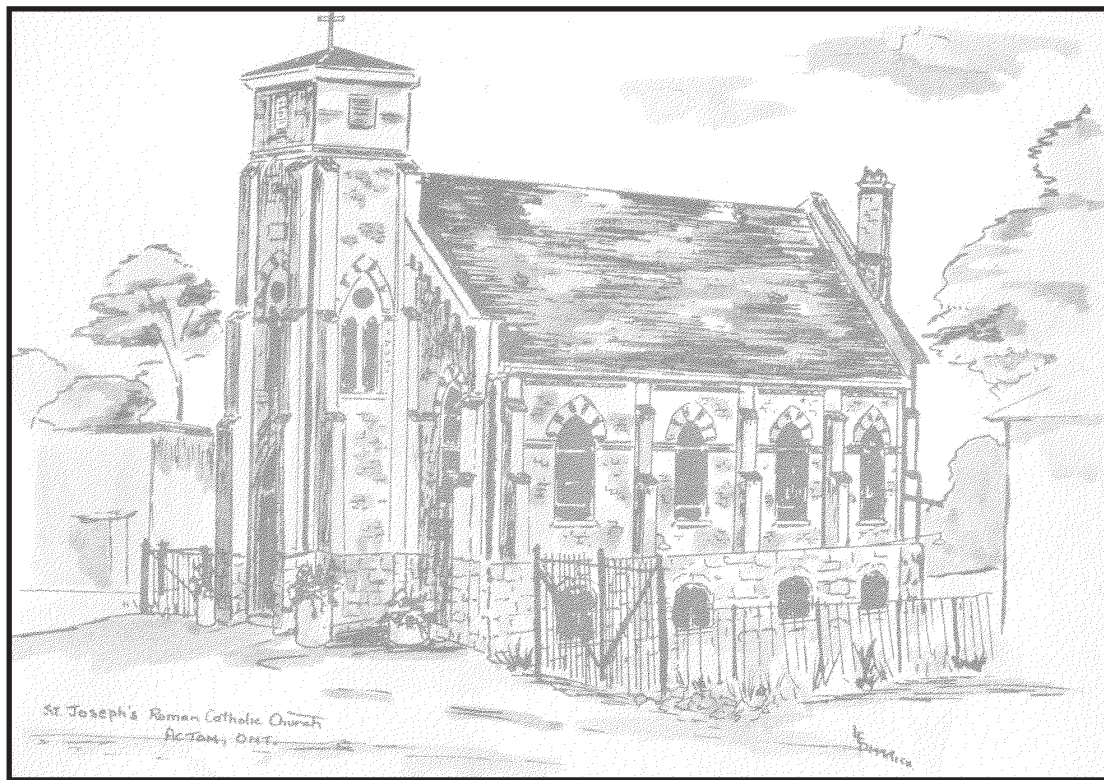


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Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am

11:00 am

EXPOSITION:

Friday 9:30 am - 10:30 am

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS:

Catholic Women's League

Knights of Columbus

St. Vincent Charities



BAPTISMS:

By arrangement with the pastor.

MARRIAGES:

By arrangement one year in advance.

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 4:00 - 4:30 pm
or by appointment.

SCHOOLS:

St. Joseph 519-853-3730

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WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

We invite you to register in our parish community
by filling in a blue registration form.

Feast of Corpus Christi:

This Sunday as we celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi, it is an excellent time to reflect on the words of the Saints.

St. John Chrysostom (347 - 407)

"How many now say, I would wish to see His form, the mark, His clothes, His shoes. Lo! You see Him, Thou touchest Him, you eat Him. And thou indeed desirest to see His clothes, but He gives Himself to you not to see only, but also to touch and eat and receive within you. Let then no one approach it with indifference, no one faint-hearted, but all with burning hearts, all fervent, all aroused. For if Jews standing and having on their shoes and their staves in their hands, ate with haste, much more ought thou to be watchful. For they indeed were to go forth to Palestine, wherefore also they had the garb of pilgrims, but you are about to remove unto Heaven."
- *Homily 82 on Matthew*

St. Catherine of Siena (1347 - 1380)

"For as the sun cannot be divided into light, heat, and colour, the whole of God and the whole of man cannot be separated under the white mantle of the host; for even if the host should be divided into a million particles (if it were possible) in each particle should I be present, whole God and whole Man. When you break a mirror the reflection to be seen in it is not broken; similarly, when the host is divided God and man are not divided but remain in each particle."
- *The Dialogue*

St. John Henry Newman (1801 - 1890)

