



Windsor Heritage
Catholic Family of Parishes
Famiglia Cattolica di Parrocchie
Patrimonio di Windsor

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

St. Daniel Community: stdaniel.ca | St. Benedict Community: windsorlatinmass.org

Family of Parishes Main Office Hours: Monday to Friday: 8:30am to Noon and 1:00pm to 4:00pm
St. Angela Satellite Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 9:30am to 12:00pm

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

Visit their website

Weekday / Messe nei giorni feriali

Assumption

Tuesday to Friday
8:00am in Rosary Chapel

St. Alphonsus

Wednesday to Friday
12:00 noon

St. Angela

Monday to Thursday
lunedì e giovedì
7:00pm

English: Monday and Tuesday
Italiano: Wednesday and Thursday

St. Benedict

Visit their website

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

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

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

St. Alphonsus

Wednesday: 11:00am to 12:00 noon

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Marilyn Morrison

Priests In Residence / Sacerdoti in residenza

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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Bulletin Content Deadline: Noon Mondays

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

ASSUMPTION CARES

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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!

**December 8th, 2024 — Second Sunday of Advent
8 dicembre 2024 - 2a Domenica D'Avvento**

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS DINNER

Are you an immigrant young adult or student away from family this holiday season? We are surely no replacement for your family and friends at home, but we hope to offer an evening of fun, food, and friendship to celebrate the holiday season with you.

You are invited to attend the International Student Holiday Dinner on **Wednesday, December 18th**, at the Assumption Parish McEwan Campus Hall (on McEwan Avenue just south of Wyandotte Street). Doors will open at 5:30 for a shared time of fellowship and a complimentary festive meal (inclusive of halal and vegan dishes). The evening will end by 8:00pm .

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED TO RESERVE YOUR SEAT. EACH PARTICIPANT MUST REGISTER AND ARRIVE BY 6:15 TO GUARANTEE THEIR SEAT. REGISTER ON-LINE AT <https://windsorheritageparishes.ca/student-dinner>.

There will be a special mass on **Monday, December 9th** in the Rosary Chapel at **8:00am** for the **Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception**.

The Synod and Parish Life: Unpacking the Synod on Synodality

The Windsor Heritage Catholic Family of Parishes will be hosting a panel discussion with Fr. Raymond Lafontaine and Linda Staudt at St. Alphonsus Parish on Saturday, December 14th from 9:00am to 2:00pm. Please join us to hear of their experience at the Synod and what it means for parish life. The event will conclude with lunch. The cost is \$20.00 Sign up on the parish website at: windsorheritageparishes.ca/synod

Community Outreach News

St. Alphonsus Cares

Thanks to all who signed up for tickets to the Christmas Gala. All the tickets are spoken for! It should prove to be a great event. Stay tuned for pics!!

Turkey Bingo is Monday December 16th! We have 5 turkeys to be won and lots of sides! Join us at 1:00pm till the turkeys are gone! Gobble Gobble!!

The regular Community Dinners continue Fridays from 5:00pm to 6:00pm. **Please NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO DINNER ON DECEMBER 27th!**

Christmas Mass Schedules

Full schedules for Christmas, New Year's and Daily Masses can be found on our website and will be inserted into next weeks bulletins.

Advent Confessions

December 19th

St. Angela
6:00pm to 8:30pm
(No confession during 7:00pm mass)



December 20th

Rosary Chapel
8:30am to 10:30am
St. Alphonsus Church

Family and Youth Ministry News

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT - FAMILY REFLECTION -

Time to light the "second" purple candle on the Advent Wreath. During the season of Advent, we choose to add many activities to our family's schedule to prepare for our celebration of Christmas. John the Baptist reminds us that our repentance is another way in which we can prepare for the Lord's coming and our celebration of Christmas. Parish communities often offer a communal celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation during the Advent season. Your family might choose to participate in the communal celebration of the sacrament, or you might seek out this sacrament on an individual basis. *(Please check this bulletin for opportunities to receive Sacrament of Reconciliation in coming weeks.)*

