



Windsor Heritage

Catholic Family of Parishes

Famiglia Cattolica di Parrocchie
Patrimonio di Windsor

St. Alphonsus - St. Angela Merici - Our Lady of the Assumption
St. Benedict - St. Daniel Comboni

Our Lady of the Assumption Parish

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Public Office Hours / Orario d'ufficio

Main Office at Assumption: Monday to Thursday: 9:00am to Noon and 1:00pm to 4:00pm (Closed Fridays)
St. Angela Satellite Office / Ufficio satellitare Di Sant'Angela: Monday to Friday: 9:30am to noon and 1:00pm to 4:30pm

Sunday Masses / Messe domenicali

Assumption

Sunday: 9:00am, 11:00am
and 7:30pm (Student Mass)

St. Alphonsus

Saturday: 5:00pm
Sunday: 12:00pm and 5:30pm

St. Angela

Saturday/Sabato: 4:30pm (Italian)
Sunday/Domenica: 9:30am (Italian)
and 11:30am (English)

St. Daniel

First Sunday: 2:00pm at St. Alphonsus

St. Benedict

First Sunday:
2:00pm at Holy Name
Second to last Sunday:
2:00pm at St Alphonsus

Weekday / Messe nei giorni feriali

Assumption

Monday to Friday
8:00am in Rosary Chapel

St. Alphonsus

Wednesday to Friday
12:00 noon

St. Angela

Monday and Tuesday
lunedì e martedì
7:00pm (English/Inglese)

Wednesday and Thursday mercoledì e giovedì

7:00pm (Italian/Italiano)

St. Benedict

Tuesday
7:00pm at Holy Name of Mary

Confessions / Confessioni

Assumption - Rosary Chapel

Saturday: 11:00am to 12:00noon
Sunday: 6:30pm to 7:15pm

St. Alphonsus

Wednesday: 11:00am to 11:45am
Saturday: 3:45pm to 4:45pm

St. Angela

Wednesday/Mercoledì: 6:30pm to 6:55pm
Saturday/Sabato: 3:30pm to 4:15pm

Adoration / Adorazione

Rosary Chapel

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday: 8:30am to 9:30am
(Chapel open until 4:00pm for prayer)

Wednesday: 8:30am to 8:00pm

Friday: 8:30am to 4:00pm

St. Angela

Wednesdays / Mercoledì: 6:00pm to 7:00pm

St. Alphonsus

Wednesday: 11:00am to 12:00 noon

Pastoral Team

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Marilyn Morrison

BAPTISM:

Must take a preparation program. Contact the parish office at least two months ahead.

MARRIAGE:

Couples should be registered and active in the parish. Contact the parish office at least one year ahead.

RCIA:

Program for those interested in the Catholic Faith. Contact Jean Beneteau at jbeneteau@dol.ca.

YOUTH:

Contact Lynne Tibor for sacrament and program information at ltibor@dol.ca.

FUNERALS:

Have the Funeral Director contact the office for arrangements.

CAMPUS MINISTRY:

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COMMUNITY OUTREACH

ASSUMPTION CARES

Laura Soulliere - Coordinator
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ST. ALPHONSUS CARES

Sr. Connie Harrington - Coordinator
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Visit our websites to see what community outreach programming is available for you!

May 19th — PENTECOST SUNDAY
19 maggio - DOMENICA DI PENTECOSTA

From the Administrator's Desk...

I recently stumbled across a post online which began with the quote "It's hard to hear God's voice when you've already decided what you want him to say." Reading these words stopped me dead in my tracks, because they are so true. There have been many times in my life where I have convinced myself that something must be God's plan for me, only to find that in my efforts to make it so, I would encounter obstacles at every turn. This would only lead to increased frustration, as I tried desperately to achieve what I wanted, or thought was right. All the while, God was calling me to a different path: but in my stubbornness, I failed to hear God's voice calling to me.


It was only when I learned to put aside my own ego, and truly listen to the voice of God given through the guidance of the Holy Spirit, that I found the true path God was calling me to follow. While this path hasn't always been easy, I have continually been amazed at the way in which God has opened doors in my life that I thought were firmly closed, and has continued to lead me, even when I thought that I had surely reached a dead end.

In a way, this reality of our faith is what we celebrate on this Solemnity of Pentecost. As we recall the outpouring of the Holy Spirit into the world, we recall the ways in which the spirit has guided the Church throughout history, we also recognize that the Spirit doesn't always move in the ways that we would expect it to. Even from the very beginning, the Apostles speaking in tongues was a great surprise to the people in Jerusalem who heard that first proclamation of the Good News. And to this day, the Spirit continues to move in ways that we do not expect!

The movement of the Spirit challenges us to continually move outside of our comfort zones, and embrace God's will for our lives. If we are going to embrace the guidance of the Spirit, however, we have to be willing to let go of our own ego, and truly listen for the voice of God in true humility. This is something that takes work: but I promise that in the end, our lives become far richer when we cooperate with the Spirit of God, and do not fight against the Spirit to try and accomplish our own will.

