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SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Mon to Thurs
9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Friday – Closed

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St. Francis Xavier, a welcoming faith community lovingly sharing the gifts of God.

SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday 4:30 PM
Sunday 10:30 AM

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Sunday @ 10:30 a.m. Mass
Junior Kindergarten to Grade 2

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 PM to 4:15 PM
Sunday 10:00 AM to 10:15 AM
First Friday before 8 AM mass
Or by appointment. Call Fr. Brennan Ext 1

COMMUNION TO THE SICK OR SHUT-INS

Contact the parish office to arrange for this Ministry

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please contact Father Brennan at least six months before the proposed celebration as a preparation program is required.

BAPTISM

Please contact Fr. Brennan regarding upcoming preparation

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic School
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PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

We pray for our loved ones who have died, especially Reverend Howard Chabot.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND SHUT-IN

We pray for those who seek God's healing, especially Winston Green, Irene Fremont, Leona Barr, Susan Martin, Noreene Adam, Scott Rowbotham, Mary Blimkie, Joan Sherlock, Greg Mantil, Sandy Massine, Mary Visutskie, Greg Colterman, Baby Isaac Smith, Larry Hebert, Hedy Kedrosky, Carolyn Dodds, Des and Doreen Herrick, Elaine Brazeau, Bob Flynn, Linda (Mahusky) Hull, Dorothy Kosowskie, Barbara Helferty, Catherine Kuehl, Rose Nighbor and Audrey Tibbles.

On June 23, 1968 the present St. Francis Xavier Church was Blessed by Bishop Smith. **This year marks the 50th Anniversary of our Church building.** We are going to have a **Parish Mission** preached by **Fr. Michael Prieur**, retired Professor of Moral Theology at St. Peter's Seminary London Ontario. **Please set aside Sept. 16th to 19th for this Mission marking our church anniversary. Bishop Mulhall will be here to Celebrate Mass on Sept. 23rd at 10:30 followed by a reception in the Parish Hall. Further details to follow.**

PICK-UP: Please pick up your dishes, bowls, plates, etc. from the carts in the table in the main foyer of the church **ASAP.**

RECITAL! On Sunday, July 22 at 3:30pm **Nick Walters** will give an organ recital in Montreal at St. Joseph's Oratory! The organ recital series at the Oratory showcases international organists and is the longest running concert series in Canada. Consider making a day-trip to Montreal to support Nick in this high profile engagement!

80TH ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO THE SHRINE OF ST. ANN, CORMAC: **Sunday, July 29th** The Triduum in honour of St. Ann will take place on July 26 - 28 each evening at 7:00 p.m. This year's guest preacher will be Father Denis Lemieux of Madonna House. For information please consult the Shrine website: www.cormacpilgrimage.com.



FOOD BANK DONATIONS:

Reminder that next weekend is the Parish **Food Bank Sunday** for July. Baskets at the doors of the church will be available for your donations. While families have a break from preparing school lunches, there are also no school breakfast clubs and children at home and hungry throughout the day. Thank you for your generosity.

SUMMER

- Beginning July 7 and continuing until and including September 2 , we will have Communion under the species of bread only at weekend and weekday Masses. The chalice will not be distributed.
- Beginning the week of July 2 and continuing through the balance of July and August there will be daily Mass, Monday to Friday at 8:00 a.m. Also, there will be no Holy Hour in July or August. Please refer carefully to the Liturgical Celebration area of the bulletins over the next few months. Also beginning July 1 the bulletin will be published only every second weekend.
- During the weekdays of July and August the Parish office will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. from Monday to Thursday and will be closed on Fridays. **Please note the parish office will be closed Monday, July 2nd for Canada Day.**
- ♦ **UPDATE ON SEWER REPLACEMENT :** Fulton construction is planning on completing the sewer replacement beginning July 3rd. After exploring all possibilities it has been decided that the front church steps will have to be torn up because the sewer line goes directly under the steps. Because of huge rocks, the sewer line cannot be detoured around the steps. The reason we cut down the spruce tree is the fact that it was the roots of this tree that caused the sewer problems as they invaded the sewer pipe. Because of this construction the front entrance of the church will be closed for approximately 3 weeks.

SUNDAY OFFERING: June 24th - \$3,817.50
 Envelopes - \$3,219.75 EFT - \$349.00 Loose - \$248.75

I will extol you, Lord,
 for you have raised me up.

