



# 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 29<sup>th</sup>, 2018

### *Fifth 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

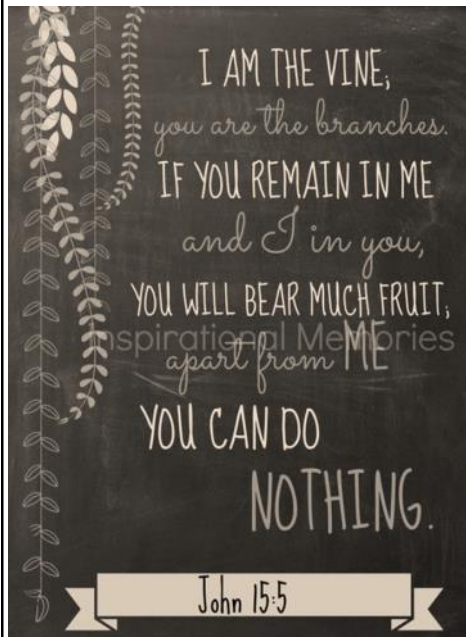
Seminarian - Steve Eckert (seckert@dol.ca)

## 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.

## LIVING BRANCHES



The Gospel and second reading for this Fifth Sunday of Easter emphasize the need for us to remain in Christ, and he in us. This shared life finds expression in the image of the one vine and many branches. We become living branches of the vine, members of the Body of Christ through baptism, Eucharist, and confirmation, sacraments of sharing God's own life. The First Letter of John describes the fruit of this vine as active love of neighbor: "And his commandment is this: we should believe . . . and love one another" (1 John 3:23).

Our first reading from Acts shows us an example of someone who shares in Christ's life in the person of Saint Paul. Paul's fearless witness, even at the risk of his life, is proof to everyone that the risen Lord's Spirit truly fills him with life and is bearing fruit in him.

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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  
MAY 1<sup>st</sup> – MAY 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**TUESDAY: May 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Sacred Heart – 7:00 p.m.**

**Margaret Cogghe, 5<sup>th</sup> Ann.** – The Family  
**Fr. Joe Nelligan** – Maureen & Colleen  
**Lawrence DeMaeyer** – Melvin, Lorraine & Family  
**Annie Zopf** - HRPC  
**Diana Ryan** – Maureen & Jim Cumming  
**Intentions of Anthony & Monique Hartman** –  
 Fr. Paul Kim

**WEDNESDAY: May 2<sup>nd</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.**

**Gloria DeBruyn** - Vince & Carol  
**Bertha Kerkhof** - Patti, Jamie, Kenz & Nick  
**Loretta Sullivan** – Patti, Jamie, Kenz & Nick  
**Nazaria Soares** – Alex & Julia Oliveira  
**Intentions of Ezekiel Santos** – Jose & Deodete  
**Intentions of Nathaniel & Domminique Santos  
 and Family** – Jose & Deodete

**THURSDAY: May 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**Our Lady Help of Christians – 12:00 p.m. Noon**

**Patricia Foster** – Lloyd & Coc DeBot  
**Shirley Coveny Johnston** – Lloyd & Coc DeBot  
**Alyce Hildebrand, 1<sup>st</sup> Ann.** – Pat & Kathy  
**Donna Neilsen** - Ricciotti Family  
**Eleanor Kupke** - Jean  
**Dec'd Members of Lauzon Family** – Ida

**FRIDAY: May 4<sup>th</sup>**

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

**John Coveny, 3<sup>rd</sup> Ann.** – Gert & Family  
**Helen & Marshall VanDamme** – Their Family  
**Fr. Dennis Wilhelm** - Steve Gazarek  
**Yvonne Yonkheim, 3<sup>rd</sup> Ann.** – Art & Charlene DaCosta  
**Helen Balogh** – Boulton Family  
**Dec'd Members of the Cogghe Family** – The Family

**Readings for 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter  
May 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup>**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48  
 Psalm 98  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 John 4:7-10  
 Gospel Reading: John 15:9-17

**SUNDAY FRIENDS SCHEDULE:**

**Our Lady Help of Christians**

10:30 a.m. Mass, May 6<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>

**Holy Family**

10:30 a.m. Mass, May 20<sup>th</sup>



**FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION OF THE  
BLESSED SACRAMENT** will take place at Holy  
 Family Church this **Friday, May 4<sup>th</sup>** following the  
 9:15 a.m. Mass to 4:00 p.m.

