

## **Our Parish Bulletin** Second Sunday of Lent March 1st, 2015



**Blessed Sacrament Church** 

St. Eustache Church

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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, March 1 -   | <ul> <li>11:00 a.m. – Elie – Mass intention for Aime Bernardin &amp; family requested by Larry &amp; Carole Morissette</li> <li>7:00 p.m. – Blessed Sacrament Church – <i>Evening Prayer and Examination of Conscience</i></li> </ul> |
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| Tuesday, March 3 -  | 5:00 p.m. – St. Eustache Church   |
| Wednesday, March 4  | - <b>5:00 p.m.</b> – Blessed Sacrament Church   |
| Thursday, March 5 - | <b>9:30 a.m.</b> – Elie Manor   |
| Friday, March 6 -   | <b>3:00 p.m.</b> – St. Eustache Church – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Novena of  |
|                     | the Divine Mercy Chaplet  |
|                     | <b>3:30 p.m.</b> – Celebration of the Holy Eucharist  |
|                     | 7:00 p.m. – Blessed Sacrament Church – The Way of the Cross led by the Youth  |
|                     | Group   |
| Saturday, March 7 - | 9:30 a.m. – Blessed Sacrament Church – Votive Mass to Our Blessed Virgin Mary   |
| Sunday, March 8 -   | 11:00 a.m. – St. Eustache – Mass intention for deceased family members requested  |
|                     | by Jocy Gillis  |
| Church Cleaners:    | St. Eustache – (Feb 22 – Mar 7): Yvonne Fleury and Andre Allard families  |
|                     | Elie – (Mar 1 – Mar 14): Daryl & Pat Beaudry  |

- Knights meeting: March 12 at 7:00 p.m. in St. Francois Xavier.

- Evening Prayer and Examination of Conscience: As part of our celebrations for the Centennial Year, all parishioners are invited to attend Evening Prayer and Examination of Conscience this evening at 7:00 p.m. As a sign of unity, all parishes throughout the Archdiocese will be gathering at the same time for this service. The purpose of this gathering of the Faithful of the Archdiocese will be to acknowledge our sins of the past as a Church with the resolve to better "proclaim Christ Always". Our parish celebration will take place at **Blessed Sacrament Church in Elie**.

## Sharing God's Gifts February 2015

| <b>Blessed Sacrament Parish Goal</b>  | \$ 9,220.00 |
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| Monthly Goal                          | \$ 768.00   |
| Contributions for February            | \$ 1,480.65 |
| # Of Households - 9                   | \$ 1,702.30 |
| To Date                               | \$ 5,000.00 |
| <b>St. Eustache Parish Goal</b>       | \$ 5,690.00 |
| Monthly Goal                          | \$ 474.00   |
| Contributions for February            | \$ 190.25   |
| # Of Households - 8<br><b>To Date</b> | \$ 440.15   |

Make cheques payable to "Sharing God's Gifts" Please use the designated envelopes with your name written on it. Thank you. If you have any questions, please call Jeanine (204) 353-2360

## Weekly Humour

Jesus was walking along one day, when He came upon a group of people surrounding a lady of ill repute. It was obvious that the crowd was preparing to stone her, so Jesus made His now-famous statement, "Let the person who has no sin cast the first stone."

The crowd was shamed and one by one began to turn away. All of a sudden, a lovely little woman made her way through the crowd. Finally getting to the front, she tossed a tiny pebble towards the woman.

Jesus looks over and says, "I really hate it when you do that, Mom."

It was Palm Sunday and, because of a sore throat, five-year-old Johnny stayed home from church with a sitter.

When the family returned home, they were carrying several palm branches.

The boy asked what they were for.

"People held them over Jesus' head as he walked by," his older brother explained. "Wouldn't you know it," the boy fumed. "The one Sunday I don't go, He shows up!"