

**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, February 23
Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

The month of February is dedicated to the Holy Family.

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.

World Day of Prayer 2020: This year St. Linus Church will host the 'World Day of Prayer' to be held on Friday, March 6th at 1:00 p.m. Every year, we are given the opportunity to take part in this very special service that is held throughout the world. We will be joined by our good friends from St. John's Anglican and Bath United Churches. The service was written by the World Day of Prayer Committee of Zimbabwe and the theme is "Rise - Take Your Mat and Walk". This is an 'Ecumenical' experience that we have found to be rewarding, both spiritually and socially. Since we are hosting this year, we strongly encourage parishioners who are available to attend. Refreshments will be served following the service.

Bingo Volunteers needed: St. Linus is a registered Charity with the OLG and through our Volunteering at Bingo, we have been able to make many improvements to our Church from the income earned (e.g. paving of our Parking Lot / roof repairs / landscaping, etc.). Two volunteer Parishioners are asked to be available for 2 hours, usually on a Friday, to assist at Bingo. Our commitment is usually two to three times a month, which gets divided among all the Volunteers. We are looking for more Volunteers who would be willing to make that commitment for our Parish. If you think you can help, please contact Anita Fasken, at Church, or call her at [\(613\) 352-7200](tel:6133527200).

Knights of Columbus Lottery Tickets: Ken Burns will be selling Knights of Columbus lottery tickets after Mass for the next several weeks.

Lenten Schedule:

- Ash Wednesday, Mass at Blessed Sacrament, Feb 26 7 pm.
- Ash Wednesday collection will be donated to the St. Vincent de Paul Society
- Stations of the Cross, St. Linus: Friday, Feb 28, 7pm.

Guided Lenten Retreat: 'Rend Your Hearts, Not Your Clothing' – Friday, March 6th at 7:00 pm to Sunday, March 8th at 1:15 pm at Providence Spirituality Centre, Kingston. Facilitator is Deacon Bill Gervais. Call 613-542-8826 to register (by Friday, February 14th). Cost \$165. Those who prefer a directed retreat are also invited to register. Cost \$150.

Guest Preacher at Saint Mary's Cathedral: Father Jacques Philippe will be coming to preach at all the Sunday Masses (5:00 pm on February 29th, 8:00 am, 10:30 am & 7:00 pm on March 1st) and will lead a Parish Mission on The Eight Beatitudes at 7:00 pm on Monday, March 2nd, Tuesday, March 3rd and Wednesday, March 4th. For information, please contact stmaryscathedral.ca

Euchre and Bridge Night: Join us at 7:00 pm on the third Tuesday of the month for an evening of euchre and bridge in the Blessed Sacrament church hall. This event is open to all who are over age 16 - bring your friends, family and neighbours! Cover charge is \$2/person. Light refreshments served. Prizes will be awarded and there is *Share the Wealth* every evening. The next euchre & bridge evening is Tuesday, March 17 at 7:00 pm.

Volunteers:

Lector	March 1	Helen Norris
Eucharistic Minister	March 1	Dan Willemse, Melanie Myers, Steve Quinn
Ministers of Hospitality	March 1	Barb & Larry Dumont
Church Preparation	Feb	Debra Fischer & Maureen Eaton
	March	Dora & Roger Burke
Altar Servers	March 1	Ken Burns
Bingo	Feb 28	Steve Quinn and Ken Burns
	March 6	Jane Leduc-Potter and Ken Burns
	March 13	Steve Quinn and Darlene Boucher

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