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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  
41 Bolger Lane 613-432-3137  
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## HIGH SCHOOL

St. Joseph's Catholic High School  
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<http://sjchsrenfrew.wordpress.com>

**PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED**

We pray for our loved ones who have died, especially David Wall, Walter Narezny and Beverly Haley.

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND SHUT-IN**

We pray for those who seek God's healing, especially Father John Affleck, Linda (Mahusky) Hull, Dorothy Kosowskie, Georges Blanchette, Robert Berube, Fr. Doug Morris, Anthony Mask, Barbara Helferty, Betty Sammon, Luke Holmes, Catherine Kuehl, Betty Tracey, Leona Barr, Gwen Deslaurier, Ed Sulpher, Rose Nighbor, Audrey Tibbles, Audrey Hawley, and Joan Prince.

**78<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO THE SHRINE OF ST. ANN, CORMAC: Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup> with Bishop Michael Mulhall and Father Howard Chabot:** Theme: "With the Lord There is Mercy". The principal Pilgrimage Mass will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. with Bishop Mulhall presiding, and a Mass for healing will be celebrated at 2:00 p.m. Local priests will be assisting with the anointing with St. Ann's oil. A section of preferential seating in the shade will be given to those with lawn chairs. Religious articles, St. Ann's Mass League memberships, and food and refreshments will be available. Everyone welcome! For further info, please see: [www.cormacpilgrimage.com](http://www.cormacpilgrimage.com)

**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 6:00 p.m. on Friday, July 22 and the take-down on Monday, August 1 at 6:00 p.m. We could also use help during our Pilgrimage day with various tasks from helping direct traffic and parking prior to the Mass, to assisting at the religious articles and various booths during the day. Your assistance will be gratefully received!

**THE WORD AMONG US:** The parish has purchased copies of the July edition of this publication which contains the complete Catholic Mass readings as well as daily meditations. A donation of \$2 to cover costs would be appreciated.

**SUMMER**

- Beginning July 2 and continuing until and including August 27/28, 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 3 and continuing through the balance of July and August there will be no Monday or Tuesday daily liturgy and Wednesday Mass will be at 7:00 p.m. Please refer carefully to "Liturgical Celebrations" in the bulletin.
- 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.

**THE BEREAVEMENT GROUP** will continue to meet on Monday evenings at 7:30 p.m. in Rectory Meeting Room #1. The group is open to anyone who is experiencing issues with grief and is looking for support.

**CONGRATULATIONS:** to Alexandra Lennox, winner of the Altar Server draw for June.

**142<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO SAINTE-ANNE-DE-BEAUPRÉ:** This annual pilgrimage will take place on Aug. 13-14, 2016. Celebrant is Archbishop Paul-André Durocher, Archdiocese of Gatineau. Pope Francis has encouraged all to make a pilgrimage during the Year of Mercy. There is a designated Holy Door at the Shrine of St. Anne-de-Beaupré. There will also be an opportunity on Saturday evening to attend the "Stations of Mercy". For more info: Ontario - Frances Dagenais at 613-732-2235. Quebec - Sylvia Soucie 819 683-2537. Website: [www.ste-anne-de-beaupre.com](http://www.ste-anne-de-beaupre.com)

**JOURNEY TO SANCTITY: Walk the Opeongo Line** is a walking pilgrimage that is being organized July 28-31 that will begin at Our Lady of Fatima Church on the morning of July 28 and proceed to Mt. St. Patrick, St. Joseph, Esmonde, and culminate with arrival at the Shrine of St. Ann for Pilgrimage on Sunday, July 31. For more information please visit [www.walktheopeongoline.com](http://www.walktheopeongoline.com)

This is one of the miracles of love:  
It gives a power of seeing through  
its own enchantments and  
yet not being disenchanting.

