



**MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH  
OUR LADY OF FATIMA PARISH  
SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH**

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**SCHEDULE**

**LORD'S DAY MASS**

Saturday:

4:30 p.m. St Francis Xavier Church  
7:00 p.m. Our Lady of Fatima Church

Sunday:

8:30 a.m. Most Precious Blood Church  
9:00 a.m. Our Lady of Fatima Church  
10:30 a.m. St Francis Xavier Church

**WEEKDAY MASS**

Our Lady of Fatima Church  
Monday and Tuesday 8:00 a.m.  
St Francis Xavier Church  
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00 a.m.

**SACRAMENT OF PENANCE**

Thirty minutes before each Sunday Mass

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**OFFICE HOURS**

Monday to Thursday  
Our Lady of Fatima 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.  
St Francis Xavier 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Offices are closed on Friday

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**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JULY 19, 2026**  
**SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JULY 26, 2026**

This weekend you will find two important inserts in the bulletin. The first is a letter from Bishop Michael Brehl, sharing an update on the Diocese's ongoing pastoral planning process. I encourage everyone to take a few moments to read and reflect on his message. The second is a proposal for a revised weekday Mass schedule. In my first pastoral letter, I shared my desire to listen, learn, and walk with you before making significant decisions. Now that I have had the opportunity to become more grounded in our parish communities, I believe it is time to begin this conversation. I invite everyone to read the proposal and share their thoughts before any final decisions are made.

Finally, Father Emmanuel and I are now able to visit parishioners in the hospital, nursing homes and at home. Please don't assume that we know when someone is in the hospital or in need of the Sacraments. While Father Emmanuel and I regularly visit the hospital, we are not always aware of who would appreciate a visit from a priest. A simple phone call to the parish office helps ensure that no one is overlooked. If you, or someone you now would appreciate a visit, Holy Communion, the Sacrament of the Sick, or simply the presence and prayer of a priest, please contact either parish office. We are always happy to visit.

Thank you for your continued prayers and support.

*Fr David Butler*

***July 5, 2026***

***Our Lady of Fatima Church***

|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| Sunday Envelope     | \$ 1848.00 |
| Loose Collection    | 243.00     |
| Care Fund           | 42.00      |
| Candles             | 23.00      |
| Special Collections | 621.00     |

***St Francis Xavier Church***

|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| Sunday Envelope     | \$ 3936.50 |
| Loose Collection    | 357.80     |
| Care Fund           | 0.00       |
| Candles             | 30.00      |
| Special Collections | 165.00     |

***Most Precious Blood Church*** Envelopes \$707.00 Loose \$175.00 Special Collections \$402.00

Mass Attendance: Our Lady of Fatima Parish: Saturday Evening 66, Sunday Morning 139

St Francis Xavier Parish: Saturday Evening 137, Sunday Morning 173

Most Precious Blood Parish: Sunday Morning 68

***July 12, 2026***

***Our Lady of Fatima Church***

|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| Sunday Envelope     | \$ 2515.00 |
| Loose Collection    | 237.95     |
| Care Fund           | 120.00     |
| Candles             | 51.00      |
| Special Collections | 65.00      |
| Donation            | 250.00     |

***St Francis Xavier Church***

|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| Sunday Envelope     | \$ 3100.00 |
| Loose Collection    | 350.70     |
| Care Fund           | 0.00       |
| Candles             | 65.00      |
| Special Collections | 10.00      |

***Most Precious Blood Church*** Envelopes \$586.00 Loose \$260.00 Special Collections \$170.00

Mass Attendance: Our Lady of Fatima Parish: Saturday Evening 94, Sunday Morning 153

St Francis Xavier Parish: Saturday Evening 136, Sunday Morning 154

Most Precious Blood Parish: Sunday Morning 80

*Thank you for your ongoing generosity and support of the apostolic activity of the parishes.*

**We pray** for the repose of the soul of Sister Elizabeth Ann Howard, G.S.I.C., for the repose of the soul of Bob Buzzell, and we pray for our deceased families and loved ones.

**We pray especially** for the continued healing and recovery of Kristine Smith Pocock.

**We pray for our newly baptized**, Baker Monte McGuire, child of Brendan McGuire and Caroline Holley. Welcome to our parish family!

## **PARISH NEWS:**

***Parishioner Registration.*** If you have not done so, we encourage you to take a moment to contact the parish offices and register your family's information. At that time, if you so choose, you may also request envelopes.

