

# 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

1st 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 Ministries

Finance Council

CWL

Knights of Columbus

SVDP President

Liturgy

Altar Society

Altar Servers

Adult Altar Servers

Offertory Co-ordinator

Lectors

Eucharistic Ministries/Shut-ins

Ushers

RCIA

Music Ministry 5:00 pm

9:30 am

11:00 am

Hospital Visitation

Youth Ministry

Welcoming Committee

Kevin Lydon

Michael Despatie

Bernice MacMillan

Peter Desrosiers

Tom Thompson

Yvonne Bakker

Emma Hollingsworth

Tannis Girard

Robert Sabourin

Bernice MacMillan

Yvonne Bakker

Audrey Paquette

Ernie Ward

Kevin Lydon

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613-937-3954

613-937-3482

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## SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

### MASSES

#### Saturday, 5<sup>th</sup> December 2015

3:30-4:30 Confessions  
5:00 p.m. Sandra Forget by Darwin & Sheila MacDonald  
(25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)

#### Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> December 2015 - 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT

9:30 a.m. Intentions of the parishioners  
11:00 a.m. Joseph Martin by Gord & Fran Bryan

#### Tuesday, 8<sup>th</sup> December 2015

8:00 a.m. Souls in Purgatory by Joan Earle

#### Wednesday, 9<sup>th</sup> December 2015

8:00 a.m. Mavis Levac by John & Denise Filliol

#### Thursday, 10<sup>th</sup> December 2015

8:00 a.m. Leo & Alma Gaudet by Paul & Sharon Gaudet

#### Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> December 2015

8:00 a.m. Hilda Bradley by Sharon & Paul Gaudet  
9:00 a.m. St. Anne's School Advent Mass

#### Saturday, 12<sup>th</sup> December 2015

3:30-4:30 Confessions  
5:00 p.m. David Dubreuil by parents Clarence & Kay  
(29<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)

#### Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> December 2015 - 3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT

9:30 a.m. Intentions of the parishioners  
11:00 a.m. Hubert Doré by Dick Bush

### LECTORS

12 Dec 5:00 p.m. Eugene Legault  
13 Dec 9:30 a.m. Yvonne Bakker  
11:00 a.m. JoAnn Langstaff

### OFFERTORY PROCESSION

12 Dec 5:00 p.m. Clarence & Kay Dubreuil  
13 Dec 9:30 a.m. Audrey Paquette & Muriel Myre  
11:00 a.m. Wayne & Nancy Paquette

### EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

12 Dec 5:00 p.m. Mary Lafave & Marie Greffe  
13 Dec 9:30 a.m. Leslee Brown & Trudy Cameron  
11:00 a.m. Anna & Gerry Snyder

### NOTICES

#### SUNDAY OFFERING - 29 NOVEMBER 2015

Sunday Offering	\$5,286.00
Priests' Pension Fund	20.00
Initial Offering	5.00
Votive Lights	103.75
Flowers	26.05
Advent booklets	146.70
Calendars	117.00

**With Thanks!**

**REQUIESCAT IN PACE** - For the repose of the souls of KEN MCPHAIL and CECELIA GRANT, sister of Irene Samson. May the Lord Jesus welcome them into His kingdom of light and peace.

#### ADVENT PENITENTIAL CELEBRATIONS

You are invited to attend one of the following celebrations to help prepare your heart to receive Christ Jesus on Christmas Day.

Tues. 15 <sup>th</sup> December	2-3 p.m.	St. Columban's Parish
Wed.. 16 December	7-8 p.m.	St. Francis de Sales Parish
Thurs. 17 December	7-8 p.m.	St. Andrew's Parish

#### ST. FRANCIS DE SALES - CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

Christmas Eve 5:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.  
Christmas Day 10:00 a.m.

Please share this information with family and friends so that everyone can begin to make arrangements to attend one of our celebrations.

**K OF C GENERAL MEETING** - Tuesday, 8<sup>th</sup> December 2015 at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

#### **NEW DIOCESAN POLICY - POSTURES AND GESTURES DURING MASS FOR THE ASSEMBLY**

We will be introducing the new Diocesan Policy in the upcoming weeks. To help each of us the diocese is producing 'pew cards' so that people can follow during the Mass. It contains the quick overview that simply gives what we do and when we do it. A more detailed document (booklet) will be made available to everyone in the near future. The completed booklet will have the 'catechetical' part and the explanation.

