



# The Cluster Parishes of Our Lady of Mercy, St. Benedict, St. Joseph

## (Office) St. Benedict Church

1011 Oak Ave.  
Sarnia, ON N7S 1J4

## Our Lady of Mercy Church

390 N. Christina St.  
Sarnia, ON N7T 5V9

## St. Joseph Church

291 Stuart St.  
Sarnia, ON N7T 3B9

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9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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### Masses & Confessions

#### St. Benedict Masses

Saturday - 5:00 pm  
Sunday - 10:00 am  
Sunday - 6:30 pm  
Tuesday & Thursday - 6:30 pm  
(Vespers) Thursday - 7:00 pm  
(Confessions) Tues/Thurs - 6-6:30 pm

#### St. Joseph Masses

Sunday - 11:00 am  
Wednesday & Saturday - 9:30 am  
(Confessions) Wed/Sat - 9-9:30 am

#### Our Lady of Mercy Masses

Saturday - 5:30 pm  
Sunday - 9:00 am  
Monday to Friday - 12:10 pm  
(Confessions) Mon-Fri - 11:30 am-12 pm  
Sat - 10:30-11:30 am

#### Latin Mass

2nd Fridays - 7pm - St. Joseph Church

#### Parish Administrator

Fr. Mateusz Sobierajski, C.S.M.A. - ex. 16  
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#### Priest in residence

Fr. Raymond Masse

#### Deacon

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#### Pastoral Minister

Leonia Downie - ex. 15  
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#### Secretaries

Lisa De Sena - ex. 14  
Anna lafrate - ex. 13  
Ginette Villemaire - ex. 13

#### Housekeeper

Gayle Carroll

#### Caretakers

Chris Burley (Our Lady of Mercy)  
Lauchie MacDougall (St. Joseph)  
Teena Burley - (St. Joseph)  
Mike Potvin - (St. Benedict)

## March 24, 2019 **LENT** 3rd Sunday of

### MID-LENT CHECK-IN

God says to Moses, "This is what you shall tell the Israelites: I AM sent me to you... The LORD, the God of your [ancestors], the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, the God of Jacob" (Exodus 3:14, 15). As Jesus would later say, God is not a God of the dead, but of the living, and so we believe that the dead will one day rise. At this midpoint of Lent, we pause to consider how our repentance is leading us to the Resurrection, to our reunion with the great "I AM." Part of our repentance involves working to secure justice for all and helping our neighbor to live in God's ways. We encourage each other and nurture each other, like the compassionate gardener of today's Gospel, who tells the owner of the orchard that he will nurture the tree, fertilize it, and perhaps it will bear fruit.

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### Parish Mission

To help us on our Lenten Journey, we have invited Fr. Ben Luedtke who will lead us in a Parish Mission ([www.godblessya.com](http://www.godblessya.com)). Fr. Ben will begin the Weekend of April 6/7 at our Holy Masses and follow with 4 talks:

**Sun. Apr. 7 - 7:30pm at St. Benedict (Time And Eternity)**

**Mon. Apr. 8 - 7pm at St. Joseph (Forgiveness) with the opportunity for Life Confessions**

**Tues. Apr. 9 - 7pm at St. Benedict (Holy Eucharist) preceded by 6.30pm Holy Mass**

**Wed. Apr. 10 - 7pm at Our Lady of Mercy (Blessed Virgin Mary and the Cross) with a social to follow**



### Sacramental

**Baptism...** Parents must be registered members at one of our parishes. Preparation class is mandatory.

#### **Scheduled Baptism Dates:**

St. Benedict, Our Lady of Mercy and St. Joseph: 1st Sunday of the month.

#### **First Communion & Confirmation...**

These sacraments will take place according to church calendar. Please check the bulletin for notices on preparation, registration and set dates. If your child does not attend a catholic school, please notify the parish. Preparation is mandatory.

#### **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.)...**

Classes are set from September to Pentecost. For more information or to register please call the parish office.

**Marriage...** About 1 year advance notice is appreciated. One of the applicants being married must be a member of one of our cluster parishes. Please contact the parish office to fill out a marriage registration form. Marriage Prep Course is mandatory.

