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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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HIGH SCHOOL

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835 First Street 613-432-5846
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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 Loretta Ballard, Chad Mahusky, Lucille Leveck, Fr. Doug Morris, Anthony Mask, JoAnn Perrigo, Sister Margaret Joan Pecore, Barbara Helferty, Betty Sammon, Catherine Kuehl, Luke Holmes, Betty Tracey, Gwen Deslaurier, Leona & Ken Barr, Ed Sulpher, Rose Nighbor, Audrey Tibbles, Audrey Hawley, and Joan Prince.



COFFEE PARTY: members of SFX CWL will host a Last Friday of the Month Coffee Party in the large Parish Hall after 8 a.m. Mass and Devotions to Mary on **Friday, May 29th**. All are welcome to join us for refreshments and fellowship.

THE WORD AMONG US: The parish has purchased copies of the June edition of this publication which contains the complete Catholic Mass readings as well as daily meditations. These are free and may be picked up at the church entrances.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS RENFREW COUNCIL 1916: collects aluminum cans, eave troughs, siding, copper, liquor and beer bottles and old car batteries on the **last Saturday of every month**. Proceeds from the sale of these items are distributed to K of C charities. If you would like to participate, please call Don Coyne 433-9298, Rick Norman, 432-8603 or M. J. Blimkie 432-5334.

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

* **JUNE 16TH: SFX CWL COUNCIL CLOSING DINNER:** at the Renfrew Golf Club at 6:00 p.m. Service Pins will be awarded for CWL Members who have served 1 year, 10 years, 40 years, 50 years and 60 years this year. Guest Speaker will be Jean Paul Meenan from Our Lady of Wisdom Academy, Barry's Bay. All Members welcome. Prices (includes GST & Gratuity): Chicken \$25.92 and Beef: \$29.82. For reservations contact Elaine Turner 613-432-5535 by June 1st.

* **CROWNING OF MARY: May 27th** organized by Our Lady of Fatima & St. Francis Xavier CWL Councils at Bonnechere Manor Chapel beginning at 10:30 a.m. All members are welcome.

* **SFX CWL HIGH SCHOOL AWARD:** SFX CWL donates 3 awards of \$350 each to graduates of our local high schools who are pursuing a post secondary education. Applicants are asked to outline their faith lives, involvement in the parish and the community. Applications are available at the school offices. Deadline to submit an application at the school is May 29th.

* **CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK POSTER CONTEST:** congratulations to the winners from S.T.A. for the poster contest sponsored by SFX CWL. Winners are: Zoey Bresnahan, Taya Warren, Maebel Visinski, Bianca Smith, Kaitlyn Smith, Sadie Wilson, Owen Pender, Savannah Leclair, Alex Bistko, Jacob Miller, Kelson Hart and Grace Warren.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER BURSARY

The annual recipient of the SFX Parish Bursary of \$500 will be chosen by the Parish Pastoral Council at their June Meeting. The process of awarding the bursary is as follows:

- applications may be requested by the student from the Parish office or the high school
- applications will be reviewed at the June meeting of the Pastoral Council;
- students from *either* Renfrew High School who are seeking higher education may apply.

The criteria for recognition of an appropriate recipient will be based on:

- the involvement of the applicant in our parish community;
- their witness to our Faith in their school and or the Renfrew community;
- the applicant's intentions as to their future education.

Applications may be picked up at the Parish Office and must be returned by Monday, June 1st. We wish 'God's Blessing' to all of the graduating students at this challenging time in their lives.

PARISH SUPPERS:

May 24	Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Braeside	2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
June 14	*Saint Francis Xavier Parish, Renfrew*	2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
June 13/14	Saint Pierre, Fort-Coulonge	begins at 4:00 p.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT S.F.X.

