

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

Monday, January 22nd
No Mass

Tuesday, January 23rd
No Mass

Wednesday, January 24th
No Mass

Thursday, January 25th
No Mass

Friday, January 26th
No Mass

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, January 27th at 5:15 pm
Intentions of Bernadette Veitch
(Brian & Pat Hoobin)

Sunday, January 28th at 9:00 am
For the People

Saturday, January 27th at 5:15 pm

Lector: Gail Raymond / Doris Flynn
Eucharist: Sean Flynn
Greeters: Rose Reid / Theresa Shanks
Offertory Procession: Andy & Margaret Wilson

Sunday, January 28th at 9:00 am

Lector: Lisa Hodgson / Peter Hanley
Eucharist: Nathalie Scott
Children's Liturgy: TBD
Greeters: Lyle Arcand / Stan Petric
Offertory Procession: Knights of Columbus

Dates to Remember

- Knights of Columbus: **Tues., Feb. 6th at 7:00 pm**
- First Communion Meeting: **Thurs., Feb. 8th at 7:00 pm**
- CWL General Meeting: **Tues., Feb. 13th at 7:00 pm**
- Ash Wednesday: **Wed., Feb. 14th**
- Euchre: **Tuesday, Feb 20th at 7:00 pm**

Bingo

- **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*". For January we received 38 bags of food and \$375. Thanks for the donations! As well, much appreciation to the volunteers who help make this happen!!

Hockey Pool

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

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.



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 third Sunday of ordinary time, the church reminds us of the shortness of our time in this world. This is the theme that runs through the three readings of this Sunday. Therefore, if our time is short, we must believe the good news and live for the kingdom of God. We do not have enough time to waste by hating, sinning and on earthly attachments.

First Communion News

An information meeting takes place on **Thursday, February 8, 2024, at 7:00 pm** in Blessed Sacrament parish hall. 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.

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!

2023-2024 Catholic Women's League Executive

Congratulations to our new executive!!

President: Donna Guiney
Vice President / Membership: Shirley McDonald
Secretary: Mary Lou Hills
Treasurer: Danna Dobson
Past President: Kelly Neville
Chairpersons:
Faith: Liz Ford
Service: Danna Dobson
Social Justice: TBA

Partners In Mission

Thank you to all who have contributed to "Partners In Mission Food Bank". Since July of last year, Blessed Sacrament has contributed just over \$2600 and 260 bags of groceries. Thanks to all who have contributed and volunteered their time for this endeavour! At the end of December, the Food Bank was providing 90+ food hampers each day and distributed 18,510 food hampers to 8,147 people, which was another record year for them. As the cost of living continues to increase, we are seeing people that we have never seen in the past. The number of children being helped has increased over last year and at the halfway point of this year, we are almost at the total number of children that were helped last year. We at Partners in Mission Food Bank feel that our team of great volunteers are the primary reason we are able to obtain this level of efficiency. As part of a generous and giving community, your support with other individuals, churches, schools, businesses, and organizations, ensures we're better able to achieve our important charitable mission and we can continue to support your neighbours in need. Thank you for being a leader in our generous and giving community!