WHAT A PARTY! The Windsor Heritage Catholic Family of Parishes hosted approximately 110 guests last Saturday at Holy Name of Mary - McEwan Campus (Assumption Cares). Special thanks to the children, families, helpers, *"St. Lucy" (Jenna Goldsacks), "St. Nicholas and his Special Assistant" (Paul and Colleen Coleman)* and the countless number of people who stepped in and out through the week setting up and serving the day of the event. *You all made this year's WHCFOP Annual West Side Christmas Party a success!* Guests made crafts, had a hot lunch (cooked by **FEEDING WINDSOR**), and received a special "treat" of "Grinch Mix" popcorn (courtesy of **WHAT'S POPPIN' POPCORN - Chrystal and Jeff Gamble**), posed for Christmas photos at the photo booth from **WUNDER BOOTH (thank you to Mara Belano)** there were a lot of smiles and memories made there! Of the volunteers present there were teens from **Assumption High School, Holy Names and St. Joseph's**, the Mission Club, Assumption Cares, Knights of Columbus and young adults from the YA Ministry at WHCFOP and from the U of W Aspire program. **IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SCHOOL - Grade 6/7 class did ALL the artwork (check out FB page!).** God bless you all!

Have a blessed and holy Advent, Lynne Tibor CPM CYM

Grazie Mille! On behalf of the entire St Angela Merici parish community, we want to express our sincere gratitude for a recent donation to our parish family. Rocco Menard (11 yrs old) contributed \$850.00 from a recent fundraising program. This young man donated the entire amount from his personal efforts to our parish. His support is an invaluable contribution to our mission of spreading love, compassion, and hope. With Rocco's generous donation, we will be able to make a significant impact in St Angela Merici's future. Whether it's providing assistance to those in need, organizing uplifting events, or fostering spiritual growth, his contribution plays a vital role in making it all possible. Rocco's dedication to making a difference is a shining example for us all. May God bless you and your family abundantly for your kindness and may your generosity inspire others to follow in your footsteps. With deepest appreciation, The Parish Family of St Angela Meric.

***Collections for November 17th
Includes collection basket and online***

	Assumption	St. Alphonsus	St. Angela
Collection	\$5,076.57	\$2,505.95	\$3,67.32
Building	\$6,864.95	\$50.00	\$140.00
Misc.	\$5,110.05	\$508.00	\$1,185.00
TOTAL	\$17,051.57	\$3,063.95	\$5,672.32

**Thank you for your ongoing support!!
Donate anytime online:
windsorheritageparishes.ca/donate**

Daily Mass Intentions—Assumption— 8:00am

Tuesday, December 10th

Assumption Church Staff by Evangeline Franco
In thanksgiving for Bernie and Dawna Levasseur by Evangeline Franco
Gerald Lemay by The Family
Denis Simpson by Sheila and Teresa
† Leela Joan Doig by Lisa Marie Doig and Michael Jozwik
† Tony Serrano (1st anniversary) by Nanette Serrano and Family

Wednesday, December 11th

† Ardijan Gjinj by Deda Elezovic
† Margaret and Helen Stretavsky by their sister Irene
† Fr. Franklin Mizzi by Friends
† Fr. John Callaghan by Friends
† Victoria Morand by Mary Ha
† Rick Dumouchelle

Thursday, December 12th

In thanksgiving for Noel and Marikit Belano & Family by Evangeline Franco
Berny Lesperance by Cecilia Lesperance
† Deceased members of Alessandro De Luca Family by Lydia De Luca
† Domenico & Maria Giannotti by Ralph and Antonietta Cimino
† Mariano Gerbaudo by Elizabeth Wong
† Sr. Lise Jolie by Wayne Churchill

Friday, December 13th

Lucie Comartin by Rose Marie Ruston
† In honour of St. Lucia by Amasio & Concetta Nardone & Family
Special intention for Marilyn Vallitia by Fan Ye
† Souls in purgatory by Mary Ha
Special intention for Evangeline Franco by Ne Alfonso
Special intention for Lena Salomone by Colicchia Family

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

Wednesday, December 11th

† Rev. Fr. Sylver Deltour, cism by Lina Firaza
† Rita Lacourciere by Frances Friemann
† Barbara Mouncey by Nancy McDonald
† Louis Paul DesRosiers by Margo Shanklin
† Mary Penso by Her Niece
† George Ignatius by Queenie Ignatius

