



# Holy Redeemer Parish Cluster

Sacred Heart - Holy Family – Our Lady Help of Christians  
Wallaceburg & Port Lambton, Ontario

## Holy Redeemer Parish Cluster

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### Office Hours

Tuesday – Friday  
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

## Weekend Mass Schedule

### Sacred Heart

Sunday, 9:00 a.m.

### Holy Family

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday, 8:30 a.m.

### Our Lady Help of Christians

Sunday, 10:30 a.m., &  
12:30 p.m. (LifeTeen) Sept-June

## Church Locations

### Sacred Heart

464 John St.  
Port Lambton, ON  
N0P 2B0

### Holy Family

647 Murray St.  
Wallaceburg, ON  
N8A 1W1

### Our Lady Help of Christians

422 Elgin Street,  
Wallaceburg, ON  
N8A 3C1

### Confessions

Our Lady Help of Christians

Saturday,

11:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

Sacred Heart

Tuesday, 6:30 p.m.

(Or by request by calling 519-627-2013  
ext. 222 or 245 to make  
an appointment)

## April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2018

### *Fourth Sunday of Easter*

Pastor - Father Chris Gillespie

Associate Pastor – Father Gerard Bedard

Deacons - Cyril Cogghe & Richard Walter

Pastoral Minister – Virginia Eade

Coordinator of Youth Ministry – Dorothy deBakker

Seminarian - Steve Eckert (seckert@dol.ca)

## OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS CEILING REPAIR



The ceiling repairs will begin at Our Lady Help Church on Monday, May 7<sup>th</sup>. To repair the ceiling, OLHC Church will be closed Monday, May 7<sup>th</sup> and reopen on Monday, May 21<sup>st</sup>. OLHC weekday and weekend Masses will be moved to Holy Family Church during this time.

## ORDINATIONS

The Diocese of London and St. Peter's Seminary announce the ordinations of Rev. Mr. Paul Kim and Rev. Dr. Robert Weaver to the ministerial priesthood. The Sacrament of Holy Orders will be celebrated by Bishop Fabbro on **Saturday, April 28<sup>th</sup> at 11 a.m.** at St. Peter's Cathedral Basilica, 196 Dufferin Ave., London. All are welcome to attend. We assure Deacon Paul and Deacon Robert of our support and prayers, as they prepare for ordination.

**THERE WILL BE NO CONFESSIONS ON SATURDAY, APRIL 28<sup>th</sup> SO PRIESTS CAN ATTEND THE ORDINATIONS.**

## SAVED BY THE ONE WHO WAS REJECTED

Some city teenagers often scorn and reject farm kids. Yet it's no exaggeration to say that humanity owes its life to farmers who care for the world's crops and livestock. This week's scriptures remind us that Jesus was as rejected as a shepherd, a farm boy, yet we owe our very lives to him.

In this Sunday's reading from the Acts of the Apostles Peter tells the people that salvation comes through Jesus Christ, the one who was rejected. In John's letter we hear that we have become God's beloved children through Jesus, whom the world did not know. Lastly, in the Gospel Jesus describes himself as the Good Shepherd who "lays down his life for the sheep" (John 10:11). Will you join Jesus in laying down your life for God's beloved flock?

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**Baptisms** - Contact Virginia Eade at 519-627-2013 ext. 227

**Marriages** - Contact clergy at 519-627-2013, ext. 222 or 245, one year prior to making any arrangements

**Sunday Friends** - Sept. through June; 10:30 a.m. at Our Lady Help of Christians and 9:00 a.m. at Sacred Heart

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR  
APRIL 24<sup>th</sup> – APRIL 27<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**TUESDAY: April 24<sup>th</sup>**

**Sacred Heart – 7:00 p.m.**

**Linda Flanagan** – Jean Wesley  
**Marguerite Francis** – Patti, Jamie, Kenz & Nick  
**Al Bechard** – Melvin, Lorraine & Family  
**George Bechard** – Melvin, Lorraine & Family  
**Terry Gallerno** – Dave & Bunny Atkins  
**Intentions of Fr. David Johnston** – Mom & Dad