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

MON. Jul. 2
8:00 a.m. Wil Hermans - Glen Buch
TUE. Jul.3
8:00 a.m. Edna Leclaire - Elaine Turner
WED. Jul. 4
8:00 a.m. Joan Roach - The Family
THU. Jul. 5
8:00 a.m. Don Coyne - Steve & Theresa Dregas
FRI. Jul. 6
8:00 a.m. Glenn McGahan - Wife & Family
SAT. Jul.7
Genevieve & Gwen Deslaurier
- Elaine Turner
4:30 p.m. John Burnett - Rita & Family
SUN. Jul. 8
10:30 a.m. Intentions of the Parishioners - Fr. Brennan
"HOLY HOCKEY" The story of Canada's Flying Fathers is available at the Parish Office for purchase during business hours at a cost of \$25.00 each.

LITURGICAL ROLES

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 8th, 2018

SATURDAY EVENING MASS - 4:30 p.m.
MINISTERS OF THE WORD - M. Maloney; K. Harris
MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - M. & B. Coulas;
W. & M. Remus
EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - K. Coulas
SUNDAY MORNING MASS - 10:30 a.m.
MINISTERS OF THE WORD - N. Smith; J. Valliquette
MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY—B. & B. Chapman;
T. & B. McIntyre
EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - K & T Mann
SERVERS - S. & M. Holmes; A. Coyne

HOSPITALITY MINISTERS!!!: If anyone is able to assist as Hospitality Minister at the 10:30 a.m. Sunday, Mass during the summer it would be a tremendous help as we are in extreme need of more ministers. Please contact Martha if interested.

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

MON. Jul. 9
8:00 a.m. Johanna VanKessel - Mary Visutskie
& Doreen Hoare
TUE. Jul.10
8:00 a.m. Intentions of the Quatrocchi Family
- Dolly & Debra McDonald
WED. Jul. 11
8:00 a.m. Thomas Patrick McNulty - Orpha McNulty
THU. Jul. 12
8:00 a.m. Brian Campbell - Mrs. Margaret Norton
10:30 a.m. MANOR: John Chartrand
- The Culligan Family
FRI. Jul. 13
8:00 a.m. Maria Abraham - Debra McDonald
SAT. Jul. 14
4:30 p.m. Hubert Agnel (20th Ann) - Lois & Family
Ken Barr - Wife, Leona
SUN. Jul. 15
10:30 a.m. Intentions of the Parishioners - Fr. Brennan

LITURGICAL ROLES

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 15th, 2018

SATURDAY EVENING MASS - 4:30 p.m.
MINISTERS OF THE WORD - J. Spilchen; K. Harris
MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - S. & R. Mears;
D. Mooney; T. Lemenchick
EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - L. Armstrong
SUNDAY MORNING MASS - 10:30 a.m.
MINISTERS OF THE WORD - J. Cuff; T. Keller
MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - B. & B. Chapman;
D. Dawkins; E. Turner
EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - J. O'Gorman;
R. A. Dicker
SERVERS - N. & S. Lesk



**God keep our land
Glorious and Free!**

PEMBROKE AREA MISSION will be held at St. Columbkille's Cathedral October 1-3, 2018. Please hold these dates open and mark your calendars now. Internationally known lay evangelist and author, John Pridmore, a former gangster from England who experienced a miraculous conversion, will speak each evening at 7: 15. One observer described his conversion as that of "a modern day Saint Paul." He had it all and it counted as nothing until he found "the pearl of great price!" Mr. Pridmore will also address student assemblies in Renfrew, Pembroke and Barry's Bay. More in the summer edition of Ecclesia!

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!: for the Pilgrimage to the Shrine of St. Ann in Cormac. We need your help particularly with the set up of the grounds starting at 9am on Sat. July 21 and the take down on Mon. July 30 at 6pm. We could also use help during Pilgrimage day with other various tasks, from helping direct traffic and parking prior to the Mass, to assisting at the religious articles and various booths throughout the day. Your assistance will be greatly appreciated!



We welcome to the Christian Community the child recently baptized into our faith. As the Parents and Sponsors make a commitment to share with this child our Catholic faith, we as a faith community offer our on-going support to:

~ JULIEN GILLES STE-MARIE, son of Christian & Ashley ~

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