

Saint Joseph and Precious Blood Parishes *Paroisses Saint-Joseph et Précieux-Sang*

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Sacrament of Baptism

Kindly advise the pastor at least two months before the date of the celebration.

Sacrament of Marriage

The pastor would be please to meet those preparing for marriage one year before the marriage date. You must be registered and members of the parish.

Sacrament of Penance

Before the Eucharistic celebrations or by appointment at the rectory.

Our Sick

We are always pleased to bring Holy Communion to the sick, to the elderly unable to come to church. Contact the pastor or the deacon.

Sacrement du baptême

S'adresser au presbytère au moins 2 mois avant la date de la célébration.

Sacrement du mariage

Le curé sera heureux de rencontrer les futurs mariés 1 an avant leur mariage. Vous devez être enregistré et membre de la paroisse.

Sacrement de pénitence

Avant les célébrations eucharistiques ou sur rendez-vous au presbytère.

Nos malades

Nous sommes toujours heureux d'apporter la Sainte Communion aux malades ou aux vieillards retenus à la maison. Adressez-vous au curé ou le diacre.

EPIPHANY OF THE LORD / ÉPIPHANIE DU SEIGNEUR

SATURDAY, January 6th

16h00 (Lancaster) **Rev. Bernard Cameron** par Leo & Beverley Gaucher
17h30 (Glen Walter) **PRO POPULO**



SUNDAY, January 7th

9h00 (Glen Walter) **Angele Piche** by Alan & Rita Boyce
11h00 (Lancaster) **Deceased Boudreault family members** by Louissette Marleau

TUESDAY, January 9th

9h00 (Glen Walter) **Rolland Piche** par Denise Emond & famille

***WEDNESDAY, January 10th**

9h30 (Chartwell Lancaster) Kay McDonald by the estate

***THURSDAY, January 11th**

9h30 (école l'Ange-Gardien) Robert Villemaire par la succession

FRIDAY, January 12th

9h00 (Lancaster) **ADORATION**
9h30 (Lancaster) **Defunts famille Bourdeau** par Irene Bourdeau

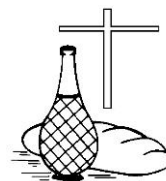
SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME / DEUZIÈME DIMANCHE DU TEMPS ORDINAIRE

SATURDAY, January 13th

16h00 (Lancaster) **Patsy Poirier** par Gilles Villeneuve
17h30 (Glen Walter) **PRO POPULO**

SUNDAY, January 14th

9h00 (Glen Walter) **Rod Poirier** by Gabe & Louise McEvoy
11h00 (Lancaster) **Josef Moos** by Paul & Heidi Oeggerli



TUESDAY, January 16th

9h00 (Glen Walter) **Dorothy Charland** by Maurice & Virginia Charland

WEDNESDAY, January 17th

9h00 (Lancaster) **Sylvia Sangster** by the estate

THURSDAY, January 18th

9h00 (Glen Walter) **Rolland Piche** par Bernadette & Kevin Proulx

FRIDAY, January 19th

9h00 (Lancaster) **ADORATION**
9h30 (Lancaster) **Thanks to St-Jude, Ste-Therese, Miraculous Medal & St-Joseph** for favors received

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME / TROISIÈME DIMANCHE DU TEMPS ORDINAIRE

SATURDAY, January 20th

16h00 (Lancaster) **Freida & Karl Nadlinger** par Johanne & Hermine Mader
17h30 (Glen Walter) **PRO POPULO**

SUNDAY, January 21st

9h00 (Glen Walter) **Howard McEvoy** by Gabe & Louise McEvoy
11h00 (Lancaster) **Isabelle Carriere** by Melissa, Stephane & sister Mya





Precious Blood Parish in Glen Walter will be hosting their next **BINGO** on **Wednesday, January 10th, 2018** in the church hall starting at 7:00 pm. **EARLY BIRD GAMES start at 6:20 pm.** Over \$1200.00 to be won. Don't forget, it's Fr. Marc's special bingo, there's an extra \$500.00 game. **Hope to see you there!**

La Paroisse Précieux-Sang, de Glen Walter, planifie son prochain **BINGO** le **mercredi, 10 janvier, 2018 à 19h00** dans la salle paroissiale. **PARTIES ARRIVE-TÔT à 18h20.** Plus de \$1200.00 à gagner. N'oubliez-pas, c'est le bingo spécial du Père Marc, il y aura une partie supplémentaire de 500\$. **Espérant vous voir des nôtres.**

A CHRISTMAS GIFT - The **SEAWAY VALLEY THEATRE COMPANY** will soon present their annual musical production, "**Beauty and the Beast**". Show dates are **February 16th, 17th, 23rd and 24th at 7:30pm**; we also have two afternoon matinees on **February 18th and 19th at 1:30pm** at the **Aultsville Theatre**. Advance tickets are available online at www.svtc.theticketwicket.ca. Also available in person or by phone at the SD&G United Way office, 405 Fourth Street West, Cornwall, 613-932-2051.

Soup's On by the Alzheimer Society of Cornwall and District - **Tuesday January 23** at Civic Complex, Salon B, **11:30 am - 2:00 pm**. Taste 12 soups and vote for your favourite. Silent auction, prizes, 50/50 draw, music and more. Stop in for warm soup on a cold winter's day! For more information, contact 613 932-4914

Le Potage est prêt, avec la Société Alzheimer de Cornwall et région, le **mardi 23 janvier** au Centre Civic Complex, Salon B, de **11h30 à 14h00**. Goutez à 12 potages et votez pour votre recette préférée. Encan silencieux, prix, tirage 50/50, musique et plus. Venez faire un tour, pour une bonne soupe chaude pendant une journée d'hiver. Pour des renseignements additionnels, communiquez avec nous au 613 932-4914.