#### **Care & Anointing of the Sick...**

Holy Communion is brought regularly to parishioners that are homebound, in nursing homes, and hospitals. Please notify the parish office if you know of someone that is in need of receiving holy communion. For the Anointing of the Sick please contact the parish office.

Note: In order to receive sacraments when in hospital or continuous care facilities, please inform the facility's administration of your Catholic faith.

**Funeral...** After your initial contact with the funeral home, please contact the parish office for mass preparation. (Pre-planning is encouraged.)



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### Our Lady of Mercy Cemetery & Resurrection Cemetery & Crematorium



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Family Service Advisors: Jennifer Siklosi & Tiffanie Vancoillie

<b>Weekday Masses &amp; Intentions</b>
<p><b>St. Benedict</b>  <u>Tues. Mar. 26 - 6:30pm</u>                      Dave &amp; Jean Tayles (Tayles Family)                      Mary Frankovic (Croatian Catholic Club)                      Intention of Rose Knight (Deery Family)</p> <p><u>Thurs. Mar. 28 - Afton Park N.H. - 10am</u>  <u>Thurs. Mar. 28 - 6:30pm</u>                      Miguel Cabral (Wife Maria)                      Moises &amp; Veronica Nartatez (Adele &amp; Rey Quijalvo)                      Angelina &amp; Anthony Serratore (Madeline &amp; Joseph Serratore)</p> <p><b>St. Joseph</b>  <u>Wed. Mar. 27 - 9:30am</u>                      Evangelina Teixeira Horacio (Maria Teixeira)                      Stephen Greenwood (Brian Fillion)                      Betty Murray (David McEachern)</p> <p><u>Sat. Mar. 30 - 9:30am</u>                      Dialina &amp; Tina Arruda (Evaristo Arruda)                      Stephen Greenwood (Ray &amp; Connie Benson)                      Ronald McKinnon (Jackie &amp; Paul VandenBroek)</p> <p><b>Our Lady of Mercy</b>  <u>Mon. Mar. 25 - 12:10</u>                      Anne Wright (Helen Donnelly)                      Giovanni Solinas (Gayle Carroll)                      Intention of Fr. Savel (Our Lady of Mercy CWL)</p> <p><u>Tues. Mar. 26 - 12:10</u>                      Laura Davison-Marles (Kay Williams)                      Intention of Fr. Savel                      Pat Tait-Mitro (Mary)</p> <p><u>Wed. Mar. 27 - 12:10</u>                      Ron McKinnon (Stoesser Family)                      Intention of Fr. Savel (Frank &amp; Margarita Roberts)                      Giuseppe &amp; Bachisangela Solinas (Mario &amp; Rita Solinas)</p> <p><u>Thurs. Mar. 28 - 12:10</u>                      Ken Ladouceur (Louise Family)                      Frank Bandura (Mary Jane Ferrell)                      Deceased Members of Gabriel &amp; Savo Families (Mike &amp; Mena Gabriel)</p> <p><u>Fri. Mar. 29 - 12:10</u>                      Ronald McKinnon (Chenard Family)                      Doug Brown (Laurie Colbran)                      Viriato Correia (Filomena Correia)</p>

