



Our Parish Bulletin

October 22nd, 2023

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Blessed Sacrament Church

St. Eustache 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

Cemetery Directors – Blessed Sacrament Parish: Brigitte & Guy Rivard (204) 479-8133
 St. Eustache Parish: Ken Beaudin (204) 353-2043 or (204) 795-2229

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, October 29th - 9:00 a.m. St. François Xavier
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time 11:00 a.m. – Elie – **Mass intention for +Pauline Chabot from funeral collection**
- Tuesday, October 31st - 11:00 a.m. – Mass at Elie Manor
- Wednesday, November 1st - 6:30 p.m. – Elie – Rosary/Confession
 7:00 p.m. – Mass followed by Adoration – **Mass intention for +Rolly Cyrenne requested by Karen Cyrenne**
- Thursday, November 2nd - 5:30 – Elie – Blessings and prayers at 5:30
 6:00 – St. Eustache Rosary
 6:30 – St. Eustache – Mass followed by blessing and prayers at the cemetery
- Sunday, November 5th - 9:00 a.m. St. François Xavier
31st Sunday in Ordinary Time 11:00 a.m. – St. Eustache – **Mass intention for +Monique Allard requested by Renée-Marie Goddard**
(Daylight Savings Time ends)
- Tuesday, November 7th - 11:00 a.m. – Mass at Elie Manor
- Wednesday, November 8th - 6:30 p.m. – St. Eustache – Rosary/Confession
 7:00 p.m. – Mass followed by Adoration

Ministry Schedule

October 29th – 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Elie

Welcoming Ministers: Jocy Gillis and Karen Cyrenne
Communion Minister: Karen Cyrenne
Cleaners: Gilles & Sherry Legault

Reader: Bob Whitechurch
Collection Counters: Rick and Judy

November 5th – 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time – St. Eustache

Welcoming Ministers: Ken & Debbie Beaudin
Communion Minister: Glen McKay
Cleaners: Lucille Ross & Melissa Porteous

Reader: Lucille Beaudin
Collection Counters: Len & Mona

November 12th – 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time – Elie

Welcoming Ministers: Bob & Jeanine Whitechurch
Communion Minister: Vince Gillis
Cleaners: Vince & Nicole Gillis

Reader: Craig Spence
Collection Counters: Yvonne and Ann

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. Fernand Menard, Bonnie Norrie, 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.

All Souls' Day November 2nd

November 2nd is the Commemoration of All of the Faithful Departed, or All Souls. On this day, we pray that all those who have died - our loved ones and also those people around the world who we will never meet - through the mercy of God, will rest in peace.

This year, All Souls' Day will begin with blessings and prayers at the **Elie Cemetery at 5:30 p.m.** We will continue the commemoration in the with rosary at **St. Eustache church at 6:00 p.m.** followed by the blessing at the **St. Eustache Cemetery.**

Candles will be sold for \$5 for your loved ones for placing in the cemetery. The parish council and liturgy will distribute them accordingly. We will also be collecting names and monies on Sundays and can be placed in the collection basket or directly to those listed below.

We invite everyone to join us at the cemetery, lit with lights, prayers and blessings.

You can reach out to the following parishioners for your requests list and donations:

- Shelley Combot: scombot@shaw.ca
 - Lorraine Bernardin: 204-353-2821 lorrainebernardin@hotmail.com
 - Lucille Beaudin: 204-353-2551 lucibeau@mymts.net
 - Aline Bernardin: Alineb1971@gmail.com
 - Jocy Gillis: jocygillis@hotmail.com
 - Nicole Gillis: ngillis911@gmail.com
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To-Le-Do Foodservices Fundraiser

Our fundraiser in association with To-Le-Do Foodservices last spring was very successful. This fundraiser will take place once again and will be for both Blessed Sacrament and St. Eustache Parishes. Order forms are now available with a varied selection of meat products to choose from. Orders and payments must be returned by November 7th. Delivery date will be November 23rd with pickup locations at the Elie Community Club and St. Eustache Church. As this is a joint fundraiser, you will need to indicate on the form which parish you are supporting. Any inquires, please contact either Jocy Gillis 204-299-7696 or Len Desilets 204-353-2116 for Elie Blessed Sacrament or Yvonne Fleury 204-941-0015 for St. Eustache.

Gift Card Tree Fundraiser

The deadline to receive gift cards is **today**. Tickets for the gift cards are \$5.00 each and will be drawn at our **pancake and sausage breakfast** which will be held at the St. Eustache Community Hall on **November 19th**. Each parishioner is encouraged to sell a book of 10 tickets.

Grey Cup Pool Tickets

Just a reminder... Have your Grey Cup Pool tickets sold and returned to Len or Mona (204-353-2116) in time for Grey Cup Sunday, November 19th.

An Evening of Learning and Dialogue

Truth and Reconciliation Dialogue Circles, Through the Power of Indigenous Art featuring Métis scholar Dr. Suzanne M. Steele, creator of *Li Keur, Riel's Heart Of the North, Opera*, Wednesday, November 15th, 7:00-9:00 p.m. St Ignatius, Hall Basement. Free registration, contact Carmela: adult.education@stignatius.ca or call Thomas (St. Kateri) 204-287-8583.

Reclaiming the Graces of the Spiritual Exercises: A Day of Deep Listening and Sharing in Preparation for Advent. **Open to all Spiritual Exercises Alumni, Saturday**, November 18th, 10:00 a.m. – 3 p.m. Spiritual Education Centre. \$30.00 registration, Carmela: adult.education@stignatius.ca or call -204-453-9243.

See posters at church entrance. All are welcome.

Collection Envelopes

It's that time of year for our Parishes to order collection envelopes for 2024. Please confirm with the office if you plan on using envelopes for making donations. Envelopes are not required if you make your donations via e-transfers.

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.
