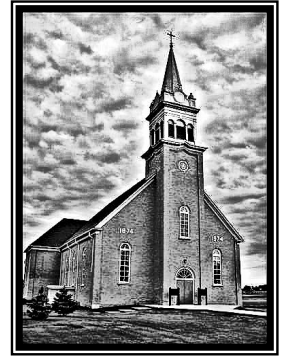


Blessed Sacrament Church

# Our Parish Bulletin

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2015



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.  
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## This Week’s Mass Schedule

**Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup> - 11:00 a.m.** – Elie – Mass intention for **+Marcel Bernardin requested by the Bernardin family**

**Tuesday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> - No mass today**

**Wednesday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> - 5:00 p.m.** – Blessed Sacrament Church – Mass intention for **+Clifford Swan**

**Thursday, September 24<sup>th</sup> - 9:30 a.m.** – Elie Manor – Mass intention for **+Leslie Maytwayashing**

**Friday, September 25<sup>th</sup> - 3:00 p.m.** – St. Eustache Church – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Novena of the Divine Mercy Chaplet

**3:30 p.m.** – Celebration of the Holy Eucharist – Mass intention for **+Colleen Beauvais**

**Saturday, September 26<sup>th</sup> - 11:00 a.m.** – **Funeral mass in St. François Xavier for +Denis Paget (No 9:30 mass in Elie)**

**Sunday, September 27<sup>th</sup> - 11:00 a.m.** – St. Eustache – Mass intention for **+Marcel Bernardin requested by the Bernardin family**

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**Church Cleaners:** St. Eustache (September 13 – September 26) – Clarence & Lucille Ross and Gilles & Lucille Beaudin  
 Elie (September 20 – October 3) – Vince & Nicole Gillis

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**Please pray for those who are sick, awaiting tests or receiving medical treatment, especially:** Baby Paisley Amyotte, Fr. Marlon Lumanas, Gisele Ouellet, Reg Bernardin, Ma. Carlota Bodiongan, Alan Schade.  
*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.*

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**Rectory Kitchen Renovations:** Your parish rectory kitchen is getting an upgrade and we need your help. We are looking for volunteers to pack up and tear down the kitchen cabinets. This will be happening some time around mid-September. If you can help, please contact Nickole Bernardin at 204-353-2851.

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**St. Charles Parish Harvest Supper:** Sunday, September 27. All are welcome to our annual turkey supper at 320 St. Charles Street in Winnipeg. The doors open at 3:30 pm and dinner is served from 4:30 pm to 7 pm. Adult tickets are \$15, children (between 5 and 12) are \$7 and children ages four and under are FREE. Takeout will be available. For more information and tickets call Meg at 204-837-7157 or call St. Charles Parish office at 204-889-3248.

## **Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada: Why is there such a collection?**

Every year, the Bishops of Canada make an appeal for financial assistance to support their work and the work of each diocese by means of the Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada. The President of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCCB), the Most Reverend Paul-André Durocher, Archbishop of Gatineau, has described this Collection as “an opportunity to all the faithful to help their dioceses collaborate in financing the regional episcopal assemblies (the Atlantic, Quebec, Ontario, and the West) and also the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCCB). These associations support the Bishops in their local ministry and in working together on issues of common concern.” Any additional revenues raised help the diocese support its own diocesan pastoral programs and other activities.

The Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada will be held September 26 and 27, 2015.

### **Blessed Sacrament Parish Funeral Lunches**

In view of all the funeral lunches we have had in Blessed Sacrament Parish this past month, the leaders of the lunch groups would like to express their sincerest gratitude for the generous donations of food and money. Funeral lunches are one of the few fund-raising activities of the parish. Without everyone’s generosity we could not realize any gain for the parish.

Our lunch groups are becoming smaller and smaller and we are asking if there is anyone in the parish who is not now on one of the groups and would like to be included, to please come forward to any one of the group leaders and have your name added to the list.

The matter of food or lack thereof can be covered from the monetary donations, however the matter of assistance to get the lunch ready and to serve it is a concern. Oftentimes it is the same group of ladies who come to help before the funeral preparing the buns, pickles, dainties, coffee, etc. and we are very appreciative of them. Help is also needed throughout the lunch to make sure the tables are replenished and that everything is kept clean and presentable. After the lunch is over more help is needed for the cleanup. The leftovers have to be gathered and packaged for the family of the deceased. The dishes and tables have to be washed. The hall has to be cleaned and left in the same way that we found it. We would like to encourage men to give us a hand in serving and especially for cleanup. We now have a good group of men who set up tables and chairs and fill and place the coffee urns. This is much appreciated.

We understand that some ladies are still working outside of the home and aren’t available to help when funerals occur on weekdays. We ask that these ladies make themselves available to help at Saturday funerals even if it isn’t their group’s turn for the lunch. Hopefully in the end others will help when it’s not their turn and it will all even out.

Thank you again for your generosity and support.

The Funeral Lunch Group Leaders

Claire Bernardin/Nicole Gillis

Jocy Gillis

Karen Cyrenne/Sherry Legault

**Centennial Pilgrimage, Saturday, October 10:** To continue the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration of the Archdiocese of Winnipeg we are offering a one day Pilgrimage to four Sites as designated by Archbishop Richard Gagnon • Our Lady of Seven Sorrows Church, Camperville • St. Augustine’s Church, Brandon • Saint-François Xavier Church, Saint-François Xavier • St. Mary’s Cathedral, Winnipeg. Participants would meet at St. Edward the Confessor Parish (836 Arlington St.) at 6 am for a light breakfast and registration. We have arranged transportation with Beaver Bus Lines, modern motorcoaches equipped with reclining seats, DVD/TV monitors, free Wi-Fi, air conditioning and washroom facilities.

### **Contest!!**

#### **Name a slogan for the Town of Elie.**

The LUD of Elie is holding a contest to name a slogan for the town of Elie.

The slogan will be used on signage to promote the town of Elie.

The winner will win 2 tickets to a Jets game.

**Deadline extended** - Submit your entry by September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

Visit our website at [www.rm-cartier.mb.ca](http://www.rm-cartier.mb.ca) (LUD of Elie tab) for the entry form and further information.

For any questions, please contact the RM of Cartier office at 204-353-2214 or by email at [info@rm-cartier.mb.ca](mailto:info@rm-cartier.mb.ca).