

ST. KEVIN'S PARISH

St. Kevin Site

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Pastor.....Fr. Michael Williams
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Rev. Mr. Marshall Meehan
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Parish Leadership Team

Gord Jenkinson Kent MacNeill
Marilyn Paul Jim Welch
Jeannette Rainville

Parish Finance Committee

Barb Deschamps Maurice Deschamps
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Mark Patterson

Coordinators of Ministries

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Gail Collins - SK Site Lorraine Green - OLP Site

Lectors

Ed & Aline Zickar - SK Site Jim Welch - 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
Lenore D'Appolonia 858-1651 – OLP Site
Helen Gustafson 858-1783 – OLP Site

Third Sunday of Advent December 15, 2013



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

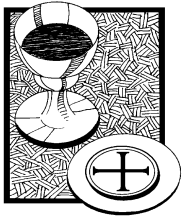
Please contact Fr. Michael at least eight months
before your proposed date.

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 16th to Sunday December 22nd 2013

Day	Masses and Intentions		Readings
<i>Monday</i>	No Parish Mass		Numbers 24.2-7, 15-17a Matthew 21.23-27
<i>Tuesday</i>	9:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site	For Oreste Cariati By Val & Vi Mazzuca	Genesis 49.2, 8-10 Matthew 1.1-17
<i>Wednesday</i>	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site	For Lorraine Brons By St. Kevin's Parish CWL	Jeremiah 23.5-8 Matthew 1.18-24
<i>Thursday</i>	9:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site	For Leonard Sorel By Andy & Angela Nadon	Judges 13.2-7, 24-25a Luke 1.5-25
<i>Friday</i>	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site	For Kees Van Alphen By Mary-Ann Van Alphen	Isaiah 7.10-14; 8.10d Luke 1.26-38
<i>Saturday</i>	5:00 p.m. St. Kevin Site	For Ferruccio Bordignon By The Bordignon Family & For George Malnachuk By Marthe Poirier	Fourth Sunday of Advent Isaiah 7.10-14 Romans 1.1-7 Matthew 1.18-24
<i>Sunday</i>	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site	For the Parishioners of St. Kevin's Parish By Fr. Michael	
	11:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site	For George Beck By Pat & Mike Newman & For Fr. Gerald Sullivan By Lenore D'Appolonia	

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Minister's Schedule for December 21st and December 22nd 2013

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 Gord Yvan Gunville Elva Chretien Maureen MacKinnon Leona Mealey John Zymantas	Deacon Steve Rolly Michaud Jacques Mantha Lynda Mantha Tony Van Alphen Tom Hawes	Fran Thomas 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
Helga Leblanc Barb Deschamps	Ed Zickar Aline Zickar	Bert D'Appolonia Laura Stirrett

*Your weekly contribution to St. Kevin's Parish made on
December 8th 2013 was
\$4,209.25*

Thank you for the support you give to your Parish.

This amount does not cover the expenses of running the Parish. The difference is made up from various sources, including bequests, wedding & funeral offerings, and memorial donations.

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.*





Busy Bees

The “Busy Bees” are taking a holiday and we will be back in January.

PILGRIMAGE to FATIMA and LOURDES -

You're invited to join Fr. Marian Struc on a spiritual journey to Fatima and Lourdes from May 25 – June 3, 2014. For more info contact Renata at 705-688-1131 or

renatatravel@sympatico.ca

Special Travel Presentation, Tuesday, December 10, 2013 at 7:00 pm
in the St. Mary's Church Auditorium by Collete – Religious Tours.

ADVENT RECONCILIATION:

As a means of preparation for our Parish Advent Reconciliation Celebration on Tuesday night this week (SK Worship Site at 7 pm.), everyone is invited to pray about and ponder 2 words. The first is a word of thanks to God for a particular grace, favor, strength or gift. Our primary reality before God is, after all, that of being blessed.

The second word is a word of sorrow for a failure, a sin or a weakness to which we have succumbed. Our reality before God also includes our need to be forgiven.

At our Reconciliation service, each one of us will be invited to speak first your word of thanks, and then your word of sorrow, to Fr. Michael, who will then pray the words of absolution over you. Two words.