<b>Pray For</b>
<p><b>Diocesan ministers to pray for</b>                      ~ Mr. Sylvain Patry, Coord Yth Min                      ~ Ministries to Refugees/London Diocese                      ~ Mrs. Eva Fodeles-Freund, Pstrl Min                      ~ Rev. Arockiadoss Velanganni, O.F.M. Cap.                      ~ Rev. John Sharp                      ~ Rev. Pierre Wood, O.F.M. Cap.                      ~ Rev. Ronald Pumputis</p> <p><b>Please pray for our sick</b>                      Marilyn Genner, Greg Detailleur,                      Eileen, Angela DeCiantis, Rick Fraser,                      Jenny Michaud, Sonya Smith,                      Mary Debus, Sheridan Penhale,                      Fran Thomson, Pat Cuthbert,                      Jennifer Ennett, Carol Haley,                      Trish Stack, Blessa Hindley,                      Mary Stanford, Fran LaChance,                      Athena Fowler, Maria Cabral,                      Pat Daye, George Mathieson,                      Joan Baley, Jackie Detailleur,                      Don Desjardins, Terri &amp; Baby Brandon,                      Rev. Paul Smith, Shawna Paradis,                      Frank Power, Dawn Harris,                      Armine Dennie, Tyler Manzon,                      Sandro Manzon, Grace Gauci,                      Ally Wodham, Teresa Allum,                      Judy Bandura, Thelma Brost,                      Fr. Nick Marro, Joan Bunyan,                      Emaline Rideout, Louise Jovic,                      June Shepherd, Pauline Mino,                      Jackie Dunlop, Fatima Ortins,                      Lena Rattigan, Arlene Fader,                      Marcella Horodyski, Mary Bigras,                      Cindy Phillips, John Christopher Hummell,                      Anna Schincariol, Rod McKinnon,                      Penny Koziol, Evelyn Vollrath,                      Yari &amp; Dan Lynch, Cheryl Kelly,                      Joseph Dias, Rose Hayes Marcy,                      Eleanor Bruner, Mariamma Jacob,                      Jackie Croskery, Moira Spowart,                      Luba Pelletier, James Fader,                      Pamela Cunningham, Yvonne LeBeau,                      Claude Lalonde, Pat Foster,                      Averi Durocher.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Please call the parish office                      if you would like your name                      removed from this list.</b></p>

<b>Meetings &amp; Happenings</b>
<p><b>St. Benedict</b>                      Mar. 24 11:00 am - 1st Communion Class                      4:30 pm - Confirmation Class                      26 6:00 pm - Stations of the Cross                      27 6:30 pm - RCIA Mtg                      28 7:00 pm - Cenacle Group</p> <p><b>Our Lady of Mercy</b>                      Mar. 25 7:00 pm - Bible Study                      26 7:00 pm - CWL Regional Mtg                      7:00 pm - KC 4th Degree Mtg                      27 11:30 am - Perpetual Help Devotions                      12:30 pm - Soup Social                      7:00 pm - Alpha Mtg                      7:00 pm - Choir Practice                      28 11:30 am - Stations of the Cross                      2:00 pm - KC Scripture Meditation                      29 1:00 pm - Art Group</p> <p><b>St. Joseph</b>                      Mar. 27 9:00 am - Stations of the Cross                      10:00 am - Devotions</p> <p style="text-align: center;">~~~~~</p> <p><b>Perpetual Help Devotions - Wednesdays</b>                      Our Lady of Mercy Church - 11:30 am</p> <p><b>Perpetual Help Devotions - Wednesdays</b>                      St. Joseph Church - following 9:30 mass</p> <p><b>Exposition/Devotions - 1st Fridays</b>                      Our Lady of Mercy Church - 11 am</p> <p><b>Card Night - 1st Fridays</b>                      St. Benedict Church Hall - 7 pm</p> <p><b>Meat Bingo - 1st &amp; 3rd Thursdays</b>                      Our Lady of Mercy Church Hall - 7 pm</p> <p><b>Soup Social - 2nd &amp; 4th Wednesdays</b>                      Our Lady of Mercy Hall - 12:30 pm</p> <p><b>Sat. Parish BBQ / Sun. Parish Breakfast</b>                      3rd Sat/Sun St. Benedict Church Hall (after Mass)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Children's Sunday Liturgy:</b></p> <p><b>Our Lady of Mercy: 9am Mass (ages 3-7)</b>  <b>St. Benedict: 10am Mass (ages 3-7)</b>  <b>St. Joseph: 11am Mass (JK to grade 2)</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Parish Vocation Crucifix</b></p> <p>If anyone is interested in having the Vocation Crucifix in their home for a 2-week period please call Theresa Gyuricza at 519-491-5208.</p>



**Easter flower donation envelopes** are available at church entrances for anyone who would like to make a donation in memory of a loved one. Please fill out the information on the envelope and return it in the weekend collection basket or to the parish office. Donations will be included with year-end tax receipts.

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE**



**St. Joseph's, St Benedict's and OLM**

A tradition at our yearly CWL conventions is to collect items that are then distributed in the host area. This year is different. The CWL's of the cluster are collecting socks--men's, women's and children's. A few will go to the convention but the majority of the socks will be distributed locally through the St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank, The Salvation Army, The Inn of the Good Shepherd and River City Vineyard.

