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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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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 Peter Carthy, brother of Mary Deslaurier.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND SHUT-IN

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



The KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will be providing "ROSES FOR LIFE" at entrances of the church before and after both Masses the weekend of October 22nd and 23rd. There is no charge but any donations received will be forwarded to the local for Pro Life group.

A FORMATION DAY FOR PARISH

CATECHISTS: Theme: 'Celebrating What's Right' on **Sat., Nov. 5, at the Most Holy Name of Jesus Parish**, 284 Trafalgar Road, Pembroke, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Guest speakers: Bishop Michael Mulhall and Father Chabot. Refreshments and lunch will be provided. This is open to all catechists, those interested in the ministry of catechesis, priests, deacons and pastoral assistants. To register, please contact Deacon Adrien Chaput at the Diocesan Faith Formation Office at 613-732-7933 ext. 206 or dcadrienchaput@pembrokedioocese.com by November 2, 2016. If interested in attending please call Fr. Brennan at 613-432-5825 X1.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER C.W.L. NEWS:
***CWL DIOCESAN FALL MEETING:**
Sat., Oct. 22nd in Lapasse. Registration 08:30. Meeting 09:00. Guest speaker, Joan Lemay will speak on Hospice and Palliative Care. Anyone interested in attending, please contact Joan at 613-432-9161 or jtle-may@sympatico.ca.



**ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH
TEA & TALENT
SALE**

“ 'TIS THE SEASON ”

Saturday, November 12th
S.F.X. Hall 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

All invited to attend

Donations gratefully accepted: crafts (centerpieces, wreaths, sewing, knitting, etc.) squares (for the Tea Room), baked goods, candies, carvings, jams, jellies, pickles, books (no encyclopedia or Readers Digests) cd's, dvd's and small items suitable for Christmas gifts, jewelry and collectibles and monetary donations. Everyone welcome to donate. For information please contact Margaret (432-6276) or Lore (433-9298).

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PARISH SUPPERS
ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM, ARNPRIOR
Oct. 16th from 12:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Paroisse St-Jean-Baptiste – 75th Anniversary
75th Anniversary of Paroisse St-Jean-Baptiste, Pembroke

Former parishioners and the general public are invited to the festivities to celebrate the 75th anniversary of *Paroisse St-Jean-Baptiste*, Pembroke

Saturday, October 29, 2016

Adults: Wine and cheese at the *Centre culturel francophone de Pembroke*, 303 James St. (behind the church), from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Families: Games for young children in Rotary Park (beside the church) from 1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, October 30, 2016

Mass celebrated by Bishop Mulhall at 10:30 a.m.

Banquet at 6:00 p.m. in *Salle Ste-Croix*, downstairs in *St-Jean-Baptiste* church. (Tickets are on sale for \$20 at the *Centre culturel francophone* until October 21.)

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

MON. Oct. 17 NO PARISH LITURGY (Mass at OLF - 8:15 a.m.)
 TUES. Oct. 18
 9:00 a.m. Gertrude Lepine - Jan & Roy Leitch
 WED. Oct. 19
 8:00 a.m. Betty Ranaghan - Bill & Susan Ringrose
 THUR. Oct. 20
 8:00 a.m. Lawrence Meleskie - Glenn & Barb McGahan
 FRI. Oct. 21
 8:00 a.m. James McGrath - Marguerite Power
 SAT. Oct. 22
 4:30 p.m. Harry O'Neill - Daughter, Diane
 Walter Narezny - Eddie & Sylvia Visneskie
 SUN. Oct. 23
 10:30 a.m. Intentions of the Parishioners - Fr. Brennan

LITURGICAL ROLES

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Oct. 23rd 2016

SATURDAY EVENING MASS - 4:30 p.m.

MINISTERS OF THE WORD - T.B.A.; A.M. Slight
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - L. Manwell; R. Zohr
 B. & S. A. Holley
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - D. Dillon; L. Armstrong;
 G. & S. Harper

SERVERS - L. Zohr

SUNDAY MORNING MASS - 10:30 a.m.

MINISTERS OF THE WORD - T. Keller; L. Carter
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 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - M. Campbell; T. Fiebig
 J. O'Gorman; K. & T. Mann
 SERVERS - N. & S. Lesk; A. Coyne
 CANTOR - Slights
 CHILDREN'S LITURGY - C. Manwell; A. Cameron

THANK YOU TO JESSALYN HARPER:
 for the beautiful Thanksgiving arrangement displayed around the altar last weekend. Many glowing comments were received from appreciative parishioners.

BONNECHERE MANOR AUXILIARY LUNCHEON AND BRIDGE PARTY:
Thurs., October 20th at 12:00 in Bonnechere Manor Rotary Hall. Cost \$20.00 a person. To reserve a table please call Eleanor Donaldson at 613-432- 4312.

SUNDAY OFFERING:
October 9th - \$4,464.05

THE ADMASTON & AREA FOODGRAINS PROJECT is celebrating and invites you to join us :
Sunday October 23, 2016. Grace United Church Admaston 1875 Foy Road - not fully accessible . You are welcome to join us for a special Church service at 11:15 am. or come for lunch with Anniversary Cake at 12:30 pm. For further information call 613-432-6317 or by **October 19, 2016** to confirm you will be attending. Thank you for your support over the years.

The Admaston and Area Food Grains Project Committee

UPCOMING EVENTS AT S.F.X.

* Mon., October 17	Bereavement Group	Rectory Mtg. Rm. #1	7:30 p.m.
* Tues., October 18	Cemetery Board Mtg.	Rectory Mtg. Rm. #2	7:00 p.m.
* Wed., October 19	R.C.I.A.	Small Hall	7:00 p.m.

LIMA-PEMBROKE PARTNERSHIP: (10th Anniversary)

Please support our annual fundraising campaign to help our Peruvian friends in the poorest communities of Lima by making a donation to the Diocese of Pembroke "Peru Projects" (income tax receipts issued). Your donation will go a long way: feeding malnourished children, building houses and day care centres for infants and seniors, providing medical and health services and much, much more. Please see the posters or contact Yvonne Sklepowicz at 613-432-6725 for more information. **Donation forms may be found on the tables at the church entrances.** May God shower you with many blessings for your on-going support and generosity.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY—October 23, 2016

Next Sunday is *World Mission Sunday*. Every parish across the world will celebrate this unique Sunday. It is a global sign of the Universal Church and Mission. Your prayers and donations will help support churches, hospitals, schools and vocations in countries where the Church is beginning, where it is new. Please be as generous as possible to the collection for the Propagation of the Faith, for more than 1200 diocese in Asia, Africa, Latin America, the Pacific Islands and some of our Canadian dioceses that depend on the *World Mission* collection.

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