

Blessed Sacrament Church

Our Parish Bulletin

Easter Vigil, April 20, 2019 Easter Sunday, April 21, 2019





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

Saturday, April 20th - 9:30 a.m. – Elie – Morning Prayers

7:30 p.m. – St. Eustache – Easter Vigil on the Resurrection of the Lord

Easter Sunday, April 21st - 9:00 a.m. – St. François Xavier

11:00 a.m. – Elie

Tuesday, April 23rd - No mass today

Wednesday, April 24th - 5:00 p.m. – Elie – Mass intention for +Laurette Allard from funeral collection

Thursday, April 25th - 9:30 a.m. – Elie Manor – Mass intention for +Georges Bergeron from funeral collection

Friday, April 26th - 2:30 p.m. – St. Eustache – Adoration

Saturday, April 27th - 11:00 a.m. – St. Eustache – Funeral mass for Georges Fleury

Sunday, April 28th - 9:00 a.m. – St. François Xavier

11:00 a.m. - St. Eustache - Mass intention for +Norman Fleury requested by Gilles & Sherry

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Ministry Schedule

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*** Please see Ministers' Schedule published separately ***

Sunday, April 28th

Readers First: Larry Morissette **Second:** Paulette Trudel

Intercessions: Doris Lavallee

Welcoming ministers/

Collection counters:

Collection ushers: Vic & Louise Beaudin
Presentation of gifts: Virginia Beckwith
Communion ministers: Glen McKay

Doris Lavallee Matthew Lachance Bob & Jeanine

Church cleaners: St. Eustache (Apr 22 – Apr 27) Ann Lacroix and Virginia Beckwith

Elie (Apr 22 – May 4) Vince & Nicole Gillis

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, Jackie Harapiak, William McKay, Aimé Bernardin, Yvette Gillis, Jeannine Du, Robert Neiglo, Edmond Dufresne, Anita Dufresne, Leo Pahl

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.

Dear Sisters and Brothers in the Risen Lord:

The Lord is truly risen, alleluia. To him be glory and power for all the ages of eternity, alleluia, alleluia. (Luke 24.34; cf Revelation 1:6)

The Lord is truly risen. This is the truth of Easter. This is the truth that we celebrate. This is the truth that we give witness to.

This is the truth of Easter. Our Lord Jesus Christ who died on the Cross has risen and is now alive. He rose from the dead and opened for us eternal life with God. In the Gospel, the message of the Angel to the women who went to see the tomb is encouraging: "Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples, 'He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him.'" (Mt. 28.5-7) Like Mary Magdalene and the other Mary, this good news should be a cause of great joy for us!

My sincere appreciation to all of you for making our Lenten and Easter celebrations prayerful and beautiful. Let us continue to renew our faith in the Risen Lord as we gather daily and weekly to celebrate God's everlasting presence among us in the Eucharist.

Happy Easter and happy renewal of our baptismal promises!

Fr. Michel Nault, Pastor

