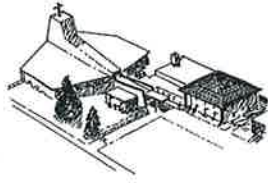


# ST. JOHN VIANNEY CHURCH

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## Pastoral Team:

Parish Administrator  
Rev. Daniel Bombardier  
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Rachelle Leslie

## Parish Staff:

Parish Secretary:  
Betty Ann Lyons  
Parish Secretary:  
Pauline Langlois  
Custodian:  
Gary Dunn

## Parish Representatives:

Chair Pastoral Council:  
George McMahon

Chair Finance Committee:  
Derek Farkas

## Third Sunday in Ordinary Time January 27, 2019



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**Baptism** By Appointment  
(at least two months in advance)

**Reconciliation** Saturday - 11:00 - Noon  
or by appointment

**Confirmation** June 5 and/or June 6, 2019  
7:00 p.m.

**Holy Matrimony** Call at least  
6 months in advance

## **Office Hours:**

Monday -Thursday ~ 9 am-3 pm  
Friday 9 am - Noon  
**Weekend Liturgies ~**  
Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 9 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Heb 9:15, 24-28; Ps 98:1-6; Mk 3:22-30  
Tuesday: Heb 10:1-10; Ps 40:2, 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11;  
Mk 3:31-35  
Wednesday: Heb 10:11-18; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 4:1-20  
Thursday: Heb 10:19-25; Ps 24:1-6; Mk 4:21-25  
Friday: Heb 10:32-39; Ps 37:3-6, 23-24, 39-40;  
Mk 4:26-34  
Saturday: Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18;  
Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]  
Sunday: Jer 1:4-5, 17-19; Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17;  
1 Cor 12:31 — 13:13 [13:4-13]; Lk 4:21-30

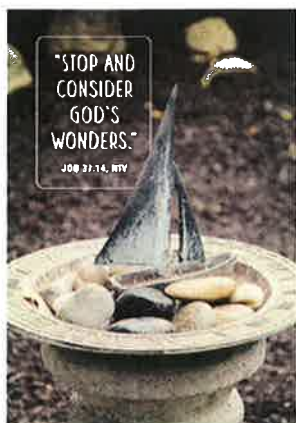
We, the faith community of St. John Vianney Church, celebrating the Eucharist as the centre of our faith, are committed to living out the Word of God in our homes, schools and community.



### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Saturday's Feast of the Presentation is a day for the blessing of candles. Why does liturgy require candles? In the first years of the church, worship was often at night, and candles and torches were carried from place to place within the worship space as needed. Candles were also a mark of festivity and hospitality when people gathered for prayer in homes, and later on in large buildings with thick walls and dark corners. But even after gaslight and electricity, candles were kept.

Part of the reason has to do with the warm, clean light of a candle's flame. Candles are a good sign of the partnership of God and creation: wax made by bees, gathered and fashioned by human hands into something beautiful and useful. In order for the light to shine, the candle surrenders itself, almost as if it is pouring itself out so that the light can flood into the world. The candle of baptism, placed into our hands, and carried again and again, speaks silently of that same wisdom. If you would save your life, you must lose it. You must pour your life out like Christ so that you may be filled with the light of his love.



### TIME

The holidays are well behind us; the year stretches out ahead. And what sort of year will it be? To judge by the words of Jesus in today's Gospel, it will be "a year acceptable to the Lord." And Jesus surely didn't mean only the next three hundred sixty-five days facing his listeners at that time.

When Jesus announced the "arrival" of God's favor, it was a message for all time, for every year. Similarly, we read today in Nehemiah how the people gathered with solemnity to hear God's word as though for the first time. They listened, and then fell to the ground and wept. But the prophet said, "Today is holy . . . do not be sad, and do not weep."

