

Our Parish Bulletin

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe November 26th, 2017



Blessed Sacrament Church

St. Eustache Church

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Finance Committee - Nickole Bernardin, Doris Lavallee, Bob Whitechurch, Matthew Lachance

Finance Secretary – Lori Van Den Bussche Sharing God's Gifts – Jeanine Whitechurch

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

Sunday, November 26th - 9:00 a.m. – St. François Xavier

11:00 a.m. – Elie – Mass intention for +Olive Girard (54th anniversary of her passing) requested by Murielle MacMillan (Knights of Columbus Grey Cup Breakfast following today's mass)

Tuesday, November 28th - No mass

Wednesday, November 29th - 5:00 p.m. - Blessed Sacrament Church - Mass intention for +Laurette Brooker

requested by Gaby, Diane, Colette and family

Thursday, November 30th - 9:30 a.m. – Elie Manor – Mass intention for +Laurette Brooker from funeral

collection

Friday, December 1st - 3:30 p.m. – St. Eustache – Mass intention to honour St. Anthony for prayers

answered requested by Doris Lavallee

2:30 p.m. – Adoration

Saturday, December 2nd - No mass due to Synod Session Sunday, December 3rd - 9:00 a.m. – St. François Xavier

11:00 a.m. - St. Eustache - Mass intention for +Reg Bernardin requested by Aline

Bernardin

Ministry Schedule

For Sunday, November 26th:

Readers: 1st: Lucille Beaudin; 2nd: Joanne Desrosiers-Raimbault; Intercessions: Karen Cyrenne

Welcoming ministers/Collection ushers: Bob & Jeanine Whitechurch

Presentation of gifts: Guy & Brigitte Rivard

Communion ministers: Guy Rivard, Lucille Beaudin, Glen McKay

Collection counters: Yvonne & Ann

For Sunday, December 3rd:

Readers: 1st: Karen Cyrenne; 2nd: Estelle Tanguay; Intercessions: Len Desilets

Welcoming ministers/Collection ushers: Dean & Shelley Combot

Presentation of gifts: Vic & Louise Beaudin

Communion ministers: André Allard, Sherry Legault, Vince Gillis

Collection counters: Len & Mona

Church Cleaners: St. Eustache (Nov 20 – Dec 2) – Dean & Shelley Combot and Glen McKay families

Elie (Nov 27 - Dec 9) - Gilles & Sherry Legault

Please pray for those who are sick, awaiting tests or receiving medical treatment. Paisley Amyotte, Roger Menard, Danny Gusnowsky, Linda Stewart, Robert Boudreau, Louise McKay, Dell Schade, Fernand Menard, Joan Regnier

"Blue Christmas"

An inter-faith service of remembrance and hope Thursday, December 14th, 2017 – 7:00 p.m. At Elie Blessed Sacrament Church

For more info e-mail Fr. Michel (michelfr@shaw.ca)

Presented by Blessed Sacrament Church and Adam's Funeral Services

Christmas is a time for memories and remembering. For some, the memories are of their loved ones who have died, and the pain of their loss is real.

For others, the memories of happier times, relocation and poor health cloud this season. We need to remember, and we need the space to acknowledge our sadness and concern; and we need to know we are not alone.

For other reasons, we need a special time to be together to receive the words of hope that speak to us in the midst of sorrow. It is time to acknowledge a "Blue Christmas", a time to hear and share prayers, scripture readings and hymns that help us to know that God's presence is for those who mourn, and God's word comes to give light to our darkness.

Liturgy Meeting: Thursday, November 30th 4:00 p.m. at the Elie rectory. The meeting will be to discuss and finalize plans for "Blue Christmas".

Ministry schedule for December 3rd 2017 to February 11th 2018 is available at the church entrance.

Clothing for the Homeless: There is an ever growing number of people in desperate need of warm clothing at this time of year. If you have any items you can give (toques, scarves, mittens, long underwear, etc.), please bring them and put them in one of the designated boxes located near the church entrances in Elie and St. Eustache.

Cartier Hamper Fund "TAKING CARE OF OUR OWN"

We will be collecting nonperishable food items until Sunday, December 10th.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT THE DATES ON THE FOOD ITEMS ARE NOT EXPIRED.

We are also accepting monetary donations (make cheques payable to "Cartier Hamper Fund").

If you know of a family in need of a Christmas hamper,

please contact: Jeanine or Bob Whitechurch 204-353-2360

Knights of Columbus

GREY CUP BREAKFAST

TODAY at 12:00 noon at the Elie Vets' Hall

All proceeds in support of various charities in our tri-parish communities

Cartier Senior Citizens Support Community

invites you to attend its

ANNUAL 55+ CHRISTMAS GALA

Friday, December 1st at the Elie Vets' Hall

Doors open at 5:00 p.m.

Dinner followed by entertainment from Travis Barre

Tickets are \$15 and will NOT be sold at the door

Please come in to the CSCSC office (in the Elie Medical Centre Bldg.) to purchase your tickets before Nov. 30th

For more information call Melissa at 204-353-2470

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#### The Nadeau Ensemble

A Prairie Christmas

Sacred Heart Parish Fundraiser Fannystelle Church

Wednesday, December 6<sup>th</sup> - 7:00 p.m.

Tickets available from Rachelle 204-436-2486

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