***Calabogie July Sanctuary Lamp:*** Josee el Pierre d'Etcheverry by Celine d'Etcheverry.

***The rosary will be prayed*** before each 8:00 a.m. weekday Mass beginning at 7:30 a.m.

***Good news for Most Precious Blood*** as the bells are tolling again in Calabogie, and a new furnace has been installed.

***Our Lady of Fatima Church steps*** continue to undergo considerable renovation. Please exercise every caution when entering the church from Lisgar Avenue, and if possible, use the side entrances. Your safety is paramount.

## **DIOCESAN NEWS:**

***Youth Pilgrimage to Cormac*** for ages 13 - 19, beginning Saturday evening, July 18 from St Mary's Church, Wilno to Shrine of St Ann in Cormac. For one week, our youth will be walking, camping and praying together, gathering for a time in prayer and conversation about faith and vocation. Cost is \$150.00/person. Email Co-ordinator, Benjamin at [youthonthehill23@gmail.com](mailto:youthonthehill23@gmail.com).

***Walk the Opeongo Line.*** Join pilgrims across the Diocese of Pembroke and beyond for a four-day journey from Our Lady of Fatima Parish to St Ann Shrine, Cormac, from Thursday, July 23 to Sunday July 26. Visit the website at <https://walktheopeongoline.org/> to register.

***86<sup>th</sup> Annual Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Saint Ann*** in Cormac on Sunday, July 26. Volunteers are needed in a variety of areas to ensure this year's pilgrimage is a welcome and meaningful experience for everyone. Contact 613-628-2020 or email [secretarystjames@gmail.com](mailto:secretarystjames@gmail.com) with your interest. The Triduum of preparation will be led by Bishop Michael Brehl. The principal Pilgrimage Mass will be at 11:00 a.m. at the Shrine. The Sacrament of Confession is available throughout the day, and a Mass of healing with the Anointing of St Ann's oil will be celebrated at 2:00 p.m. On site: St Ann religious articles and other religious articles, St Ann Mass League memberships, food and refreshment vendors. For more information: [St. Ann's Pilgrimage - The Shrine to St. Ann in Cormac, ON](#) or [Shrine of St. Ann Cormac/Facebook](#).

## **COMMUNITY INFORMATION AND EVENTS:**

***Support the Eganville Food Bank.*** A concert will be held on August 8 at 8:00 p.m. at Grace Lutheran Church in Eganville featuring folk singer, Valdy. Tickets are \$45.00 each with net proceeds directed to the food bank. For those who would like to further support this cause, you are encouraged to bring a 9" homemade pie to the event before the concert, and these will be sold following the show. For more information contact Lynne at 613-633-7244.

***Jubilee 2026 Pilgrimage to Ste-Anne-de-Beaupre and Notre-Dame-du-Cap*** the weekend of August 8-9 for the Dioceses of Ottawa-Cornwall, Kingston, Pembroke, Gatineau and Mont-Laurier. The weekend will be led spiritually by Auxiliary Bishop Yvan Mathieu, Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall. For more information or to register, please contact Mike Budge at 613-224-8110 or email [mikebudge2021@gmail.com](mailto:mikebudge2021@gmail.com).

***69<sup>th</sup> Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Knock Shrine,*** St Malachy Church, Mayo, Quebec, will take place on Sunday, August 23. The Eucharist will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. in English by Archbishop Paul-Andre Durocher, Diocese of Gatineau, assisted by Father John Braganza at St Malachy Parish. In the event of rain, Holy Mass will be held in the church. For additional information contact Ellen Butler, 819-986-3860 or Joann Kearnan, 819-986-7827. Posters are on the bulletin boards.

***Grey Sisters of the Immaculate Conception.*** Join the Grey Sisters and staff to celebrate a Century of Service at the Grey Sisters Caritas Residence, 215 Deacon Street, Pembroke on Saturday, September 12 from 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

***The Secular Order of Discalced Carmelites:*** Would you be interested in discerning a secular (lay) vocation? Are you spiritually attracted to St Therese of Lisieux or St Teresa of Avila? Our group (not a prayer group) meets monthly at St Andrew Parish, Killaloe. For more information contact Patricia at 613-756-2267.

May the principle of humanity never fail to be the hallmark of our daily actions.