There will be collection boxes at the doors of all 3 churches for the next 3 weeks.

Donations may also be brought to the April CWL meetings. PLEASE BE GENEROUS.

**Wanted!!!**

**Good used jewellery/scarves/purses**

**For OLM CWL 'Spring Tea'**

Please leave items in boxes provided at OLM church entrance or bring to the parish office. Items appreciated as soon as possible for early sorting and pricing.

For more info please call: 519-344-9341 or 519-383-7541.



**Spring Tea - Mark your calendar!**

**Our Lady of Mercy Church Hall**

**Thursday May 9 ~ 11:30am - 1:30pm**

Jewellery Table, Purses, Scarves,

Home Made Spring Rolls, Limited Baking Table

**Lunch: \$7** Assorted sandwiches, desserts, tea, coffee, juice

**Admission: Free** ~ 50-50 Draw ~ Door Prizes

*Sponsored by OLM-CWL. Proceeds to local charities.  
For more info call 519-383-7541 or 519-332-5382.*

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**



**KofC Annual Spring Dinner-Dance**

**Saturday, April 27 ~ OLM hall ~ after evening mass**  
Proceeds to "Coats for Kids" St. Vincent de Paul Society and other KofC charities.

**5 course sit-down dinner by the Giresi**  
Table Wine; DJ music and dancing; Cash Bar  
Gift basket; 50-50; Spot and Door prizes  
Live entertainment; Photo Booth



Tickets [limited] available at the parish office

Or call: 519-542-7528 , 519-328-3353

<https://kofc1429.com/> <https://www.facebook.com/KofC1429/>

**St. Benedict Council 11164**

Thank you to everyone who supported our Sunday parish breakfast. Breakfast draw winner--John DaSilva; winner of the donated painting *Thomas KinKade Print "Sea of Tranquility"* - Barbara Anne Simpson.

Proceeds have been donated to the St. Joseph Church "Bell" structure fund as part of the exterior Spring beautification landscaping.

Our 40 items of non perishable food for 40 nights (KNIGHTS) is well underway. Donations at St. Benedict church reached 75 food items and \$100 cash donations. Please help in our efforts to assist the St. Vincent de Paul food Bank "Feed the Hungry" within the Sarnia area. Needs are ever increasing.

Thought of taking part in the largest laymen's group serving our Catholic church? Knights of Columbus membership requirement is men 18 years of age and older and practicing their Catholic faith. Our major efforts are serving the church through family, Church and community. Time commitment is yours to decide whether be taking part in one time annual activities or being part of our monthly events. Time spent is well rewarded in making new friendships or the great feeling knowing others are being assisted. Speak to any KofC Member or look for information at church pamphlet racks.

All Kids up to Grade 5 and their adult caregivers ...

Come join in the Fun & Fellowship at our

**Cluster Parish P.A. Day Kids Group**

**Friday, April 5, 2019**

**St. Benedict Church Hall ~ 10am -12:30pm**

**"We Meet, We Build in God's Love"**

Topic: The Healer

Lunch provided *(Thanks to the Knights of Columbus)*

Cost: \$2/adult ~ Kids eat FREE! ~ All welcome!

Contact: marilyndeery@gmail.com



**Stations of the Cross**

Tuesdays 6pm - St. Benedict - Mar. 26, Apr. 2, 9, 16

Wednesdays 9am - St. Joseph - Mar. 27, Apr. 3, 10, 17

Thursdays 11:30am - Our Lady of Mercy - Mar. 28, Apr. 4, 11

**Day of Confessions**

**Wednesday, April 10 from 8am to 9pm**

**Our Lady of Mercy (390 N. Christina St.)**

**Sacred Heart (1465 Lecaron Ave.)**



Our various city priests will be available throughout the day.