The "year acceptable to the Lord" is this year. The day that is "holy" is this day. The time to listen is now. What sort of year will you have? What sort of day? God's help is always here. What you do with each day can be holy and acceptable to the Lord if you but listen to and act on God's word.



### Benediction

FIRST FRIDAY - Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup> is First Friday. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will follow 9:00 a.m. Mass. Benediction will be at Noon. The Blessed Sacrament must not be left unattended. Please avail yourself of this time to spend in quiet reflection and prayer.



Income Tax Receipts are on the way via Canada Post. Receipts have been issued to all who have donated to St. John Vianney Parish either through Regular Sunday Envelopes or as occasional or visitor donors. Receipts are issued for donations of minimum \$20.00. (Receipts are not issued for Mass Stipends.)

**CWL CORNER**

Congratulations to Eleanor Devine on her 100<sup>th</sup> birthday. What an incredible milestone! Our annual Diocesan convention is Monday, April 29<sup>th</sup> to Wednesday, May 1<sup>st</sup> at the St. Clair Centre for the Arts in Windsor. What an opportunity to experience the CWL at work. Please consider attending all or part of the Convention. It's a wonderful experience, full of fun and fellowship. More information will be available soon. Helen Biales, President



**FAMILY DAY IS  
MON. FEB 18<sup>TH</sup>**

The office is closed.  
Office hours will resume  
**Tues. Feb. 19th.**

Monday Euchre is off &  
will resume  
**Monday, Feb. 25<sup>th</sup>**

**THIS WEEK'S EVENTS**

Mon. Jan. 28	Monday Euchre	1:00 p.m.
Mon. Jan. 28	St. Vincent de Paul	7:00 p.m.
Tues. Jan 29	Faith Formation	1:00 p.m.
Tues. Jan. 29	Mass at Aspen Lake	2:00 p.m.
Wed. Jan. 30	Confirmation Prep	7:00 p.m.
Thurs. Jan 31	Confirmation Prep	7:00 p.m.



Share Lent Workshop -

Theme: "Share the Journey"

Saturday, February 9, 2019

9:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Our Lady of the Atonement Parish,  
2940 Forest Glade Dr., Windsor

Come with a friend

Lunch served with vegetarian option.

RSVP: Bonnie/Bob Drago 519-972-5590 or

Freda Jones - 519-3832



Does your marriage  
need a tune-up? Or  
even a major  
overhaul? Sometimes

**a marriage can run along fine and then things  
change. They may need your time and attention.**

Sometimes lines of communication break down and they need repair. Sometimes our focus moves away from our marriage and family and needs a little redirection. Sometimes a fair or average marriage is just not enough. Have you ever thought to yourself, "How can I make my marriage better?" For further information about an upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend on February 15-17, 2019 contact registration team: Dave or Barb at 1-800-705-6356 or [1015@retrouvaille.com](mailto:1015@retrouvaille.com) or visit the website: [SaveOurMarriage.ca](http://SaveOurMarriage.ca)

Windsor-Essex Catholic District School Board invites you to attend an Open House/Evening Registration at your local Catholic School on Wednesday, February 20<sup>th</sup> 5 pm to 7 p.m.

Requirements: Birth Certificate, Baptismal Certificate, Health Card & Immunization Record.  
JK - must be 4 years of age by Dec. 31, 2019 &  
SK - must be 5 years of age by December 31, 2019.

More details at [www.wecdsb.on.ca](http://www.wecdsb.on.ca)



*Mass Intentions*

TUES. JAN. 29<sup>th</sup>

9:00 A.M.

Dianne Durocher Husband, Gary  
 Manuel Cabarles 5<sup>TH</sup> Anniv. Ricky Carbarles  
 Jan Morkin Randy & Anne Winters

ASPEN LAKE 2:00 P.M.

Margaret Docherty Theresa Bombardier

WED. JAN. 30<sup>th</sup>

9:00 A.M.