NEW HYMNALS:

Regarding the new “Journey Songs” Hymn book, please take a copy from the cart when you enter the Church, and then return it to the cart when you leave.

Your cooperation in this is very much appreciated.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

A reminder that if you are sick and you want your name mentioned during the Universal Prayer, please let us know by Noon Saturday so as to have your name included in that weekend's prayer.

THEOTOKOS

There has grown up in this internet age the fad called “Flash Mobs” whereby a group of people congregates suddenly in a place predetermined and performs an unusual act for a brief time, quickly dispersing afterwards. I’m sure you’ve seen these, as videos of them have been widely disseminated on the web. Some are quite creative, and at this time of the year, you may view some that are meant to touch people through seemingly spontaneous musical renditions of favourite Christmas musical pieces that warm the heart and elicit positive emotional responses. If you’ve seen these, then you know that a good part of the enjoyment comes from watching the emotions expressed on the faces of the surprised spectators.

It struck me that this is such a simple way to bring joy to others. I don’t mean the complex choreography that underpins a really successful flash mob. Rather, I mean the simple surprise of touching the soul of someone who is lonely or sad or angry or hurt – with a smile, a compliment, or a word of support not elicited.

In 10 days, we begin our celebration of Christmas. It may seem to some that the preparation for it has taken on the tone of a massively choreographed mega project requiring tons of energy, focus, timing and investment. It need not be so. Sometimes, the most effective flash mobs are the most simple; so too with Christmas. Christ, after all, requested a rather simple stage for His incarnational debut. He still comes to us today in those familiar, simple surroundings of our life.



St. Vincent de Paul, St. Kevin’s Conference Food Bank Gift Tags

The Society wishes to thank those that have picked up a tag(s) in the Narthex. These gifts will be added to the registered families’ box that will be picked up on December 21.



Memorial Christmas Flowers

This is the last Sunday for the Memorial Christmas Flower donations to have the names published in the Christmas bulletin.

SOME OTHER ADVENT RECONCILIATION SERVICES IN OUR AREA:

Wed., Dec. 18th 10am – Noon and 12:30pm – 3pm: Christ the King

Tues/Wed/Thur. Dec. 17-19th 5pm – 7pm: Holy Redeemer

2014 DONATION ENVELOPES:

Please note that the envelopes will be available in the entranceways only until December 22nd – next weekend. After that Sunday, envelopes not picked up will be stored in the Parish office for you to pick up at your later convenience. If your mailing address is “Capreol”, your envelopes are at Our Lady of Peace. If your envelopes are at a site you do not normally attend, please let the Parish office know so that Fr. Michael can bring your envelopes to the correct location

Holy Hour: Follows our Thursday morning Mass in Capreol this week.



Value of the month for December Patience

Patience is regulating our thoughts and actions so we act with wisdom. Developing patience calls us to develop loving habits and helps us to respond lovingly to others in our choices and actions.



CHRISTMAS MASSES THIS YEAR:

December 24th at 5pm: OLP Worship Site
at 8pm: SK Worship Site
December 25th at 11am: OLP Worship Site

*For those who wish to attend a Midnight Mass on Christmas Eve,
there is one celebrated at Christ the King Church in downtown Sudbury.*

CHRISTMAS BULLETIN:

We will publish and distribute our Christmas bulletin next Sunday, and it will cover the entire Christmas Season (until Jan. 12). There will be no other bulletin published on either Dec. 29th or Jan. 5th. So, if anyone has information that needs to be published in the Parish bulletin before Jan. 12th, we will need to have it in the office by Noon of Wednesday this week.

Parish Office Closed: On Wednesday afternoon this week.

Also, the Parish Office will be closed for 2 weeks over the Christmas Season. The last day the office will be open this year is Friday, December 20th. It will next be open on Tuesday, January 7th.

PARISH ALBUMS:

If you had your picture taken and have not yet received your Parish Album, it is in the office for you to pick up during regular office hours. A few albums had some problems with ink running – if you received one that is damaged in this way, please bring it in for exchange.