**Other Lenten Confession times at our cluster parishes:**

**Saturday, April 6** 10am-1pm - St. Joseph

**Saturday, April 13** 12noon-5pm - St. Benedict



**Share the journey with the Rohingyas of Myanmar**

Facing persecution and violence, 723,000 Rohingyas have fled Myanmar since August 2017 and taken refuge across the border, in neighbouring Bangladesh. Development and Peace's long-time partner Caritas Bangladesh is working hard to restore some dignity to these people who simply yearn to live in peace. Thanks to your donations, Caritas Bangladesh has been able to provide temporary shelters, access to clean water, safe latrines and showers for women and girls, and hygiene kits, and to raise awareness among refugees about safety issues. Your generosity makes a difference in the lives of the Rohingya! [devp.org/give](http://devp.org/give)

**Pilgrimage Tour**



There are still spots available for the Pilgrimage Tour to Italy, Switzerland, France, Belgium, Germany and Holland with Fr. Matthew Sobierajski CSMA. There are a few options to choose:

- **Whole trip 15 days:** May 13 - 27, 2019: Rome, Assisi, Siena, Florence, Bologna, Milan, Lucerne, Strasbourg, Paris, Banneaux, Cologne, Amsterdam - CA\$4490.00
- **First 8 days:** May 13 - 21, 2019: Rome, Assisi, Siena, Florence, Bologna, Milan - CA\$3190.00
- **Last 10 days:** May 18 - 27, 2019: Milan, Lucerne, Strasbourg, Paris, Banneaux, Cologne, Amsterdam - CA\$3,690.00

**Capital Campaign Update**

**GIVING TOGETHER - RETORE | RENEW | REJOICE**

**St. Joseph's – Our Lady of Mercy – St. Benedict's**

Thank you for your continued support of our Capital Campaign. Improvements and repairs continue in our three parishes thanks to your pledges. We will be updating the donor posters at the end of June to include names of contributors who were omitted along with the addition of contributors who have donated to the Campaign since the first printing. Please contact the parish office **before June 15** if you would like to have your name included on these posters.



**Attention young adults in your 20s or 30s!** Are you a student or working, married or single? If so, i.d.9:16 might be just what you are looking for. It is a wonderful way to meet other young adults and to grow in faith. Our next monthly Disciples' Night is **Thursday, April 4** at St. Michael's Parish, 511 Cheapside St., London. Topic: Bearing the Image. Speaker: Anna Carter. We will begin with Mass at 6:15pm followed by a meal and drinks at 7pm, and a live streamed talk and small group discussions at 8:00. The evening will go until 9:30pm. Check us out on Facebook at i.d.9:16 London. The cost of dinner and talk is \$10 with an RSVP, \$15 without an RSVP. Please RSVP no later than Sunday, March 31<sup>st</sup> via Facebook event or email ([id916london@gmail.com](mailto:id916london@gmail.com)).

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**Missio Diocesan Newspaper**

**Spring 2019 Edition**

The Spring 2019 edition of Missio, the newspaper of the Diocese of London, has been published. Copies are available in the church entrance, compliments of our parish. The current issue, as well as back issues, are available online at [www.dol.ca/newspaper](http://www.dol.ca/newspaper). Please read and share freely.

**St. Michael & Sacred Heart Catholic Parishes  
Lenten Preaching Mission**

**with Fr. Dan Vere - March 24-27th**

The theme for the Mission is "The Urgency and Power of Prayer". All are invited to attend any or all sessions focusing on varied forms of prayer - Centering Prayer, Contemplative Prayer, Lectio Divina Prayer, Mystics Prayer and Breath Prayer. A time of fellowship will follow each session. Come early and enjoy a musical prelude before the mission talks on Sun. Tues. & Wed. at 6:40pm.

- **Sun. Mar. 24** - Confessions from 6-7pm; Mission talk at 7pm at **St. Michael Church**
- **Mon. Mar. 25** - Mass at 6:30pm; Mission talk at 7pm at **St. Michael Church**
- **Tues. Mar. 26** - Confessions from 6-7pm; Mission talk at 7pm at **Sacred Heart Church**
- **Wed. Mar. 27** - Confessions from 6-7pm; Mission talk at 7pm at **Sacred Heart Church**

**Offertory Collection**

Mar. 10/19	St. Joseph	OLM	St. Benedict
Reg Env	\$2,100.00	\$2,160.00	\$3,758.00
Loose	88.30	303.57	549.65
Auto Debit	424.00	1,055.92	1,254.84
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<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,612.30</b>	<b>\$3,519.49</b>	<b>\$5,562.49</b>
Mar. 17/19	St. Joseph	OLM	St. Benedict
Reg Env	\$1,375.00	\$2,345.00	\$3,794.00
Loose	120.45	271.65	595.35
Auto Debit	424.00	1,067.46	1,270.15
Initial	---	---	---
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,919.45</b>	<b>\$3,684.11</b>	<b>\$5,659.50</b>

Thank you for your generous support of our parishes.

