

# **Our Parish Bulletin** April 1<sup>st</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021



St. Eustache Church

**Blessed Sacrament Church** 

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Finance Bookkeeper - Ginette Gauthier

Sharing God's Gifts – Jeanine Whitechurch

Infant Baptism /Baptism Preparation - Please call the Parish rectory office.

Sacrament of Reconciliation – Before or after weekday Masses; half an hour before Sunday Masses or call when in need. For the Sacrament of Marriage – Six months notice is required; Marriage Preparation Course is very necessary. Couples may be asked to go where the program is offered.

Sacrament of the Sick / Needing to talk to someone - Please call the Parish rectory office.

Bulletin Announcements: Contact Len Desilets – phone: (204) 353-2116 email: <u>lenmona@shaw.ca</u> Parish Website: <u>www.blessedsacramentelie.com</u>

## This Month's Mass Schedule

(March 28 – April 4)	- Thursday, April 1 <sup>st</sup> - - Friday, April 2 <sup>nd</sup> -	7:00 p.m. – Elie – HOLY THURSDAY 9:30 a.m. – St. Eustache – Morning Prayers
	- Saturday, April 3 <sup>rd</sup> -	3:00 p.m. – Elie – GOOD FRIDAY 9:30 a.m. – St. Eustache – Morning Prayers
	- Sunday, April 4 <sup>th</sup> -	7:30 p.m. – Elie – EASTER VIGIL 9:00 a.m. – St. François Xavier 11:00 a.m. – St. Eustache – EASTER SUNDAY
	- Wednesday, April 7 <sup>th</sup> -	6:30 p.m. – St. Eustache – Rosary
		7:00 p.m. – Mass
<b>1ND SUNDAY OF FASTER</b>	Sotundor April 10 <sup>th</sup>	7:30 p.m. – Adoration
2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter	- Saturday, April 10 <sup>th</sup> - - Sunday, April 11 <sup>th</sup> -	5:00 p.m. – Elie 9:00 a.m. – St. François Xavier
	- Sunuay, April 11 -	11:00 a.m. – St. Eustache – Mass intention for +Betty Combot
		requested by Gilles and Lucille Beaudin
	- Wednesday, April 14 <sup>th</sup> -	6:30 p.m. – Elie – Rosary
		7:00 p.m. – Mass
		7:30 p.m. – Adoration

**Mass intentions:** Although we were unable to be in attendance due to the COVID lockdown in November, the remaining mass intentions that had been requested and/or scheduled were subsequently said by Fr. Kaleab prior to end of 2020, as follows:

- 3 masses for +Evelynn (Desilets) Richards requested by Gilles & Lucille Beaudin

- 2 masses for +Dollard Picard requested by Norm Picard

- 2 masses for +Jean Senecal from funeral collection

- 1 mass for +Hélène Laramée requested by Louis McCaughan

- 1 mass for for +Normand Bergeron requested by Jeanette Bergeron

**Please pray for those who are sick, awaiting tests or receiving medical treatment.** Paisley Amyotte, Roger Menard, Linda Stewart, Fernand Menard, Aimé Bernardin, Yvette Gillis, Jeannine Du, Anita McKay, Baby Leah Koroluk, Layton H., Dick Mydryk, Jocy Gillis, May Laramee

We encourage everyone in our parishes to pray for those who are sick. If you know of others who may be sick and in need of prayer, please let us know so we can include their names in our Sunday bulletin.

**E-transfers:** Just a reminder... Donations can made to our parishes via e-transfers. For Blessed Sacrament, the email address is <u>blesst@shaw.ca</u>. For St. Eustache, the email address is <u>steustachep@gmail.com</u>. In the message area, please indicate what the donation is for, i.e. "regular donation", "Sharing God's Gifts", "cemetery fund", etc.

\* Bulletin will be published every two weeks until further notice. \*

## Pastor's Easter Message 2021

**1 Peter 1:3** - Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy, He has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.

## Dear My Lovable Family of God,

First of all, it is my honor and pleasure to greet all of you with the word of God and *continuously*, I would like to share with you my warm and joyous wishes to each of you this Easter and fill this Easter with heavenly rejoices as we are very blessed to have Christ's resurrection forever in our hearts and also, *spread the joy and warmth in your hearts to everyone this Easter*.

In addition to this, may your closest friends and cherished family enjoy this Easter holiday season with you, remembering the year that has gone by and what the future has to bring. *I hope this Easter brings each one of you promotion and success to your life.* 

May the blessings of Easter be with each of us today and always! Let us take time to thank God for all His love for us and His salvation. We could entrust our life to the Lord and our will to witness the wonders of His resurrection.

Wishing you a Very Happy and Blessed Easter!

Fr. Kaleab Eman

Date	Location	Ambassadors	Readers	Collection Counters	Cleaners*			
Thu Apr 1 Holy Thursday	Elie	Bob & Jeanine Whitechurch	Jocy Gillis	April $1^{st} - 4^{th}$ collections to be	Daryl & Pat Beaudry			
Fri Apr 2 Good Friday	Elie	Gauthier family	Readings/Intercessions:Karen Cyrenne Gospel Narrator: Len Desilets	counted following				
Sat Apr 3 Easter Vigil	Elie	Vince & Nicole Gillis	Office of Readings: Bob Whitechurch Epistle: Marcel Gauthier	Easter Sunday mass				
Sun Apr 4 Easter Sunday	St. Eustache	Ken & Debbie Beaudin	Matthew Lachance	Yvonne & Ann Len & Mona	Clarence Ross and Gilles Beaudin families			
Sat Apr 10 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun of Easter	Elie	Guy & Brigitte Rivard	Len Desilets	Rick & Judy	Gerry & Dianne Senecal			
Sun Apr 11 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun of Easter	St. Eustache	Vic & Louise Beaudin	Lucille Beaudin	Yvonne & Ann	Dean Combot and Phil Legault families			

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\* Cleaners' duties include vacuuming and sweeping only. Sanitization is the responsibility of the ambassadors.

#### Message from Angela Bowman sent March 3rd – Re: Vocations Prayer Calendars:

Blessings in Christ, As you may already be aware, prayer calendars have been created with the intention to help all the Baptized be consistent in praying for the sanctification of those who have already entered the priestly or religious life, for permanent deacons, for seminarians; and also, for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life. These calendars can be found on the Archdiocese website. In order to increase awareness of this initiative, your parish e-mail will receive a digital copy of these prayer calendars. This will allow you to distribute the calendars to your parishioners through printed copies inserted in parish bulletins and on your parish webpages. Our goal is to reach as many of the faithful as possible. This initiative is universal and inclusive in nature, because we are all able to pray.

I would also like to bring to your attention that the Archbishop has designated Thursdays as the Day of Prayer for Vocations. Every Thursday you and your parishioners are being asked to set aside some time either for Adoration, a Rosary, Mass, Way of the Cross, Liturgy of the Hours, Lectio Divina, or works of Mercy and offer them for an increase in vocations to the priesthood.

Thank you and God Bless, Your sister in Christ, Angela Bowman

SHARING GOD'S GIFTS February 2021						
Blessed Sacrament Parish Goal		(TBA)	St. Eustache Parish Goal		(TBA)	
Contributions for February	\$	435.00	Contributions for February	\$	850.00	
Number of households - 4			Number of households $-3$			
To date	\$	665.00	To date	\$	920.00	