9 février 2026
No mass / pas de messe

mardi/Tuesday, February 10 février 2026

6:30 pm at St. Peter's (English) Confessions 6:00-6:20 pm
+ Irene Duquette by her estate

****7:00 pm at St. Francis Xavier (English)**

**** note change of time for this week only**

CONFIRMATION MASS -All are welcome!

For the Intentions of our Confirmation candidates

mercredi/Wednesday, February 11 février 2026

8h30 à Immaculée Conception (français)

+ Pearl St. Pierre par Ron Peltier
+ Urbain Bechard par Norm Myers
Une intention spéciale par une paroissienne

6:30 pm at Visitation (English) Confessions 5:45 -6:15 pm

+ Matt Derikx by Mom and Dad
+ Angela Chauvin by Vicky and Richard Bechard
+ Souls in purgatory by Jean-Marc and Brenda Lacasse

jeudi/Thursday, February 12 février 2026

8:30 am at Visitation (English)

+ Brad Janisse by the Glajch family
+ Elaine Gammage by Jim and family
+ Ovelina Tremblay by Denise Laporte

6:30 pm at Immaculée Conception (English) Adoration 7-8:30pm

+ Souls in purgatory by Celeste McKenzie
+ In honour of venerable Délia Tétreault by Jim and Anne Brown
Intentions of the Holy Trinity Prayer Group members

vendredi/Friday, February 13 février 2026

8:30 am at St. Francis Xavier (English)

+ Don Bulley (4th ann.) by his wife Lorraine Bulley
+ Curtis Murphy (12th ann.) by Yvette and family
+ Irene Duquette by Paul and Eileen Sylvestre

12h00 à la Visitation (français)

+ Lise Brûlé par Pauline Bornais
+ Jeanne Renaud par Rita Huson
+ Margaret Tremblay par Jeannette Foolen

Please Note: Tuesday Evening Mass at St Francis Xavier Church is at 7PM this Tuesday February 10th. Some of our young parishioners will be making their Confirmation at this Mass. Please keep them in your prayers. All are welcome to attend.

À noter : la messe du mardi soir à l'église St Francis Xavier aura lieu à 19 h ce mardi 10 février. Certains de nos jeunes paroissiens et paroissiennes feront leur confirmation lors de cette messe. Merci de les garder dans vos prières. Tous sont les bienvenus.

Catholic Women's League St. Francis Xavier Rosary Intentions for February:

1. For favourable weather in order to be a source of joy and safety for all.
2. For our Family of Parishes Discernment Meeting on Monday February 9th, that all insights will help make the best decisions for our faith communities.
3. To be a beacon of light as a source of hope, inspiration or guidance for others.
4. During Lent that we may find ways to fulfill 'Works of Mercy'.

Weekend Masses ~ Messes de fin de semaine

Samedi / Saturday, February 14 février 2026

5:00 pm at St. Francis Xavier (English)

(Confessions 4:00-4:30 pm)

For the intentions of the people of God

17h00 à Immaculée Conception (français)

(Confessions 4:00-4:30 pm)

Pour les intentions du peuple de Dieu

Dimanche / Sunday, February 15 février 2026

8:00 am at St. Peter's (English)

For the intentions of the people of God

8h30 à la Visitation (français)

Pour les intentions du peuple de Dieu

****10:00 am at St. Francis Xavier (English)**

For the intentions of the people of God

10:30 am at Visitation (English)

For the intentions of the people of God

****10:30 am at Immaculée Conception (English)**

For the intentions of the people of God



****PLEASE TAKE NOTE****

As of February 15th Sunday Mass time at St Francis Xavier Church will change from 9:45 am to 10:00 am until further notice.

As of February 15th, Sunday Mass time at Immaculée Conception Church will change from 11:30 am to 10:30 am until further notice.

****VEUILLEZ PRENDRE NOTE****

À compter du dimanche 15 février, l'heure de la messe à l'église St Francis Xavier passera de 9 h 45 à 10 h 00 jusqu'à nouvel ordre.

À compter du dimanche 15 février, l'heure de la messe à l'église Immaculée Conception passera de 11 h 30 à 10 h 30 jusqu'à nouvel ordre.



