St. Francis de Sales Parish

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Pastoral Ministers

Rev. Kevin Maloney - Pastor Rev. Gordon Bryan, Deacon Secretary: Helen James

Parish Leadership Team

Yvonne Bakker, Liturgy Shirley Parfett, Community Outreach Kevin Lydon, Catechetics Michael Despatie, Administration

Masses

Weekdays:

Tues., Wed., Thurs. & Fri.: 8:00 am Weekends: Saturday: 5:00 pm Sunday: 9:30 am & 11:00 am

Office Hours 9 am- 12 pm Monday through Friday

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday - 3:30 pm-4:30 pm or by appointment



Baptism

1 st Sunday of every month. Please contact the pastor for an appointment.

Marriage

Please contact the pastor for appointment a year in advance.

Shut-ins

Please advise the pastor if you have someone at home who wishes to receive the sacrament of the sick or communion on Sunday.

Parish Directory			
Council of Minist	ries	Kevin Lydon	613-937-3954
Finance Council		Michael Despatie	613-930-0464
CWL		Lucie Desrosiers	613-937-3156
Knights of Colun	nbus	George Bednarz	613-937-1710
SVDP President		Tom Thompson	613-932-5517
Liturgy		Yvonne Bakker	613-933-3773
Altar Society		Emma Hollingsworth	613-932-2179
Altar Servers		Tannis Girard	613-932-8789
Adult Altar Serve	rs	Robert Sabourin	613-933-2169
Offertory Co-ord	inator	Bernice MacMillan	613-938-7688
Lectors		Yvonne Bakker	613-933-3773
Eucharistic Minis	tries/Shut-ins	Audrey Paquette	613-935-5281
Ushers		Ernie Ward	613-932-8087
RCIA		Kevin Lydon	613-937-3954
Music Ministry	5:00 pm	Candice Provost	613-937-3482
	9:30 am	Peggy Haramis/Randy Pitts	613-347-7407
	11:00 am	Mike McAnany	613-938-7601
Hospital Visitation		Theresa Watters	613-932-4419
Welcoming Committee		Shirley Parfett	613-938-2751

MASSES

Saturday, 10th December

3:30-4:30	Confessions
5:00 p.m.	Intentions of the parishioners
Sunday, 11th	December - 3RD SUNDAY OF ADVENT
9:00 a.m.	Fern Derouin by Donna Flanigan & family
11:00 a.m.	Beverly Richards by Evans & Cynthia Cameron
<u>Tuesday, 13</u>	
8:00 a.m.	David Dubreuil by his parents & sisters (30 th Anniv.)
-	14th December
8:00 a.m.	For the intentions of Donalda Shane & Barbara Bell
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8:00 a.m.	Fernande Leduc by Gerry Johnston & family
Friday, 16th D)ocombor
	Murray Cangiano by Alice McKee
9:00 a.m.	St. Anne's School Advent/Christmas Mass
Saturday, 17	n December
•	. Confessions
5:00 p.m.	Claire Wilson by Ron & family

Sunday, 18th December - 4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

9:30 a.m.	Intentions of the parishioners
11:00 a.m.	Leo & Annette Lauzon by their children

LECTORS

17 Dec	5:00 p.m.	Tannis Girard
18 Dec	9:30 a.m.	Elizabeth Bakker
	11:00 a.m.	Maria Terrence

OFFERTORY PROCESSION

17 Dec	5:00 p.m.	Hugh & Jackie O'Reilly
18 Dec	9:30 a.m.	Brian & Maureen Ouimet
	11:00 a.m.	Betty Baker & Helen Ruest

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

17 Dec	5:00 p.m.	Shirley Parfett & Joseph Harvey
18 Dec	9:30 a.m.	Joanne & Ron Tyo
	11:00 a.m.	Helen Butkovich & Stan Coleman

REQUIESCAT IN PACE - for the repose of the souls of KYLE QUESNEL, son of Julie & Robert Quesnel; ELLERY CAMERON, husband of Suzanne Cameron; and RAYMOND O'BYRNE, father of Shawn O'Byrne and sister of Maisie Lafleche. May the Lord Jesus welcome them into His kingdom of light and peace.

NOTICES

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS - 4 DECEMBER 2016		
Sunday offering	\$5,013.00	
Loose offering	417.60	
Haiti Relief	183.00	
Priests' Pension Fund	415.00	
Initial	15.00	
Propagation of Faith	10.00	
Canadian Church	5.00	
Christmas	15.00	
Christmas flowers	390.00	
Advent books	19.20	
Calendars	121.05	
Votive lights	120.35	

ADVENT PENITENTIAL SERVICES

Wednesday, 14 th Dec.	St. Andrew's Parish	7:00 p.m.
Monday, 19 th Dec.	St. Columban's Parish	2.00 p.m.
Tuesday, 20 Dec	St. Francis Parish	7:00 p.m.
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<u>CONGRATULATIONS</u> - to the children who were baptized here last Sunday, and to their parents and godparents: MIA POLLARD and CHARLOTTE ELDERBROOM.

PARISH COUNCIL/PLT LEADERS MEETING - Wednesday, 14th December 2016 at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Room.



CHRISTMAS FLOWERS & DECORATIONS

This year we would invite parishioners, who might want to give a monetary memorial donation for the decorating of our Sanctuary at Christmas to please take a special envelope provided at the back of the church. Please fill out your name, envelope number and the person who is being remembered by the donation, and place it in the Sunday

collection basket. The sacristans will then purchase the decorations and flowers to decorate and beautify the church for our Christmas celebrations.

CHRISTMAS & N	EW YEAR'S DAY MASS TIMES
Christmas Eve	5:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.
Christmas Day	10:00 a.m.
New Year's Eve	5:00 p.m.
New Year's Day	9:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

ADVENT PREPARATIONS

Word on Fire - Sign up at <u>http://adventreflections.com/sign-up-advent</u> and during Advent Bishop Robert Barron of Word on Fire will send you a short email with an uplifting spiritual reflection.

Dynamic Catholic - All through Advent sign up to receive a short inspirational video, practical tips or free Christmas music that will help you slow down during the busy Christmas season to focus on what's really important in life. <u>http://dynamiccatholic.com/best-advent-ever/</u>

ADVENT ON THE WEB

Again this year, the diocese has created an Advent Section on their website <u>www.alexandria-cornwall.ca</u> to help you live this special season. Once on the website, you will find fun videos, links to daily readings and retreats, craft ideas to do with your children, information about the feast days that occur during Advent and much more. Visit today! Visit often!

EVENING OF REFLECTION AND SHARING

Prepare for Christmas with an evening of reflection and sharing on the meaning of Christmas, taking place at Shalom House with Sr. Denise Desrochers, on Wednesday, 14th December 2016 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. We take time to decorate our houses, cook tasty meals, and shop; why not consecrate one evening to prepare our hearts to live the season of Christmas? Free-will offering welcomed.

MOVIE - APPARITION HILL

Check out this interesting documentary which follows the journey of seven pilgrims to Medjugorje. It is showing at the Port Theatre each evening at 7:15 p.m., with Monday and Wednesday matinées at 1:30 p.m. The show runs through 15^{th} December.

NOTICES

HELP WANTED! - ALTAR SERVERS

We are desperately in need of altar servers for our weekend masses, especially the 9:30 a.m. mass. Parishioners are encouraged to join this worthwhile ministry and make it part of your life's mission. Please contact the office at 613-932-0756 or Tannis at 613-932-8789.

2017 SUNDAY ENVELOPES



Sunday Offertory envelopes for 2017 are available for pick up on the shelves near the main entrance of the church.

PLEASE NOTE: There will be no K of C Breakfast in the month of

December. Roast beef dinner and breakfasts will start up again in January 2017.

NOTICES

St. Mary's Parish, Williamstown BREAKFAST

Sunday, 11 December 2016 - 8:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at St. Mary's Centre, Williamstown \$8.00 each, children under 6 are free Take time out from your Christmas shopping and come join us for a delicious breakfast. We also have an ongoing silent auction with the cut-off date of 12th December - make sure you get your last minute bid in.

> Precious Blood Parish, Glen Walter BINGO Wednesday, 21st December 2016 in their church hall starting at 7:00 p.m. Early bird games start at 6:20 p.m.

3RD ANNUAL COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON at the Agora Hall, 301 McConnell Avenue on Christmas Day - 12:00 noon-2:30 p.m. *No charge for luncheon but donations for next year accepted* If you are alone this Christmas, join your extended family! Wheelchair accessible with elevator

NEW YEAR'S EVE BALL

Knights of Columbus Hall, 205 Amelia Street (Upstairs Hall) Saturday, 31st December 2016 8:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Buffet (hot & cold) served at midnight Tickets: \$25.00 per person - Call 613-932-7600 * Music by Crazy Dave * Door Prizes * Spot Dances *

St. Martin de Tours Parish, Glen Robertson ECUMENICAL BILINGUAL CAROL SING Sunday, 11th December 2016 at 3:00 p.m. Light food and fellowship will follow in their parish hall No charge - No Collection - Everyone welcome!

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR DECEMBER

Universal: End to Child-soldiers

That the scandal of child-soldiers may be eliminated the world over.

Evangelization: Europe

That the peoples of Europe may rediscover the beauty, goodness and truth of the Gospel which gives joy and hope to life.



