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OFFICE HOURS

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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, especially Deborah McCarty, daughter of Leona Barr and Peter Ban-Rheenen, husband of Karen née Cobus.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND SHUT-IN

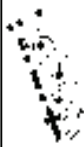
We pray for those who seek God's healing, especially Betty Briscoe, Catherine Kuehl, Luke Holmes, Ron Bennett, Ronald Larmond, Betty Tracey, Georgina Mahusky, Sylvie Lafontaine, Gwen Deslaurier, Leona & Ken Barr, Ed Sulpher, Rose Nighbor, Ernie Wright, Audrey Tibbles, Ted Kapuschinski, Audrey Hawley, John Nadobny and Joan Prince.

BEREAVMENT SUPPORT GROUP Grieving is a difficult process. It can help to work through the process with another person. There is a bereavement support group operating out of St. Francis Xavier church in Renfrew. We meet Monday evenings at seven thirty for one hour. Everything said is kept confidential. Deacon Don Smith facilitates. The group is non-denominational so all are welcome.

If you would like to get help, please contact the church office at 432-5825. You will be most welcome. *Deacon Don*

NEEJE ASSOCIATION FOR WOMEN AND FAMILY: presents its 10th annual parenting seminar featuring: **Shaunti Feldhahn on "Highly Happy Marriages"**
Date: Friday, Oct. 24, 2014
Time: Registration 7 p.m. Seminar 7:30 p.m.
Place: The Chamber at Ben Franklin Place, 101 CentrepoinTE Dr. Nepean
Cost: \$25/person; \$40/couple
Tickets: www.neeje.ca or contact Rachel Beaudry at 819-775-5429
See posters

CONFIRMATION MEETING: Session 4: Sunday, October 26 at 9:00 a.m. in the Parish hall.



OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY: The CWL will be praying one decade of the Rosary before the weekend Masses during the month of October.

LIMA-PEMBROKE PARTNERSHIP

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 will be issued). Please see the poster on the bulletin board at church entrance or contact Yvonne Sklepowicz 613-432-6725 for more information. **Donation forms may be found on the tables at the church entrances.**

SPAGHETTI SUPPER: Our Lady of Fatima C.W.L. will be holding their annual spaghetti supper at Our Lady of Fatima Church on **Sunday, October 26th from 4 to 7 p.m.** **\$8.00 for adults, \$5.00 for children under 12.** Tickets can be purchased at the door.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL JAZZ BAND ORANGE & GRAPEFRUIT CAMPAIGN: St. Joseph's Catholic High School Jazz Band are selling boxes of fresh Florida Oranges and Grapefruit to support the school's Music Program. Cost is \$25.00 for a small box and \$40.00 for a large. Citrus will arrive approximately during the first week of December and can be picked up at the school. Customers will be contacted by phone when orders arrive. As well, the school website will post notice upon the arrival of the citrus. To order please contact St. Joseph's Catholic High School at 613-432-5846. Thank you for your support.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today, World Mission Sunday, with Catholics throughout the world, we are called to offer our prayers and generous financial support, through the Propagation of the Faith, for the worldwide mission of Jesus. Your gift on World Mission Sunday helps....

- People in remote villages, towns and cities through witness and work of missionaries and local priests/
- Children, the elderly, refugees, the sick and orphans through the service of Religious Sisters and Brothers.
- To bring the Gospel to the poorest of our human family.
- Catechists proclaim the message of hope and peace that only Christ can give.

Please offer prayer for the work of the Church in the Missions today—Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands and Latin America. And please be as generous as you can today, World Mission Sunday.


LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

MON Oct. 20 **NO Mass at OLF**
 TUE Oct. 21
 9:00 a.m. Margaret Burns - Jan & Roy Leitch
 WED Oct. 22
 8:00 a.m. Theresa Mask - Nancy Bailey
 THUR Oct. 23
 8:00 a.m. Luigi Giannetti - Bill & Susan Ringrose
 10:30 a.m. MANOR: Frances McLellan - Mrs. Lacourse
 FRI Oct. 24
 8:00 a.m. Bob Wilson - Ed & Mary McCann
 SAT Oct. 25
 4:30 p.m. Gertrude Lepine -Jan & Roy Leitch
 C.J., Gladys, Mark, Murray & Randy McNulty
 - The Family
 SUN Oct. 26
 10:30 a.m. Intentions of the Parishioners - Fr. Brennan

LITURGICAL ROLES

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Oct. 26th, 2014

SATURDAY EVENING MASS - 4:30 p.m.
 MINISTERS OF THE WORD - K. Harris; N. Saumure
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - M. Maloney; S. McCanna;
 R. & L. Wojcik
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - A. Burchat; S. Dregas;
 L. Gallagher; D. Dillon; K. Coulas
 SERVERS - E. Saumure
SUNDAY MORNING MASS - 10:30 a.m.
 MINISTERS OF THE WORD - D. Fleury; R. Russell
 MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY - L. & S. Hall;
 D. Mahoney; L. Sammon
 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - A. Burchat; K. & T. Mann;
 D. & B. O'Connor
 SERVERS - S. or N. Lesk; E. & A. Freamo
 CANTOR - L. Mahusky
 CHILDREN'S LITURGY - C. & H. & D. Holley

 The KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: will be providing "ROSES FOR LIFE" at the doors of the church before and after both Masses the weekend of the 25th and 26th of October. There is no charge but any donations received will be forwarded to the local for Pro Life group.

SUNDAY OFFERING: October 12th - \$4,833.00
 Thank you to all who contribute

PARISH SUPPERS

Oct. 19 St. John Chrysostom, Arnprior
 11:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
 See posters

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

♦ **OCTOBER 25TH: DIOCESAN FALL MEETING in Chapeau, Quebec.** All members welcome. Car pooling available. Registration 8:30 - 9:00 a.m. Please contact Elaine at 613-432-5535.

♦ **TWO SECTIONS OF THE PARISH LENDING LIBRARY:** are on display at the back of the church today, alongside the Religious Articles Display. Parishioners are encouraged to browse through the available resources on Spirituality and Mary and the Saints. Books can easily be signed out and returned to the church or Parish Office when read. The entire library is available to the Parish during regular office hours, Monday to Thursday each week of the year.

 **ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH**
TEA & TALENT
SALE
"T'IS THE SEASON"
 Saturday, November 8th
 S.F.X. Hall 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.
 Tea Room Admission: \$5
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UPCOMING EVENTS AT S.F.X.

* Sun., Oct. 26 Confirmation Preparation Meeting Parish Hall 9:00 a.m.
 * Mon., Oct. 27 Bereavement Group Rectory Mtg. Rm. #1 7:30 p.m.

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