Première Réconciliation et Première Communion

Les Inscriptions pour les sessions d'entraînement pour la Première Réconciliation et Première Communion se font en ligne dès maintenant au site

ErieStClairParishes.com

Dernier jour pour s'inscrire : le 13 février, à 30 \$.

Inscription tardive : du 14 au 23 février, à 45 \$.

First Reconciliation and First Communion

Registration for preparation sessions for First Reconciliation and First Communion are happening now on line at

ErieStClairParishes.com

Last Day to register February 13th at \$30
Late registration February 14th - 23th at \$45



5th Sunday in Ordinary Time February 8, 2026

The just man is a light in darkness to the upright.

At our baptism, we receive the light of Christ. While this light of faith certainly illumines our path, it is also meant to be shared with others. Through our good works, the light of Christ shines forth, helping others to recognize the work of God in our lives and drawing them to give him thanks and praise.

5e dimanche du temps ordinaire 8 février 2026

Nous, sel et lumière?

Nous sommes le sel de la terre et la lumière du monde, quelle dignité! Habités par notre foi, nous pouvons témoigner de la saveur de l'Évangile et refléter, par notre façon de vivre, la présence et la tendresse du Seigneur pour l'humanité.

The Readings / Les lectures

February 15 février 2026

Sirach / Ben Sira 15:15-20

Psalms 118 / Psaume 118 (119)

1 Corinthians / 1 Corinthiens 2:6-10

Matthew / Matthieu 5:17-37



Attention all Lectors

On Wednesday February 25th at Visitation Church, and Tuesday March 3rd at St Francis Xavier Church, all lectors in our Family of parishes are called to a meeting following the 6:30 pm Mass.

All lectors are to be present at one of the meetings.

À l'attention de tous les lecteurs/lectrices

Le mercredi 25 février à l'église de la Visitation et le mardi 3 mars à l'église St. Francis Xavier, tous les lecteurs/lectrices de notre Famille de paroisses sont invités à une réunion après la messe de 18h30.

Tous les lecteurs/lectrices doivent être présents à l'une des réunions.

Charisms of the Holy Spirit Workshop:

God has given you unique gifts, and the Church—and the world—need them. This Charism Discernment experience helps parishioners identify the spiritual gifts the Holy Spirit has entrusted to them and discover how to use them with confidence and joy. Registration includes a personalized charism assessment and digital resource package to begin your discernment journey before the event. Come discover how your gifts can make a real difference in our parish, our community, and our world.

This one day workshop will be led by Chrisandra Skipper, Pastoral Services Coordinator from the London Diocese.

Date: Saturday, February 28, 2026 -Time: 9:30am - 4:00pm

Location: Our Lady Help of Christians Parish Centre,
Wallaceburg - Cost:\$20 per person

(includes lunch and personalized charism assessment)

For more information, please contact Dorothy
by email ddebakker@dol.ca

Register <https://klrcfp.com/charisms-workshop>

Pray for the deceased...
Prions pour les défunts et défunt(e)s...

Please pray for the sick...
Prions pour les malades...



from / de

Paroisse Immaculée Conception & Saint-Philippe Parish

Jim Brown, Niall Hetherington, Robert L'Écuyer,
Rose-Marie Pepper, Aleks Pinsonneault, Nicolas Roy.

from/de St. Francis Xavier Parish

Avery Acheson, Nanette Baillargeon, Jim Brosseau,
Ken Dagenais, Bunny Dejong, Denise Dupuis,
Charlotte Gadal-Teichroeb, Bob Garant, Fr. Jack Hurley,
Christine Kilpatrick, Mike Martin, Rebecca McCarrell,
Christopher Powers, Oliver Reed, Eileen Ruehl,
Theresa Slack, Eileen Sylvestre.

from/de St. Peter's on the Thames and St Patrick's

Brad, Evelyn Gore, Jim Larsh, Katherine Moon,
Pauline Quenneville.

from/de Paroisse de la Visitation Parish

Jeannette Chauvin, Lorraine Chauvin, Marie-Anne Chauvin,
Lawrence Comartin, Pierrette Derikx, Jeannette Foolen,
Brynn Klassen, Jean-Guy Langlois, Charlene Parent,
Doreen Reaume, Randy Reaume, Ted Richardson,
Logan Smith, Steven Trepanier, Timothy Trepanier.