The Knights of Columbus 5068 (Glen Walter), "Club 300" lottery tickets will be available from any K of C member or at the parish office (613-931-1424), to be drawn on May 20th, 2018.

CONCERTS SEAWAY WINDS CONCERTS

Tickets are available for a concert that will be held on **Saturday, May 12, 2018, 7:30 pm** "*Some Enchanted Evening*" at Aultsville Theatre, featuring soloist Lacie Petrynka. Cost is \$15.00. See Fr. Marc Piché for tickets.

Il y a des billets disponibles pour un concert qui aura lieu le **samedi 12 mai, 2018, 19h30** «*Some Enchanted Evening*» au théâtre Aultsville avec le soloïste Lacie Petrynka. Le coût est de 15\$. S.v.p. voir le Père Marc Piché pour des billets.

The Knights of Columbus, Council 8715, would like to thank everyone for your kind donations towards the Local Food Bank. Your kind gesture will certainly be appreciated by the less fortunate during the Christmas Season. Again this year over 50 families will have received a food basket. **A special Thank You for those who participated in this food drive.**

St. Francis de Sales K of C 11531, **ROAST BEEF DINNER** on **Thursday, January 11th, 2018**, from 4:30-6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

St. François de Sales C de C 11531, **DÎNER DE RÔTI DE BOEUF**, le **jeudi, 11 janvier 2018** 16h30-18h00 dans la salle paroissiale.

"Come to the Water". Come, drink deeply of the life-giving water that Jesus is for us in a spiritually rejuvenating winter weekend retreat at Maison Shalom House in Alexandria, **February 2 - 4, 2018**. Dynamic retreat master Anne Shore, a gifted

Catholic educator and vibrant speaker, will explore the theme as the weekend unfolds, leaving plenty of time for personal prayer and reflection. Fr. Allan MacDonald, CC, General Superior of the Companions of the Cross, returns to his Glengarry roots as the Sacramental Priest for this retreat. Cost is \$185.00 per person, including accommodation and meals. A deposit of \$100.00 is required by December 15th, 2017. For information or to register, contact Inez, 613-347-7666 inez1989@hotmail.com or Elizabeth, 613-527-3209, bmcdonell@explornet.com or Sr. Sue Burns csc, 613-525-1704 or maisonshalomhouse@bellnet.ca.

St. Francis de Sales K of C 11531 are having a 'Family Breakfast' on **Sunday, January 28th, 2018** from 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Everyone welcome.

« **Petit déjeuner** » par les **C. de C. St-François de Sales, Conseil 11531**, le **dimanche, 28 janvier, 2018** de 8h30-12h00, en la salle paroissiale. Tous sont les bienvenues.

"I'M STILL HERE", at Upper Canada Playhouse
March 11, 2018 at 1:30pm

Of interest to everyone, this production aims to help us better understand the experiences from the perspective of a care partner and of the person diagnosed with dementia or Alzheimer's disease. Purchase your tickets now for \$20 at the Alzheimer Society of Cornwall and District 613-932-4914, 1068 Second Street West.

Pièce de théâtre « **I'M STILL HERE** »
Le 11 mars 2018, à 13h30

Cette pièce de théâtre suscite l'intérêt de tous et porte sur la réalité des familles touchées par la maladie Alzheimer ou par des troubles cognitifs, du point de vu de l'aidant, ainsi que celui de l'individu atteint d'une démence. Communiquez avec la Société Alzheimer de Cornwall et région pour vos billets (20\$ le billet) 613-932-4914, 1068 ouest, rue Deuxième.

An Exceptional Star

When I was young, the feast of the Three Kings, which we now call the Epiphany, always fascinated me. I had lots of questions. Who were these three Magi? Were there only three or were there more? Were they really kings? They had unusual names. We believe they were Balthazar, Melchior and Gaspard. Wasn't one of them black?

I know that these details are not important. St. Matthew notes in his Gospel that the wise men from the Orient, east of Jordan, were guided by an unusual star. The astrologers represented the pagan world that would welcome Jesus as Lord and be receptive to hearing the Good News of salvation. They said... *we have observed his star at its rising, and have come to pay him homage.*

It is not important to know whether this star followed a mysterious trajectory, or whether it was visible to those who either accepted or rejected the prophecies. This exceptional star announced the birth of the long-awaited Savior-King, which the angels revealed to the shepherds. The Lord is our Guide who leads to salvation – and includes everyone from pagan Magi to poor shepherds. Our salvation is universal and *catholic*, (*from the Greek word katholikos*) and is offered to *men and women of good will.*

Mathew records the details of the meeting between the unexpected visitors from the Orient who told their strange story to King Herod and his entourage at Jerusalem. The entourage did not travel to the grotto in Bethlehem because they expected the Magi to return and confirm their story. However the Magi chose to return home by a different route. Their story of the Savior-King's birth started a series of events that would culminate in the death of Mary and Joseph's son.

The Magi journeyed to the manger in Bethlehem and presented Jesus with symbolic gifts. They bowed before the Child and offered him **gold** as befitted a king; they heralded him as the promised Savior-King with the rising **frankincense** of their prayers; the **myrrh** represented their fulfilled hope when Christ would conquer death.

This beautiful story still fascinates me. Are there modern Magi among us? Do they still come from the Orient? What gifts do they bring? Probably the best of themselves: their heartfelt welcome, profound spirituality, and joy that animate their souls.

We acknowledge the remarkable contributions of past and present Magi, anticipate all future initiatives, and welcome them as people of good will.

Gilles Leblanc