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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

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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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TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

We pray for our loved ones who have died.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND SHUT-IN

We pray for those who seek God's healing, especially Elayne Strutt, Father John Affleck, Linda (Mahusky) Hull, Dorothy Kosowskie, Georges Blanchette, Robert Berube, Father 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.



FOOD BANK DONATIONS:

Next weekend is the Parish **Food Bank Sunday** for June. Baskets at the doors of the church will be available for donations.

Please bring your family and friends to ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE SCHOOL FUN FAIR, Wednesday, June 8th from 4:30 - 7:00 p.m.



Enjoy the Inflatable slide, Moon Bounce, Obstacle Course, play games, eat pizza and hot dogs, visit with the OPP, fire department and more!

PLEASE NOTE: Tuesday morning Mass this week is at **9:30 a.m.** at which time students and staff of SJCH will join us.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER C.W.L. NEWS:

◆CWL June Dinner, Tue., June 21. Meet & Greet 6pm, Dinner 6:30pm. Catered by Eastern Star Women at their hall, 3rd floor, O'Brien Apts. (elevator). Three course turkey dinner, \$15.00. Call Joan at 613 432 9161 or email itle-may@sympatico.ca before June 7 for reservations.

FORT McMURRAY FIRE: Bishop Mulhall has sent a letter concerning our diocesan response to the Fire victims of Fort McMurray. Any financial support collected will be sent to Bishop Paul Terrio in the Diocese of St. Paul. One half of money collected will be used to support Catholic parishes of Fort McMurray and the other half will be forwarded to the Fort McMurray Ministerial Association for ecumenical assistance to those who have lost homes and jobs. If you wish to donate toward this effort please place your donation in an envelope with your name and envelope number on it and indicate it is for the Fire Victims of Fort McMurray. Any cheques should be made payable to St. Francis Xavier Parish with Fort McMurray on the memo line.

ST. ANN'S WALK THE OPEONGO LINE PILGRIMAGE: the Diocesan Office for Family Life and Youth Ministry is organizing the St. Ann's Walk the Opeongo Line Pilgrimage (from Renfrew through Mount St. Patrick, Esmonde and Cormac) to be held from Thursday, July 28th to Sunday, July 31st. For more information consult www.walktheopeongoline.com.

CONGRATULATIONS: to Sophia Holmes, winner of the Altar Server draw for May.

**The Ottawa Pastoral Care Training Program
would like to present their
Basic Training Course in the Renfrew/Arnrior area
Fall 2016**

**YOU ARE INVITED TO COME TO AN LUNCHEON INFORMATION SESSION AT NOON
Lunch provided ---- Wednesday, June 15th
Hebron Church, 431 Albert Street, Renfrew**

For further information contact Sandy Hunt, 613-281-5673 sandra.hunt7@gmail.com
Rev. Dan Meinema, pastordan1340@gmail.com
Verna Nuttall, Administrator, 613-692-3369 verna@storm.ca

This event is open to everyone who might be interested in exploring and learning some skills that could be helpful when visiting those who are suffering a loss of any kind, or someone who might be lonely and needs someone to listen. Information sheets detailing what the course will cover may be found at the church entrances.



We welcome to the Christian Community the child baptized at St. Francis Xavier this weekend. As the Parents and Sponsors made a commitment to share with this child our Catholic faith, we as a faith community offer our on-going support to:

*** MONROE AINSLEY CRUISE** daughter of Jamie & Breanna

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

MON. Jun. 6 NO PARISH LITURGY (Mass at OLF @ 8:15 a.m.)
 TUES. Jun. 7
9:30 a.m. Intentions of Susan Whalen, Russ Connors & Kevin McSheffrey
 - Staff & Students of SJCHS
 WED. Jun. 8
 8:00 a.m. Carl Warren - Mike & Darlene Joyce
 THUR. Jun. 9
 8:00 a.m. Al & Margaret McHugh - Don & Lore Coyne
 10:30 a.m. BONNNECHERE MANOR: Henry Moore
 - The O'Gorman Family
 FRI. Jun. 10
 8:00 a.m. Don Letts - Don & Lore Coyne
 SAT. Jun. 11
 4:30 p.m. Intentions of the Parishioners - Fr. Brennan
 SUN. Jun. 12
 10:30 a.m. Parnell Shalla - Wife & Family
 Amy Johnston - Jason & Tina Dedo & Family

