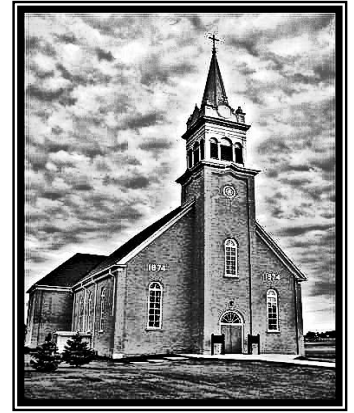


Blessed Sacrament Church

Our Parish Bulletin

Mary, the Holy Mother of God

January 1st, 2017



St. Eustache Church

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Parish Council Members – Marcel Gauthier, Lucille Beaudin, Shelley Combot, Dean Combot, Elaine Tully, Nicole Gillis
Finance Committee – Nickole Bernardin, Doris Lavallee, Bob Whitechurch, Matthew Lachance
Finance Secretary – Cara Gillis
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: lenmona@shaw.ca
Parish Website: www.blessedsacramentelie.com

This Week's Mass Schedule

Sunday, January 1st - 9:00 a.m. – St. François Xavier
 11:00 a.m. – Blessed Sacrament Church

Tuesday, January 3rd - *No mass*

Wednesday, January 4th - 5:00 p.m. – Blessed Sacrament Church – **Mass intention +Virginie Bernard requested by Yvonne Bernard**

Thursday, January 5th - 9:30 a.m. – Elie Manor – **Mass intention for +Lawrence Matsalla**

Friday, January 6th - 2:30 p.m. – St. Eustache Church – Adoration
 3:30 p.m. – Mass – **Mass intention for +Paul Belcourt**

Saturday, January 7th - 9:30 a.m. – Blessed Sacrament Church – **Mass intention for Hans Petersen for faith requested by Grace Petersen**

Sunday, January 8th - 9:00 a.m. – St. François Xavier
 11:00 a.m. – St. Eustache Church – **Mass intention for +Mary Bouchard requested by Dan Bouchard**

Church Cleaners: St. Eustache (Dec 26 – Jan 7) – André & Sylvia Allard and Yvonne Fleury
 Elie (Jan 1 – Jan 14) – Len & Mona Desilets

Please pray for those who are sick, awaiting tests or receiving medical treatment. Paisley Amyotte, Roger Menard, Michelle Beaudin, Denise Gervais.

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.

Confirmation Classes 2016-2017: Confirmation classes will be offered for confirmation youth of age 12 and over with confirmation date to be determined in Spring 2017. If you have a child or are aware of a child that could be a candidate, please contact Ginette Gauthier at 204-470-4151 or email gauthierg60@gmail.com.

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**First Communion:** The Sacrament of First Communion will be offered in the new year. Please call Jocy Gillis at 204-353-2178 or Nickole Bernardin at 204-353-2851 if you would like to register your child. Spread the word to family and friends!

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Children's Liturgy: Help is needed for children's liturgy offered during our Sunday services. The children really look forward to attending this special ministry. Call Nickole Bernardin at 204-353-2851 if you are willing.

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**CARTIER HAMPER FUND**

"Taking Care of Our Own"

We would like to say thank you to everyone that contributed money, food items or time towards the Christmas hampers this holiday season. All the items were included in the hampers and the monetary donations enabled us to successfully operate this program. Thank you again for helping us fill this need in our community.

- Jeanine and Bob Whitechurch

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SHARING GOD'S GIFTS

December 2016

Blessed Sacrament Parish Goal	\$ 8,730.00
Monthly Goal	\$ 727.50
Contributions for December	\$ 932.80
# of households - 5 envelopes	
Loose collection - \$47.80	
To Date	\$10,764.80
Over Goal	\$ 2,034.80
St. Eustache Parish Goal	\$ 4,610.80
Monthly Goal	\$ 384.17
Contributions for December	\$ 394.55
# of households - 4 envelopes	
Loose collection - \$69.55	
To Date	\$ 4,311.45
Short of Goal	(\$ 298.55)

Thank you to all that contribute towards Sharing God's Gifts throughout the year.

Peace, Health and Happiness to All in 2017!