Saint of the Week:

Feb. 11: **Our Lady of Lourdes** arose first in popular devotion and later in the Church's liturgy. The "beautiful woman" of Bernadette Soubirous' visions had identified herself as the Immaculate Conception. Just 4 years earlier, in 1854, the Church had declared the dogma of the Immaculate Conception. It did not take very long for an Episcopal Commission, an official inquiry, to state: "We judge that Mary, the Immaculate Mother of God, did really appear to Bernadette Soubirous on Feb. 11th in 1858, and on certain subsequent days, 18 times in all, in the Grotto of Massabielle, near the town of Lourdes, France; that this appearance bears every mark of truth and that the belief of the faithful is well-grounded." Each of the colours in Our Lady of Lourdes' clothing is symbolic of a truth pertaining to her Immaculate Conception. In sacred art, white is used to symbolize purity, virginity, innocence, virtue and holiness. Yellow symbolizes purity, hope and light. Blue symbolizes heavenly grace and hope. By the time of Bernadette's death in 1879, a basilica had been built and consecrated at the apparition site, under the leadership of Fr. Peyramale. Lourdes is one of the most popular pilgrimage places in the world to feel close to the Virgin and to her Son, Jesus Christ, healer of body and soul.

Sainte de la semaine :

11 fév. : **Notre Dame de Lourdes**

De février à juillet 1858, la Grotte de Massabielle (Hautes-Pyrénées) attire des foules à Lourdes. En invoquant l'immaculée Mère de Dieu, qui s'y manifesta à Bernadette Soubirous (la première fois le 11 février 1858), le peuple chrétien découvre en Marie l'image de l'Église à venir. La préfiguration de la Jérusalem nouvelle, dont les portes sont ouvertes à tous les peuples. C'est aujourd'hui la journée mondiale des malades, instituée en 1992 par le Pape Jean-Paul II.



World Day of the Sick

Pope Leo XIV's message for the 34th World Day of the Sick, which will be celebrated on Wednesday, February 11, 2026, offers a reflection on the theme "The compassion of the Samaritan: loving by bearing another's pain". Bishop Fabbro will celebrate Mass at the Mount Hope long-term care facility that day. To read Pope Leo's reflection go to <https://www.vatican.va/content/leo-xiv/en/messages/sick/documents/20260113-messaggio-giornata-malato.html>

In his message, the Holy Father offers us the following prayer: "Sweet Mother, do not part from me.

Turn not your eyes away from me.

Walk with me at every moment and never leave me alone.

You who always

protect me as a true Mother,

obtain for me the blessing of the Father,

Son and Holy Spirit."



Journée mondiale du malade

Le message du pape Léon XIV pour la 34e Journée mondiale des malades, qui sera célébrée le mercredi 11 février 2026, propose une réflexion sur le thème « La compassion du Samaritain : aimer en portant la douleur de l'autre ». Mgr Fabbro célébrera la messe à l'établissement de soins de longue durée Mount Hope ce jour-là. Pour lire la réflexion du pape Léon, rendez-vous sur <https://www.vatican.va/content/leo-xiv/fr/messages/sick/documents/20260113-messaggio-giornata-malato.html>

Dans son message, le Saint-Père nous propose la prière suivante : Douce Mère, ne t'éloigne pas,

ne détourne pas ton regard de moi.

Viens avec moi partout

et ne me laisse jamais seul.

Puisque tu me protèges autant

comme une véritable Mère,

fais que le Père,

le Fils et le Saint-Esprit me bénissent !

Attention Cursillistas!

Be sure to mark your calendars for our next Ultreya on Friday, February 20th

at St. Mary's Church in Blenheim at 7:00pm.

Since we will be into the season of Lent, our evening will begin with the Stations of the Cross in the Church with our usual program in the basement to follow.

Looking forward to seeing you then!

Teen Lenten Retreat 2026 | March 7-8

This Lent, the Youth, Young Adult and Family Ministry Office is inviting teens from across the Diocese to step away from the noise and make space for what truly matters.

