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Mon - Thurs 9 am - 4 pm
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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
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PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

We pray for our loved ones who have died, especially Frank Shepherd, father of Brian Shepherd and Ronald Larmond, brother of Bernadette Lacourse.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND SHUT-IN

We pray for those who seek God's healing, especially Louise Gavin, Georges Blanchette, Robert Berube, Fr. Doug Morris, Anthony Mask, 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.

SUNDAY MISSALS: for 2015/2016 are available at the church entrances. Price: \$4. Please write your name on the inside cover so that if left in the church it is easier for us to return it to you.

2015/2016 YOUTH MISSALS: The missals would be suitable for children from approximately grade 4 and up. It contains the Mass setting, weekend readings with a helpful guide for the readings and prayers. This missal would make a lovely gift for a child or grandchild. Price: \$6

OUR LADY OF FATIMA CWL MEETING: Monday, November 16th at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall. Guest speaker from the Canadian Red Cross. CWL meeting will follow. Refreshments will be served.

ST. JOSEPH'S HIGH SCHOOL COFFEE HOUSE

- * Thur., Nov 26th at St. Joseph's Catholic High School
- * Doors open at 6:30.
- * Entertainment begins at 7:00 p.m.
- * An entry fee of \$5 gets you a bottomless cup of tea/coffee plus two hours of great entertainment from students and staff of St. Joseph's High School
- * Snacks will be available from the Food and Nutrition class.
- * Come out and support your local Catholic High School

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL: is hosting a **"THE GOODS-ARTISENAL MARKET"** Christmas Craft Sale on **Saturday, Nov. 28th from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.** Come check out various local artists and vendors and buy and original Christmas gift for that hard-to-buy-for person on your list.

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

♦ **CWL EXECUTIVE:** Two positions on the CWL executive have not been filled. If you are interested please call Mary Hass 613-432-5104. Training is provided for new executive members.

♦ **Reminder: November is Membership Renewal & Recruitment Month.**

Women of the Parish, 16 years and older are invited to join our SFX CWL Team and experience an increase in faith, fun and fulfillment. Come aboard and help us achieve a new level of commitment and dedication under the 2015 – 2016 CWL Theme: One Heart, Once Voice, One Mission. Meetings are held the second Tuesday of the month at the Parish Hall at 7:00pm.

We are requesting that the \$20.00 membership fee be paid by cheque if possible, to avoid cash handling. Please make cheque payable to St. Francis Xavier CWL. Direct Deposit's also gratefully accepted. For more information contact Membership Chair Debbie Macdonald at 613-432-5768 or email at debbiemacdonald12@gmail.com.

Watch for our CWL Renewal/Recruitment tables at the church entrances before Saturday and Sunday masses the next four weekends in November!

♦ **Advent Evening of Reflection: Tuesday, December 1st at Stillpoint House of Prayer at Springtown.** Dinner will be served at 5 p.m., followed by the program which will be facilitated by Sister Betty Berrigan. The theme will be "The Preciousness of the Family" and "God's Loving Mercy". Cost will be \$15 per person. A maximum of 15 may attend. The evening will conclude by 8:30 p.m. Interested individuals are asked to register by calling Carol Sulpher at 613-432-5060 or email her at culpher@icloud.com.

SOUP KITCHEN: by St. Joseph's Catholic High School on Wednesday, November 18 at noon at Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall. All are welcome.

BONNECHERE MANOR AUXILIARY: Friday, Nov. 27th from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. the Auxiliary will be having a Bake, Craft and White Elephant Sale in the Great Hall. All proceeds go directly to supporting special trips and needs for Manor residents.



We welcome to the Christian Community the child baptized at St. Francis Xavier last 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:

*** IVEE MARIE LAFONT-MATCHESKIE daughter of Cole & Deanna**



POTLUCK SUPPER: As winter is approaching it is time to start gathering together for warmth and company. Please join us for a Potluck Supper after Mass on **Saturday, November 21st** in the Parish hall. All are welcome! Any questions please contact Nancy Connors @ 613-432-3207.

