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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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St. Joseph's Catholic High School
835 First Street 613-432-5846
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PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

We pray for our loved ones who have died, especially Claire Hawkes, mother of Louise Neville.

Samaritan's Purse Disaster Relief Team in Renfrew County. Whitewater Wesleyan Community Church in Cobden has been asked by Samaritan's Purse to send out another request for volunteers to assist their Disaster Relief teams in Renfrew County. Volunteers are needed to help with the cleanup effort after the disastrous flooding in our area at no cost to allow families to safely return home.

We have this great experienced team (Samaritan's Purse) here, equipped and ready to go but only a handful of volunteers. We are in great need of volunteers to go out with the Samaritan's Purse Disaster Relief Team. They can come to the Whitewater Wesleyan Church, Cobden at 7:30 a.m. Monday to Saturday and sign-in, make a lunch (supplies provided) and attend the orientation session. Once they attend the orientation, they don't have to do it again, just show up for 7:45 a.m. Bring clothing: closed-toe footwear, long pants, cap for sun protection.

What can you do to help?

Assist in the appeal for volunteers for this 'in our community mission's opportunity'

Cathy Northup is a Samaritan's Purse Site Leadership Team Member who can be reached at 1-844-547-2663 for further information or check out the website for Samaritan's Purse Disaster Relief Team in Renfrew County at <https://www.samaritanspurse.ca/renfrewcounty-flood-response-volunteer-application-form/>.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND SHUT-IN

We pray for those who seek God's healing, especially: Stella Shalla; Aileen Villemure, Georges Blanchette, Gloria Bruce, Noreene Adam and Sandy Massine.

Stillpoint House of Prayer Celebration

August 10, 2019 (1:30-4:00pm) friends, neighbours and patrons will celebrate thirty years of Stillpoint.

In 1989 some of you will remember the official opening of this House of Prayer. The two principal persons that day were Bishop Windle of Ashdad who celebrated Mass and Sister Maria Mousseau, native of Calabogie, founder and first Director of Stillpoint.

Thirty years later we gratefully remember God's sustaining faithfulness to its operation and the significant influence this special oasis for prayer and renewal has had for so many. Our database shows that over 2,700 persons have passed through our doors in thirty years.

Sister Betty Berrigan will be leaving Stillpoint after twenty-one years. Sister Helen Russell, another Sister of St. Joseph will be joining Sister Pat Amyot, S.P. to continue this much needed ministry.

Thanks to you, the Pastors and Parishioners of St. Francis Xavier Parish for your support over the years. Please continue to do so.



Please note that Fr. Brennan will be away on holidays from July 28th until August 7th. Fr. Holly has generously agreed to be available during this time.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY: to all couples of the Parish who celebrate a Wedding Anniversary during July. We remember your intentions at the 10:30 a.m. Mass this weekend. May God Bless You All. Among those celebrating are:

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| Jerry & Maxine Lapierre (62) | M. J. & Valerie Smaggus (20) |
| David & Gail Mooney (52) | Derek & Stephanie Lennox (19) |
| Art & Marilyn Campbell (49) | John Laviolette & Terri Steele (16) |
| Dan & Gerri Stroud (48) | Jason & Kathleen Wilson (15) |
| Greg & Angel Colterman (22) | Kevin & Anne Briscoe (11) |
| Jack & Gerry Craig (22) | Scott & Megan Lewis (9) |

OTTAWA MEN'S CONFERENCE 2019

September 7, 2019
7:30am - 3:30pm
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THEME:
"WARRIOR IDENTITY"
"YOU WANT PEACE..
PREPARE FOR WAR"

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CEMETERY

Memorial Service at the cemetery on **Sunday, September 15th, 2019 at 1:30 p.m.** In case of inclement weather the celebration will be held at Our Lady of Fatima Church.

"Lord, for your faithful people, life has changed, not ended."

