

St. Francis de Sales Parish

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Pastoral Ministers

Rev. Kevin Maloney - Pastor

Rev. Kenneth Lalonde - Deacon

Seminarian Intern - Connor O'Hara

Secretary: Helen James

Parish Leadership Team

Yvonne Bakker, Liturgy

Shirley Parfett, Community Outreach

Sally Grant, Catechetics

Michael Despatie, Administration



Masses

Weekdays:

Mon., 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

Adult Altar Servers	Robert Sabourin	613-933-2169
Altar Servers	Tannis Girard	613-932-8789
Altar Society	Marie Labossiere	613-933-1052
Council of Ministries	Kevin Lydon	613-937-3954
CWL	Lucie Desrosiers	613-937-3156
Eucharistic Ministries/Shut-ins	Audrey Paquette	613-935-7323
Finance Council	Michael Despatie	613-930-0464
Hospital Visitation	Theresa Watters	613-932-4419
Knights of Columbus	Terry Sutton	613-935-3699
Lectors	Yvonne Bakker	613-933-3773
Liturgy	Yvonne Bakker	613-933-3773
Music Ministry	Candice Provost	613-937-3482
	Peggy Haramis/Randy Pitts	613-347-7407
	Mike McAnany	613-938-7601
Offertory Co-ordinator	Isabel Macdonald	613-933-8732
Outreach Committee	Deacon Ken Lalonde	613-936-1919
RCIA	Sally Grant	613-933-3831
SVDP President	Peter Desrosiers	613-937-0856
Ushers	Ernie Ward	613-932-8087
Welcoming Committee	Shirley Parfett	613-938-2751

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, 7th December

5:00 p.m. Mr. & Mrs. Theodore Lussier by Garry & Marlene McDougall

Sunday, 8th December - 2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

9:30 a.m. Bob MacDonell by Norma & family

11:00 a.m. Intentions of the parishioners

Monday, 9th December

8:00 a.m. Alcide Pilon by Jacqueline Cole

Wednesday, 11th December

8:00 a.m. Robert Cadieux by Alain & Carole Giguere

Thursday, 12th December

8:00 a.m. David Dubreuil by his parents (Anniversary)

Friday, 13th December

8:00 a.m. All priests & leadership of the Church by a parishioner

Saturday, 14th December

3:30-4:30 Confessions

5:00 p.m. Intentions of the parishioners

Sunday, 15th December - 3RD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

9:30 a.m. Rosa & Pasquale Trimboli by the family

11:00 a.m. George Larin by Robert & Lorraine Lacroix

LECTORS

14 Dec 5:00 p.m. Karen Bouchard

15 Dec 9:30 am. Mike Morrisette

11:00 a.m. Maria Terrence

OFFERTORY PROCESSION

14 Dec 5:00 p.m. Debbie & Larry Piquette

15 Dec 9:30 am. Children's Liturgy

11:00 a.m. Dale & John Barr

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

14 Dec 5:00 p.m. Evans Cameron

15 Dec 9:30 am. Theresa Watters

11:00 a.m. Lisa McDonald

NOTICES

SUNDAY COLLECTION - 1 DECEMBER 2019

Sunday offering	\$5,078.50
Sunday loose	397.35
Priests' Pension Fund	55.00
Initial offering	15.00
Christmas offering	75.00
Alpha donations	440.00
Advent books	99.45
Votive lights	68.15
World Day of the Poor	<u>150.00</u>
TOTAL	6,378.45

With thanks!

REQUIESCAT IN PACE - for the repose of the souls of DORIS SEGUIN, brother of Albert Watters; and BONNIE SAMSON, wife of Yvon Samson. May the Lord Jesus welcome them into His kingdom of light and peace.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - GENERAL MEETING - Tuesday, 10th December 2019. Rosary - 6:30 p.m., meeting 7:00 p.m.