This Pentecost, we pray for a deeper outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon all the Baptized, so that we can truly seek to discern God's will, and truly live out our call to be a missionary church that forms disciples of Jesus.

Sincerely in Christ,
 Fr. Steven Huber, CSB



After 27 years as the secretary of St. Angela Merici, and most recently the Family of Parishes communications secretary Rosanna Mocerri has decided to retire.

On behalf of the family staff, volunteers, and parishioners, we thank her for her years of dedicated service. As is typical for Rossana, she hasn't agreed to any sort of a farewell reception because she doesn't like to have the focus on her.

All the best Rosanna, the parish and staff will miss you!

Please note our offices are closed on the Holiday Monday!

The St. Angela office is closed until further notice. For assistance, including mass intentions, you can visit the Family of Parishes main office at 350 Huron Church Road. In addition, all phone calls are being directed to the main office. Thank you for your understanding.

Family and Youth Ministry News

CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK - It was such grace to attend the Education Week School Mass's in recent days with Fr. Steven. Our Catholic Faith is alive and growing in the feeder schools of the Windsor Heritage Catholic Family of Parishes! From students led worship to the music and choirs and the beautiful Mass Celebrations offered by Fr. Steven, it is affirming to witness to the great work the principals, teachers and students are doing in embracing and growing in the Catholic Faith. Fr. Steven's homilies reminded us all that **"We are Called to Love"**. A good reminder for us all!
 Happy and blessed Mother's Day, to all the "moms" and those with a "Mother's" heart!

SACRAMENT OF FIRST COMMUNION - Sacrament of First Communion continues this weekend through to the end of the month. Please remember these families in your prayers! Welcome any "newcomers" that are visiting our parish family for the first time.

LAUDATO SI/CARE OF CREATION FAMILY EVENT - There was a lot of "planting" of seeds and flowers (some "spider" plants too), painting of pots in colours that represented Wind, Sky and Earth, fashioning natural bookmarks and sun catchers, and of course a "Nature" Scavenger Hunt! Thanks to Dawna for the "spider" plants and to Drew for coming out to help. Check out the website and FB posting for photos. The "Summer" edition of Laudato Si/Care of Creation is coming soon - watch for the date and time.

BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, OUR MOTHER - Here is a prayer for all parents to pray to our Holy Mother Mary, for their child: **"O Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of Heaven and Earth, to your Immaculate Heart, we consecrate this child whom we have received from God's goodness. We offer them to you that you may present them to your Divine Son, Jesus Christ, and that you may take them under your loving maternal protection. Amen."** (Source: Dominican Monastery of St. Jude)

Happy Victoria Day weekend! Peace, Lynne Tibor

Farewell to Father Steven: As was announced earlier in May, the Basilian Father has asked Father Steven to take an appointment to serve at St. Anne's Parish in Houston, Texas, effective July 1st. Please join us to say farewell and wish Father Steven the best.

June 2nd	June 15th and 16th
St. Daniel at St. Alphonsus	St. Alphonsus and St. Benedict
June 8th and 9th	June 23rd
St. Angela	Assumption

Collections for April 28th
 Includes collection basket and online

<u>Assumption</u>		<u>St. Alphonsus</u>	
Regular	\$5,402.63	Regular	\$3,146.76
Restoration	\$1,820.35	Building	\$65.00
Miscellaneous	\$159.75	Miscellaneous	\$199.60
Total	\$7,382.73	Total	\$3,406.36

Thank you for your ongoing support!!

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windsorheritageparishes.ca/donate

Daily Mass Intentions—Assumption— 8:00am

Monday, May 20th—10:00 am –NOTE HOLIDAY TIME

In thanksgiving for Edmund Martin Franco & Family by Evangeline Franco
† Madeleine Alexander by Leonard Alexander and Family
Special intention for Sheila Johnston by Rhonda and Mark Blanchette
† Don Nantais Sr by Kevin and Sally McQuaid
† Dora Marie Doig (5th anniversary) by Lisa Marie Doig and Michael Jozwik
† Rev. Andrew Sipek by Helfa and Helma Yu and Family

Tuesday, May 21st

† June MaGee (4th anniversary) by Cleveland MaGee
† Souls in purgatory by Sheila and Teresa
† Father William Capitano by Nanette Serrano and Family
† Domenic and Maria Giannotti by Ralph and Antonietta Cimino

Wednesday, May 22nd

Special intention for Clara Gusba by Laura Gusba
In thanksgiving for Rita Rudi by The Family
† George Spiteri by Laura Gusba
† Salvatore and Angelina Cimino by Ralph and Antonietta Cimino

Thursday, May 23rd

For those suffering from addictions by Lisa Marie Doig and Michael Jozwik
† Sebastiano Giannotti by Ralph and Antonietta Cimino
† Giovanni Giannotti by Ralph and Antonietta Cimino

Friday, May 24th

† Piero Venditti by The Venditti Family
† Origene Rivest by Leonard Alexander and Family
† Milagros (7th anniversary) & Pedro Panganiban by Helfa and Helma Yu and Family
† Kerylin Hutchins by Patricia Lazarus
† Nicena Dionaldo by The Family
† Viola Acosta by Leonora Ruiz