♦ **Mon., May 18** **Bereavement Group** **Rectory Mtg. Rm. #1** **7:30 p.m.**

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

MON. May 25 NO PARISH LITURGY - No Mass at OLF
 TUES. May 26
 9:00 a.m. Margaret Burns - Jan & Roy Leitch
 WED. May 27
 8:00 a.m. Ron Vincent - Ed & Mary McCann
 THUR. May 28
 8:00 a.m. Shirley Macdonald - Tom & Mary Dedo
 10:30 a.m. MANOR: Drummond Moon - Wife, Frances
 FRI. May 29
 8:00 a.m. Freida Leppert & Dec'd Family Members
 - Lore & Don Coyne
 SAT. May 30
 4:30 p.m. Intentions of the Parishioners - Fr. Brennan
 SUN. May 31
 10:30 a.m. Pat Yanthaa - Wife, Debbie
 June Smaggus - Murray & Family
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**LITURGICAL ROLES**

Most Holy Trinity - May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2015

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

MINISTERS OF THE WORD - S. McCanna; J. Freemark  
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - Rita & Stephen Mears;  
 G. & S. Harper  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - A. Burchat; S. & G. Harper;  
 R. & N. Connors

SERVERS - L. & S. Brown

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

MINISTERS OF THE WORD - T. Keller; T. Wall  
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - J. Ballard; L. Leech  
 T. & B. McIntyre  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - A. Burchat; M. Campbell;  
 T Fiebig; D. Yemen; A.M. Millar

SERVERS - B. & S. Beauchamp

CANTOR - M. E. Vice

CHILDREN'S LITURGY - S. Pallen

**SUNDAY OFFERING: May 17<sup>th</sup> - \$3,829.45**

**FREE COMMUNITY SOUP KITCHEN:**  
 Wednesday, May 27<sup>th</sup> @ 12 noon at St. Paul's  
 Anglican Church

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA CATHOLIC SCHOOL'S  
 ANNUAL FUN FAIR: Thursday, June 18<sup>th</sup>,  
 4:30—7:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Fatima  
 School. Join us for a fun-filled night for the  
 whole family, with a climbing wall, inflatables,  
 chicken bingo, silent auction, games, face  
 painting, BBQ and so much more!**

**ST. FRANCIS XAVIER  
 PARISH SUPPER  
 SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 2015**

**REMINDER: Food Donation and Worker  
 sheets are to be returned ASAP.** The more  
 sheets the conveners receive, the fewer phone  
 calls to make! If you did not get these sheets  
 there are extras at the church entrances.

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

- Table Servers
- Sorting Pies
- Dishes
- Kids for Trucks
- Runners
- Take-out
- Tea & Coffee
- Selling Tickets at Main Door
- Selling Tickets at Take-Out
- Hostessing
- Serving Meat, Potatoes & Veggies
- Salads/Pickles

**Anyone who could give a little of their time is  
 please asked to call Carla Walters at 432-2609  
 and leave a message or you may email Carla  
 at [carla.walters@sympatico.ca](mailto:carla.walters@sympatico.ca)**

**HALL CLEAN UP:** in preparation for the Parish  
 Supper will be held on **Wednesday, June 10<sup>th</sup>  
 at 7 p.m.** All are welcome to come and help.

**SET UP:** of the hall for the Supper will be on  
**Friday, June 12<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m.** Again, anyone is  
 welcome and encouraged to come and assist.

**VEGETABLE PREPARATION:** 10 – 12 people  
 are 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:** is **Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup>  
 between 3:00-4:30 p.m. and Sunday,  
 June 14<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!!!!**



**PENTECOST**

**ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH LOTTERY 2015**

To date 1084 books of tickets have been returned. We respectfully request that tickets be returned by May 31, 2015. If you have not picked up your tickets you may do so at the church office during business hours or call the parish to make arrangements.

~ Marilyn Campbell 432-5735

Anita Agnew 432-4070 ~

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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**  
**RENFREW COUNCIL 1916**  
 (Serving Renfrew & Area)  
**MEETINGS:** 2nd Monday of the month at 7:00 PM  
**MEMBERSHIP:** Open to Men 18 Yrs. or older who are practicing Catholics in good Standing with the Catholic Church  
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