High school teens are invited to a meaningful retreat experience to encounter God, grow in faith, and be reminded that they are seen, known, and deeply loved.

Prayer - Community - Reflection - Moments that matter

The retreat is March 7-8, 2026 at Holy Family Retreat House and is intended for high school teens.

More information is at this link:

<https://dol.ca/teen-lenten-retreat-2026>

and registration is NOW OPEN at this [link](#)

— limited spots available!

Don't miss this opportunity to begin Lent with purpose.



NET Canada Mission Discernment Night:

Are you in grade 11-12 or between the ages of 18-30 and trying to figure out what's next in your life? Come see if a year on mission is for you! NET Canada invites you to our Mission Discernment Night in Windsor on Thursday, February 26th from 7-9pm at Ste. Anne Parish (12233 Tecumseh Rd E) ! Join us for a night of fellowship, food, and praise and get a glimpse into what a year on mission with NET Canada would look like! Interested or know someone who might be?

Register at netcanada.ca/apply! Have questions?

Email recruit@netcanada.ca or call/text 613-292-9991!

LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY

You're invited to attend the 35th annual Lift Jesus Higher Rally at the Metro Toronto

Convention Centre

on Saturday, March 14, 2026!

Join us for a Spirit-filled day

packed with fellowship,

praise and worship,

Eucharistic Adoration,

compelling talks, and more!

The day also will feature a youth rally in the Centre's

John Basset Theatre for youth ages 13-18.

Visit www.ljhr.ca for details!



Diocesan Family Summit for families of all ages

on Saturday, May 30 - 9:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Regina Mundi Catholic High School

(5250 Wellington Rd S, London)

Rooted in the Scripture theme:

"As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord." (Joshua 24:15)

Featured highlights include:

• Keynote Speaker: Deacon Bob Rice

• Worship led by The Encounter Band

• Evening Mass celebrated by Bishop Fabbro

• Breakout sessions for women, men, teens, and youth

• All meals included

• Bussing from Windsor & childcare available

More details, costs and registration information

is coming soon

The Pope Francis Fund

Application Process is Open

The Diocese of London's Pope Francis Fund has opened the application process for grants that will be distributed in 2026. Last year, nine organizations received a total of \$50,000 in funding. The process, criteria and past recipients are at www.dol.ca/pff. Parishes and parishioners are asked to share this with any groups who could benefit from this funding and use it to help the poor in our communities. The application process closes on February 28. Organizations that help the poor are encouraged to apply to the Pope Francis Fund for grants to support their charitable works. Details and criteria are available on the Diocese's website, www.dol.ca.



The Squirettes of Visitation Parish will be hosting a **Valentine's day bake sale** on February 15th after both masses. Please stop by to support them.

There will be gluten free options available.

Les Squirettes de la Paroisse de la Visitation organiseront une **vente de pâtisseries pour la Saint-Valentin** le 15 février après les deux messes. Venez les soutenir.

Des options sans gluten seront disponibles.



Visitation CWL Council would like to thank everyone who made donations to the January food collection for the Tilbury Information and Help Centre.

On January 25th and February 1st we collected 128 containers of juice, 637 juice boxes and \$180.00 in cash donations to help purchase additional items needed. Between 8:00 a.m. and noon on Sunday February 22nd, we will be accepting donations of soup and crackers. Please help to spread the word with family and friends about our monthly collections.



Le CWL Conseil Visitation tient à remercier toutes les personnes qui ont fait des dons lors de la collecte alimentaire organisée en janvier pour le Centre d'information et d'aide de Tilbury.

Les 25 janvier et 1er février, nous avons collecté 128 conteneurs de jus, 637 boîtes de jus et 180 dollars de dons en espèces pour aider à acheter les articles supplémentaires nécessaires. Le dimanche 22 février, entre 8 h et midi, nous accepterons les dons de soupe et de craquelins. Merci de faire connaître nos collectes mensuelles à votre famille et à vos amis.

NeighbourLink

is currently running its annual fundraiser,

Coldest Night of the Year which is set to take place on **Saturday, February 28 from about 4-7 pm.**

The Start/Finish location is Grace CRC in Chatham.

Registration opens at 4, the walk begins at 5.