Daily Mass Intentions—St. Alphonsus –12:00pm

Wednesday, May 22nd

† Jose Tani Arca by Gloria Ymana
† Rev. Andrew Sipek by Drs Oscar and Tina Vergel de Dios & Family
† Anne Armstrong by Deacon Gerard and Mary Anne Charette
Special Intention by Gloria Romero-Lehe
† Father Bill Capitano by Margo Shanklin

Thursday, May 23rd

† Alex Rocha by The Rocha Family
† For the Souls in Purgatory

Friday, May 24th

† Thomas Sharp by The Sharp Family

Sanctuary Light Memorial—For the week of May 20th

Rosary Chapel
June MaGee—4th anniversary by Cleveland MaGee
Assumption Church
Sheila Johnston by Rhonda and Mark Blanchette



“Love God’s Will” Film Screening

Love God's Will is the true story of a young priest in the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston, Fr. Ryan Stawaisz, a Seminary classmate of Fr. Steven's. After graduating from Texas A&M as a petroleum engineer with a promising career ahead of him, Ryan felt God was calling him to the priesthood. A year before his ordination, Ryan was diagnosed with cancer, and his desire became not only to DO God's will, but to LOVE God's will. Despite his battle with cancer, Fr. Ryan remained steadfast in his desire to serve others and to share the love of Christ with everyone who crossed his path. His public ministry lasted a brief three years; but, Fr. Ryan's witness continues to inspire people of all ages.

Screenings will be held at Imagine Cinemas Lakeshore on June 14th, 15th, and 16th.

See our website for more information, and for the link to purchase tickets.

Daily Mass Intentions—St. Angela Merici—7:00pm

Monday, May 20th

† Giuseppe Marrocco by Oliva Marrocco and family
† Luigi Albano by wife and family
† Caterina e Salvatore Girimonte by Maria Albano
† Flora and Silvio Cozzetto by family
† Sonia Santina DeNapoli by Divina Demarco
† Frank Coletti by Elda Iatonna

Tuesday, May 21st

† Giulio Nacci by wife and family
† Maria Battagin by Husband Mario and family
† Antonio Bertuccio by Elisabetta De Rubis
† Giovanni and Flora Ghione by daughter Nadia and family
† Maria Bonnanno Conte by daughter Pina Cacciato
† Danny Minotti by mother Nina and family

Wednesday, May 22nd

† Vito Galifi by Frank Funaro
† Antonio Cacciato by Gaetano Palazzolo
† Emilio and Maria Domenica Iacobelli by Tony e Maria Iacobelli
† Onorio Iacobelli by Tony e Maria Iacobelli
† Gaetano Pirrone by Tony e Maria Iacobelli
† Demetrio Di Prospero by moglie e nipote

Thursday, May 23rd

† Giuseppe Calvarusso by figlio David Calvarusso, fam.
† Defunti di famiglia Lot by Ida Lot e famiglia
† Teresa Biasutto by marito e famiglia
† Marcellino e Rachele Fiori by famiglia
† Annibale e Giustina Biasutto by famiglia
† Antonio Ciaramitaro by Gaspere Fallea

PRAYING WITH THE SUNDAY GOSPEL RESOURCE FOR INDIVIDUALS & FAMILIES

Looking to deepen your experience of scripture and your relationship with Jesus, the United States Catholic Conference of Bishops has developed a resource to help you pray with the weekly Sunday Gospel. The resource includes everything you need to pray alone or with family or friends. The resource for all the Sundays of the Easter season are available now.

Download this week's Gospel at windsorheritageparishes.ca

St. Alphonsus Cares News—Online at stalphonsuscares.ca

Our Gardening Day will be Monday, May 27th at St. Alphonsus at 9:30am. Join us to plant some flowers and pull some weeds and get the courtyard and grounds ready for the season!!

The women of the **Mission Club** extend our sincere thanks and gratitude to the parishioners of Assumption Church. The Mother's Day Basket Raffle and Bake Sale were a huge success as a result of your generosity, and proceeds will greatly support Catholic Missions in our community.

Congratulations to our winners:

Antonietta Pelle - Pamper Yourself Basket
Marie Renaud - Wine Aficionado Basket

Corpus Christi Procession: On the weekend of **June 1st and 2nd**, the Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. To honour the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist, Catholic Churches throughout the world will hold Eucharistic Processions with Benediction on this day, as a public testimony to our faith in the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist. We invite you to join us as we mark this Solemnity as a Family of Parishes, with processions in all of our Churches.

St. Angela – Saturday after 4:30pm mass
Assumption – Sunday after 11:00am mass
St. Alphonsus – Saturday after 5:00pm mass

Marriage Banns Ugochukusu Nnaemeka Irojiogu and Theresa Okeome Imegi are seeking to enter into the Sacrament of Matrimony in the Catholic Church. If anyone knows of any reason that these two individuals should not be married, please contact the Parish Office prior to May 27th, 2024.



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