

Our Parish Bulletin April 16th, 2023 Second Sunday of Easter



St. Eustache Church

Blessed Sacrament Church

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Parish Council Members - Lucille Beaudin, Nicole Gillis, Yvonne Fleury, Leo Dufour, Laidee Redondo, Jocy Gillis

Finance Committee - Bob Whitechurch, Matthew Lachance, Antony Vitayathil, Craig Spence

Administrative Secretary – Estelle Tanguay

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

Mass Schedule

- Sunday, April 16th -9:00 a.m. St. François Xavier

2nd Sunday of Easter 11:00 a.m. – Elie – Mass intention for +Rolly Cyrenne from funeral collection

- Tuesday, April 18th -11:00 a.m. - Mass at Elie Manor

- Wednesday, April 19th -6:30 p.m. – Elie – Rosary/Confession

7:00 p.m. – Mass followed by Adoration – Mass intention for Gordon Tremback

requested by Grace Petersen

- Sunday, April 23rd -9:00 a.m. St. François Xavier

3rd Sunday of Easter 11:00 a.m. – St. Eustache – Mass intention for +André Girard requested by Roger &

Shirley Sylvestre

- Tuesday, April 25th -11:00 a.m. – Mass at Elie Manor

- Wednesday, April 26th -6:30 p.m. – St. Eustache – Rosary/Confession

7:00 p.m. – Mass followed by Adoration – Mass intention for +Aimé Bernardin

requested by Carole & Larry Morissette

Ministry Schedule

April 16th – 2nd Sunday of Easter – Elie

Welcoming Ministers: Ben Bernardin family Collection Counters: Rick and Judy Reader: Laidee Redondo

Communion Minister: Sherry Legault Cleaners: Antony Vitayathil family

April 23rd – 3rd Sunday of Easter – St. Eustache

Welcoming Ministers: Dean & Shelley Combot Reader: Lorraine Bernardin Collection Counters: Karen and Aline

Communion Minister: Lucille Beaudin Cleaners: Yvonne Fleury and Ann Lacroix

April 30th – 4th Sunday of Easter – Elie

Welcoming Ministers: Len & Mona Desilets **Collection Counters:** Yvonne and Ann Reader: Jocy Gillis

Communion Minister: Vince Gillis Cleaners: Gordon & Delores Schromeda

Cleaning is to be done in the week prior to the mass date shown. Cleaners' duties include sweeping, vacuuming, cleaning of entrance area and upkeep of washroom facility.

If you are unable to perform your ministry on the date shown, we ask you to please find a replacement.

Please pray for those who are sick, awaiting tests or receiving medical treatment. Paisley Amyotte, Fernand Menard, Jeannine Du, Layton H., Dick Mydryk, Bonnie Norrie, Lionel Menard, Val T., Andrea W.

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.

Priests' Retreat

The Annual Priests' Retreat will take place from Monday, May 1st to Friday, May 5th 2023 in Pinawa. There will be no weekday masses during that time. Please pray for Fr. Abel and all the priests from our Archdiocese attending this important event.

National Week for Life and the Family

The National Week for Life and the Family (NWLF) will be held this year from May 7th to May 14th. The theme this year is "*Grandparents and the Elderly: A Legacy to Cherish*".

The Archbishops of Winnipeg are asking each parish to celebrate "Grandparents and the Elderly" within our families, communities and parishes. You are invited to join them in marking this momentous year by celebrating the experience and wisdom of the elderly and their important role in preserving the Catholic faith through generations.

Please visit <u>lifeandthefamily.com</u> where you may find simple guidelines, templates and even some at-home resources on how to celebrate our grandparents and elderly this year.

Cartier Cares

Cartier Cares, a nonprofit organization dedicated to funding social programs in the area, has started a monthly food box program! A low-cost alternative to a storefront food bank, our boxes are delivered on the <u>first Monday</u> of each month. All boxes include a combination of fresh foods, including fruit, veggies, meats & eggs, and milk, frozen foods, and nonperishable items. Our food boxes will help alleviate the growing costs of doing groceries for families in need of a little help. Nonperishable items can be donated at any of our drop off locations: RM of Cartier Office, Cartier Cares Thrift Store, Elie Community Club, Blessed Sacrament Church or St. Eustache Church. Just look for the donation bin! Financial donations are also accepted. (Please make cheques payable to *Cartier Cares Food Bank.*)

Do you have a perishable food donation or questions? Contact Cheryl at: cartiercaresinc@gmail.com or 204.891.1393.

E-transfers: Donations can be made to our parishes via e-transfers. For Blessed Sacrament, the email address is blesst@shaw.ca. For St. Eustache, the email address is steustachep@gmail.com. In the message area, please indicate what the donation is for, i.e. "regular donation", "Sharing God's Gifts", "cemetery fund", etc.