

ST. KEVIN'S PARISH

St. Kevin Site

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Pastor.....Fr. Michael Williams
Secretary.....Trudy McEwan
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Rev. Mr. Gord Jenkinson
Rev. Mr. Marshall Meehan
Diocesan Order of WomenMichelle Jenkinson

Parish Pastoral Council

Gord Jenkinson Jeannette Rainville
Marilyn Paul Aline Radey

Parish Finance Committee

Barb Deschamps Maurice Deschamps
Stan Kunto Charlie Larmondin
Mark Patterson

Coordinators of Ministries

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Gail Collins - SK Site Lorraine Green - OLP Site

Lectors

Ed & Aline Zickar - SK Site Romaine Chappell - OLP Site

Altar Servers

Ron Denomme - SK Site Elaine Nadon - OLP Site

Children's Liturgy

Chantal MacNeill - SK Site Jen Smith - OLP Site
Crystal Bruneau - OLP Site

Baptism

Diane Marcuccio

Confirmation

Gord Jenkinson

RCIA

Pat Partington

Prayer Line

Dina Farinon 897-4608 - SK Site
Helen Gustafson 858-1783 - OLP Site
Gaye Martel 858-2682 - OLP Site

2nd Sunday of Advent December 7, 2014



Reconciliation

Saturdays: 11:00 a.m. to Noon at St. Kevin Site
or anytime by appointment.

Baptisms

Please speak to Fr. Michael following any Mass.

Marriage

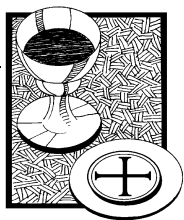
Please contact Fr. Michael at least eight months
before your proposed date.

Ministry to the Sick

For communion to the sick and shut-in and
celebration of the Sacrament of the Sick,
please contact the parish office or speak
to Fr. Michael following any Mass.

Registration in the Parish

Registration forms are available
in the entrance.



Mass Schedule

Monday December 8th to Sunday December 14th 2014

Day	Masses and Intentions		Readings
<i>Monday</i>	No Parish Mass		<p><u><i>The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i></u> Genesis 3.9-15, 20 Ephesians 1.3-6, 11-12 Luke 1.26-38</p>
<i>Tuesday</i>	<p>9:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site</p>	<p>For Michael Newman By Pat Newman</p>	<p>Isaiah 40.1-11 Matthew 18.12-14</p>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<p>9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site</p>	<p>For Earl Gallagher By St. Kevin's CWL</p>	<p>Isaiah 40.25-31 Matthew 11.28-30</p>
<i>Thursday</i>	<p>9:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site</p>	<p>For Gaston Rainville By Jacqueline Sharkey</p>	<p>Isaiah 41.13-20 Matthew 11.11-15</p>
<i>Friday</i>	<p>9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site</p>	<p>For Leo Burns By Gail & Bruce Collins</p>	<p><u><i>Our Lady of Guadalupe</i></u> Zec. 2.10-13 Luke 1.39-47</p>
<i>Saturday</i>	<p>5:00 p.m. St. Kevin Site</p>	<p>For Ferruccio Bordignon By The Lambert & Clementine Families For Knights of Columbus Deceased Members By the Knights of Columbus</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Third Sunday Of Advent</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Isaiah 61.1-2a, 10-11 1 Thessalonians 5.16-24 John 1.6-8, 19-28</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>
<i>Sunday</i>	<p>9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site</p>	<p>For Leo Guenette By Roland & Fred Michaud For Joyce Paravano By Wayne & Betty Jennings</p>	
	<p>11:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site</p>	<p>For the Parishioners of St. Kevin's Parish By Fr. Michael</p>	

3rd Sunday of Advent

Minister's Schedule for December 13th and December 14th 2014

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

5:00 p.m. St. Kevin Site	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site	11:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site
Deacon Steve Helen Michaud Agnes Yorke John Zymantas Carmen Lehto Anne Malnachuk	Deacon Gord Sue Beaudry Gloria Scott Rolly Michaud Dina Farinon Luigi Farinon	Jeannette Rainville Jim Welch Helen Welch

Lector's Schedule

5:00 p.m. St. Kevin Site	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site	11:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site
Barb Deschamps Maurice Deschamps	Doris Labelle Marina Lamoureux	Laura Stirrett Robert Johnston

*Your weekly contribution to St. Kevin's Parish made on
November 30th was \$3,960.30.*

Thank you for the support you give to your Parish.

This amount includes the envelope and 'loose' collection from all three Sunday Masses
last weekend.

CWL Meetings

*St. Kevin Site: Every 2nd
Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.*



*Our Lady of Peace Site: Every 2nd
Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m.*

*Knights of Columbus Council #3866 : Every 3rd Thursday of each month at the
Our Lady of Peace Site Hall. Meetings begin at 7:00 p.m.*

*Knights of Columbus Council #7368: The 1st Tuesday of each month at the
St. Kevin's Site Hall. Meetings begin at 7:30 p.m.*





CONFIRMATION:

Bishop Plouffe will be in our Parish (St. Kevin Site) on Monday evening this week to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation with those who have been preparing for this gift. The Mass begins at 7pm. Please keep all of these young Parishioners in your prayers.



CWL Incentive: As in years past, payment of Memberships by December 31, 2014 will be eligible for a reimbursement of \$20. with the winner to be drawn at our January 13, 2015, General Meeting. We hope that you take advantage of this offer. Early payment of dues allows CWL to budget accordingly.

CWL GENERAL MEETING Tuesday December 9th @ 7 pm. Annual Reports and Tea Reports to be discussed. Fundraising and Fun events discussion for upcoming year.

