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Feast of the Holy Family

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, 28th December

5:00 p.m. 1. Elisabeth, Cathy & Francesco Spagnolo by the family

2. In Thanksgiving by Brian & Maureen Ouimet

Sunday, 29th December - HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

9:30 a.m. Intentions of the parishioners

11:00 a.m. 1. Victor Parisien by Helen & family

2. Deceased relatives of Julie McCann & Sean Butcher

Monday, 30th December

8:00 a.m. Doreen D'Alessio by Roger & Suzanne Comtois

Tuesday, 31st December - NEW YEAR'S EVE

5:00 p.m. Intentions of the parishioners

Wednesday, 1st January - MARY, THE MOTHER OF GOD

10:00 a.m. Lois O'Reilly by Nancy & David Hill

Thursday, 2nd January

8:00 a.m. Karl Schmoetzer by Irma & family

Friday, 3rd January

8:00 a.m. Bonnie Samson by Jean MacMillan & family

Saturday, 4th January

3:30-4:30 Confessions

5:00 p.m. Intentions of the parishioners

Sunday, 5th January - EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

9:30 a.m. Norvan Grant by Sally & Sean

11:00 a.m. Ron Bergeron by wife Carole Bergeron (8th Anniv.)



FIRST FRIDAY - First Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on 3rd January 2020 from 7:00 a.m.-8:00 a.m. at St. Francis de Sales Parish

SUNDAY COLLECTION

The Sunday Collection for 22 December will be published in the 5 January 2020 bulletin.

NOTICES

LECTORS

4 Jan 5:00 p.m. George Bednarz5 Jan 9:30 am. Yvonne Bakker11:00 a.m. JoAnn Langstaff

OFFERTORY PROCESSION

4 Jan 5:00 p.m. Jackie & Hugh O'Reilly 5 Jan 9:30 am. Children's Liturgy

11:00 a.m. Carole Bergeron & family

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

4 Jan 5:00 p.m. Francine Bouchard 5 Jan 9:30 am. Sally Grant 11:00 a.m. Lisa McDonald

PASTOR'S NEW YEAR'S MESSAGE

If life can be considered to be a book, then each year we are given an opportunity to begin a new chapter. The chapters that we have already read are an important part of the story, but what lies ahead will determine how the story will end. On behalf of Deacon Ken and myself, it is my wish that this new chapter that we begin with New Years will be filled with all the hope, joy and peace that you are hoping for. In the words of scripture, "May God be gracious to you, may he let his face shine upon you and may you experience true peace and happiness this year."

Fr. Kevin



NOTICES

FOR THE LOVE OF CHOCOLATE

The Alexandria/Cornwall Diocesan Council of the Catholic Women's League is hosting our annual 'Evening for the Love of Chocolate'. A large variety of tasty treats will be presented for your tasting on Friday, 7th February from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at the Cornwall Canadian Legion. You are encouraged to buy your tickets now because the event will be announced publicly in January. The cost is \$15.00 and can be purchased by calling Frances at 613-932-7392.

ST. JULIEN'S CHAPEL

The best kept secret in town! St. Julien's Chapel. A quiet, peaceful place to pray 24 hours a day, every day. Stay for 5 minutes or 5 hours with Jesus present in the Blessed Sacrament. Behind St. Peter's Church, entrance off Campbell Street. Ring the bell. Someone will open and welcome you.

WOMEN'S MORNING OF REFLECTION

Please join us on Saturday, 4th January 2020 from 9 am. til noon at the Agora Centre for mass, confession, breakfast, a talk and the rosary. The guest speaker is Joan Levy Earle and her talk is entitled "Helpmates of God". For any inquiries please contact Heidi Krol 613 347 7561 or Marilynn Light 613 537 2021. A free will offering of \$5 is appreciated.

JOY OF THE LORD PRAYER GROUP

The group resumes meeting on Monday, 6th January 2020 at St. Columban's Parish in the Upper Room of the church at 7:00 p.m. Rosary at 6:30 p.m. at the east door. Come and praise the Lord and grow in the Life in the Spirit!

GUATEMALA MISSION TRIP FUNDRAISER

Mission Team members from St. Joseph's and Holy Trinity Catholic Secondary Schools will be selling chocolate bars for \$2.00 each and accepting donations after all the masses on 11th & 12th January to raise money for this year's mission trip to Guatemala. Thank you for your continued support and prayers during this year.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday, 14th January 2020. Rosary - 6:30 p.m. Meeting 7:00 p.m.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR JANUARY

Prayer intention for evangelization - Promotion of World Peace We pray that Christians, followers of other religions and all people of goodwill may promote peace and justice in the world.

NOTICES

NEW YEAR'S EVE BALL

Tuesday, 31st December 2019 - 8:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m. at Knights of Columbus Hall, 205 Amelia Street
Buffet (hot & cold) served at Midnight
Tickets \$25 per person from 613-932-7600

St. Andrew's Parish, St. Andrew's West ADDRATION AND MASS

Eucharistic Adoration, Rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy begins at 11:00 p.m. on Tuesday, 31 December 2019 Mass begins at Midnight

St. Francis de Sales K of C 11531

ROAST BEEF DINNER

Thursday, 9th January 2020

from 4:30-6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall - \$12 per person

PRAYER TO THE HOLY FAMILY

O most loving Jesus, Who by Thy sublime and beautiful virtues of humility, obedience, poverty, modesty, charity, patience and gentleness, and by the example of Thy domestic life, didst bless with peace and happiness the family Thou didst choose on earth, in Thy clemency look down upon this household, humbly prostrate before Thee and imploring Thy mercy. Remember that this family belongs to Thee; for to Thee we have in a special way dedicated and devoted ourselves. Look upon us in Thy loving kindness; preserve us from danger; give us help in time of need, and grant us the grace to persevere to the end in the imitation of Thy Holy Family; that having revered Thee and loved Thee faithfully on earth, we may bless and praise Thee eternally in heaven.

O Mary, most sweet Mother, to thy intercession we have recourse, knowing that thy Divine Son will hear thy prayers.

And do thou, O glorious Patriarch, St. Joseph, assist us by thy powerful mediation, and offer, by the hands of Mary, our prayers to Jesus. Amen.

From Prayer Book for Religious, compiled by Fr. F. X. Lasance, S.J. (Benziger Brothers, 1904)



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