**WEDNESDAY: April 25<sup>th</sup>**

**Our Lady Help of Christians – 7:00 p.m.**

**Holy Hour 6:00 p.m. Rosary at 6:30 p.m.**

**Benediction at 6:50 p.m.**

**Lucy Wisby** – The Family  
**Dr. Robert Sin Yan Too** – The Family  
**John deBakker** – Roos & Family  
**Bertha Kerkhof** – Norbert & Rose Baertsoen  
**Rosina Tiberia** – Rose & Steve  
**Dec'd Members of Wisby Family** – The Family

**THURSDAY: April 26<sup>th</sup>**

**Oak's Retirement Village – 2:00 p.m.**

**Rosaire Bechard** – Sally Yazbeck  
**Guston Allaer** – The Family  
**David Savage** – Elda, Lillian & Rosie  
**Florence Demers** – HRPC  
**Mary Lynn Buchan** – Janice VanDommelen  
**Intention of Peggy Benoit** – Francine, Elda & Janet

**\*\*Our Lady Help of Christians - 5:30 p.m.**

**CWL Spring Banquet Mass**

**Isabelle Queenville** – Larry & Kathy Janssens  
**Dick DeVriese** – Larry & Kathy Janssens  
**Larry Bracken** – Mary VanDamme & Lionel Ouellette  
**BJ Jacques** – Daren & Anne  
**Cyriel Lauwereys** – Barb & Family  
**Intentions of Maurice Lauwereys** – Daren & Anne

**FRIDAY: April 27<sup>th</sup>**

**Holy Family - 9:15 a.m.**

**Bruce Dramnitzke** – Becky  
**Patricia Coveny Foster** – Ron & Barb Regan  
**George & Emily Courteaux** – The Family  
**Cesare Murru** – The Family  
**Dec'd Members of Morais Family** – Hortencia Fernandes  
**A Special Intention** – A Parishioner

**Readings for 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter  
April 28<sup>th</sup>/April 29<sup>th</sup>**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Acts 9:

Psalm 22

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 John 3:18-24

Gospel Reading: John 15:1-8

**SUNDAY FRIENDS SCHEDULE:**

**Our Lady Help of Christians**

10:30 a.m. Mass, April 29<sup>th</sup>

**OFFERTORY FOR APRIL 14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

Sacred Heart	\$ 1636.86
Holy Family	\$ 2248.09
Our Lady Help of Christians	\$ 3989.25



**FIRST COMMUNION CELEBRATIONS:** Our children will soon be receiving Jesus in the Blessed Eucharist for the first time. Please keep them in your prayers as they prepare for this wonderful Sacrament.

**Holy Family School** – Saturday, April 28<sup>th</sup> and May 5<sup>th</sup>, 5 p.m. Mass at Holy Family Church

**St. Elizabeth School** – Sunday, April 29<sup>th</sup>, 12:30 p.m. Mass at Our Lady Help of Christians Church

**Sacred Heart School** – Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, 9 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart Church

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Fr. Gerard who will be celebrating his 28<sup>th</sup> year to the priesthood on April 28<sup>th</sup>!



**CONGRATULATIONS** to Fr. David Johnston who will be celebrating his 2<sup>nd</sup> year to the priesthood on April 23<sup>rd</sup>!

**ST. PETER'S SEMINARY APPEAL:** St. Peter's Seminary was founded in 1912 and for over a century has provided education and formation for our servant-leaders: priests, permanent deacons, lay ministers, Catholic educators, and others. Sunday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> is the World Day of Prayer for Vocations and St. Peter's Seminary is making an urgent appeal for your support. Please open your heart to its messages and give as generously as you can. Whether or not you can give financially, please join us in praying for vocations and especially for our priests and deacons. Your financial gifts and prayers will help ensure the future of St. Peter's Seminary and the Church that she serves.

**THANK YOU** to all who attend the Open House at Sacred Heart parish hall last Sunday. We would like to thank all who helped make this renovation possible! The hall looks beautiful!



**12- HOURS OF PRAYER FOR PALLIATIVE CARE:** Please join us **anytime during the day from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday, May 4<sup>th</sup>** at Holy Family Church to prayer for the success and improvement of Palliative Care. Come spend whatever time you can to pray for this important issue. Sponsored by the Catholic Women's League.

Silence is a gift of God, to let us speak  
more intimately with God.

—St. Vincent Pallotti



**ON YOUR NEXT TRIP TO THE GROCERY STORE,** please remember the SVDP, we are always in need.

### **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS**

**HF CWL:** There are beautiful items for First Communion, Confirmation and Graduation in the CWL cabinets in the Annex for anyone wishing to purchase a gift.