ADVENT PENITENTIAL SERVICES (CORNWALL CITY AREA)

Tuesday, 10 December 7:00 p.m. St. Columban's Parish

Thursday, 19 December 7:00 p.m. St. Félix Parish

CHALICE CHRISTMAS GIFT CATALOGUE

'CHALICE' (Catholic Charity) invites you to share the blessings of Christmas with children in the developing world. Our Christmas gift catalogue allows you to purchase a gift for someone in need (in honour of a friend or a loved one). Please find the gift catalogues at the back of the church. Any gift purchases through the catalogue will receive an official tax receipt. Thank you in Christ.

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS & DECORATIONS

Again this year, we would invite parishioners who might want to give a monetary memorial donation (for loved ones who have died) 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.



NOTICES



"GRATITUDE IS THE HEART'S MEMORY."

To everyone in attendance at 5:00 p.m. mass on Saturday, 30th November 2019, I offer my sincere gratitude for the care, compassion as well as great patience you extended to me. Your tremendous kindness will always be remembered. Dawn Racine.

St. Columban's Advent Mission

"THE TRUE FACE OF THE FATHER"

with Bishop Guy Desrochers, C.Ss.R

Sunday, 8th December-Wednesday, 11th December 2019

6:40 p.m. Rosary, 7:00 p.m. Presentation

Mission Themes:

- Sunday: The Father's Secret Plan
- Monday: God's Dwelling Place in the Soul
- Tuesday: The Merciful Father - *Confessions
- Wednesday: Hope and Perseverance with Mary - *Holy Mass

All are welcome - please join us

* Collection will be taken each evening *

ANGELS OF HOPE

We would like to give you the opportunity again this year of sharing the Christmas spirit with children from our community. **Angels of Hope** is a project to provide Christmas gifts to children who are receiving counselling at the **Children's Treatment Centre**. If you would like to help out, kindly pick up a name tag after Mass which will include the age and sex of the child. For confidentiality reasons, we have used fictitious names for the children. Please **DO NOT WRAP** the gift, but place in an appropriate **GIFT BAG**. We realize it can be difficult to select a gift for a child you do not know, therefore, we would like to suggest the idea of giving a gift card if you so wish. Please return the gift to the church no later than **Sunday, 15th December 2019**. For further information you may call the Centre at 613-933-4400. On behalf of the children served at the Children's Treatment Centre, I thank you for your kindness and your spirit of sharing.

CENTENNIAL CHOIR CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Join the Centennial Choir of Cornwall on **Friday, 13th December at 7:30 p.m. in Aultsville Theatre** for their concert, "Celebrate Christmas". Tickets available from choir members, the Kiosk at Cornwall Square and Home Hardware. Adults \$20 children 12 years and under \$10.

SUNDAY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES FOR 2020

If you had Sunday Offertory envelopes for 2019, please be sure to pick up your box of envelopes for 2020 which are at the back of the church.



NOTICES

St. Francis de Sales Parish

MEET & GREET

Sunday, 8th December 2019

after the 9:30 a.m. mass in the parish hall

THE LION KING

Saturday, 7th December - 11:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.

Sunday, 8th December - 1:00 p.m.

at St. Joseph's Catholic Secondary School

Advance Tickets \$7.00 at Melody Music

Knox-St. Paul's United Church

CANDLELIGHT REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

Wednesday, 11th December 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

BINGO

Ste-Thérèse-de-Lisieux Parish

Thursday, 12th December 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

BRIDGE CLUBS IN THE PARISH HALL AT ST. FRANCIS PARISH

St. Francis de Sales Bridge Club - Monday's from 1-4 p.m.

K of C Bridge Club - Wednesday's from 1-4 p.m.

Fully accessible in the back of the church by our elevator.

Alone Christmas Day?

CHRISTMAS DINNER AT AGORA HALL

12:00 p.m.-2:30 p.m. - no charge

(Donations gladly accepted for next year)

We welcome those alone: widows/widowers, single, divorced, separated, new to city, no family to be with here . . .

Join your extended family

Need Transportation? Call Allison 613-662-4719 after 4pm.

Volunteers must register with Darlene - 613-935-5828

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.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR DECEMBER

The Future of the Very Young

That every country take the measures necessary to prioritize the future of the very young, especially those who are suffering.

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