

**St. Linus Church,  
Bath, Ontario**

Telephone: 613-352-5832

Pastor: Father Tim Shea

Sunday Mass 10:30 a.m.

Reconciliation: Available upon request or at Blessed Sacrament, Amherstview

Mass at Blessed Sacrament, Amherstview, Saturday at 5:15 p.m., Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses at 9:30 a.m. (schedule changes - call for times 613-389-2009)

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**Sunday, December 24, 2017**

**Fourth Sunday of Advent**

**The month of December is dedicated to the Immaculate Conception.**

**Prayer Quilts:** As small hand tied quilts are made, a silent prayer is said for someone in special need. If someone you know is facing a health or personal issue and would like a prayer quilt, please contact Mary Dupel at (613) 389-6104. There is no charge for these quilts.

**St. Linus Christmas Mass Schedule:**

Sunday Dec. 24 7:00 pm

**Blessed Sacrament Christmas Mass Schedule:**

Sunday Dec 24 5:00pm and 9:00pm

Monday Dec 25 10:00am

Monday Jan 1 10:00am

**Campaign for Life Mass:** On the Feast Holy Innocents Thursday, December 28, 2017 there will be Mass at St. Mary's Cathedral at 7:00 p.m. On this particular day of the Christmas Season, when we remember the Holy Innocents - the babies who were killed by Herod seeking the Christ Child - we will gather to pray for our "innocents", the thousands of victims of abortion. Please join us. For further information contact Campaign Life Coalition at 613-389-4472 or 613-382-1084.

**St. Francis Xavier Relic Visit:** A famous relic of St. Francis Xavier—his right forearm and hand, with which it is thought he baptized over 100,000 people—is coming to Canada. This is an extraordinary opportunity; the relic rarely leaves Rome. Everyone is welcome to come venerate this great saint. There will be events in 14 cities across Canada, including at St. Mary's Cathedral, Kingston on Wednesday, January 10th. Go to [cco.ca/relic](http://cco.ca/relic) for details.

**Family Skating:** Wednesday, December 27, 1 pm.

**Parish Hockey:** 2:00 pm Kids Hockey; 3:00 pm Adult Hockey. Sign up for hockey at the back of the church. Full equipment necessary!

**CHILI FEAST:** Chase away the cold winter blues at our Chili Feast! Join us on Saturday, January 13th at 6:30 pm in the Blessed Sacrament church hall for good food, door prizes and a fun night. Only 120 tickets will be sold. Vegetarian & gluten-free options are available. Tickets: Adults \$10...Family of 4 - \$30, additional children \$5 each. To order tickets, call Marie: 613-384-8238.

**KOC Thank you:** The Knights of Columbus thanks all who participated in the Nativity Raffle Draw. First Pick (winner) is Patricia Murray who chose the adult scene. Second Pick (winner) is Deb Fisher who receives the children's scene. The KoC will donate the proceeds \$337.00 to the Priest's Retirement Fund.

**Volunteers:**

Lector	Dec 31	Rosemarie Mallen
	Jan 7	Melanie Myers
Eucharistic Minister	Dec 31	Donna Clifford, Tom Clifford & Esther Mitchell
	Jan 7	Donna Clifford, Tom Clifford & Esther Mitchell
Church Preparation	Dec	Maureen Eaton
	Jan	Zena & Kevin Hinch
Ministers of Hospitality	Dec 31	Roger & Dora Burke
	Jan 7	Zena & Kevin Hinch
Altar Servers	Dec 31	Maureen Eaton
	Jan 7	Ken Burns

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