**OLHC CWL; Annual Spring Banquet is this Thursday, April 26<sup>th</sup>** following Mass at OLHC @ 5:30 p.m. Banquet at the K of C Hall, doors open at 6:00 p.m. dinner at 6:30 p.m. Anniversary pins will be presented and "the Mad Hatter" John Taylor will be there to entertain us. Come out for a delicious meal and a fun evening. Hope to see you there. Tickets are \$18.00 per person and available from Mary Van Damme 519-627-8979, Carolyn Nogueira 226-797-0565, Marlene Judson 519-627-6705 and the church office.

**PERMANENT DIACONATE INQUIRY SESSIONS:** At the following Inquiry Sessions, the Diocese of London Permanent Diaconate Formation & Study Program will invite inquiries from men considering a call to the permanent diaconate. For more information please visit: <http://www.stpetersseminary.ca/Your-Vocation/Permanent-Diaconate/24>.

**Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup>** from 1:30 - 4 pm at St. John Vianney Parish, Windsor

**Wednesday, May 16<sup>th</sup>** from 7:30 - 10 pm at St. Agnes Parish, Chatham; or on

**Sunday, May 27<sup>th</sup>** from 1:30 - 4 pm at St. George Parish, London.

**SEVENTH ANNUAL CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE "Rise Up Women of Truth"** will take place **Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup>** at Holy Name of Jesus Church, 146 Talbot St. Essex. Ticket are \$25/adult and \$20/students. After April 24<sup>th</sup> tickets will be \$30. Registration can be found [www.riseupwomenoftruth.webs.com](http://www.riseupwomenoftruth.webs.com) or for more information contact Lori Fawdry at 519-996-4548 or [riseupwomenoftruth@gmail.com](mailto:riseupwomenoftruth@gmail.com).

**CENACLE MASS:** A cenacle Mass with Fr. John Nosan will be celebrated on **Monday, May 7<sup>th</sup>** at Holy Family Church. There will Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 6 p.m. followed by the cenacle Mass at 7 p.m. Join us for refreshments in the annex following Mass.

**UNBOUND WORKSHOP** will take place this **Saturday, April 28<sup>th</sup>** from **9 a.m. until 12 p.m.** at Our Lady Help Christians Parish Centre. All are welcome, bring a friend and join us and learn more about God's abundant love for us.

### **Fourth Sunday of Easter April 22, 2018**

See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God.

— 1 John 3:1

### **SPARK/EDGE DATES**

Grade 3-7 Youth Ministry from 6pm – 7:30pm

**Monday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>** - at OLHC Parish Centre

**Monday, May 7<sup>th</sup>** - at OLHC Parish Centre

**MARCH FOR LIFE:** Each year at the "National March for Life" in Ottawa, tens of thousands gather to demand protection for children before and after birth. By your presence, you can show lawmakers that the abortion issue is not settled. A bus will be leaving from Our Lady Help of Christians Church on **Wednesday, May 9<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 p.m.** Early birds seats are \$60 before April 15<sup>th</sup> or \$65 afterwards. Children price is \$30 for first child, \$15 for second child and \$7.50 for third child. For more information please contact Mike deBakker, 519-358-3545.



### **KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH COMMUNITY MUSICAL CELEBRATION**

will be held on **Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m.** at Knox Presbyterian Church featuring music from choirs of our local churches. Refreshments served. Free will offering to the Salvation Army and St. Vincent de Paul to be matched by the Wallaceburg Rotary Club up to \$1200!



### **WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS:**

The Most Rev. Ronald P. Fabbro, C.S.B., invites all married couples to attend this year's Wedding Anniversary Mass on **Sunday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> at 3 p.m.** at Good Shepherd Parish, Tecumseh. This special annual Mass is a celebration of the Sacrament of Marriage. All couples who register will receive a keepsake Certificate. To register please visit [www.dol.ca/wedding-anniversary](http://www.dol.ca/wedding-anniversary), or at the cluster office.

**DIRECT DEPOSIT:** Attending Mass out of town? Or just tired of looking for cash or writing a cheque? Direct Deposit is the next best way to provide your ongoing financial support to your church. 2018 registration forms can be found at the main entrances of all three churches or at HRPC office. If you have any questions or concerns please call 519-627-2013

"My sheep hear my voice and I know them and they follow me:  
And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish,  
neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand."  
- John 10:27-28

