

**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 1
First 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.

Bath Canada Day Domino Theatre: The Bath Canada Day Committee is sponsoring a Domino Theatre event on Wed, Dec 11. The play is The Christmas Carol. This will be one of the major fund raisers for the Bath Canada Day activities. Call Laurie Minorgan for tickets, 613-352-9982.

Bingo Volunteers Needed: St. Linus Church is one of about a hundred charities in the Kingston area that participate in assisting at the Community Spirit Gaming Associations bingos. Charities are awarded a financial payment, based on revenues generated, for the bingo at which they participate. For our church, this income is critical to maintaining and improving our church and property. We participate in approximately 3 bingo's a month. This involves 2 volunteers for each session for a period of 2 hours to assist the regular employees. We require some new volunteers to maintain our status quo. Must be over 18 years old. Most of our bingo assignments currently occur at 1pm on a Friday afternoon, with a couple at 10pm. Each participant is given a list of our assignments about 6 months in advance and our volunteers have an opportunity to indicate which one(s) they would be able to attend. Please seriously consider volunteering in support of our church. Please contact Debbie Fischer or Anita Fasken if you are interested

Thank You: The generosity of the Parishioners of St. Linus Church once again shone through. Your Parish Council thanks you for all the items donated for the Hotel Dieu / St. Mary's Winter Clothing Drive. We had coats, scarves, hats, mittens, and gloves to name some. My trunk of my SUV was packed! These items will be incredibly helpful. God Bless you, and thank you from the Members of your Council.

An Advent Evening with Archbishop Mulhall: Wed, Dec 4, 7:00 – 8:30pm at St. Mary's Cathedral. Surrounded by the beautiful music of Advent, Archbishop Mulhall will present three brief prayerful reflections on how each of us can prepare to celebrate the Incarnation of the Lord, which we celebrate at Christmas. A reception of mulled cider and shortbread will follow. All are welcome.

Archdiocesan Eucharistic Celebration: Please join us for the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Monday, December 9th, 7:30 pm; Saint Mary's Cathedral, Kingston. Social to follow.

Christmas Mass Times

Tues., December 24th 5 pm – in Amherstview

7 pm – in Bath

9 pm – in Amherstview

Wed., December 25th 10 am – in Amherstview

Adoration and Benediction of The Blessed Sacrament: Adoration and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament is held at Blessed Sacrament every Friday following 9:30 am Mass. Everyone welcome.

Volunteers:

Lector	Dec 8	Donna Clifford
	Dec 15	Shaun O'Reilly
Eucharistic Minister	Dec 8	Debra Fischer, Donna Clifford, Jane Leduc Potter
	Dec 15	Zena Hinch, Tom Clifford, Donna Clifford
Ministers of Hospitality	Dec 8	Edna Dobransky & Lynda Smith
	Dec 15	Debra Fischer & Maureen Eaton
Church Preparation	Dec	Dora & Roger Burke
Altar Servers	Dec 8	Maureen Eaton
	Dec 15	Kevin Hinch

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