Thursday, December 12th

† Felix Wagner by Frances Friemann
† Catalino Beronilla by A Parishioner
† Cedric Harvey by Nanette Serrano and Family
† Souls in purgatory by Gloria Romero-Lehe
† Margaret DesRosiers by Margo Shanklin
For the healing of Teresita by Teresita Mallare

Friday, December 13th

† In thanksgiving to the Infant Jesus by The Rocha Family
† Rosa Daoud by The Daoud Family
† Tony Serrano by Frances Friemann
† Daphne Clarke by Margo Shanklin
† Souls in purgatory by Paul McAiney
† Clarita Dunn by The Dunn Family

Sanctuary Light Memorial—For the week of December 8th Rosary Chapel

Mickey Misfud by Marie Mifsud
Assumption Church
Michael Connor by Marie Mifsud

K of C Religious Items Sale Dates

December 15th 2024—Assumption 8:30am to 12:15pm

December 22nd 2024—St. Benedict 1:30pm to 3:30pm

Please note religious sales are suspended from January to April

Daily Mass Intentions—St. Angela Merici

Monday, December 9th - 7:00 pm

† Carlo Orlando by wife Francesca & family
† Antonio Soranno by parents and family
† Emilio and Maria Domenica Iacobelli by Tony and Maria Iacobelli
† Onorio Iacobelli by Tony and Maria Iacobelli
† Gaetano Pirrone by Tony and Maria Iacobelli
† Santino Spada by wife and children

Tuesday, December 10th - 7:00 pm

† Filomena e Michele Vitale by Maria Carriero e famiglia
† Frank Coletti by Giuseppe Zaccagnini
† Mario Spadafora (6th anniversary) by wife and family
† Nicolina Papasodaro by Mariella and Ralph Buzzeo
† Pierino Forte by Giuliana D'Agostini
† Alberto Iannetta by Pina Malizia and family

Wednesday, December 11th - 7:00 pm

† Salvatore, Francesco, Estera Gualtieri, Anna e Michele DeNapoli, Consolato e Gina Marciano by G. Gualtieri, fam.
† Maria Lopez Bonasso by Caterina Belcastro
† Anna Maria Vitella by The Vitella Family
† Rocco Belcastro by sorella Caterina
† Rocco Sbrocca by sister-in-law Santina
† Armando Grandi e defunti Famiglie Grandi by Renata Grandi e famiglia

Thursday, December 12th - 7:00 pm

† Vito Galifi by Mirella Galifi e famiglia
† Teresa Biasutto by marito e famiglia
† Marcellino e Rachele Fiori by famiglia
† Annibale e Giustina Biasutto by famiglia
† Tommaso Lipari by Pina Caciato
† Paolo e Francesca Liburdi by famiglia

Saturday, December 13th - 4:30 pm

† Giuseppe e Chiara Gentile by sorella Tera e famiglia
† Gerardo and Rosa Boccarossa by Donato e Rosa Boccarossa

Sunday, December 14th - 9:30 am

† Concetta Todarello by nipote Maria Montaleone

PRAYING WITH THE SUNDAY GOSPEL RESOURCE FOR INDIVIDUALS & FAMILIES

Lectio Divina, "divine reading", is a traditional method of scriptural prayer that leads to communion with God. **Download this week's Gospel at windsorheritageparishes.ca**

Assumption Mission Club Bakes Sale—December 15th After all masses—Cash only

32nd Annual Celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe Pilgrim Image

Wednesday, December 11th at Assumption Church

6:30pm—Confessions in Rosary Chapel
6:45pm—Holy Rosary 7:15pm—Procession of the Nations
7:30pm—Mass **Reception to follow**

LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS to help spread holiday cheer at the International Student Holiday Dinner on **Wednesday, December 18th**. Help is needed to set up the hall, meet and greet, serve the food, and help with kitchen and hall clean-up. Consider this your gift to students who are far from family at this time of year. Please sign-up on the volunteer sign-up sheet at the church entrances or email jbene-teau@dol.ca. Your help is appreciated!

Mille Grazie Voci Ciorciare! A huge thank you to Voce Ciorciare for their generous gift of \$1,000 presented at our 85th anniversary parish banquet. It is a wonderful sign support for the ongoing needs of our parish and a great indication of promise for our future.
—Fr. Timothy



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