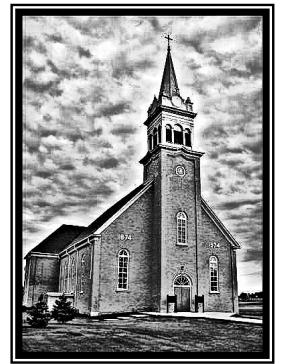


Blessed Sacrament Church

Our Parish Bulletin

2nd Sunday of Lent

March 8th, 2020



St. Eustache Church

Fr. Kaleab Abdella, Pastor

Administrator Blessed Sacrament Parish and St. Eustache Parish – Deacon Claude Lambert (204) 999-1361 – email: clambert@shaw.ca

Parishioners are invited to contact Deacon Claude or the rectory office (204-353-2516) if they or any family member require visitation and/or Communion.

Elie Rectory Office – phone: (204) 353-2516 fax: (204) 353-2229 email: blesst@shaw.ca

Parish Council Members – Marcel Gauthier, Lucille Beaudin, Nicole Gillis, Yvonne Fleury

Finance Committee – Bob Whitechurch, Doris Lavalée, Matthew Lachance, Guy Rivard

Finance Secretary – Lori Van Den Bussche

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, March 8th -	9:00 a.m. – St. François Xavier
	11:00 a.m. – Elie – Mass intention for +Edmond Dufresne from funeral collection
Monday, March 9th -	10:00 a.m. – Elie
Tuesday, March 10th -	10:00 a.m. – Elie
Wednesday, March 11th -	5:00 p.m. – Elie – Mass intention for +Hélène Laramée from funeral collection
Thursday, March 12th -	9:30 a.m. – Elie Manor
Friday, March 13th -	5:00 p.m. – St. Eustache – Mass followed by Adoration until 6:45 p.m.
	7:00 p.m. – St. Eustache – Way of the Cross
Saturday, March 14th -	9:30 a.m. – Elie – Mass intention for +Hélène Laramée from funeral collection
Sunday, March 15th -	9:00 a.m. – St. François Xavier
	11:00 a.m. – St. Eustache – Mass intention for +Hélène Laramée requested by Gilles & Lucille Beaudin

Ministry Schedule

<u>Sunday, March 8th</u>		<u>Sunday, March 15th</u>	
Readers First:	Larry Morissette	Readers First:	Doris Lavalée
Second:	Lorraine Bernardin	Second:	Estelle Tanguay
Intercessions:	*Larry Morissette	Intercessions:	*Doris Lavalée
Welcoming ministers/		Welcoming ministers/	
Collection ushers:	Bob & Jeanine Whitechurch	Collection ushers:	Martin & Doris Lavalée
Presentation of Gifts:	Len & Mona Desilets	Presentation of Gifts:	Ken & Debbie Beaudin
Communion ministers:	Vince Gillis	Communion ministers:	Glen McKay
	*Lorraine Bernardin		*Gerry Senecal
	Doris Lavalée		Vince Gillis
Collection counters:	Yvonne and Ann	Collection counters:	Len & Mona
<i>(*Intercessions and communion (Body of Christ) are ministered by the deacon when in attendance for the celebration)</i>			
Church cleaners:	St. Eustache (Mar 2 – Mar 14) Dean Combet and Philippe Legault families		
	Elie (Mar 9 – Mar 21) Gilles & Sherry Legault		

Please pray for those who are sick, awaiting tests or receiving medical treatment. Paisley Amyotte, Roger Menard, Linda Stewart, Robert Boudreau, Fernand Menard, William McKay, Aimé Bernardin, Yvette Gillis, Jeannine Du, Anita McKay, James Polz, Baby Leah Koroluk, Layton H., Dick Mydryk, Jocy Gillis, Thérèse Lavalée
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.

Synod Update News

A special Synod committee took all parishes' concerns and the information gathered to make changes and address subjects brought up within the Diocese. Also, the committee forwarded three themes relevant in our communities of St. François, Blessed Sacrament and ST. Eustache. Please familiarize yourselves with the green booklet "Disciples on the Way".

In the near future we will be asked to come together in small groups and share our concerns as well. All our info will be collected and brought to the attention of the Diocese. Questions and themes will be handed out to parishioners beforehand so let there be no worries to anyone.

Meanwhile take time to read our February newsletter "As We Go Forth" from Linda Chiupka, our Synod coordinator as she shares her personal story as well as news from other parishes.

Meanwhile keep an open heart and pray for the success of this Synod follow-up. Ginette and Lucille will keep you posted. Blessings.

Cookbooks from the Past!

Blessed Sacrament Church "Simply Divine" cookbooks are still available for sale. They have been reprinted due to popular demand. Price is \$15 each. Please contact Nicole Gillis (204-781-3825) or Jeanine Whitechurch (204-353-2360) for your copy.

SHARING GOD'S GIFTS

February 2020

Blessed Sacrament Parish Goal	\$ 3,990.00	St. Eustache Parish Goal	\$ 2,560.00
Monthly goal	\$ 332.00	Monthly goal	\$ 213.00
Contributions for February	\$ 434.00	Contributions for February	\$ 327.05
# of Households -11		# of Households - 5	
Loose collection - \$ 4.00		Loose collection - \$ 17.05	
To date	\$ 1,021.00	To date	\$ 479.80

Please make cheques payable to "Sharing God's Gifts"

Elie Fish Fry

Veterans' Hall

Friday, March 13th 5:00-7:30

Adults \$15 Children 12 and under \$9

All are Welcome!

Volunteers will be needed so be ready to help with food items or to work on that day. Please contact Nicole Gillis at 204-781-3825 or email her at ngillis@gillisgarage.com.

