

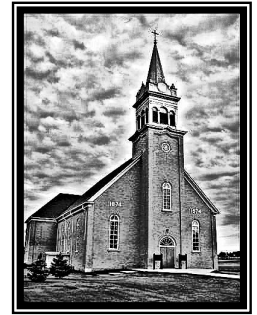
Blessed Sacrament Church

Our Parish Bulletin

4th Sunday of Lent

(New Life)

March 11th, 2018



St. Eustache Church

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Finance Committee – Nickole Bernardin, Doris Lavallee, Bob Whitechurch, Matthew Lachance
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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, Mar. 11th - 9:00 a.m. – St. François Xavier
11:00 a.m. – Elie – **Mass intention for deceased family members requested by Len & Mona Desilets**

Tuesday, Mar. 13th - *No mass today*

Wednesday, Mar. 14th - 5:00 p.m. – Elie

Thursday, Mar. 15th - 9:30 a.m. – Elie Manor

Friday, Mar. 16th - 2:30 p.m. – St. Eustache – Adoration
3:30 p.m. – Mass
7:00 p.m. – St. Eustache – **Way of the Cross**

Saturday, Mar. 17th - *No mass today - Archdiocesan Synod*

Sunday, Mar. 18th - 9:00 a.m. – St. François Xavier
11:00 a.m. – St. Eustache – **Mass intention for Father Michel requested by Jocy Gillis & family**

Ministry Schedule

<u>Sunday, March 11th</u>		<u>Sunday, March 18th</u>	
Readers First:	Karen Cyrenne	Readers First:	Len Desilets
Second:	Marcel Gauthier	Second:	Estelle Tanguay
Intercessions:	Bob Whitechurch	Intercessions:	Brigitte Rivard
Welcoming ministers/		Welcoming ministers/	
Collection ushers:	Gauthier family	Collection ushers:	Clarence & Lucille Ross
Presentation of gifts:	Simone Desilets and Grace Petersen	Presentation of gifts:	Ken & Debbie Beaudin
Communion ministers:	Sherry Legault Gerry Senecal Lucille Beaudin	Communion ministers:	Glen McKay Lorraine Bernardin Guy Rivard
Collection counters:	Vic & Louise	Collection counters:	Bob, Jeanine and Aline
Church cleaners:	St. Eustache (Mar 5 – Mar 17) – Dean & Shelley Combot and Glen McKay family Elie (Mar 12 – Mar 24) – Marcel Gauthier family		

Please pray for those who are sick, awaiting tests or receiving medical treatment. Paisley Amyotte, Roger Menard, Linda Stewart, Robert Boudreau, Louise McKay, Fernand Menard, Joan Regnier, Jackie Harapiak, Ray Snow, William McKay

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.

Rekindling the Fire Within Parish Mission

St. Francois Xavier Parish: Mar. 13th, **St. Eustache Church** Mar. 14th, and **Elie Blessed Sacrament Church** Mar. 15th

The theme is "**Rekindling the Fire Within**"

Presented by: **Fr. Michel Nault, Fr. David Kowalski** and **Fr. Michael Wollbaum**.

Each night there will be talks, activities, prayer and fellowship with a coffee break. This mission is open to all: Catholics, non-Catholics, church goers and non-church goers.

Tuesday evening: The gift of Faith

Wednesday evening: The gift of Hope

Thursday evening: The gift of Love

All evening sessions are from 7-9 p.m. at the church. Please pray for the success of this special event. There is no charge for this event and no registration required.

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**Penance Services - Central Deanery**

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| Tuesday, Mar. 13 <sup>th</sup>         | - 6:30 p.m.        | St. Mary's Cathedral              |
| Wednesday, Mar. 14 <sup>th</sup>       | - 10:00 a.m.       | St. John XXIII Parish             |
| Wednesday, Mar. 14 <sup>th</sup>       | - 6:30 p.m.        | St. Paul the Apostle              |
| Tuesday, Mar. 20 <sup>th</sup>         | - 7:00 p.m.        | Good Shepherd                     |
| <b>Wednesday, Mar. 21<sup>st</sup></b> | <b>- 7:00 p.m.</b> | <b>Blessed Sacrament (Elie) *</b> |
| Friday, Mar. 23 <sup>rd</sup>          | - 6:30 p.m.        | St. Edward's Parish               |

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Seder Meal

On Sunday, March 25th beginning at 6:00 p.m., Good Shepherd Parish in Portage la Prairie will be having a Christian Seder Meal. The purpose is to understand with greater clarity the celebration of Passover – its meaning and significance, and to celebrate the Passover meal which Jesus celebrated at the Last Supper. It will also provide us greater understanding of the signs and symbols of the Old Testament and its connection to our celebration of the Eucharist.

Preparing for the Seder Meal is important if the service is to run smoothly. The preparations are not complicated but do need to be given some consideration ahead of time. Participants will be required to bring food and table settings for the Seder Meal.

Therefore, those who are interested in participating in the Seder Meal **MUST** register by Sunday, March 11th by signing up on the sheet at the entrance of the church or calling the parish office.

A necessary planning meeting for all registered for the Seder meal will be held on Thursday, March 15th at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall.

Thank you,

Bernadette Le Lievre 204-857-5172

Sharing God's Gifts February 2018

Blessed Sacrament Parish Goal	\$ 3,650.00	St. Eustache Parish Goal	\$ 2,360.00
Monthly Goal	\$ 304.00	Monthly Goal	\$ 197.00
Contributions for February	\$ 2,033.00	Contributions for February	\$ 120.00
# of households - 14 envelopes		# of households - 6 envelopes	
Loose collection - \$ 13.00		Loose collection - \$ 0.00	
To Date	\$ 2,893.75	To Date	\$ 314.00

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