



Blessed Sacrament Church

Our Parish Bulletin

May 7th, 2023

5th Sunday of Easter



St. Eustache Church

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

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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, May 7th - *5th Sunday of Easter*
9:00 a.m. St. François Xavier
11:00 a.m. – St. Eustache – **Mass intention for +André Girard requested by Suzanne Chartier-White**
- Tuesday, May 9th -
11:00 a.m. – Mass at Elie Manor
- Wednesday, May 10th -
6:30 p.m. – St. Eustache – Rosary/Confession
7:00 p.m. – Mass followed by Adoration – **Mass intention for +André Girard requested by Roger & Shirley Sylvestre**
- Sunday, May 14th - *6th Sunday of Easter*
9:00 a.m. St. François Xavier
11:00 a.m. – Elie – **Mass intention for +Rolly Cyrenne requested by Karen Cyrenne**

Ministry Schedule

May 7th – 5th Sunday of Easter – St. Eustache

Welcoming Ministers: Lucille Ross and Lucille Beaudin

Communion Minister: Lorraine Bernardin

Cleaners: Estelle Tanguay and Lorraine Bernardin

Reader: Estelle Tanguay

Collection Counters: Bob and Jeanine

May 14th – 6th Sunday of Easter – Elie

Welcoming Ministers: Jocy Gillis and Karen Cyrenne

Communion Minister: Sherry Legault

Cleaners: Gilles & Sherry Legault

Reader: Len Desilets

Collection Counters: Rick and Judy

May 21st – Ascension of the Lord – St. Eustache

Welcoming Ministers: Yvonne Fleury and Lorraine Bernardin

Communion Minister: Glenn McKay

Cleaners: Judy Breland and Lucille Combot

Reader: Lucille Beaudin

Collection Counters: Len and Mona

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.

Blessed Sacrament Parish Fundraiser

A fundraiser is being held by Blessed Sacrament Parish in association with To-Le-Do Foodservices. This is a much needed fundraiser due to dwindling funds and ever increasing expenses.

Order forms are now available with a varied selection of meat products and perogies listed. Orders and payments must be received by May 17th (cash or cheque payable to *Elie Blessed Sacrament Parish*). Delivery date will be June 3rd with pick up at the Elie Community Club or delivered to your door on request.

Please tell your friends, family and neighbours about this fundraiser to help make it a success!

Any inquiries, please contact Jocy Gillis 204-299-7696 or Len Desilets 204-353-2116.

St. Eustache Parish Financial Presentation / Coffee Sunday

A financial presentation will be given immediately following mass today in conjunction with Coffee Sunday. Please stay for coffee and refreshments while you learn about your parish's finances.

Mother's Day Coffee Sunday

Coffee Sunday will be held in Elie on May 14th following mass. In addition to our mothers we will also be honouring our grandparents and the elderly in our communities and parishes, in accordance with this year's theme during National Week for Life and the Family (May 7-14).

Pastoral/Personnel Changes

(Received from Archbishop Richard J. Gagnon on April 28, 2023)

Having observed the consultations called for in the Code of Canon Law, the following pastoral changes will be effective August 1, 2023 (unless otherwise indicated):

1. **Reverend Monsignor Maurice J. Comeault** retires as Pastor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish in Winnipeg. Ordained for the Trappists in 1967, Msgr. has served in various parishes throughout the Archdiocese since 1972; he was incardinated into the Archdiocese in 1975. We are grateful for his pastoral ministry, in the Archdiocese, over the past 51 years and wish him well in retirement. Msgr. Comeault will be available for weekend ministry.
2. **Very Reverend Barry D. Schoonbaert** becomes Pastor of St. Paul the Apostle Parish in Winnipeg.
3. **Reverend Rainerio Sarce** becomes Pastor of St. Charles' Parish in Winnipeg.
4. **Reverend James Ahaneku** becomes Parochial Vicar of St. John Brebeuf Parish in Winnipeg.
5. **Reverend Michael M. Wollbaum** becomes Pastor of St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish in Winnipeg.
6. **Reverend Eric V. Giddins** becomes Pastor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Winnipeg.
7. **Reverend Efoe (Emmanuel) Anani** becomes Parochial Administrator of Our Lady of Victory Parish and of Paroisse du Sacré-Coeur in Winnipeg.
8. **Reverend Vijay Deivanayagam OMI** becomes Parochial Administrator of Christ the King Parish in Stonewall, St. Joseph's Parish in Stony Mountain and St. John Vianney Mission in Teulon.
9. **Reverend Eric Sadji** becomes Pastor of St. Edward the Confessor Parish in Winnipeg.
10. **Reverend Sleva Raju Palla SDM**, a member of the society of St. Eugene de Mazenod in India, and recently arrived in the Archdiocese of Winnipeg, becomes Parochial Vicar of St. Peter's Parish in Winnipeg.
11. **Reverend Oliver Omega** (to be ordained to the Ministerial Priesthood on June 9, 2023) becomes Parochial Vicar of St. Augustine of Canterbury Parish in Brandon and St. Mary's Parish in Souris.
12. **Mr. Christopher Pugh** (to be ordained to the Transitional Diaconate on June 30, 2023) is assigned to a Clinical Pastoral Education Unit at S. Boniface Hospital from May 1 – July 12, 2023. During this time, he will be in residence at St. John Brebeuf Parish in Winnipeg.

I am grateful to the Personnel Board for their advice, as I am to everyone who has accepted a new pastoral assignment for the good of our local church.

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.