Choir practice for the ordination Will be August 15th @ 7 pm

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

MON. July 29 NO LITURGY (8:15 a.m. Mass at OLF)
TUE. July 30 NO LITURGY (8:15 a.m. Mass at OLF)
WED. July 31 NO LITURGY (8:15 a.m. Mass at OLF)
THUR. Aug. 1 NO LITURGY (8:15 a.m. Mass at OLF)
FRI. Aug. 2 NO LITURGY (8:15 a.m. Mass at OLF)
SAT. Aug. 3
4:30 p.m. Intentions of the Parishioners - Fr. Brennan
SUN. Aug. 4
10:30 a.m. Joseph Lee - The Family
Carey Bissonnette - Doreen Hoare

LITURGICAL ROLES

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time - August 4th, 2019

SATURDAY EVENING MASS - 4:30 p.m.
MINISTERS OF THE WORD - S. McCanna; M. Maloney
MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - W. & M. Remus;
D.Mooney; T. Lemenchick

SUNDAY MORNING MASS - 10:30 a.m.
MINISTERS OF THE WORD - H. Curry; R. Russell
MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - B. & B. Chapman
D. Dawkins; L. Sammon
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS - D. Yantha
SERVERS - S. & M. & H. Holmes

➡ KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEMBERS:
and guests receiving an invitation
for the 100th Anniversary Celebration in
September are asked to RSVP by **July 31, 2019.**

SUNDAY OFFERING: July 14th - \$3,694.85
Envelopes - \$3,201.00 Weekly EFT - \$205.00
Loose - \$288.85

It is with joy and thanksgiving that I wish to announce Michael Coyne will be ordained a Deacon here at St. Francis Xavier Parish on August 16th at 7pm by Archbishop Michael Mulhall. All are welcome to attend. There will be a reception in the Parish Hall following the ordination.

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

MON. Aug. 5 NO LITURGY (**9:00 a.m. Mass at OLF**)
TUE. Aug. 6 NO LITURGY (8:15 a.m. Mass at OLF)
WED. Aug. 7 NO LITURGY (8:15 a.m. Mass at OLF)
THUR. Aug. 8
8:00 a.m. Intentions of Arlette Hermans & Family
- Marcia Timm
10:30 a.m. MANOR: Tony Dota - Carl Surnoski
FRI. Aug 9
8:00 a.m. Don Coyne - Son, Michael
SAT. Aug. 10
4:30 p.m. Intentions of the Parishioners - Fr. Brennan
SUN. Aug. 11
10:30 a.m. Kim Shalla-Vaile - Mom & Family

LITURGICAL ROLES

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time - August 11th, 2019

SATURDAY EVENING MASS - 4:30 p.m.
MINISTERS OF THE WORD - L. Carter; A. M. Slight
MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - D. & C. Varrin;
L. & G. Curry

SUNDAY MORNING MASS - 10:30 a.m.
MINISTERS OF THE WORD - J. Valliquette; N. Saumure
MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - T. & B. McIntyre;
B Taylor; A. Agnew
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS - K. or T. Mann
SERVERS - S. Lesk

SUNDAY OFFERING: July 21st - \$3,374.05
Envelopes - \$3,271.85
EFT - \$205.00
Loose - \$342.85

The 360^o Project. Renfrew County Poverty Action Network (CPAN) is recruiting for year 2 of its 360 Project – a program supporting low-income, single-parent families in Renfrew County. This year, we are looking to recruit 60 new families (20 each in Pembroke, Renfrew, Arnprior, and their surrounding areas). Criteria: single parent with custody of at least one child 0-17 years old; low income; and living in Renfrew County. Program goals include meeting other single parents, learning new skills, connecting with community resources, and improving employability. To join, please contact CPAN at 613 735-1251 or email at cpan@phoenixctr.com.

NEXT BULLETIN:

will be published August 10th. Please retain this bulletin for Mass times and intentions and Liturgical Ministry appointments.

PLEASE NOTE: Parish Office will be closed Monday, August 5th.

PARISH SUPPERS

- ST. BERNADETTE, BONFIELD - July 28 - meals served 3:30 - 6:00 p.m.
- ST. MARTIN OF TOURS, WHITNEY - Aug. 4 - starting at 1:00 p.m.
- ST. ANDREW'S, KILLALOE - Aug. 11 - 1:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- ST. THOMAS D'AQUIN, ASTORVILLE - Aug. 11 - beginning at 3:30 p.m.
- OUR LADY OF GRACE, WESTMEATH - Aug. 18 - noon to 6:00 p.m.

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