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Weekday Mass Times: Mon, Tue, Thurs
 and Fri 8:30 am, Wed 9:30 am

Weekend Mass Times: Saturday 5 pm &
 Sunday 10 am

Spanish Mass every 2nd and 4th Sunday
 of the month at 1pm

Confessions: Saturday 4:00- 4:30 or call
 the parish office to make an
 appointment.

Extraordinary Ministers of
 the Eucharist are available to bring the
 Holy Eucharist to
 parishioners who are
 homebound. Please
 contact the church office to be
 included in this service.



COFFEE SUNDAY is JULY 5th



Join us after 10 am
 mass for coffee
 and a treat in our
 Hospitality Room
ALL ARE WELCOME!

*You know that you were
 ransomed from the futile ways
 inherited from your fathers,
 not with perishable things such
 as silver or gold,¹⁹ but with the
 precious blood of Christ, like
 that of a lamb without blemish
 or spot. 1 Peter 1:18-19*

St. Michael's Messenger

JULY 2026

Produced by Hospitality Ministry

**Our mission: To raise joyful disciples of Jesus Christ to
 become apostles.**

We were blessed to have been visited by Pierre O'Reilly and Fernanda Cano, prominent figures with National Evangelization Teams or better known as NET. Purpose of their visit was a "site" inspection. As you know, we have had two teams from NET to our parish to host two very successful youth retreats. We need to keep this momentum going. Many young people lose their faith by the time they leave high school. Sound serious? It is a "call to action".

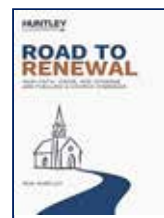


NET sends teams of young adults to schools and churches to share their faith so youth are transformed and re-engaged in their Catholic faith. The hope is that come this October, NET will send a team to St. Michael's for the entire school year and will go to our Catholic schools and evangelize their little hearts out. The site visit went very well and we feel confident; however, right now, NET is short on enough missionaries to fulfill the requests Canada wide. We will also be needing billet homes but will save that when things are confirmed. We leave you with these two requests. 1) Pray, pray, pray that the Holy Spirit will see fit to send us a missionary evangelization team. 2) That NET will have enough missionaries to fulfill our request.

Please visit the NET Canada website to find out more about NET and how to become a missionary. If you know of a young person 18 to 30 years old who has a true desire to share their faith, please just tap them on the shoulder. You can visit NET at www.netcanada.ca or you can call Carmel at our parish office 905-871-0692.

The Messenger Team

In reading the book "Road to Renewal", I was hoping to understand more about church renewal and how it worked - since attending St. Michael's for the last few years I have heard about church renewal and wanted to know more about it. All of the contributors to the book are deeply committed to church renewal and what really impressed me was the deep, personal way these church leaders share their experiences regarding their own successes and struggles involving renewal in their parishes - and give their best advice concerning being successful in church renewal. To me, that's the real story of the book and why I suggest it to others as inspirational reading - they are living their faith journeys by being open to what God is calling them to do in their work through their parishes.



We are blessed at St. Michael's to have leadership that has the vision, dedication and commitment to parish renewal with its emphasis on mission. For me (and I hope for others), what is spoken and practiced at St Michael's brings a knowledge and awareness to my Catholic faith that I haven't fully understood and appreciated until now - one example for me being the sacredness of Communion.

The book also reinforces that active participation in church renewal can be an important practice for everyone in the parish community if we are open to what God's plans are for each of us. We are individually unique and special to Him with our own gifts and talents that can contribute to the shared mission at St. Michael's which is to raise joyful disciples of Jesus Christ to become apostles. God is calling us each in our own ways and in our individual hearts on our personal journeys with Jesus and in helping others to know Jesus and grow in relationship with Him. I know this call presents challenges - it does for me - what is emphasized over and over in the book is that if we can have the Faith to reach out to God and ask in prayer for His guidance that through the Holy Spirit He will be there for us to show us the way.

May God bless everyone with His grace and merciful love.
Kieth Waller



Next Alpha begins

Thursday,

September 17 2026

Reminder that Alpha is our parish's evangelization tool. This is the main way we can bring people closer to Jesus...just invite them AND accompany them on the journey.



CCO Movement Wide Gathering
Monday, July 27 at 6:30pm, Parish Hall

Please join us if you have ever taken a CCO faith study or if you would like to find out more about Catholic Christian Outreach.

JULY						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
For daily mass intentions please consult our website stmichaelfe.com			1 Mass 9:30am <i>Happy Canada Day!</i>	2 Mass 8:30am	3 Mass 8:30am Holy Hour ST THOMAS THE APOSTLE	4 St Elizabeth of Portugal Confession 4-4:30 Mass 5:00pm
5 Mass 10:00am Coffee Sunday 😊	6 Mass 8:30am St Maria Goretti	7 Mass 8:30am	8 Mass 9:30am	9 Mass 8:30am St Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions	10 Mass 8:30am	11 St Benedict Confession 4-4:30 Mass 5:00pm
12 Mass 10:00 am Spanish Mass 1 pm	13 Mass 8:30am St Henry	14 Mass 8:30am St Camillus de Lellis K of C 6:30pm Hospitality Rm	15 Mass 9:30am St Bonaventure	16 Mass 8:30am Our Lady of Mount Carmel	17 Mass 8:30am	18 Confession 4-4:30 Mass 5:00pm
19 Mass 10:00am	20 Mass 8:30am St Apollinaris	21 Mass 8:30am St Lawrence of Brindisi	22 Mass 9:30am ST MARY MAGDALENE	23 Mass 8:30am St Bridget	24 Mass 8:30am St Sharbel Maklhuf	25 ST JAMES THE APOSTLE Mass 5:00pm
26 Mass 10:00am Spanish Mass 1 pm Intercessory Prayer 7pm ZOOM	27 Mass 8:30am CCO Movement Wide Gathering 6:30pm Parish Hall	28 Mass 8:30am	29 Mass 9:30am St Martha, St Mary and St Lazarus	30 Mass 8:30am St Peter Chrysologus	31 Mass 8:30am St Ignatius of Loyola	

Prayer Requests: Bernadette, Peggy, James and Joanne Pautler, Frank, Alaura, Pat Fleming, Joey Brancato, Marylou Deschamps, James McCarthy, Brian Murphy, Judie Ann Lalgie, Rachel Jessop, Daniel Duggan, Patty Boychuk, Geoff, Steve Lo-Stracco, Ann Marie Flake, Don, Janet Pierce, Betty Ann Schnicks, Bernice Schnicks, Josh Deschamps, Angela, Vilma, Stan Waszynski, Jerry Grey, Bob, Derek, Kevin, Pam, Deanna, Mike Reidy, Bill Lashbrook, Silvana Pontello, David D. Julia Klacko, Kimberly Murphy



Offering prayers of comfort for the family and friends of Daniel Duggan and may Daniel rest in the eternal peace of Christ.



St Michael's Intercessory Prayer Group

meets via ZOOM the last Sunday of each month at 7pm



Special Intention: Prayers for a successful visit by the NET Ministry Team. Sign up at the entrance to the church or contact the parish office for more information.



Donations to the Strong Fort Erie Neighbourhoods Personal Products Bank are always welcome!

These are collected in the front entrance to the church. Items most needed: Toilet paper, liquid dish soap, bar soap, toothpaste and antiperspirant.

Thank you for your continued support of our neighbours who are most in need!

For prayer requests or any ideas for our next newsletter please contact Hospitality Ministry at nellavan51@gmail.com

Newsletter submissions are due July 27