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OFFICE HOURS

Mon - Thurs 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
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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

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 recently, especially John Teevens, brother of Helen Vincent.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND SHUT-IN

We pray for those who seek God's healing, especially, Terry Latendresse, Glenn McGahan, Des and Doreen Herrick, Ed Lee, Elaine Brazeau, Bob Flynn, Arnold Wren, Fr. Mike Costello, Fr. Moses Nwosu, Fr. John Affleck, Linda (Mahusky) Hull, Dorothy Kosowskie, Georges Blanchette, Robert Berube, Barbara Helferty, Betty Sammon, Luke Holmes, Catherine Kuehl, Leona Barr, Gwen Deslaurier, Rose Nighbor and Audrey Tibbles.

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

♦ All CWL members are invited to attend our June dinner, Tuesday June 20th at Order of the Eastern Star hall, 340 Raglan St. S., 3rd floor (elevator access). Meet and greet 5:30, dinner 6pm. Entree: Roast Chicken Breast. \$15. Please reserve before June 11th. jtlemay@sympatico.ca or 613 432-9161.

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**SUNDAY OFFERING: May 21<sup>st</sup> - \$3,437.80  
POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS - \$887.00**

Thank you for your continued and generous support of the parish.  
It is deeply appreciated.

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

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|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| * Alban & Joan Roach (65)             | * Dave & Bev O'Connor (45)         |
| * Greg & Joanne Toner (56)            | * Thomas & Bernadette Culhane (41) |
| * Greg & Diana Mantil (54)            | * Gordon & Sharon Harper (39)      |
| * Georges & Jeannette Blanchette (50) | * Garry & Susan O'Neil (30)        |
| * Bob & Bev Ingram (50)               | * Scott & Kristy Campbell (22)     |
| * Hugh & Charlotte Nolan (50)         | * Steven & Kristine O'Connor (21)  |
| * Ernest & Linda Cartier (48)         | * Cory & Amanda Cameron ( 4)       |
|                                       | * Jacob & Mary Fulton ( 4)         |

**PARISH SUPPERS:**

|                |                                             |                              |
|----------------|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| <b>May 28</b>  | <b>Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Braeside</b> | <b>2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.</b> |
| <b>June 11</b> | <b>Saint Francis Xavier Parish, Renfrew</b> | <b>2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.</b> |

**JUNE ORDINATIONS:** Saturday, June 24<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 a.m. at St. Columbkille Cathedral, **Justin Bertrand (Ile-du-Grand-Calumet), Anthony Burchat (Round Lake), Stephen Helferty (Douglas) and Michael Lund (Killaloe)** will be ordained to the Priesthood. This is truly a time of great celebration for our faith community.

**AN EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY** exists for a School Student at the St. Francis Xavier Cemetery. Complete details regarding this opportunity are in the May 22<sup>nd</sup> bulletin which may be found on line at [www.sfxrenfrew.wordpress.com](http://www.sfxrenfrew.wordpress.com).

Please submit applications by **June 3, 2017**, with the date you would be available to start work, to: Bob Gervais, Administrator, SFX Cemetery

e-mail: [bobgervais@bellnet.ca](mailto:bobgervais@bellnet.ca) or in writing to 331 Plaunt St. South, P.O. Box 396, Renfrew, ON, K7V 4A6.

**ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH LOTTERY 2017**

To date, 945 books have been sold. We respectfully request that tickets be returned by **June 3, 2017**. If you have not yet picked up your tickets, you may do so at the church office during regular business hours or by contacting Debbie MacDonald 432-5768. Thank you very much for your support!

**LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS**

MON. May 29 NO PARISH LITURGY (Mass at OLF @ 8:15 a.m.)  
 TUES. May 30 NO PARISH LITURGY (Mass at OLF @ 8:15 a.m.)  
 WED. May 31  
 7:00 p.m. Carrie Maheux - Richard & Cindy Russell  
 THUR. Jun. 1  
 8:00 a.m. Bridget Mulvihill - Garry & Lois Murphy  
 FRI. Jun. 2  
 8:00 a.m. Bob Patrick & Parents - Barb & Family  
 8:30 a.m. HOLY HOUR  
 SAT. Jun. 3  
 4:30 p.m. In Thanksgiving (50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)  
 - Dwaine & Mary Steele  
 Betty Tracey - Clarence & Sandy Massine  
 SUN. Jun. 4  
 10:30 a.m. Intentions of the Parishioners - Fr. Brennan

**LITURGICAL ROLES**

Pentecost Sunday – June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017

**SATURDAY EVENING MASS - 4:30 p.m.**  
 MINISTERS OF THE WORD - S. Mosco; M. Maloney  
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - W. & M. Remus;  
 L. & G. Curry  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - D. Mooney; S. Dregas;  
 G. Blanchette; G. Curry  
 SERVERS – K. Dowdall  
**SUNDAY MORNING MASS - 10:30 a.m.**  
 MINISTERS OF THE WORD - STA Student; L. Carter  
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - STA Students  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - K. & T. Mann; J. O’Gorman  
 D. & B. O’Connor  
 SERVERS - A. Coyne; S. Holmes  
 CANTOR - J. Belanger  
 CHILDREN’S LITURGY - H. & D. & L. Holley

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available at the school office, Aikenhead’s  
 and at the door.

**COLUMBUS HOUSE YOUNG PARENT SUPPORT PROGRAM BABY BOTTLE FUNDRAISER**

A few baby bottles are still available at the church entrances for this fundraiser. Please fill the bottle with any spare change you may have! The money collected will be used to support programs offered through Young Parent Support Program, which supports young families ages 15 - 25 and their children 0 - 6 years. **Please return the bottles on Father’s Day, June 18<sup>th</sup>.** Your support is truly appreciated.

**ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH SUPPER**  
**SUNDAY, JUNE 11, 2017**

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

- Dishes (2nd shift) • Servers (2<sup>nd</sup> shift)
- Sunday Clean up 6 to 8 p.m.
- Students for Lemonade and Water

**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**

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

**Salads**

Cabbage                      Jell-O                      Tossed

**Pies - 40**

Most popular are apple, lemon, pecan and butterscotch but any flavor will be appreciated

**Donation sheets are available at the Church doors or please call Marilyn Johnston 613-432-8671 and leave a message or email [ilovetbears@hotmail.com](mailto:ilovetbears@hotmail.com). Your assistance is much appreciated.**

**HALL CLEAN UP:** in preparation for the Parish Supper will be held on **Wednesday, June 7<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 9<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m.** 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 approx. 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 10<sup>th</sup> between 2:00-4:30 p.m. and Sunday, June 11<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!**



*God has gone up with a shout, the Lord with the sound of a trumpet .*

*Ps 47.1-2, 5-6, 7-8 (R.5a)*

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