**CWL**

The Catholic Women's League of Canada, Diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall invites all women to our annual Advent Retreat to honour Our Lady of Good Counsel, hosted by Our Lady of Grace/St. Pius X CWL Council, Ingleside, on **Thursday, 10<sup>th</sup> December 2015**. A celebration of the Eucharist will take place at 7:00 p.m. Guest Speaker: Fr. Kevin Maloney - topic: *Beatification in the Catholic Church*. A social hour will close the evening. **Please call Bernice MacMillan 613-938-7688 if you plan to attend.**

**WANTED - JELLO!** - The Alexandria-Cornwall Diocesan CWL requires 1300+ boxes of Jello to fulfill their promise of providing items for the Children's Christmas Fund Baskets. Please help us reach our goal by bringing your Jello Boxes to your church or to the Advent Retreat at Our Lady of Grace Church on 10<sup>th</sup> December 2015.

**NOTICES**

**CHRISTMAS PAGEANT** - If you would like your child or grandchild to participate in this year's Christmas Pageant (5:00 p.m. Christmas Eve) please sign-up on the sheet at the back of the church or contact: Andrea Ethier 613-938-3369 or [andrea.ethier@cdsbeo.on.ca](mailto:andrea.ethier@cdsbeo.on.ca)

**SUNDAY NIGHT MASS AT BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH**  
For pastoral and administrative reasons the Sunday night mass will be stopping as of 20<sup>th</sup> December 2015. Fr. Jacques and the Pastoral Council thank all those who participated and made it special.

**OPENING MASS SET TO BEGIN YEAR OF MERCY**  
Pope Francis has declared an extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy beginning 8 December 2015 and ending on 20 November 2016. All the faithful of the Diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall are invited to the Co-Cathedral of the Nativity as Bishop Marcel Damphousse celebrates the solemn opening Mass for the holy year on Tuesday, 8<sup>th</sup> December at 7:00 p.m. This special Mass will also provide us the opportunity to bid farewell to Bishop Marcel before he takes up his new assignment with the Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie. Let's show our affection and fill the Co-Cathedral! Reception will follow at the Agora Catholic Centre.

**POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR DECEMBER**

**Universal:** *Experiencing God's Mercy*  
That all may experience the mercy of God,  
who never tires of forgiving.

**Evangelization:** *Families*  
That families, especially those who suffer,  
may find in the birth of Jesus a sign of certain hope.

**NOTICES**

**SUPER BINGO "TURKEY & PORK"**  
Sacred Heart Parish - Sunday, 6 Dec at 1:00 p.m.  
**BINGO**  
Precious Blood - Wednesday, 16<sup>th</sup> Dec at 7:00 p.m.  
Ste-Thérèse-de-Lisieux Parish, Thursday, 10 Dec at 7:00 p.m.

St. Anthony's Parish, Apple Hill  
**CHRISTMAS TEA**  
Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> December 2015 - 1:30-3:30 p.m.  
In the Parish Hall  
Admission: Adults - \$5, Family - \$20, Age 5-12 - \$2

Centennial Choir of Cornwall  
**CHRISTMAS CONCERT**  
Friday, 11 December at 8:00 p.m.  
Sunday, 13 December at 2:00 p.m.  
at St. John's Presbyterian Church, 28 Second Street East  
Tickets from St. John's church office; Home Hardware;  
The Lottery Kiosk at Cornwall Sq.; The Crossroads  
Convenience Store, St. Andrew's West & from choir members.

Blessed Sacrament Parish  
**BREAKFAST**  
Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> December 2015 - 8:00 a.m.-noon  
in the parish hall - cost: free will offering

**2<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS**  
at the Agora Hall on Christmas Day  
from noon-2:30 p.m.  
Need a ride? Call the week before to book!  
613-703-7696 or dtwalsh@sympatico.ca

**NEW YEAR'S EVE BALL**  
Thursday, 31<sup>st</sup> December 2015 - 8:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m.  
Buffet (hot & cold) served till midnight  
Tickets \$25/person - call 613-932-7600  
\* Music by Crazy Dave \* Door prizes \* Spot dances \*

**THE BEAUTIFUL HANDS OF A PRIEST - Part 4**

God bless them and keep them all holy,  
For the Host which their fingers caress;  
When can a poor sinner do better,  
Than to ask Him to guide thee and bless?

When the hour of death comes upon us,  
May our courage and strength be increased,  
By seeing raised over us in blessing -  
The beautiful hands of a priest.



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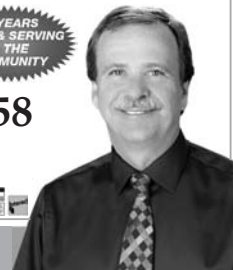
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