All proceeds go toward helping this ministry alleviate poverty in its many forms here in Chatham-Kent.

You can help by registering a team or signing up as an individual walker on the C-K location page right here which has all the event details:

<https://cnoy.org/location/chatham-kent>

It involves collecting pledges, registering the pledges online or bringing them in on walk day and then joining us for hot chili after the walk. For more information, please contact the NeighbourLink office at 519-352-5647 during business hours.

Thank you in advance for your support! Psalm 41:1.

Located in Merlin within our family of parishes

Our Lady of the Rosary Monastery and Shrine

(519) 689 -7760

rosariansmerlin@gmail.com



Situé à Merlin au sein de notre famille de paroisses

À venir prochainement...

Un répertoire de photos pour notre Famille de paroisses

Ne serait-il pas formidable d'avoir un répertoire de photos pour connaître tous les noms des autres paroissiens et paroissiennes de notre famille ?

Voici votre chance... Nous prenons maintenant les rendez-vous pour les paroissiens et paroissiennes de

St. Peter's et Immaculée Conception & St-Philippe après les messes de fins de semaines du mois de février.

Les photos seront prises les 5, 6 et 7 mars à St Peter's (salle) et les 11, 12, 13 et 14 mars à Immaculée Conception (salle)

Les portraits seront également disponibles à l'achat auprès de l'entreprise. Veuillez noter que chaque paroisse aura sa propre section dans notre Répertoire de photos de famille.

Coming soon.... A Photo Directory for our Family of parishes

Wouldn't it be great to have a photo directory to get to know all the names of the members in our family of parishes? Here's your chance ...

We are now taking appointments for parishioners of **St. Peter's and Immaculée Conception & St-Philippe Parishes** after weekend masses during the month of February. Pictures will be taken March 5, 6 and 7 at St Peter's (hall) and March 11, 12, 13 and 14th at Immaculée Conception. (hall)

Portraits will also be available from the company for purchase. Please note that each Parish will have its own separate section in our Family Photo directory.

TAKE NOTE
Notez Bien

To be able to connect more easily with our Pastoral Staff please note that **Father Kieran will be present at the main office every Wednesday and Thursday mornings from 9am to 12noon and Father Edward will be in on Tuesdays from 9am to 12noon.**

Afin de faciliter les contacts avec notre équipe pastorale, veuillez noter que le père Kieran sera présent au bureau principal tous les mercredis et jeudis matins de 9 h à 12 h, et le père Edward les mardis de 9 h à 12 h.

Youth, Young Adult & Family Ministry Monthly Newsletter

The Diocesan office of Youth, Young Adult & Family Ministry is committed to supporting ministry to, with and for young people and their families at both the parish level and at a diocesan level. You are invited to sign up for the monthly YYAFM Newsletter. Each month you will receive an email that will highlight events, retreats, resources and other information relevant to the lives of our youth and families. To subscribe click on this link and scroll down the page to "SUBSCRIBE" today!!

www.dol.ca/yvafmnewsletter.



Inscrivez-vous ici ou communiquez avec dsalcedo@devp.org

Chatham-Kent

Vendredi 13 février à 18:30 p.m.

Atelier de Carême de partage

Lieu : Blessed Sacrament Hall on Victoria St.

