St. Francis de Sales Parish

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Pastoral Ministers

Msgr. Kevin Maloney - Pastor Rev. Marc Gaudet - Associate Pastor Rev. Kenneth Lalonde - Deacon 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

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-St. Francis de Sales

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Pastoral Council		Anna Maria Snyder	613-937-4807		
Finance Council		Michael Despatie	613-930-0464		
Greeters		Lionel Poirier	613-933-7757		
Liturgy/Lectors		Yvonne Bakker	613-930-5200		
Eucharistic Ministries/Outreach		Deacon Ken Lalonde	613-936-1919		
Prayer Intentions		Judy Czernys	613-935-7868		
Music Ministry	5:00 pm	Candice Provost	613-362-5394		
	9:30 am	Peggy Haramis/Randy Pitts	613-347-7407		
	11:00 am	Mike McAnany	613-938-7601		
Altar Society		Liliane Ward	613-932-8087		
Altar Servers Co-ordinator		David Girard	613-932-4437		
Adult Altar Servers		Robert Sabourin	613-933-2169		
Offertory Co-ordinator		Isabel Macdonald	613-933-8732		
Hospital Visitation		Marie Caldwell	613-932-1351		
CWL		Maria Terrence	613-699-3941		
Knights of Columbus		David Wattie	613-793-3008		
Evangelization		Sally Grant	613-933-3831		
Welcoming Committee		Shirley Parfett	613-938-2751		
SVDP		Ken Hodgson	613-932-0245		

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, 3rd February

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3:30-4:30Confessions5:00 p.m.Percy beaudette by Ron & Helene Periard

Sunday, 4th February - 5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:30 a.m. Intentions of the parishioners
11:00 a.m. 1. Rev. Thomas Villeneuve by the Villeneuve family
2. Michael Buzzetti by Frank & Lucille Ricci
3. Darwin MacDonald by Sheila M. MacDonald

Monday, 5th February

8:00 a.m. Ray Kuhn by Francine Bouchard

Wednesday, 7th February

8:00 a.m. Arlene Hamel by Ron & Helene Periard

Thursday, 8th February

8:00 a.m. Albert (Bert) Marion by Karen, Lorraine & Ron

Friday, 9th February

8:00 a.m. Rosario Spagnolo by Cathy Dionne

Saturday, 10th February

3:30-4:30 Confessions
5:00 p.m.
1. Kim Racine by Shirley Parfett
2. Vincent Taillon by Cathy Dionne
3. Joseph, Mary & Stanley Chellaturai by the Prince family

Sunday, 11th February - 6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:30 a.m. In Thanksgiving - Fr. Kevin's 52nd Anniversary to the priesthood
11:00 a.m. Intentions of the parishioners

REST IN PEACE

For the repose of the soul of JOSEPH KALAMPARAMBIL VARGHESE, father of Jinto Joseph. May the Lord Jesus welcome him into His kingdom of light and peace.

NOTICES

SUNDAY COLLECTION - 28 JANUARY 2024				
Regular Sunday envelopes	\$4,727.00			
Loose Collection	480.05			
Diocesan & Missionary Works	10.00			
Initial offering	40.00			
Christmas	25.00			
New Years Day	55.00			
Votive lights	<u>25.00</u>			
TOTAL	5,347.05			

SACRAMENTS OF HEALING - PART 3

We have talked about the sacrament of the sick as an important part of Christ's ministry and also who should receive the sacrament. This week I would like to explain how the sacrament will be celebrated. The service will begin at 1:30 p.m. and we will have music, prayers, gospel reading and a reflection. The sacrament will be administered with two gestures. The first will be the calling down upon the Spirit to bring healing on those present. Secondly, those who wish to be anointed will be invited forward and the priest will lay his hands upon their head and anoint their forehead and the palms of their hands. For those who have mobility problems, we will go to them so that they do not have to stand too long. After everyone has had the opportunity to be anointed there will be a final prayer and a blessing.