*Pope Francis*

**MASS INTENTIONS**  
**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**18 - 24 JULY 2026**

Saturday Evening:

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|--------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|
| St Francis Xavier  | 4:30 p.m. | Intentions of Parishioners <i>by Father Butler</i> |
| Our Lady of Fatima | 7:00 p.m. | Intentions of Priests <i>by Ann Dombroski</i>      |

Sunday Morning:

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| Most Precious Blood | 8:30 a.m.  | Bernard Norton <i>by Ann Stubinsky</i>                                                       |
| Our Lady of Fatima  | 9:00 a.m.  | Julie Maheral <i>by John Maheral</i>                                                         |
| St Francis Xavier   | 10:30 a.m. | John Gallagher <i>by Felicia Mangan</i><br>Desmond Enright <i>by Jamie and Susy Campbell</i> |
| Monday (OLF)        | 8:00 a.m.  | Gerald Bouchard <i>by Leo and Elsie Coulas</i>                                               |
|                     | 8:30 a.m.  | Holy Hour and Benediction                                                                    |
| Tuesday (OLF)       | 8:00 a.m.  | In Thanksgiving <i>by Barbara Chugg</i>                                                      |
| Wednesday (SFX)     | 8:00 a.m.  | Dolly McDonald <i>by daughter, Debra</i>                                                     |
| Groves Park         | 10:00 a.m. | Marie Riopelle <i>by Greg and Joanne Toner</i>                                               |
| Thursday (SFX)      | 8:00 a.m.  | Margaret Stufko <i>by Dorothy McIntyre and family</i>                                        |
| Thursday (OLF)      | 8:30 a.m.  | St Ann's Mass                                                                                |
| Friday (SFX)        | 8:00 a.m.  | Louis Lawlor <i>by Cathy Brennan Hogaboam</i>                                                |

**SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**25 - 31 JULY 2026**

Saturday Evening:

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| St Francis Xavier  | 4:30 p.m. | Mely Coyne <i>by Jack</i><br>Anita Agnew <i>by John and Martha Scott</i> |
| Our Lady of Fatima | 7:00 p.m. | Intentions of Parishioners <i>by Father Butler</i>                       |

Sunday Morning:

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| Most Precious Blood | 8:30 a.m.  | Garry Reddy and family <i>by Clarke and Colleen Eady and family</i>                                                                         |
| Our Lady of Fatima  | 9:00 a.m.  | Velma O'Shea <i>by Carol Hanniman</i>                                                                                                       |
| St Francis Xavier   | 10:30 a.m. | Suzette Pelletier <i>by St Francis Xavier Church Finance and Property Committee</i><br>Theresa Pierunek <i>by Allan and Rose Ann Dicker</i> |
| Monday (OLF)        | 8:00 a.m.  | Catherine McNulty <i>by Margaret Mulvihill and Graham Pappin</i>                                                                            |
|                     | 8:30 a.m.  | Holy Hour and Benediction                                                                                                                   |
| Tuesday (OLF)       | 8:00 a.m.  | Mildred Leblanc <i>by Reg and Cathy Leblanc</i>                                                                                             |
| Wednesday (SFX)     | 8:00 a.m.  | Margaret Burns <i>by Roy and Jan Leitch</i>                                                                                                 |
| Thursday (SFX)      | 8:00 a.m.  | Ez Valliquette <i>by the family</i>                                                                                                         |
| Friday (SFX)        | 8:00 a.m.  | Patty Wlodarczyk <i>by dad, George</i>                                                                                                      |

**EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**1 - 2 AUGUST 2026**

Saturday Evening:

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| St Francis Xavier  | 4:30 p.m. | Joseph Lee <i>by the family</i><br>Terry McHale <i>by Ann Coulas</i> |
| Our Lady of Fatima | 7:00 p.m. | Nellie Kingsbury <i>by Ed and Judy Boldt</i>                         |

Sunday Morning:

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| Most Precious Blood | 8:30 a.m.  | Intentions of Parishioners <i>by Father Butler</i>                                                           |
| Our Lady of Fatima  | 9:00 a.m.  | Bill and Jeane Winters <i>by Peter and Nel Lansbergen</i>                                                    |
| St Francis Xavier   | 10:30 a.m. | Gertrude Lepine <i>by Roy and Jan Leitch</i><br>Des and Marguerite McIntyre <i>by Tom, Bonnie and family</i> |