

St. Francis de Sales Parish

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Yvonne Bakker, Liturgy

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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
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Altar Society	Marie Labossiere	613-933-1052
Council of Ministries	Anna Maria Snyder	613-937-4807
CWL	Marlene Morrissette	613-933-3829
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	613-362-5394
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Offertory Co-ordinator	Isabel Macdonald	613-933-8732
Outreach Committee	Deacon Ken Lalonde	613-936-1919
RCIA	Sally Grant	613-933-3831
SVDP President	Tom Thompson	613-932-5517
Ushers	Ernie Ward	613-932-8087
Welcoming Committee	Shirley Parfett	613-938-2751

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, 8th January

3:30-4:30 Confessions

5:00 p.m. Guy Tremblay by Louis Tremblay

Sunday, 9th January - BAPTISM OF THE LORD

9:30 a.m. Intentions of the parishioners

11:00 a.m. Anita Oliver by the family

Monday, 10th January

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

Wednesday, 12th January

8:00 a.m. Pauline McKinnon by the late June Desrosiers

Thursday, 13th January

8:00 a.m. Deceased members of the Fillmore family
by John & Ruth

Friday, 14th January

8:00 a.m. The Labossiere family

Saturday, 15th January

3:30-4:30 Confessions

5:00 p.m. Betty Hurley by Deacon Ken & Joyce Lalonde

Sunday, 16th January - 2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:30 a.m. Intentions of the parishioners

11:00 a.m. 1. Fernand (Bob) Branchaud by the family

2. Shane Burnie by Lynette & family

3. Verlyn Auty by Lynette & family

REQUIESCAT IN PACE

For the repose of the soul of FERN EMERTON, grandmother of Ted Emerton-Proulx. May the Lord Jesus welcome her into His kingdom of light and peace.

NOTICES

ALL PERSONS ENTERING OR REMAINING IN THESE PREMISES MUST WEAR A MASK THAT SECURELY COVERS THE NOSE, MOUTH AND CHIN AS REQUIRED BY THE DIRECTIVE ISSUED UNDER THE PROVINCE'S EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AND CIVIL PROTECTION ACT.

CHRISTMAS - 25 DECEMBER 2021

Christmas	\$4,352.00
Christmas Loose	178.00
Sunday Offering	5,940.00
Initial offering	45.00
New Year	80.00
Priests' Pension Fund	100.00
World Day of the Poor	10.00
Votive lights	70.00
Missals	<u>30.00</u>
TOTAL	10,805.00

SUNDAY COLLECTION - 26 DECEMBER 2021

Sunday Offering	\$2,268.00
Sunday Loose	50.00
Priests' Pension Fund	50.00
Initial offering	20.00
Easter	<u>20.00</u>
TOTAL	2,408.00

NEW YEAR'S DAY - 1 JANUARY 2022

New Year	\$1,207.00
New Year Loose	53.50
Sunday Offering	3,185.00
Initial offering	257.00
Christmas offering	<u>100.00</u>
TOTAL	4,802.50

SUNDAY COLLECTION - 2 JANUARY 2022

Sunday Offering	\$1,017
Sunday Loose	30.00
New Year	385.00
Christmas	140.00
Initial offering	125.00
Vocations	50.00
Votive lights	<u>44.00</u>
TOTAL	1,791.00

With thanks!

NOTICES



Thank you Msgr. Kevin and Deacon Ken for all of our beautiful masses and services during Advent, Christmas week and New Year. Not to mention the homilies that had such meaningful messages for all of us; for the live-streaming to our 'at home parishioners' and friends of St. Francis during the Christmas season, especially during this time of Covid. We truly appreciate all that you do for our parish. We are blessed at St. Francis de Sales to have such a dedicated clergy team.



Thank you to all our volunteers who so willingly give of their time, not only during the Christmas season, but throughout the year! From our volunteers who are at all the Sunday masses, weekday and funeral masses during this Covid time ensuring we follow the guidelines of EOHU. To our musicians who enhance our masses, to our decorator who keeps our church looking so beautiful, to our sacristan, lectors, Eucharistic ministers, collection counters and to all who participate in any way. We appreciate your service to our parish.

MENTAL GYMNASTICS & BULLET JOURNALING

The Tri-County Literacy Council, in partnership with Riverdale Terrace and Cornwall Legion is offering local seniors two free hands-on courses called Mental Gymnastics and Bullet Journaling. **Mental Gymnastics** is a 6 week course, running one day a week on Wednesdays from 26 January-2 March 2022 and will be offered at two locations: Cornwall Legion in the Morning and Riverdale Terrace in the afternoon.

Bullet Journaling is a 6 week course beginning on 20 January 2022 and will be held at the Cornwall Public Library. Visit <https://tricityliteracycouncil.wordpress.com/> for more information about these courses.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES FOR 2022

Please pick up your envelopes for 2022. They are located in the Family Room near the entrance of the church. The boxes are in number order; please see a volunteer to retrieve the box for you.



BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Baptism is the first sacrament of the Christian faith whereby we become children of God and are welcomed into the Church community. Accompanied by very simple and meaningful gestures, water is used to symbolize our new life in Christ.

What's interesting about the sacrament of Baptism is that neither Jesus nor the early Christian Church started this tradition. It was a Jewish tradition, on that was made popular by the great prophet, John the Baptist, also called the Baptizer. Appalled by the casual religious practices of the people of his era, John baptized his followers in water as a sign of purification and penance. The Evangelists made a point of recording that Jesus went to John the Baptist to be baptized. That gesture demonstrated Jesus' affection for the religion which he had practiced from birth and his respect for tradition. For all intents and purposes, Christ's Baptism in water inaugurated his public life.

Jesus' Baptism was also remarkable because of its profound and extraordinary spiritual experience. A voice was heard from the heavens: *This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.* St. John's baptism was one of purification; Jesus' baptism confirmed his divinity. Since then, Christian Baptism is celebrated in Christ's name with water and the Holy Spirit.

Jesus and the members of the early Church took John's baptismal rite and radically transformed it. From that time on, Baptism has been the rite of our divine affiliation. At his Baptism, Jesus was revealed as the Son of God. At our own Baptism, each of us is welcomed as a child of God. While we thank St. John for our heritage, we thank Christ for bringing this new reality to us.

André Beauchamp

Translated by Honore Kerwin Borrelli

CONGRATULATIONS - to the children being baptized here this weekend, and to their parents and godparents - GABRIEL ROWE and HAILEY OCOLISANU.



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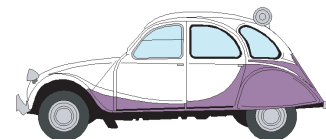
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