Carême de partage 2026



Développement et Paix

CARITAS CANADA

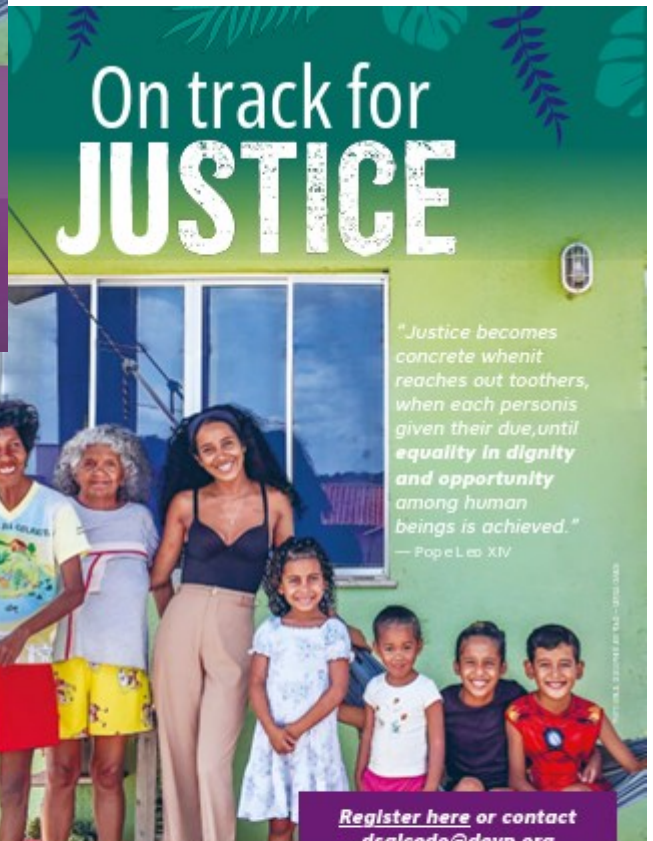
Développement et Paix – Caritas Canada est un mouvement démocratique de solidarité internationale qui a une double mission.

Nous travaillons en partenariat avec des organisations locales dans 34 pays à travers le monde. Celles-ci soutiennent leurs communautés dans la défense de leurs droits, dans leur travail en faveur de la paix et dans la prise en main de leur propre développement.

Nous sensibilisons la population sur les causes de l'appauvrissement des peuples et l'inspirons à agir pour le changement. Nous nous allions également aux groupes de changement social dans les pays du Nord et du Sud.

Rejoignez-nous alors que nous nous préparons à lancer notre campagne Carême de partage 2026.

SUR LA VOIE DE LA JUSTICE



Register here or contact dsalcedo@devp.org

Chatham-Kent

Friday, Feb 13 at 6:30 p.m.

Share Lent Workshop

Location: Blessed Sacrament Hall on Victoria St.

Share Lent 2026



Development and Peace

CARITAS CANADA



Development and Peace — Caritas Canada is a democratic movement for international solidarity with a double mission.

We work in partnership with local organizations that empower communities in 34 countries around the world to defend their rights, act for peace and take charge of their own development.

We educate Canadians about the causes of impoverishment and inspire them to advocate and act for change.

We also associate with social change groups in the North and South.

Join us as we prepare to launch our 2026 Share-Lent Campaign

ON TRACK FOR JUSTICE



World Day of Prayer Journée mondiale de la prière

2026

**"I Will Give You
Rest: Come"**

Matthew 11:28-30

Title: Rest for the Weary

Artist: Gift Amarachi Ottah



**« Je vous procurerai
le repos. Venez »**

Matthieu 11, 28-30

Titre : Le repos pour vous qui
peinez sous le poids du fardeau

Artiste: Gift Amarachi Ottah

***NOTE : two different locations each having its own time of service
*NOTEZ : deux lieux différents ayant chacun sa propre heure pour la célébration**

Ecumenical Worship Service Information/ Renseignements sur la célébration œcuménique

Day, Time/la date, l'heure / Location/endroit

At/à Immaculée Conception
VENDREDI/FRIDAY, MARCH 6 mars,
from **2to4** pm / de 14 h à 16 h

At St Andrew's
FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 11 AM

**Église Immaculée Conception Church,
24150 Winter Line Rd,
Pain Court ON N0P 1Z0**

**Comber St. Andrew's United Church
6425 Main Street,
Comber, ON N0P 1J0**

Additional Information/informations supplémentaires

PARKING / STATIONNEMENT at/à Église Immaculée Conception Church
Please use the elevator entrance North-West side of the church parking lot.
Veuillez utiliser l'entrée de l'ascenseur située du côté nord-ouest du stationnement.

Service prepared by WDP Nigeria, and adapted for use in Canada by the Women's Inter-Church Council of Canada

Service préparé par des chrétiennes du Nigeria et adapté par le Conseil des Femmes chrétiennes œcuméniques du Canada





Nos Offrandes ~ Our Offertory



Please note that although we have become a Family of Parishes, the finances of each parish will remain separate. You may deposit your offertory envelope at any one of our 4 parishes and it will be forwarded to the parish identified on the envelope.