Rosemary Keelan K of C Council 9865  
 Sam Dufour Sara & Nino Chirco  
 Tricia Morneau Linda Hyatt

THURS. JAN. 31<sup>st</sup>

9:00 A.M.

Roger Seguin Wife, Lil and Family  
 Carol Ann Barnhard Tom & Jane Geary  
 Joy Raisbeck Paul McAiney

FRI. FEB. 1<sup>ST</sup>

9:00 A.M.

John Hello John & Maureen Cassidy  
 Augustine DeBiase Maureen Marchini  
 Spec. Int. Rev. Alexander Colautti  
 Damian & Lou Anne Bryce



GRIEVING HEARTS -  
 Grief in the New Year:  
 Facing the New Year without your loved one can be difficult. Families First invites you to a series of FREE presentations with Christine MacMillan, BSW, MSW, RSW at the Hospice (Main Building) 6038 Empress St., Windsor 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. The next presentations will be on February 13, 2019 **SUDDEN DEATH** and March 6, 2019 **ADULT SIBLING DEATH.**



*To everything there is a season and a time to every purpose under heaven...*

*A time to be born...Through the Waters of Baptism, we welcome **Avery Irene Leavoy and Scarlett Marie Zirada.***

*A time to heal....We pray for **Baby Felix, Cathy Devine and Stella Murdoch.***

*A time to die....We pray for the repose of the soul of **Gloria Morand.***



**Symbolon - Faith Formation Programme to Grow in our Faith**

Symbolon is a program that will take participants through a journey into the timeless beauty and truths of the Catholic faith and reveals God's incredible love for us - the story of our salvation. **There will be 6 sessions starting on Tuesday, January 29 at 1:00 until 2:30 in our Parish Centre.** The facilitators will be Mary Ann and Jerry Carpenter.

**The topic for the 1<sup>st</sup> session is "The Journey of Faith: Trinity, Faith and the God Who is Love."**




All are welcome! Please sign up on the bulletin board next to the front door of the narthex.

**SUNDAY CHUCKLE**



I PLAN TO BE READY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><b>February 2019</b></p> <p><i>Happy Valentine's Day</i></p>						
					<b>1</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Friday 9 am Exposition with Benediction at noon	<b>2</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> 1 pm Cards	<b>5</b> 1 pm Faith Formation	<b>6</b> 7 pm First Communion Prep	<b>7</b> 1:30 pm CWL Exec	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> CWL Bake Sale after Mass
<b>10</b> CWL Bake Sale after Masses	<b>11</b> 1 pm Cards 7 pm SV de Paul	<b>12</b> 10 am Anointing Mass 1 pm Faith Formation 6:45 CWL	<b>13</b> 7 pm First Communion Prep	<b>14</b>  7 pm K of C general mtg	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> 7 pm K of C cards
<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> <b>Family Day</b> <b>The Office Is</b> <b>Closed</b>	<b>19</b> 1 pm Faith Formation 7 pm PPC mtg	<b>20</b> 7 pm Confirmation Prep	<b>21</b> 7 pm Confirmation Prep	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> 1 pm Cards 7 pm SV de Paul	<b>26</b> 1 pm Faith Formation 2 pm Mass Aspen Lake	<b>27</b> 7 pm Confirmation Prep	<b>28</b> 7 pm Confirmation Prep		

