

St. Francis de Sales Parish

Established 1937

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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

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-St. Francis de Sales

Pastoral Council	Anna Maria Snyder	613-937-4807
Finance Council	Michael Despatie	613-930-0464
Greeters	Lionel Poirier	613-933-7757
Liturgy	Yvonne Bakker	613-930-5200
Lectors	Yvonne Bakker	613-930-5200
Eucharistic Ministries/Shut-ins	Deacon Ken Lalonde	613-936-1919
Music Ministry	Candice Provost	613-362-5394
	Peggy Haramis/Randy Pitts	613-347-7407
	Mike McAnany	613-938-7601
	Liliane Ward	613-932-8087
Altar Society	David Girard	613-932-4437
Altar Servers Co-ordinator	Robert Sabourin	613-933-2169
Adult Altar Servers	Isabel Macdonald	613-933-8732
Offertory Co-ordinator	Theresa Watters	613-932-4419
Hospital Visitation	Deacon Ken Lalonde	613-936-1919
Outreach Committee	Marlene Morrisette	613-933-3829
CWL	David Wattie	613-793-3008
Knights of Columbus	Sally Grant	613-933-3831
Evangelization	Shirley Parfett	613-938-2751
Welcoming Committee	Tom Thompson	613-932-5517
SVDP		

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, 25th March

- 3:30-4:30 Confessions
5:00 p.m. Raymond Sabourin by Carmen Major

Sunday, 26th March - 5th SUNDAY OF LENT

- 9:30 a.m. 1. Alma Gaudet by Paul & Sharon Gaudet (9th Anniv.)
2. Robert Marion by a parishioner
3. Rose Lussier by Jeannine & Louise Lussier & Monique Gray
11:00 a.m. Intentions of the parishioners

Monday, 27th March

- 8:00 a.m. Raymond Sabourin by Nancy, Joan & Reina

Tuesday, 28th March

- 7:00 p.m. Lise Carriere by Mike & Marlene Morrissette

Wednesday, 29th March

- 8:00 a.m. Elisabetta Spagnolo by Rob & Lisa McDonald

Thursday, 30th March

- 8:00 a.m. Roméo and Laurence LaBonté by Mark & Yvonne Girard

Friday, 31st March

- 7:20 a.m. Stations of the Cross
8:00 a.m. Bernie Daniels by Sally & Sean

Saturday, 1st April

- 3:30-4:30 Confessions
5:00 p.m. Deacon Kerry McDonald by Raymond & Isabel Macdonald

Sunday, 2nd April - PALM SUNDAY

- 9:30 a.m. 1. Robert Marion by Hélène Sauvé
2. Rene Bonneville by Donna & Everley Flanigan
3. Elizabeth Peters by Rick & Debbie Zabloski
11:00 a.m. Intentions of the parishioners

PRESBYTERAL ORDINATION OF ROMÉO LEFEBVRE

Saturday, 1st April 2023 at 10:00 a.m.

at Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish
followed by a light lunch at the Agora Centre

Please confirm your presence **before 28th March 2023**

by email: saintfelix@cogeco.ca

or by phone at 613-932-2777

NOTICES

SUNDAY COLLECTION - 19 MARCH 2023

Regular Sunday envelopes	\$4,935.90
Loose Collection	175.25
Diocesan & Missionary Works	25.00
Development & Peace	65.00
Votive lights	31.00
New Year	20.00
Initial offering	<u>5.00</u>
TOTAL	5,257.15

With Thanks!

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

The season of lent is an opportunity for us to be reconciled to God and one another. One of the ways the church offers us an opportunity of reconciliation is through the sacrament of penance. I would encourage you to take the opportunity, during this Lenten season, to receive the sacrament and prepare yourselves for Easter. On Wednesday, 29th March the priest will be on hand from 2:00-4:00 p.m. at Saint Columban's parish. I would also remind you that confessions are held here on Saturdays from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.

LENTEN JOURNEY WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT

During lent, St. Francis de Sales Parish will be pondering the work of the Holy Spirit in our lives as we watch, and discuss, the Wild Goose videos. On Wednesday mornings, beginning on 1st March, coffee will be served in the parish hall following morning Mass; videos begin at 9:00 a.m. Everyone welcome!

ALPHA REUNION CELEBRATION

All are Welcome to Come and See! Mark your calendars for Thursday, 30th March, 6:30 p.m. at Shalom House, Alexandria. Reconnect with friends or make new friends and come check out what Alpha is all about. Refreshments served; no commitment and no cost. Info: Inez at 613-527-3209 inez1989@hotmail.com or Elizabeth 613-527-3209 mcdonellbe@gmail.com

WOMEN'S MORNING OF REFLECTION

Saturday, 1st April - 9:00 a.m.-noon at Our Lady of Grace church, College Street, Ingleside, for mass, confession, breakfast, a talk and the rosary. Fr. Augustine is our celebrant and also our speaker, sharing his recent trip to Nigeria, the situation there and how he was able to use our offerings to aid them. Free will offering of \$5 is appreciated. Info: Heidi Krol 613-347-3561 or Marilyn Light 613-537-2021.

