

Our Parish Bulletin

Easter Vigil – April 4, 2015 Easter Sunday - April 5, 2015



St. Eustache Church

Blessed Sacrament Church

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Parish Council Members – Marcel Gauthier, Lucille Beaudin, Shelley Combot, Dean Combot, Elaine Tully, Nicole Gillis, Linda Picard

Finance Committee - Nickole Bernardin, Doris Lavallee, Lorraine Bernardin, Bob Whitechurch

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

Holy Saturday, April 4 - 9:30 a.m. Blessed Sacrament Church – Morning Prayer

7:30 p.m. – St. Eustache Church – EASTER VIGIL

EASTER SUNDAY, April 5 - 11:00 a.m. - Blessed Sacrament Church – Mass intention for Jeannette Dufresne

Gauvin (sister of Edmond Dufresne) requested by Edmond Dufresne

Tuesday, April 7 - no mass
Wednesday, April 8 - no mass
Thursday, April 9 - no mass
Friday, April 10 - no mass
Saturday, April 11 - no mass

Sunday, April 12 - 11:00 a.m. - St. Eustache Church - Mass intention for +Marcel Bernardin requested

by the Bernardin family

Please pray for those who are sick, awaiting tests or receiving medical treatment, especially: Baby Paisley Amyotte, Fr. Marlon Lumanas and Gisele Ouellet.

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 the names in our Sunday bulletin.

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**Church Cleaners:** St. Eustache – April 5 – April 11 - Laurent Lacroix and Oliver Menard families

Elie - April 5 – April 18 – Guy and Brigitte Rivard

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Parish email address: Please note that the parish office has a new email address: blesst@shaw.ca.

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**Knight of Columbus meeting** – April 9th - 7:00 p.m. – St. Eustache Manor

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The **Elie Fish Fry** was a success, raising **\$1,924.00** for our parish. Many thanks to all the great cooks, volunteers and of course everyone who attended. A special thank you to Elie Grocery Store, who donated most of the supplies.

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**A special thank you** to the person that gave the monetary donation towards the lunch at the Elie Hotel for Father John, Archbishop Gagnon and the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus after church last Sunday.

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The Hospitality and Support Committee of the Centennial Mass Celebration on May 3 at the MTS Centre is looking for at least 300 volunteers. Interested parishioners should be able to attend at least 2 meetings before the event and be available from 9am. to 5pm. on May 3rd. If interested contact the office here in Elie at 204- 353 -2516.

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**First Communion Celebrants:** We are pleased to have Rylan Dufresne, Elizabeth Bowland, Miguel Gauthier, Taylor Mckenzie, Carson Legault and Malayna Deczycai preparing for Reconciliation and First Communion. Let's keep them in our prayers and wish them and their families well.

Noviesees and The Dusinia Fiddlers. St. Francois Vovies Day

**Mark Morisseau and The Prairie Fiddlers:** St. Francois Xavier Parish presents a concert showcasing fiddlers from emerging artists to recording artists. Show will be on April 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm. If interested, please call 204-864-2865 for tickets.

## SHARING GOD'S GIFTS MARCH 2015

| Blessed Sacrament Parish Goal            | \$ 9,220.00              |
|------------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Monthly Goal                             | \$ 768.00                |
| Contributions for March                  | \$ 1,500.55              |
| # Of Households - 17 envelopes           |                          |
| To Date                                  | \$ 3,202.85              |
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| St. Eustache Parish Goal                 | \$ 5,690.00              |
| St. Eustache Parish Goal<br>Monthly Goal | \$ 5,690.00<br>\$ 474.00 |
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Please make cheque payable to "Sharing God's Gifts.

Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ,

Alleluia

God is Risen! Dieu est Ressuscité!

We have always the reason to be a joyful people of God because of His great love for us that He died on the cross to become victor over sin and death. Christ's Death and Resurrection opened for us once again the door in heaven. How Awesome and Great our God is!

Yes, our God wants us to celebrate and live our life with His grace so that we can find meaning in our struggles and trials in life. Our experience of the Resurrection of Jesus is a sure hope for us that we are not alone in our journey. He is always with us if we always keep Him in our lives.

Let the Risen Christ light our way and lead us to a brighter life amidst the bleakness the world offers in this temporal life. Let us draw strength from this Grace Experience of Christ's Resurrection because He is indeed our Lord and Saviour!

With all My Blessings,

Fr. John

