

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, 31st March - HOLY SATURDAY

3:30-4:30	Confessions
5:00 p.m.	No Mass
8:00 p.m.	EASTER VIGIL - D. J. Cameron by Garry & Marlene McDougall

Sunday, 1st April - EASTER SUNDAY

9:30 a.m.	Mr. & Mrs. Omer Leduc, Gerry & Laurier by
	Claude Leduc
11:00 a.m.	Intentions of the parishioners

Tuesday, 3rd April

8:00 a.m.	Tom & Joe Hebert by May
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Wednesday, 4th April

8:00 a.m.	Nikk Mitchell by the family (8 th Anniversary)
9:00 a.m.	St. Anne's School mass
7:00 p.m.	Confirmation of Gr. 2 Students

Thursday, 5th April

8:00 a.m.	Marilyn Lebrun by	/ Gerry Thompson
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Friday, 6th April

8:00 a.m. Margaret & James Kyne by Kevin & Josie Donnelly

Saturday, 7th April

3:30-4:30 Confessions5:00 p.m. Lionel, Shirley & Denise Villeneuve by Diane Villeneuve

Sunday, 8th April - SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY

9:30 a.m. Intentions of the parishioners11:00 a.m. Fernande Bourbeau Duguay by the McDonald family

LECTORS

7 April	8:00 p.m.	Mike Morrissette
8 April	9:30 a.m.	Kathy Willis
	11:00 a.m.	Josie Donnelly

OFFERTORY PROCESSION

7 April	8:00 p.m.	Ron & Helene Periard
8 April	9:30 a.m.	Yvon & Marie Labossiere
	11:00 a.m.	Wayne & Nancy Paquette

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

7 April	8:00 p.m.	Marlene & Mike Morrissette
8 April	9:30 a.m.	Joanne & Ron Tyo
	11:00 a.m.	Cynthia Welch & Lisa McDonald

NOTICES

SUNDAY COLLECTION - 25T	HMARCH, 2018
Sunday offering	\$5,318.75
Loose offering	307.20
Development & Peace	564.00
Initial offering	5.00
Flowers	557.75
Votive lights	94.35
Pope's Pastoral Works	20.00
Vocations	<u>20.00</u>
TOTAL	6,887.05
W	ith thanks!



PASTOR'S EASTER MESSAGE

This year, Easter falls on 1st April. This day is known as April Fools Day. Perhaps we might think what this means for celebration of Easter. Traditionally, some people play jokes on one another in an effort to fool or trick them. Perhaps the greatest tricks ever played was on death itself. Death affects us not only physically but spiritually. On Good Friday, Jesus destroyed the power

of sin by his final prayer on the cross; "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do." Spiritual death has been replaced by forgiveness and redemption. On Easter, Jesus rose from the dead, physical death has been tricked. He who was dead is alive. Death has been destroyed and the possibility of eternal life is given to all who believe. So I encourage you to celebrate this Easter with the sense of joy that the greatest trick of all has been accomplished; sin has been forgiven, man has been redeemed, and eternal life has been given. May you and your family have a truly Blessed and Joyful Easter.

Fr. Kevin

REQUIESCAT IN PACE - For the repose of the souls of JIM WILSON, husband of Angela Wilson and brother of Ron Wilson; and GORDON BARRETT, husband of Anne O'Connor. May the Lord Jesus welcome them into His kingdom of light and peace.

<u>CWL - GENERAL MEETING</u> - Tuesday, 3rd April 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Spiritual reflection at 6:45 in the church.

 $\underline{\textbf{K}~OF~C~GENERAL~MEETING}$ - Tuesday, 10th April 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

CONFIRMATION & FIRST COMMUNION

Confirmation will take place here at St. Francis Parish on Wednesday, 4th April 2018 at 7:00 p.m. First Communion will take place on Sunday, 29th April 2018 at 1:00 p.m.

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THE DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

Jesus asked that the Feast of the Divine Mercy be preceded by a Novena to the Divine Mercy which would begin on **Good Friday**. Different souls are prayed for on each day of the novena. Each day a different group of souls is brought to Jesus' heart for immersion in His

mercy. Instructions for the novena are in a pamphlet available at the back of the church.

WOMEN'S MORNING OF REFLECTION

Saturday, 7th April - 9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at the Charles-Emile Claude Centre on Chevrier Street, Cornwall, for mass, confession, breakfast, a talk and the rosary. Guest speaker: Anne Vincelli. Topic: The Amazing Legacy of the Religious Hospitallers of St. Joseph. Free will offering of \$5 appreciated. Contact Heidi Krol 613-347-7561 or Marilynn Light at 613-537-2021.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 11531 - SCHOLARSHIPS

The Knights of Columbus Council 11531 at St. Francis de Sales Church is offering two \$500 Scholarships to students attending Post Secondary Institutions and are in their sophomore year or above, and members of St. Francis de Sales Parish and meet the criteria outlined in our

Application Form. Students are required to assist the Knights in their Fundraising activities by volunteering at our monthly roast beef dinners and breakfasts. Application forms are on-line at http://stfrancischurch.wixsite.com/kofc11531

Four \$500 Scholarships are being offered to students attending St. Joseph's Catholic High School, Holy Trinity Catholic High School, St. Matthew's Catholic High School and Le Citadel High School who meet the criteria as outlined in our application form. Students are required to assist the Knights in their fundraising activities by volunteering at our monthly roast beef dinners and breakfasts. Application forms are on-line at http://stfrancischurch.wixsite.com/kofc11531

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST - ST. JOSEPH'S VILLA

Father Raymond Dumoulin is looking for persons who are interested in becoming Ministers of the Eucharist at St. Joseph's Villa. If you have 2 hours a week to give in service to the Lord, please call Cynthia MacLachlan at 613-933-6040.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR APRIL

Universal: For those who have responsibility in economic matters -That economists may have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion and know how to open new paths.

NOTICES

K of C Council 1919 - Sacred Heart **SPAGHETTI SUPPER & JAMBOREE** Saturday, 7th April 2018 in their Parish Hall 4:30-7:00 p.m. - Music & Dance starting at 5:45 Adults \$12, children \$6.00 less than 5 years free Info Alex & Marlene Duperron 613-525-2674 or Yvon & Ginette Delorme 613-525-4050 All proceeds to benefit charities

PARISH MEET & GREET Sunday, 8TH April 2018

following the 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. masses. We encourage all parishioners to come out and get to know your fellow parishioners. A light snack of cookies and beverages will be served (coffee, tea, juices).

> St. Francis de Sales K of C - 11531 **ROAST BEEF DINNER** Thursday, 12th April 1018 - 4:30-6:00 p.m. In the Parish Hall - \$10 per person

HOSPICE CORNWALL CHARITY CHILI CHALLENGE Saturday, 14th April 2018 at St. Matthew's Lutheran Church Dine or Cook and Compete * crafter tables * silent auction * Tickets: Hospice Cornwall 613-938-2763 Register your chili: Helen at 613-933-4052

Bingos

Ste-Thérèse-de-Lisieux Parish - Thurs. 12th April 2018 in their Parish Hall at 7:00 p.m. Early Bird at 6:30 p.m.

Centre Charles-Emile Claude Mondays - early bird starts at 6:00 p.m.

St. Lawrence Seniors Club 14 Marlborough St. North Monday & Thursday at 1:00 p.m. Early bird at 12:15 p.m.

BRIDGE CLUBS

- St. Francis de Sales Bridge Club, every Monday from 1:00-4:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Info: Sheila MacDonald 613-932-3865.
 - K of C Seniors Bridge, every Wednesday from 1:00-4:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall

