# 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 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.) |
|                    |   |
| -                  | 14th December   |
| 8:00 a.m.          | For the intentions of Donalda Shane & Barbara Bell                |
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| Thursday, 15       |   |
| 8:00 a.m.          | Fernande Leduc by Gerry Johnston & family                         |
| Friday, 16th D     | )ocombor  |
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|                    | Murray Cangiano by Alice McKee                                    |
| 9:00 a.m.          | St. Anne's School Advent/Christmas Mass                           |
| Saturday, 17       | n December  |
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| •                  | . 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 <sup>th</sup> Dec. | St. Andrew's Parish   | 7:00 p.m. |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| Monday, 19 <sup>th</sup> 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, 14<sup>th</sup> 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 12<sup>th</sup> December - make sure you get your last minute bid in.

> Precious Blood Parish, Glen Walter BINGO Wednesday, 21<sup>st</sup> 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, 31<sup>st</sup> 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, 11<sup>th</sup> 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.