"Thou knowest, O my God, who madest us, that nothing can satisfy us but Thyself, and therefore Thou hast caused Thy own self to be meat and drink to us. O most adorable mystery! O most stupendous of mercies! Thou most Glorious, and Beautiful, and Strong, and Sweet, Thou didst know well that nothing else would support our immortal natures, our frail hearts, but Thyself; and so Thou didst take a human flesh and blood, that they, as being the flesh and blood of God, might be our life."
- *"Food of the Soul"*

St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein) (1891 - 1942)

"For every Catholic there lies ready an immeasurable treasure: the proximity of the Lord in the holy sacrifice and in the most holy sacrament of the altar. Whoever is imbued with a lively faith in Christ present in the tabernacle, whoever knows that a friend awaits here constantly - always with the time, patience, and sympathy to listen to complaints, petitions, and problems, with counsel and help in all things - this person cannot remain desolate and forsaken even under the greatest difficulties. He always has a refuge where quietude and peace can again be found."

- *"The Spirituality of the Christian Woman"*

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

"The Eucharist is truly a glimpse of heaven appearing on earth. It is a glorious ray of the heavenly Jerusalem which pierces the clouds of our history and lights up our journey." - **St. John Paul II (1920 - 2005)**

Ecclesia de Eucharistia

COFFEE CAKES FOR FATHER'S DAY!

After the Masses on June 17 and 18, the CWL will be selling coffee cakes in the Church Hall. Volunteers to bake coffee cakes would be greatly appreciated. If you can, please contact Christie at cwl@artist.com or text/call at 519-400-6012. Cake drop-offs will be Saturday morning, June 17 in the Hall.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL:

This week please pray especially for:

**Mary Humenyk, Joe Humenyk,
Ronnie Lampkin**

PODCAST: Essential but Disposable Labour, Migrant Workers Exploited in Canada - In collaboration with the Sisters of St. Joseph Toronto and the Collaborative Network to End Exploitation, we have created a podcast which centres the voices and experiences of Migrant Workers in Canada. In a limited number of bi-weekly episodes, we join in conversation with workers, immigration specialists and frontline advocates to understand the systems and policies that compose this labour market and how our Ministries can better serve this community. You can find the podcast on Spotify or visit the CNEE website here: <https://www.cnee.ca/podcast/>.

JUNE 11, 2023

DAY & TIME	MASS INTENTIONS (June 12 – June 18)	REQUESTED BY:
Tues. * * 6:00 p.m.	John Bobbiwash	MacDonald Family
Wed. 9:00 a.m.	<i>Intentions of Doris and Karl Kwiatkowski</i>	Kwiatkowski Family
Thurs. 7:00 p.m.	Indigenous People of Canada	
Fri. 9:00 a.m.	People of Ukraine	
Sat. 5:00 p.m.	Helen Klemencic	Suzanne Blanchet-Haffey
Sun. 9:00 a.m.	Pro populo	
11:00 a.m.	Gini Figueiredo	deSouza Family

**** Please note the time change, Mass is followed by the CWL Potluck and Pins evening.**



Sat. June 17 5 p.m.
 Ex. Minister Baldwin
 Lector Lily
 Music Martin
 Usher Baldwin

Sun. June 18 9 a.m. 11 a.m.
 Ex. Minister Marcus Aaron
 Lector Penny Catherine
 Music Christie
 Usher Decio Paul H.

Please see Eddie MacDonald if you have any questions or are interested in joining the team.



CONTACT PERSONS for CWL and K of C

Anyone interested in learning more about our parish Catholic Women's League or Knights of Columbus is invited to call the appropriate contact person:

CWL: Christie deSouza: 519-400-6012 cwl@lartist.com K of C: Marc MacDonald: grand.knight.8050@gmail.com

Religious Articles and Gifts for all Occasions
 Please call Geralda 905-691-9082



This week we pray especially for the following families:

Jones, Joseph, Jowett, Kavanagh, Kelly, Kilby

Office Email: If you have a problem reaching the office through our regular email, our alternate address is:

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CWL General Meeting: Potluck and Pins!

Tuesday, June 13. Mass at 6:00, dinner in the hall at 6:30. Pins will be presented to people who have hit milestones in their membership.

Sacraments of Baptism and Matrimony

Father Mark arranges all Baptisms and Marriages personally, by appointment. Please see Father after Mass to set a time for an interview. Marriages must be arranged one year in advance. Completion of a marriage preparation course is required. Application forms may be obtained from Father Mark.



Bulletins are available online at:
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