

Our Parish Bulletin February 16th, 2025 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time



St. Eustache Church

Blessed Sacrament Church

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Parish Council Members - Nicole Gillis, Yvonne Fleury, Leo Dufour, Estelle Tanguay, Jocy Gillis,

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Cemetery Directors – Blessed Sacrament Parish: Brigitte & Guy Rivard (204) 479-8133

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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, cell (204) 797-3934 or email: lenmona@shaw.ca

Parish Website: www.blessedsacramentelie.com

Mass Schedule

- Sunday, February 16th - 9:00 a.m. – St. François Xavier

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time 11:00 a.m. - Elie - Mass intention for Murielle MacMillan requested by Claudette

Foster

We pray for St. Peter's Church in Winnipeg

No mass this Tuesday at the Manor

- Wednesday, February 19th - 6:30 p.m. – Elie – Rosary/Confession

7:00 p.m. – Mass followed by Adoration

- Sunday, February 23rd - 9:00 a.m. – St. François Xavier *7th Sunday in Ordinary Time* 11:00 a.m. – St. Eustache

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- Tuesday, February 25th - 11:00 a.m. – Mass at the Elie Manor

- Wednesday, February 26th - 6:30 p.m. – St. Eustache – Rosary/Confession

7:00 p.m. – Mass followed by Adoration

Ministry Schedule

February 16th – 6th Sunday in Ordinary – Elie

Welcoming Ministers: Len & Mona Desilets Reader: Nickole Bernardin

Communion Minister: Sherry Legault Collection Counters: Rick and Judy

Cleaners: Gilles & Sherry Legault

February 23rd – 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time – St. Eustache

Welcoming Ministers: Dean & Shelly Combot Reader: Lucille Beaudin

Communion Minister: Lucille Beaudin Collection Counters: Karen and Aline

Cleaners: Lucille Ross and Melissa Porteous

March 2nd – 8th Sunday in Ordinary – Elie

Welcoming Ministers: Ben Bernardin family Reader: Bob Whitechurch

Communion Minister: Vince Gillis Collection Counters: Yvonne and Ann

Cleaners: Vince & Nicole Gillis

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.

Fern Menard, Bonnie Norrie, Val T., Al, Renee and Lilly, Deirdre Skipper

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.

Presentation on the 1700th Anniversary of the Council of Nicaea

2025 marks the 1700th Anniversary of the Council of Nicaea. The Council is known for the Nicene Creed, which was promulgated in 325.

Fr. Gregory Hrykniw, a monk of the Ukrainian Eparchy of Saskatoon, will be at St. John XXIII Parish, 3390 Portage Ave, in Winnipeg, on Tuesday, February 18, 2025, to help us understand the history and beauty of the Nicene Creed. The presentation will begin at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome!

(See poster at church entrance)

Sisters of the Holy Rock

"An Evening of Nun-Stop Fun"

Saturday, March 22nd

Doors Open: 6:30 p.m. – Show: 7:00 p.m.

Prairie Spirit United Church, 207 Thompson Drive, Winnipeg

Admission \$28

For tickets: https://StCharlesSisteroftheHolyRock.eventbrite.ca

For more info/tickets, call Florence 204-889-4941

Sponsored by St. Charles Parish

Join us for a night of divine comedy and angelic voices!

Archbishop Gagnon's Farewell

On Wednesday, March 19th we will gather, in St. Mary's Cathedral, to say thank you and bid farewell to Archbishop Richard Gagnon for his eleven years of pastoral service and leadership as our Archbishop. It is fitting that this celebration should take on the Solemnity of St. Joseph, our Archdiocese patron.

The celebration will begin at 7:30 p.m. A reception will follow. All are welcome.

Installation of Archbishop Chatlain

Most Reverend Murray Chatlain will be installed as the 8th Archbishop of Winnipeg on Friday, April 4th, 2025, in St. Mary's Cathedral.

First Communion Classes

First Communion classes will be starting on Tuesday, February 25th between 6:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. at the Elie rectory. Please contact Nickole Bernardin to register: 204-792-0280.

Reminder - Read Your Bible

A friendly reminder that Father Abel has challenged and is encouraging us to deepen our understanding of Scripture by reading our Bibles. He has specifically invited us to reflect on the Book of Revelation. To support your discernment, there are many free apps and websites available, such as the Ascension, Laudate, and Amen apps, as well as resources like AscensionPress.com and Catholic.com. These tools can help you grow in faith and understanding of God's Word.

Did You Know?

The Archdiocese has a weekly news bulletin. You can register at https://archwinnipeg.flocknote.com/AWNews. It includes news, updates, and events from around the Archdiocese of Winnipeg catchment. For example, "Winnipeg Real to Reel Film Festival" February 18-23 and so much more.

2024 Year End Financials

Blessed Sacrament Church		St. Eustache Church	
Income:	\$ 102,669.55	Income:	\$ 55,339.67
Cost of services:	\$ 71,686.85	Cost of services:	\$ 22,684.67
Operating expenses:	\$ 40,766.46	Operating expenses:	\$ 49,166.19
Net profit (loss)	\$ (9,783.76)	Net profit (loss)	\$ (16,511.19)