C.S. Lewis

**LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS**

MON. July 4 NO PARISH LITURGY (Mass at OLF @ 8:15 a.m.)  
 TUES. July 5 NO PARISH LITURGY (Mass at OLF @ 8:15 a.m.)  
 WED. July 6  
 7:00 p.m. Dr. Owen Kealey - Nan & Ken Lefebvre  
 THUR. July 7  
 8:00 a.m. Harold Agnel - Mr. & Mrs. Terry Latendresse  
 FRI. July 8  
 8:00 a.m. Ben Surnoski - Wilf & Reta Smith  
 SAT. July 9  
 4:30 p.m. Gladys & John Kenopic - Their Daughters  
 Eugene Cadotte - His Family  
 SUN. July 10  
 10:30 a.m. Intentions of the Parishioners - Fr. Brennan

**LITURGICAL ROLES**

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 10<sup>th</sup> 2016  
**SATURDAY EVENING MASS - 4:30 p.m.**  
 MINISTERS OF THE WORD - J. Harper; A.M. Slight  
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - L. & G. Curry;  
 S. & R. Mears  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - A. Burchat  
 SERVERS - TBA  
**SUNDAY MORNING MASS - 10:30 a.m.**  
 MINISTERS OF THE WORD - S. McNulty; L Carter  
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - B. & B. Chapman  
 T. & B. McIntyre  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - A. Burchat ; T. Fiebig  
 SERVERS - H. & L. Curry

**LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS**

MON. July 11 NO PARISH LITURGY (Mass at OLF @ 8:15 a.m.)  
 TUES. July 12 NO PARISH LITURGY (Mass at OLF @ 8:15 a.m.)  
 WED. July 13  
 7:00 p.m. Claire Larabie - Her Family  
 THUR. July 14  
 8:00 a.m. Linda Letang - Mike & Darlene Joyce  
 10:30 a.m. MANOR: Special Intention - Florence McNulty  
 FRI. July 15  
 8:00 a.m. Walter Narezny - Ruth Elliott  
 SAT. July 16  
 4:30 p.m. Glenn Carr - The Family  
 M/M Joe Benish & Dec'd Family Members  
 - Flo Gillhen  
 SUN. July 17  
 10:30 a.m. Intentions of the Parishioners - Fr. Brennan

**LITURGICAL ROLES**

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 17<sup>th</sup> 2016  
**SATURDAY EVENING MASS - 4:30 p.m.**  
 MINISTERS OF THE WORD - J. Lemay; N. Saumure  
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - T. Lemenchick; J. Mahusky  
 M. & B. Coulas  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - A. Burchat  
 SERVERS - E. Saumure  
**SUNDAY MORNING MASS - 10:30 a.m.**  
 MINISTERS OF THE WORD - A. Hermans; T. Keller  
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - D. & C. Varrin;  
 A. & M. Campbell  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - A. Burchat ; D. Lennox  
 SERVERS - A. & D. Lennox; A. Coyne

**GOD'S WORD THIS SUNDAY**

**July 3, 2016—14th Sunday in Ordinary**

One of the most counter-cultural parts of Christian faith is our recognition of the goodness of the human body. Our faith proclaims that God will care for our needs like a mother feeds and cares for her baby. In the second reading, Paul points out that it is not the appearance of our bodies that matters (circumcision or not), but rather that God has become human and our bodies bear witness to Jesus. When Jesus sent out His disciples, he sent them out trusting that others would provide for their hunger and thirst, shelter and warm clothing. Our physical needs in the body are signs of our need for God and each other. This week, thank God for your hunger and thirst, your longing and your grief. When you feel your own need and recognize the needs of others, thank God for the way He meets those needs, and for the privilege of helping to meet the needs of others' bodies.

**PARISH SUPPERS**

- HOLY CANADIAN MARTYRS, COMBERMERE - July 16<sup>th</sup> - 8:00 to 11:00 a.m.
- ST. LAWRENCE O'TOOLE, BARRY'S BAY - July 17<sup>th</sup> - starting at 2:00 p.m.
- ST. BERNADETTE PARISH, BONFIELD - July 24<sup>th</sup> - 3:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- ST. MARTIN OF TOURS, WHITNEY - July 31<sup>st</sup> - starting at 2:00 p.m.
- ST. ANDREW'S, KILLALOE - Aug. 7<sup>th</sup> - 3:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- ST. THOMAS D'AQUIN, ASTORVILLE - Aug. 14<sup>th</sup> - starting at 3:30 p.m.
- OUR LADY OF GRACE, WESTMEATH - Aug. 21<sup>st</sup> - 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**SUNDAY OFFERING:**

**June 26<sup>th</sup> - \$3,611.95**  
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**Next bulletin** will be published Sunday, July 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016. Please retain this bulletin for Mass times and intentions.

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