

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, January 13th at 5:15 pm

Intentions of Matthew & Jessica
(Stephanie Crowley)

Sunday, January 14th at 9:00 am

For the People

Monday, January 15th at 9:30 am

Anthony Sarzotti+ (Matilda)

Tuesday, January 16th at 11:00 am

Mary Boyle+

Mass to be held at Briargate

Wednesday, January 17th at 11:00 am

Mary Boyle+

Mass to be held at Helen Henderson

Thursday, January 18th

No Mass

Friday, January 19th at 9:30 am

In Thanksgiving – Fr. Americo Santos (CWL)

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, January 20th at 5:15 pm

Living & Deceased of The Amann Family
(Josef & Mary Grace)

Sunday, January 21st at 9:00 am

For the People

Saturday, January 20th at 5:15 pm

Lector: Margaret Wilson / Doris Flynn
Eucharist: Andrea Glover
Greeters: Andrea Glover / Margaret Wilson
Offertory Procession: Dillon Family

Sunday, January 21st at 9:00 am

Lector: Meghan Summers / Denis Allaire
Eucharist: Paul Godfrey
Children's Liturgy: TBD
Greeters: Lyle Arcand / Stan Petric
Offertory Procession: Lyle & Aggie Arcand



Welcome to our Parish!

We are glad you are attending Mass here! If you are not using Offertory Envelopes, please call Donna at: 613-389-2009 or email at: blessedsacrament@cogeco.net to have a box of envelopes registered in your name.

Homily Summary

On this second Sunday of Ordinary Time, we hear the voice of God louder as always, inviting us to be his disciples. Today, the Holy Mother Church reminds us that God's call is real for us. God knows us and calls us personally by our names. Thus, the Church encourages us to respond effectively to this call with our body and soul.

First Communion News

An information meeting takes place on **Thursday, February 8, 2024, at 7:00 pm** in Blessed Sacrament Church (meeting is mandatory). If your child is baptized Catholic, in grade 2 (or missed receiving their First Communion) please attend this mandatory meeting. Further information: please call Donna at 613-389-2009.

Children's Liturgy

More leaders are urgently needed for Children's Liturgy at our Sunday, 9 am Mass. Please volunteer and be part of our rotation. If interested contact Fr. Americo or Donna.

CWL Memberships for 2024

All women over the age of 16 are invited to journey in a sisterhood of faith, fun and fulfillment by joining the Catholic Women's League! The annual fee is only \$25.00. Call Shirley (613-389-9810) for more information or place your cheque for \$25 in an envelope with your name and phone number. Mark the outside "CWL MEMBERSHIP" and place it in the collection basket at any mass or drop it in the church mailbox on Briscoe St. Members who renew before January 31st will be eligible for a prize!

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults and Children)

The RCIA is for those who have little knowledge of the Catholic faith and have not been baptized. Would you like to become Catholic? We are inviting you to participate in a process of formation. RCIA culminates with the sacraments of Christian Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist) at the Easter Vigil. This process is called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). Those who are already baptized in other Christian denominations, but who would like to enter the Full Communion of the Catholic Church, generally follow a similar process, though it may be shorter in duration. Those already baptized complete their Christian initiation in the Catholic Church by celebrating the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist. Please call the parish office by this Tuesday, to register for either process. Meetings will be offered by zoom and in-person starting **this Thursday at 5 pm**.

Prayer for Christian Unity

The universal week of prayer (January 18-25) encourages Christians of all denominations to meet, to participate in various liturgical and other community activities and to pray together that all may be one, as Christ desires. It is important to seek a deeper understanding of ecumenism.

Hockey Pool

To follow our parish hockey pool go to: <https://www.officepools.com/nhl/classic/auth/2023/regular/BlessedSacrament2324/hockey>.

Dates to Remember

- Euchre: **Tuesday, Jan 16th at 7:00 pm**
- Knights of Columbus: **Tues., Feb. 6th at 7:00 pm**
- CWL General Meeting: **Tues., Feb. 13th at 7:00 pm**
- First Communion Meeting: **Thurs., Feb. 8th at 7:00 pm**

Bingo

- **Jan. 17th at 1:00 pm:** Lyle Arcand / Dan Jaynes
- **Jan 29th at 5:00 pm:** Peter Hanley / Dan Jaynes

Food Drive

Each month our parish will collect for the Food Bank. **The next parish Food Drive is February 3/4.** Please make cheques payable to: *"Partners In Mission Food Bank"*. **Please return any unused blue bags to back of church, needed to continue our food drive!** These bags were meant for the food drive – sorry for any inconvenience. Thanks for your donations, they are appreciated.