K OF C - 11531 NOTICES

K OF C - GENERAL MEETING

General Meeting for all members will be Tuesday, 18th April in the Parish Hall. Rosary begins at 7:00 p.m. Meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. Into the Breach begins at 8:30 p.m. All members are invited and encouraged to attend.

K OF C BURSARIES

Bursaries are available through the Knights of Columbus. Details are available on the parish website.

<https://stfrancisdesalescornwall.weebly.com/>

K OF C ONTARIO 50/50

Ontario State 50/50 Raffle Tickets available for purchase online. In support of our local St. Anne Catholic School. Visit parish website to find the link.

St. Francis de Sales - K of C 11531 FAMILY BREAKFAST Sunday, 26 th March 2023 - 8:30 a.m.-noon in the parish hall Cost: Adults \$8.50, Children under 12 years old \$4.00
St. Francis de Sales - K of C 11531 SHEPHERD'S PIE DINNER Thursday, 13 th April 2023 - 4:30-6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall Free will offering in support of St. Joseph's HS mission trip
Knights of Columbus Council 755 GOOD FRIDAY FISH & CHIP SUPPER Friday, 7 th April 2023 - 4:00-7:00 p.m. at the downstairs hall, 205 Amelia Street, Cornwall Tickets: \$15/person available at the bar or 613-932-7600

NOTICES

DEVELOPMENT & PEACE - STAND FOR THE LAND

Colombia is home to nearly 10 percent of the planet's biodiversity, yet it is also one of the most dangerous countries for people defending their land and territory against exploitation. Honduras's diverse ecosystems, fertile lands and rich natural resources attract many profiteering enterprises that over exploit the land to no benefit for local communities. Your Share Lent donations can be the difference for many between life and death, dignity and social inequality, hope and despair. Our partners in Columbia and Honduras are strong, but they cannot do this work alone. No one can. Together we can take a stand for human dignity, create hope and protect the land.

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TEAMS OF OUR LADY - INVITATION FOR COUPLES TO AN INTRODUCTORY SESSION

Couples that have already signed up, and couples that have the desire to be part of something bigger than themselves, as a team, as a big family, in an International Organization, are invited to come to the introductory session, on Sunday, 16th April, after the 11:00 a.m. mass, in the St. Francis de Sales Parish Hall. Refreshments will be served. Info: Carmen and Roger Hurtubise - 905-410-1545

email: teamscarmenandroger@yahoo.com

Web page: <http://teamsfourlady.ca>

THANK YOU

The refugees and immigrants in our city thank everyone for your overwhelming generosity in reaching out to help them. All donations were given to the immigrants free of charge. Some people will remain in Cornwall while others are moving to major cities. The ACFO/SDG is a volunteer organization helping those in need, located at 510 McConnell Avenue, attached to Le Citadel, open from 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Monday-Friday. Additional donations can be taken there during those hours. With spring approaching there will be a need for umbrellas, rubber boots for children, light jackets and used bicycles. Thanks again for your generosity.

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS TO DONATE TO MIGRANTS

The Christian Reformed Church on Pitt street have taken on helping the new migrant families coming into the city. They are looking for furniture like dining table, chairs, dressers, bed frames, end tables, cookware. They have little storage so they will pick up items through me when they are needed. When parishioners have things to donate that are in working order, they can call Lionel Poirier at 613 933-7757 or see me at church.

Catholic Information Centre Book & Gift Shop RE-OPENING Monday 3 rd April 2023 - 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. at the new location - Unit 1 - 812 Pitt Street (in Plaza near Sharyn's Pantry) Open 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Monday-Friday - 613-933-5099

SALESIAN SUMMER CAMP IN CORNWALL

Apply to be a Youth Leader!

Plan to participate in the Salesian Summer Camp from 3-28 July 2023 - outings, sports, arts & crafts and music for children ages 7-15 directed by the Salesian Sisters of St. John Bosco. We hire Youth Leaders for 6 weeks to direct the summer activities, funded by the Canadian government. See the requirements and application form here: <https://bit.ly/SalesianYouthLeader> Please apply before 31 March 2023.



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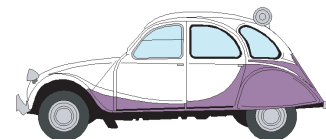
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