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

Sacred Heart	\$ 2064.53
Holy Family	\$ 3025.54
Our Lady Help of Christians	\$ 4460.24



**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** – May 5<sup>th</sup>, 5 p.m. Mass at Holy  
 Family Church

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

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Fr. Chris who  
 will be celebrating his 21<sup>st</sup> year to the  
 priesthood on May 3<sup>rd</sup>!



**12- HOURS OF PRAYER FOR PALLIATIVE CARE:** Please  
 join us **Friday, May 4<sup>th</sup>** beginning with Mass at 9:15 a.m.  
 followed by Eucharistic Adoration from **10:00 a.m.-  
 4 p.m.** at Holy Family Church as the Catholic Women's  
 League calls on the power of prayer to ensure the  
 government provides palliative care to all who need it,  
 identify palliative care as an insured health service under  
 the Health Act/develop a national strategy for uniform  
 standards. Palliative care provides relief from pain and  
 other distressing symptoms, affirms life and regards  
 death as a normal process. If you are unable to attend  
 the church, please say a prayer wherever you are at  
 home, work etc.



Baby Bottle Boomerang fundraiser will be  
 running again this year. The bottles will be  
 handed out at all 3 churches next Sunday,  
 May 13<sup>th</sup> (Mother's Day) and must be returned  
 on June 17<sup>th</sup> (Father's Day). Please fill the baby  
 bottle with change, bills or cheques (made  
 payable to Right to Life Kent). 100% of your donation  
 support REFUGE Pregnancy Centre to educate,  
 encourage and empower women & men in Chatham-  
 Kent. Thank you for supporting mothers  
 and their babies. Your support will SAVE  
 and CHANGE lives.



**FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

LET US LOVE NOT IN WORD OR SPEECH  
 BUT IN DEED AND TRUTH.

— 1 JOHN 3:18

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

Right to Life Baby showers are being held during the month of May at all 3 churches. Playpens will be set up in the churches for donated items. **SPECIALLY NEEDED ITEMS:** preemie clothing...newborn boys outfits (pants/shirts), boy sleepers in bigger sizes (6-9 months, 9 months and 12 months), onesies for girls in size 6-12 months and crib sheets. **Gently used** items are appreciated. Please help support this worthwhile cause.

**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.

Our next meeting will be this **Tuesday, May 1<sup>st</sup>** at 6:30 p.m. with the Rosary. Please note the change of date!

**OLHC CWL:** Mark your calendars!!!! Our **High Tea** will be on **Thursday, May 24<sup>th</sup>** from **1 - 3 p.m.** at OLHC Parish Centre. **Tickets are \$12.00 per person.** Come join us wearing a beautiful spring hat. No spring hat? come along anyway. For more information, contact Marlene at 519-627-6705. Watch bulletin for further info.

Our next meeting will be **Monday, May 14<sup>th</sup>** at 7:15 p.m.

**SH CWL:** Our next meeting will be **Tuesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>** at 1 p.m.

**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).



**K OF C PORT LAMBTON BREAKFAST** will be next **Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup>** in the SH Parish Hall. Adults are \$8, children 6-12 yrs. Old are \$4 and children under 6 are free.

### **SPARK/EDGE DATES**

Grade 3-7 Youth Ministry from 6pm - 7:30pm  
**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 this coming **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.

**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.

**COMMUNITY MEAL:** A big heartfelt thanks to all our volunteers who helped with our April Community meal. Our next community meal will be **Saturday, May 12<sup>th</sup>** at Our Lady Help of Christians Parish Centre, 5 p.m.

### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 10873 & PORT LAMBTON CWL**

Annual Strawberry Social Roast Beef Dinner, **Sunday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>** at the Sacred Heart Parish Hall from 4:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$16.00 for Adults, Children ages 6 to 12 years \$8.00 Children 5 and under are Free. Tickets will be selling after Mass starting today. For tickets call Frank Johnston 519-677-5328 or Peter Bogaert 519-436-8651.

*Each small task of everyday life is part of the total harmony of the universe.*

—St. Thérèse of Lisieux