

Feast of Christ the King

<p>Saturday, November 21st 5:00pm Jim Foley by Judy Foley</p> <p>Sunday, November 22nd 9:00am Winston Van Putten by Fr. Jacques 11:00am Giuseppe Mazzella by Caterine Mazzella & family 7:30pm Edmond Lalonde by Gwen Lalonde</p> <p>Monday, November 23rd 8:00am For the Souls in Purgatory by Bernadette Blakely</p> <p>Tuesday, November 24th Saint Andrew Dung-Lac 8:00am Intentions of Adam Zulinski by Jean Slobodzian</p> <p>Wednesday, November 25th Saint Catherine of Alexandria 8:00am Simone Branchaud by Family</p> <p>Thursday, November 26th 8:00am Roger Dupras by Catharine & Chris Dupras</p> <p>Saturday, November 28th 5:00pm John James Earle by Hugh McAlear</p> <p>Sunday, November 29th 1st Sunday of Lent 9:00am Pro Populo 11:00am Georgette Bourbonnais by Nicole & Bob Gregory 7:30pm Eleanor Kasaboski by Yollande Vallee</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SUNDAY OFFERING November 8th, 2015</p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 60%;">Env.</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$2869.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Loose</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$396.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Priest Pension</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$155.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$3420.00</td> </tr> </table> <p>Finance Council Meeting is scheduled for December 2nd, 2015 at 6:30pm.</p> <p><u>Ladies Auxiliary Gathering</u> is Scheduled for Wednesday December 9th, 2015 with mass at 5:00pm followed by Dinner.</p> <p>Please do not put chewing gum underneath the pews. This is disrespect to your Parish and to the community at large. Thank you for your understanding.</p>	Env.	\$2869.00	Loose	\$396.00	Priest Pension	\$155.00	Total	\$3420.00
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The Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week "In memory of Leona Girard" by Suzanne & Charlie Upton.

Parish Breakfast on December 13th

COME ONE ---- COME ALL ----- to the Parish breakfast on Sunday, December 13th, in the parish hall, from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. **COST: FREE WILL OFFERING.**

Ladies Auxiliary

MEMBERHISP DUES members are reminded that the 2016 dues (\$20) should be paid by the end of December 2015. If you are 16 years of age or older and would like to join, please call Linda at the rectory for details. New members are welcome!

2016 Sunday Envelopes

They are ready on the table at the back of the church. **We ask that you pick them up as soon as possible, but please do not use them before January 1, 2016.** If you did not receive a box and would like one, please call the office and we will prepare one for you. We really encourage you to use the envelope system; it facilitates the calculations for tax receipts. Without envelopes, we cannot issue a receipt for your donations. Another advantage is that you can use your envelope in any parish of our diocese and it will come back here at Blessed Sacrament. We would like to remind everyone that, whether you use envelopes or not, it's everyone's responsibility to support the parish financially. **Thank you very much for your cooperation!**

IF YOU ARE SICK OR NOT FEELING WELL: AVOID SHAKING HANDS AT THE SIGN OF PEACE. PLEASE USE THE HAND SANITIZER AT THE ENTRANCES OF THE CHURCH WHEN YOU ARRIVE AND WHEN YOU LEAVE THE CHURCH.

Sunday Missals for Sale

We have received the 2016 missals for the church pews. If you would like a personal copy you can purchase one for \$3.00 by contacting the rectory.

The Cornwall Catholic Secondary Schools Mission Team will be hosting a Vendor's fair in the gym of St. Joseph's Catholic Secondary School on **Thursday, December 3rd from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.** Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy a night of local vendors' products. We will also have a children's supervised area so you can drop off your little ones while you shop. Hot dogs, drinks and DQ ice cream sandwiches will also be for sale. Bring yourself and bring a friend for a great night while supporting our Mission Team. Here are some of the vendors... Holly sheets, Epicure, Yo Unique, Thirty one gifts, McIntosh Therapy, Essential oils, Scentsy, Arbonne, Bonnie Blooms, Steeped Tea-Shannon, Pampered Chef, Party lite and many more...

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

This year will be preparing a special bulletin for Christmas. The bulletin will be published for Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. We will have special envelopes for people to donate towards the Christmas flowers in memory of someone special. The name of that person will be published in our Christmas bulletin and we will pray for them at Our Christmas Eve mass. Everyone is welcome to participate. All donations will be going towards our Christmas flowers and special decorations. Envelopes are available.

Christmas Supper & Dance

Father Marc Piché and the members of Precious Blood Parish invite you to their **Christmas Supper & Dance** which will be held in the Parish Hall on **Sunday November 29th, cocktail at 5:00PM and Supper at 6:00PM.** Cost: *\$25.00 per person* for the supper and dance. Please reserve your ticket (only 176 tickets + 25 take-outs) by phoning at the rectory at 613-931-1424

St. Therese Parish Bingo

The next Bingo's will be held on Thursday, November 26th in their parish hall. Doors and canteen open at 5:30pm. Early bird at 6:30pm and bingo starts at 7:00pm. Amount to be won at each bingo night \$900, plus the 50/50 games.