Since many people have felt isolation because of their illnesses there will be receptions available in the hall afterwards. Please note that masks will be available for those who are uncomfortable in being in a crowded area.

DEACON'S BENCH

Welcome to my first message to you through our Parish Bulletin. I had said I would begin with my concerns with respect to the sick, the vulnerable and the home-bound parishioners of St. Francis de Sales. However, certain pertinent information needs to be addressed before we look at any recruitment of volunteers.

Very important: All volunteers within our parish must fill out a volunteer information form. This form is easy to complete and requests only general information.

However, if the volunteer position you are interested in includes hospital visitation, home visitation with seniors, children's liturgy, involvement with the youth or collection counters, you will be requested to have a mandatory police check through our diocesan system.

K OF C - 11531 NOTICES

GENERAL MEETING

General meeting for all members will be Tuesday, 20th February 2024 in the Parish Hall. Mass will be held before the meeting. Meeting begins at 7:00 p.m. All members are invited and encouraged to attend.

St. Francis de Sales - K of C 11531 ROAST BEEF DINNER Thursday, 8th February 2024 - 4:30-6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall - Adults \$15, under 12 years \$5

St. Francis de Sales K of C 11531 SHROVE TUESDAY FAMILY PANCAKE DINNER Tuesday, 13th February 2024 - in the Parish Hall from 4:30-6:00 p.m. Free will offering with proceeds to Canadian Catholic Missions

FAMILY DAY WEEKEND EVENT

Saturday, 17th February 2024 - 1:00-3:00 p.m. in the St. Francis de Sales Parish Hall CWL & Knights of Columbus will be hosting a Family Day event: small games, face painting, crafts, snacks, FREE FAMILY PORTRAITS, Karate lessons and more - All Free!

PARISH BREAKFAST Sunday, 25th February 2024 - 8:30 a.m.-noon in the Parish Hall - Adults \$8.50, under 12 years \$4.00

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 11531 - 2024 SCHOLARSHIPS & BURSARIES

Knights of Columbus, Council 11531 at St Francis de Sales parish is proud to offer Catholic high school students in Cornwall bursaries and scholarships. Please check the parish website for further details and application forms.

https://stfrancisdesalescornwall.weebly.com/knights-of-colum bus---st-francis-de-sales.html

REQUEST FOR HELP IN PROVIDING FIRST AID AT THE PARISH

Fr. Kevin and the Parish Council are looking for volunteers to assist in providing first aid at the parish. Anyone with certification in First Aid is welcome to volunteer by contacting our secretary. We would also welcome anyone who is interested in taking a First Aid course. You can reach our secretary by calling the parish office: 613-932-0756 between 9:00 a.m.-noon on weekdays.

NOTICES

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The St. Francis de Sales Council of the Catholic Women's League would like to thank all of our parishioners for your generous support towards our Bakeless Bake Sale. Your donations added up to \$1,437.00 to be used by the CWL in serving our parish and local community.

WINTER BIBLE STUDY

Winter Bible study at St. Francis de Sales begins on Monday, 15th January 2024. Come and join us for 10 weeks of Following the Messiah, a video series that explores sites in the Holy Land that were significant parts of Jesus' life. On Monday mornings we will serve coffee after mass and begin the videos at 8:45 a.m. The videos are followed up with small group discussions that deepen our faith and strengthen our sense of community. Everyone is welcome.

ALPHA CONNECT NIGHT - WEDNESDAY 21 FEBRUARY 2024

We are inviting anyone in our parish who has experienced Alpha to join us for a **pot luck meal**, **beginning at 6:00 p.m**. Following dinner, we will watch a video then enjoy dessert during our sharing time. Please spread the word that Alpha Connect Nights are back on a monthly basis!

Holy Trinity Catholic Secondary School SPRING CRAFT MARKET 4th May 2024 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Submit vendor applications by 1st March to holytrinityhs.cornwall@cdsbeo.on.ca



2023 TAX RECEIPTS

Tax receipts for donations made in 2023 are available for pick up at the back of the church.

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in April 2024 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.