Last chance today ladies! Purchase your Dinner Tickets Traditional Turkey sit down Dinner
Wednesday December 10th 2014 *Tickets are \$ 23. 00*



We did it!!

Thank you to all the parishioners of both sites for giving your time and filling boxes for Operation Christmas Child Samaritan's Purse. We filled 128 boxes!

The children will certainly enjoy your gifts.

Your spirit and kindness is very much appreciated.



Busy Bees

Every Wednesday morning after 9:30 mass

2015 DONATION ENVELOPES:

If you used donation envelopes this year, your new 2015 boxed set is now available in the entranceways of both worship sites.

They will only be there until early January,

so please pick your box up as soon as possible. We have done our best to separate the boxes according to worship site; however, if your set is not there, it may be at the other site. Please just ask Fr. Michael, and he will bring your envelopes to the correct site upon request.

CHRISTMAS MASSES:

For those who like to plan ahead, the Christmas Mass schedule for our Parish this year is as follows:

December 24 th at 5pm	Our Lady of Peace Site
December 24 th at 8pm	St. Kevin's Site
December 25 th at 10am	St. Kevin's Site

CHRISTMAS BULLETIN:

We will distribute our Christmas bulletin this year on the 4th Sunday of Advent (December 21st). There will be no other bulletin published until January 11, 2015. Please be sure to submit bulletin announcements that pertain to this time period to the Parish office no later than Noon on Wednesday, December 17th.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL:

At our second extraordinary meeting of the Parish Leadership Team on Friday, November 28th, attended by twelve Parishioners, some key decisions were made pertaining to the structure of this body.

Effective immediately, the Parish Leadership Team will now be known as the Parish Pastoral Council. It will be composed of between 8 – 12 Parishioners, representing both Worship Sites on the basis of a 50-50 split.

Membership will be drawn from the Parish at large, on the basis of those who wish to volunteer as members. Beginning in January, all Parishioners will be invited to consider sitting as a PPC member. If there are more volunteers than there are positions available, an election will be held to determine membership.

The mandate of this body will be to assist the Pastor in meeting the various pastoral needs of the Parish, through a process that will involve the investigation of pastoral issues, pondering solutions, and making recommendations based on what is discovered.

The more specific structure that will guide the PPC is to be put in place by the members themselves. It is envisioned that the PPC will meet quarterly, although they may initially choose to meet more frequently in order to organize themselves as a group.

A new "Pastoral Council" tab has been added to our Parish Web Page, and it is here that the decisions of the Council will be published. Some of the work of the previous PLT will also be published there; the Parish 5 Year Plan has already been posted.

Between now and January, please prayerfully consider if God is calling you to serve on this Council.

**Society of St. Vincent de Paul
St. Kevin's Conference**



Please help make Christmas special by taking a tag from the Gift giving tree and returning your gift ***by next weekend.***

All gifts must be returned unwrapped with their tags attached. If you are unsure about what to get someone, a Gift card is appropriate and always appreciated.

Thank you for your continued support to our friends in need.

Community Outreach

Help for the Street People

There is a Need for Blankets & Men's Gloves

Drop off your donations here at the church during office hours:

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. & 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Your donations are to be put on the shelf at the back door.

Bread & Roses Food Bank Capreol

This Capreol outreach program is open on the ***third Thursday*** of each month from ***10:00 a.m. until noon at Trinity United Church.***

For more information call Charlotte @ 222-9664 or Romaine @ 858-3859.

For ***December*** and ***January***, as well as the usual food donations, the food bank is especially asking for ***CANNED STEW.***

PRAYER SERVICE:

Since Monday is the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception, Fr. Michael will celebrate a special liturgy for the staff, parents and students at Immaculate Conception School in Val Caron that day, beginning at 10:30am.

THANK YOU:

The Catholic Women's League members from both our sites worked hard to prepare for and host their respective Teas/Bazaars last month. We are grateful to them for their hard work and dedication, in bringing so many people together for these events.

As a direct result of their efforts, they have donated to the Parish the following amounts: \$866.00 from the Our Lady of Peace Bazaar, and \$650.40 from the St. Kevin's Tea.

Thank you, ladies, for the generous use of your time and talents for the benefit of our Parish and community, and for sharing in the treasure resulting from the work of your hands.



Memorial Christmas Flowers

There are envelopes available for parishioners who are interested in making a donation to the parish for flowers. We suggest this donation be given in memory of a deceased loved one.

Loved ones will be remembered during a Christmas Mass and their names published in the Christmas bulletin.

Donations must be received by December 14th in order to be included in the Christmas bulletin.



Pancake and Sausage Breakfast Our Lady of Peace Site

December 14th

11:00am to 1:30pm

Knights of Columbus Council 3866. Proceeds to Capreol Lions Club Christmas hampers. No set charge. Open donation accepted.

VOCATIONS:

“Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight.” Mk 1.3 Are you prepared to meet the Lord on the paths of your life? Are you discerning the call to priesthood? Contact your Pastor or Fr. Pat Woods at the Office of Vocations 705-674-2727 ext 250 or pwoods@diocesecentre.com

and check out www.beapriest.ca

PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE.



CHRISTMAS CARDS:

For those who are interested, there are still mixed packages of Christmas cards (packages of 10) available for sale in the Narthex of our St. Kevin's Site. One of the packages is open so that you can see what the individual cards look like. Please don't open any others – they are all the same.

The cost to purchase them is \$10/pack. This is an honour system – there is a cash box there to leave your money. 100% of your purchase will be given to the Pregnancy Center in Sudbury to support their fine work, so that the deeper meaning of Christmas may be amplified through your greeting cards this year.