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LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

MON. Nov. 16 NO PARISH LITURGY (Mass at OLF - 8:15)
 TUES. Nov.17 NO PARISH LITURGY (Mass at OLF - 8:15)
 WED. Nov. 18
 8:00 a.m. Nora Scully - Bob & Sharon Flynn
 THUR. Nov. 19
 8:00 a.m. Gertrude Lepine - Jan & Roy Leitch
 FRI. Nov. 20
 8:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the Leppet Family
 - Lore & Don Coyne
 SAT. Nov. 21
 4:30 p.m. M.P. & Cathherine Kusluski & Dec'd Family
 Members - The Family
 Carmel Mask & Bernard Culhane - The Family
 SUN. Nov. 22
 10:30 a.m. Intentions of the Parishioners - Fr. Brennan
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**Knights of Columbus – “We’re going to the movies!”**  
 Renfrew Council 1916 is hosting a movie night on Monday, November 30<sup>th</sup>, at 7 pm at the Renfrew Council headquarters at 313 Raglan. The Knights of Columbus recently produced an award-winning one hour Documentary on the Life and Times of the Founder of the Knights of Columbus, the Venerable Michael J. McGivney. Popcorn and Pop will be served free of charge. This is an opportunity for existing members and their wives to see an accurate account of Fr. McGivney’s life. It also serves as an opportunity for couples interested in joining the largest, family, fraternal organization in the world to learn more about the organization’s Founder. Admission is FREE!

**LITURGICAL ROLES**

Thirty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Nov 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2015  
**SATURDAY EVENING MASS - 4:30 p.m.**  
 MINISTERS OF THE WORD - A. M Slight; M. Maloney  
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - J. Mahusky; D. Mooney;  
 S. & R. Mears  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - S. Dregas; R. & N. Connors;  
 D. Dillon; C. Sulpher  
 SERVERS - L. & S. Brown  
**SUNDAY MORNING MASS - 10:30 a.m.**  
 MINISTERS OF THE WORD - S. McNulty; T. Keller  
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - L. Sammon; R. Holmes;  
 B. Taylor; A. Agnew  
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - K. & T. Mann; N. Adam;  
 S. O’Neil; M. L. Rowat  
 SERVERS - N. & S. Lesk  
 CANTOR - L. Mahusky  
 CHILDREN’S LITURGY– H. & D. & C. Holley  
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OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP, BRAESIDE CWL: Bake Sale & Shopping Spree, Sat., Nov. 21 from 8:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m. in the parish hall. Please see posters

THE RENFREW CHILDREN’S/YOUTH CHORUS will present their annual Christmas Concert: **“A Season to Sing” on Sun., Dec. 6 at 3:00 p.m.** Held at the St. Francis Xavier Church Parish Hall. Tickets are \$5.00 and available at the door. Come hear our 44 members (ranging in age from 9-15 hears old) singing music of the Christmas season and join us in some audience carol sing-alongs!

~ ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH MISSION ~
 ~ November 22nd to 25th ~

Next Sunday the Mission begins. Father Eugene O’Reilly will join us for the Saturday evening Mass, will preach at the Sunday Mass and on through this “Sacred Week” in the parish. Each evening, beginning Sunday night, the Mission services will start at 7:00 p.m. The evening services are scheduled to last approximately one hour. Each night following the Mission, there will be an opportunity for questions and discussions with coffee in the Parish Hall for those who wish. The Mission concludes Wednesday evening with Mass. It seems that we have done everything possible to prepare for this Mission. We have searched for good and enthusiastic preachers. We have prayed for the success of the Mission. We have attempted to make everyone aware of what is going on. What happens now is completely in God’s hands. Will the Mission achieve its purpose among us? That depends on how responsive we are to God’s invitation to life!

Mission Service Schedule:

Sunday - 7:00 p.m.
Monday - 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday - 7:00 p.m. (with Reconciliation)
Wednesday - 7:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule:

Monday - 8:00 a.m.
Tuesday – 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday – 7:00 p.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT S.F.X.

***Mon., November 16 Bereavement Group Small Hall 7:30 p.m.**

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