**Today's Readings ...**

**First Reading** (Exodus 3:1-8a, 13-15) or *Exodus 17:3-7*.  
**Second Reading** (1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12) or *Romans 5:1-2, 5-8*.  
**Gospel** (Luke 13: 1-9) or *John 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]*.





We gather on the first weekend of spring, praying that God will warm our hearts with love during the Lenten Season. The Lord has the message of eternal life: we come to know this message and deepen our relationship with our Saviour. **Fr. Ben Luedtke** will lead us in that renewal through missions in Our Parishes **April 7-10**. You may also consider visiting our neighboring Parishes of Sacred Heart and St. Michael this week as they are hosting **Fr. Dan Vere** for their **Parish Missions: The Urgency and Power of Prayer**. Sun March 24<sup>th</sup> @7pm at St. Michael, Mon 25<sup>th</sup> @7pm at St. Michael, Tues 26<sup>th</sup> @7pm at Sacred Heart, Wed 27<sup>th</sup> @7pm at Sacred Heart. More details in the bulletin and bulletin boards.

As we welcome signs of spring we are thinking about summer already. The same happens within our Parish Community. During the Parish Council meeting it was decided that we want to celebrate our Community together during our **Parish Picnic at Canatara Park on Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2019**. Mark your calendar! The event will begin at 3pm with some games and activities and a BBQ. Area 1, the large covered area at Canatara Park has been reserved for that date. Parishioners and families from St. Joseph, Our Lady of Mercy and St. Benedict are invited to participate, with food, prizes and games provided by the cluster parishes. More details to follow. **If you want to help us out with organizing the event, please contact Annie Ferrera - Parish Picnic Coordinator at [atferran@gmail.com](mailto:atferran@gmail.com)**

**RCIA** 1<sup>st</sup> Scrutiny - Thursday, March 28 at 6:30pm Mass  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Scrutiny - Thursday, April 4 at 6:30pm Mass  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Scrutiny - Thursday, April 11 at 6:30pm Mass



There is a new movie coming to the theaters that we should consider seeing and supporting. **Unplanned** is the inspiring true story of one woman's journey of transformation. All Abby Johnson ever wanted to do was help women. As one of the youngest Planned Parenthood clinic directors in the nation, she was involved in upwards of 22,000 abortions and counseled countless women about their reproductive choices. Her passion surrounding a woman's right to choose even led her to become a spokesperson for Planned Parenthood, fighting to enact legislation for the cause she so deeply believed in. Until the day she saw something that changed everything, leading Abby Johnson to join her former enemies at 40 Days For Life and become one of the most ardent pro-life speakers in America. Sarnia won't be showing the movie, but many theatres in the US will. The first weekend in theaters is important if the movie is to spread the message, so please consider supporting the cause by going for a screening. More details and Theaters at <https://www.unplannedfilm.com>

**Some updates from our churches**

Congratulations to **St. Joseph** with the beautification process. The fundraiser is going well, and the goal is almost reached.

The scaffolding setup for the major project at **Our Lady of Mercy** is half way through.

At **St. Benedict** the windows have been fixed and the crying room received some proper cleaning and necessary updates.

**Thank you** to all parishioners for all the help you provide in making our places of worship more beautiful and useful for generations to come.



**PARISH REGISTRATION FORM**

If you are seeking a church home, we gladly welcome you! Please complete this registration form and drop it in the weekend collection basket or bring to the parish office. Our parish communities welcome you and we hope that you will feel at home.

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

First Name(s):  Mr. & Mrs.  Mr.  Mrs.  Miss \_\_\_\_\_

Children's Names (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Church in which you wish to be registered:  Our Lady of Mercy  St. Benedict  St. Joseph

Do you wish to be issued a set of Sunday Offertory Envelopes:  Yes  No



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