SNOWFLAKE BAZAAR & LUNCHEON - November 28, from 10:30AM to 1:30 PM.

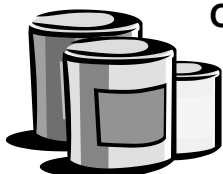
The CWL of St. Pius X & Our Lady of Grace Parish invites you to our Annual Luncheon & Bazaar at Our Lady of Grace Parish Hall in Ingleside. Bake Table, Crafts, Books, Nearly New Table and Quilt Raffle. Luncheon \$7.00 (served at 11:30) Delicious assortment of Sandwiches, soup and desserts. **Everyone Welcome!**

SAVE THE DATE: July 22nd -24th, 2016 for Steubenville Toronto:

A Mega Catholic Youth Conference for Teens... An exciting Catholic Youth Conference called "Steubenville Toronto" will be taking place in Toronto, from July 22nd-24th, 2016. Over 2,000 young people (Gr. 8-12) will gather to celebrate and grow their faith. It is strongly Catholic with great young speakers, fantastic music and truly beautiful celebrations of our faith. This past summer, 31 youth and adult chaperone formed the Diocesan delegation. For more info, please Sr. Francine, FMA at fguilmette@alexandria-cornwall.ca.

Adult Afternoon Support

Bereaved Families of Ontario invite you to their Adult Afternoon Support Group on Tuesday, November 24th from 1 to 3pm at 216 Montreal Road. For information call 613-936-1455 or visit the Drop-In Centre Monday to Wednesday 9am to 4pm.



Once again this year we will have a FOOD DRIVE in the parish, this is a friendly reminder... We will be invited to drop off non-perishable food and/or money at the church. Please be generous!! The food will be distributed during the Christmas season to people in our area.

Opening Mass set to begin Year of Mercy

All the faithful of the Diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall are invited to the Co-Cathedral of the Nativity as Bishop Marcel Damphousse celebrates the solemn opening Mass for the holy year on Tuesday, December 8th at 7:00 pm. This special Mass will also provide the faithful of the Diocese the opportunity to bid farewell to Bishop Marcel before he takes up his new assignment with the Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie. Let's show our affection and fill the Co-Cathedral!

Mother Teresa Lights a Lamp

Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta was someone who learned this lesson perfectly. One of the many stories of how she impacted the lives of the poor illustrates beautifully what it means to use our God-given talents well. Once she was staying with a community of sisters working with the Aborigines in Australia. While she was there, she visited an elderly man who lived in total isolation, ignored by everyone; his home was disordered and dirty. She told him, "Please let me clean your house, wash your clothes and make your bed." He answered, "I'm OK like this. Let it be." She said, "You will be still better if you allow me to do it." He finally agreed. So she was able to clean his house and wash his clothes. While she was cleaning, she discovered a beautiful lamp, covered with dust; it looked like it hadn't been used in years. She said to the man, "Don't you light that lamp? Don't you ever use it?" He answered, "No. No one comes to see me. I have no need to light it. Who would I do it for?" Mother Teresa asked, "Would you light it every night if the sisters came?" He replied, "Of course." From that day on, the sisters committed themselves to visiting him every evening. Mother Teresa left Australia; two years passed. She had completely forgotten about that encounter. Then she received a message from him: "Tell my friend that the light she lit in my life continues to shine still." In a sense, our life-mission is to do precisely that: to invest our talents in such a way that we light as many lamps as possible, in as many different ways as possible, bringing the Good News of God's trustworthiness, forgiveness, and love to all the people who are sick and dying with loneliness, selfishness, and regret.

[This illustration is adapted from "Voices of the Saints" by Bert Ghezzi]

CHRISTMAS MASS

This year Christmas Masses for 2015

December 24th 5:00pm & 8:00pm

December 25th 10:00am.

Please share this information with family and friends so that everyone can begin to make arrangement to attend one of our celebrations.

Advent Penitential Celebrations

You are invited to attend one of the following celebrations to help prepare your heart to receive Christ Jesus on Christmas day...

Tuesday, **December 15th** from 2pm to 3pm at **Saint Columban's Parish**

Wednesday, **December 16th**, from 7pm to 8pm at **Saint Francis de Sales Parish**

Thursday, **December 17th** from 7pm to 8pm at **Saint Andrew's Parish**

New Diocesan Policy

Postures and Gestures during Mass for the Assembly

We will be introducing the new Diocesan Policy in the upcoming weeks. To help each of us the diocese is producing "pew cards" so that people can follow during the Mass. It contains the quick overview that simply gives what we do and when we do it. A more detailed document (booklet) will be made available to everyone in the near future. The completed booklet will have the "catechetical" part and the explanation.