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>February 2019</b>						
					1 Rev. Christopher Bourdeau	2 <b>Feast of the Presentation of the Lord</b> Rev. Tom Ashton
3 <b>Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Mrs. Maija Wilson, Campus Minister	4 Rev. Gilbert Simard	5 <b>Memorial of St. Agatha</b> Mrs. Rachelle Leslie, Pastoral Minister	6 <b>Memorial of St. Paul Miki and Companions</b> Minsters to the Bereaved in the Diocese of London	7 Deacon Ronald Vermette	8 <b>Memorial of St. Josephine Bakhita</b> Mrs. Rita Butler, Coordinator of Youth Ministry	9 Mrs. Leonia Downie, Pastoral Minister
10 <b>Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Rev. Gerald Craig, O.F.M. Cap.	11 <b>Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes</b> Rev. Arthur Hathaway, C.S.B.	12 Mrs. Christine Toffolon, Pastoral Minister	13 Rev. Glen Ball	14 <b>Memorial of Sts. Cyril and Methodius</b> Deacon Anthony Rebkowec	15 Rev. Philip Joseph	16 Rev. Clare Coleman
17 <b>Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Rev. Adriano Barbiero, C.S.	18 Deacon Jose Viveiros	19 Rev. Ross Bartley	20 Rev. Mark Poulin	21 Rev. Mark Maloney	22 <b>Feast of the Chair of St. Peter</b> Deacon Larry Lamphier	23 <b>Memorial of St. Polycarp</b> Mrs. Chrisandra Skipper, Campus Minister
24 <b>Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Rev. Ronaldo (Ronnie) Tagnines	25 Rev. Joseph Quinn, C.S.B.	26 Mrs. Maria Mollica, Coordinator of Youth Ministry	27 Rev. Pio D'Oria	28 Deacon Steve Cartier		



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18 January 2019

**To: The Parishioners of the New Family of Parishes of Our Lady of the Atonement,  
St. John Vianney, St. Vincent de Paul and St. Anthony of Padua**

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

At the beginning of the New Year, we were very pleased to announce the activation of your Family of Parishes. Father Rob Rocheleau will serve as your Pastor, and Father Daniel Bombardier as your Associate Pastor. These appointments and the full activation of your Family of Parishes will take effect on 2 July 2019.

Over the next six months, you will hear a lot more about your Family of Parishes. It will be a time for consultation with each of your parishes, with your current pastor and lay leadership, in preparation for your activation as a Family. In 2018, our diocese had two Pioneer Families of Parishes. This year we are activating six new Families. You are among the first in Windsor, and the experience you gain will be invaluable for the other Families across our diocese, all of which will be activated gradually over the next few years.

We chose this model so that our priests, whose numbers will decline in the years ahead, would be able to continue ministering to the needs of our parishes. In addition, this model will bring your parishes together in a closer relationship and enable you to collaborate with one another and to be more effective in the mission that Jesus has entrusted to our Church.

Pope Francis has spoken powerfully of his dream that we become a "missionary Church" – a Church that is not turned inward on itself but that reaches out to those who do not know Christ by welcoming them and announcing the Good News of God's mercy and love for everyone.

Pope Francis' dream inspires all of us. He calls each of us to a deeper, personal encounter with Jesus and to a confident, informed witness of our Catholic faith which attracts others and invites them to experience themselves the joy of meeting Jesus. Your Family of Parishes is now taking up this great mission. You will build a vibrant community centred on the Eucharist that supports and empowers each of its members – clergy and laity – to be involved in their parish, to journey together in faith and to be missionary disciples of Jesus in the world today, announcing his Gospel to all, especially the poor, the vulnerable and the marginalized.

We promise to pray for you, especially during the next six months. Please pray for all the parishioners in your Family of Parishes and for the members of the Pastoral Team. The core of our mission is prayer as we seek to open our hearts to the Holy Spirit. May we grow in faith, hope and love, and take up the exciting mission Jesus gives us with renewed boldness, energy and enthusiasm.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ *Ronald Fabbro, C.S.B.*

Most Rev. Ronald P. Fabbro, C.S.B.  
Bishop of London

+ *Joseph Dabrowski, C.S.M.A.*

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Auxiliary Bishop of London

## 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.)  
This prayer is not intended for liturgical use.

Mission Ready

Our Lady of the Atonement  
Parish, St. John Vianney  
Parish, St. Vincent de Paul  
Parish and St. Anthony of  
Padua Hungarian Parish.

Matthew 28: 19-20