Veillez noter que bien que nous soyons devenus une famille de paroisses, les finances de chaque paroisse resteront séparées. Vous pouvez déposer votre enveloppe d'offrande à l'une de nos 4 paroisses et elle sera acheminée à la paroisse identifiée sur l'enveloppe.

Paroisse Immaculée Conception & Saint-Philippe Parish

Jan. 31 jan & Feb. 1 fév. 2026

Envelopes (30)	\$983.00
Pre-auth. debit (26 donors)	\$810.00
+ pièces/ loose	<u>\$30.00</u>
	\$1823.00

Thanksgiving Appeal/
Campagne d'action de grâce.....\$1205.00

Projet notre église / Project Our Church

Donations.....\$1160.00

Paroisse de la Visitation Parish

February 1 février 2026

Envelopes (93)	\$3463.00
Pre-auth. debit (44 donors)	\$1179.50
+ pièces/loose	<u>\$88.50</u>
	\$4731.00

Thanksgiving Appeal/
Campagne d'action de grâce.....\$1044.25
Initial Offering/Offre initiale.....\$15.00

Building Fund

Pre-auth. Debit (19 donors).....	\$227.50
Donations.....	\$225.00
Memorial Donations.....	\$435.00

St. Peter's on the Thames Parish

February 1 février 2026

Envelopes (7)	\$140.00
+ loose	<u>\$60.00</u>
	\$200.00

Thanksgiving Appeal.....\$475.00

St. Francis Xavier Parish

Jan. 31 jan & Feb. 1 fév. 2026

Envelopes (61)	\$1842.00
Pre-auth. debit (9 donors)	\$307.50
+ loose	<u>\$79.00</u>
	\$2228.50

Thanksgiving Appeal.....\$1170.00
Initial offering.....\$10.00

Capital Projects

Pre-auth. debit (15 donors).....	\$194.25
Donations.....	\$175.00

NeighbourLink is a local Christian ministry that helps the needy across Chatham-Kent. One of the biggest needs we have is for volunteer drivers who will take people to medical appointments or other necessary places. We are also in great need of volunteers interested in life coaching through our WrapAround program. And we could really use some people who would like to visit and befriend lonely people. The need is great but the workers are few. If one of these opportunities suits your personal gifting, please consider investing in this ministry by filling out a volunteer application form at:

<https://www.neighbourlinkck.com/get-involved>

or just contact the NeighbourLink office at 519-352-5647.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES OPPORTUNITÉS D'EMPLOI

The Kent Lambton Roman Catholic Family of Parishes is seeking a Custodian, Wallaceburg. Closing date Feb. 9 2026

The Central Essex County Catholic Family of Parishes is seeking a Business Manager, Essex. Closing Date Feb 13 2026

For this and other employment opportunities go to
Pour ce poste et d'autres possibilités d'emploi, voir

<https://dol.ca/employment>

Attention : Interlocking brick at Visitation Church

is never salted or shovelled. Please use the pedestrian cross walk. Thank You.

Le pavé entrecroisé à l'église de la Visitation ne reçoit aucun sel et n'est pas nettoyé pendant l'hiver. Veuillez svp utiliser le passage piéton. Merci.



Did you know you can give year round to Thanksgiving Appeal?

To provide pastoral and other care, our parish always needs our financial support. Thank you to those who have already contributed. To the

others, know that we are still counting on you. Your donation will help reduce your taxes while helping your parish. Do not miss this opportunity! 100% of the Thanksgiving Appeal stays within the parish of your choosing.

Please do not forget your parish family.

Thank you for your support!!

Saviez-vous que vous pouvez donner toute l'année à La campagne d'action de grâce?

Pour assurer les soins pastoraux et autres, votre paroisse a toujours besoin de votre soutien financier. Merci à ceux qui ont déjà contribué. Aux autres, sachez que nous comptons toujours sur vous. Votre don permettra de réduire vos impôts tout en aidant votre paroisse. Ne manquez pas cette occasion ! 100% de La campagne de l'action de grâce reste au sein de la paroisse de votre choix.

N'oubliez pas votre famille paroissiale.

Merci pour votre soutien !