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**LITURGICAL ROLES**

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time - June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2016

**SATURDAY EVENING MASS - 4:30 p.m.**

MINISTERS OF THE WORD - P. Dowdall; J. Dowdall  
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - D. Mooney; A. Wren;  
 B. & S.A. Holley  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - L. Gallagher; L. Armstrong;  
 T. Lemenchick; D. Dillon  
 SERVERS - K. Dowdall

**SUNDAY MORNING MASS - 10:30 a.m.**

MINISTERS OF THE WORD - T. Keller; L. Carter  
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - T. & B. McIntyre;  
 A. Agnew; B. Taylor  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - S. O'Neill; T. Fiebig; D. Lennox;  
 R. A. Dicker; D. Yemen  
 SERVERS - A. & D. Lennox  
 CANTOR - T.B.A.  
 CHILDREN'S LITURGY - C. Manwell; E. Shannon

**NEW LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULES -**

**ONE MORE WEEK!** schedules will be ready next weekend. Please carefully refer to the bulletin for next weekend's liturgical appointments. Thank you for your patience.

**GALILEE CENTRE PROGRAMS:**

**Directed Retreat: August 3 - 10, 2016**

A directed retreat is made in an environment of silence. There is no pre-set pattern for these retreats, though they are usually based on Sacred Scripture.

**Galilee Experience in Discernment:**

**August 19 - 21, 2016**

Offered in an atmosphere of SILENCE and PRAYER

Please see bulletin boards for more information.

**ST. FRANCIS XAVIER**  
**PARISH SUPPER**  
**SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2016**

Sincere thanks to everyone who has volunteered to work at the parish supper next Sunday.

**VOLUNTEERS!!: The following workers are still needed:**

- Dishes (2nd shift)
- Table Servers (2nd shift)
- Serving tea and coffee (2nd shift)
- Sunday Clean up 6 to 8 p.m.

**Anyone who could give a little of their time is please asked to call Margaret Maloney at 432-6276 and leave a message or you may email Margaret at maloneym@bell.net. Thank you.**

**FOOD!!: The following items are still needed:**

**Salads** - Cabbage, Tossed and Jello

**If you can donate food, please contact Marilyn Johnston 613-432-8671 and leave a message or email [ilovetbears@hotmail.com](mailto:ilovetbears@hotmail.com)**

**HALL CLEAN UP:** in preparation for the Parish Supper will be held on **Wednesday, June 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.** All are welcome to come and help.

**SET UP:** of the hall for the Supper will be **Friday, June 10<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m.** Again, anyone is welcome and encouraged to come and assist.

**VEGETABLE PREPARATION:** 10 - 12 people needed to assist with potato and carrot peeling on **Saturday evening at approximately 5:30 p.m.** Please consider coming over to the Small Hall after the Saturday Mass and helping out. The more involved, the quicker the task will be completed.

**FOOD DROP OFF:** will be **Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup> between 2:00-4:30 p.m. and Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup> between 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.** Please make sure to bring the **white copy of the Food Donation Sheet with all your foods listed!!!!**

**Let's work together for a great PARISH SUPPER!**

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ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH
LOTTERY 2016

We respectfully request that tickets be returned by **June 6, 2016.** If you have not picked up your tickets, you may do so at the church during regular business hours or call the parish to make other arrangements. Thank you for your support.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT S.F.X.

♦ **Mon., June 6 Bereavement Group**

Rectory Mtg. Rm. #1 7:30 p.m.

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