



**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

Fifteen minutes before Mass
or by appointment.

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

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JULY 5, 2026

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JULY 12, 2026

A reflection: Looking Forward with Hope

"Unless the Lord builds the house, those who build it labour in vain." Psalm 127:1

As we begin this new chapter together, Fr Emmanuel and I would like to thank you for the warm welcome you have already shown us. Through your kindness, encouragement, and especially your prayers, you have already helped us begin to feel at home.

As we look to the future, it is important to give thanks for the past, Our Lady of Fatima, St Francis Xavier, and Most Precious Blood each have a rich history of faith and service. We are deeply grateful to Fr Kerry Brennan and Fr John Lacey for their years of faithful priestly ministry and assure them of our prayers as they begin retirement.

Every new beginning brings both excitement and uncertainty. In the months ahead, there will be opportunities to reflect on how our three parish communities can work more closely together. Some things may remain the same, while others may gradually change. My commitment is that we will seek not simply what is new or familiar, but what best helps us proclaim the Gospel and serve the people entrusted to our care.

Please be patient with us as we get to know you and your communities. Fr Emmanuel and I are committed to listening, learning, and walking alongside you. We begin this journey with confidence that the Holy Spirit is already at work among us. If we remain rooted in prayer and open to God's guidance, I believe the Lord has many blessings in store for our parishes. Please continue to pray for us, as we pray for you. I look forward to meeting many more of you in the weeks and months ahead. May God bless you and your families.

Fr David Butler

June 21, 2026

Our Lady of Fatima Church

Sunday Envelope	\$ 3383.00
Loose Collection	444.25
Care Fund	45.00
Candles	44.00
Special Collections	145.00

Most Precious Blood Church Envelopes \$806.00 Loose \$125.00 Candles \$125.00

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

St Francis Xavier Parish: Saturday Evening 149, Sunday Morning 150

Most Precious Blood Parish: Sunday Morning 61

St Francis Xavier Church

Sunday Envelope	\$ 3178.00
Loose Collection	283.00
Care Fund	0.00
Candles	45.00
Special Collections	1420.00

June 28, 2026

Our Lady of Fatima Church

Sunday Envelope	\$ 2438.00
Loose Collection	139.35
Care Fund	2.00
Candles	27.00
Special Collections	178.00
Donation	250.00

Most Precious Blood Church Envelopes \$507.00 Loose \$203.00 Special Collection \$120.00

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

St Francis Xavier Parish: Saturday Evening 111, Sunday Morning 392

Most Precious Blood Parish: Sunday Morning 67

St Francis Xavier Church

Sunday Envelope	\$ 3636.00
Loose Collection	686.30
Care Fund	0.00
Candles	115.00
Special Collections	65.00
Gift Cards	100.00

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

PARISH NEWS:

Welcome to our first combined church bulletin. With gratitude and hope, we welcome you to our first bulletin of St Francis Xavier, Our Lady of Fatima and Most Precious Blood Parishes. While we come from different church communities, we gather as one family in Christ, and we look forward to the changes and opportunities before us as we worship and grow together. With your input, may this bulletin be a reflection of our shared values, keeping the parishes connected and informed. Led by Father Butler and Father Dibia, we embrace this new chapter with patience and with abundant grace.

We pray for our newly baptized children, Luka Mateo Yantha, son of Joshua Hiltz and Megan Yantha, and Lennon Rose Nagy and Marley Marcella Nagy, children of Sacha Nagy and Ashley Fleury. Welcome to our parish family!

We pray for the repose of the soul of Campbell MacRae; for the repose of the soul of Cathy Holley, sister of Bernard Holley, and we pray for our deceased loved ones and family members.

Message from Father Brennan: I'm deeply grateful for the beautiful retirement celebration. Your kindness, thoughtful words, and shared memories made the day truly special. Being part of this faith community has been one of the greatest blessings of my life. Thank you for your prayers, your support, the cards and gifts, and the countless ways that you have shared Christ's love with me. I will carry your generosity and your faith with me as I begin this next chapter of my life. God bless you all!

Message from Father Michael: I wanted to thank the St Francis and Most Precious Blood Church communities for their support and friendship these last few years of Clerical transition. You have opened your hearts to me and I have become a better Pastor for it. Know that as I go into my new assignment, my prayers are with you, and my heartfelt thanks for your kindness. God Bless.

Cemetery Update. Construction will be taking place around the columbarium as we install new stamped concrete to enhance the area. Visitors are asked to use caution near the work zone and kindly avoid walking on the new concrete while it cures. Follow the progress with updates and photos posted on the cemetery website.

Columbus House Baby Bottle Fundraiser. Please remember to return your bottles to the church as staff from Columbus House will be collecting them in the ensuing weeks. Thank you for your generosity.

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

Please note when viewing the Mass Intention page: Weekday Masses will take place at Our Lady of Fatima Church on Monday and Tuesday at 8:00 a.m. and at St Francis Xavier Church on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday at 8:00 a.m. Quail Creek, Groves Park Lodge and Bonnechere Manor Masses will remain unchanged and will be posted.

DIOCESAN NEWS:

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.

COMMUNITY INFORMATION AND EVENTS:

EWTN Live Truth, Live Catholic. New: When the Bombs Go Silent, July 20 at 5:30 p.m. Iraq: Land of Saints and Martyrs, July 29 at 5:30 p.m.

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.

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

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4 - 10 JULY 2026

Saturday Evening:

St Francis Xavier	4:30 p.m.	Intentions of Parishioners <i>by Father Butler</i>
Our Lady of Fatima	7:00 p.m.	Stanley Rekowski <i>by Fran Rekowski</i>

Sunday Morning:

Most Precious Blood	8:30 a.m.	Marilyn Leclair <i>by Ann Stubinsky</i>
Our Lady of Fatima	9:00 a.m.	Jeane Winters <i>by the Rousselle family</i>
St Francis Xavier	10:30 a.m.	Esther Pierunek <i>by Allan and Rose Dicker</i> Christopher Dregas <i>by Julie Dregas</i>
Monday	8:00 a.m.	Reverend Merlyn Ethier <i>by former students</i>
	9:00 a.m.	Holy Hour and Benediction
Tuesday	8:00 a.m.	Genevieve Rouble <i>by Agnes Walker</i>
Quail Creek	10:00 a.m.	Charlie Bulmer <i>by John and Darlene Meleskie</i>
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	Brian and Doris Long <i>by Roy and Jan Leitch</i>
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	Rita Wallace and Morrie Wallace <i>by Donita Konyk and family</i>
Friday	8:00 a.m.	Terry McHale <i>by Julie Campbell</i>

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

11 - 17 JULY 2026

Saturday Evening:

St Francis Xavier	4:30 p.m.	Special Intention <i>by Lawrence Mahusky (RIP)</i> Intentions of Steve Ryan <i>by Bob and Mom</i>
Our Lady of Fatima	7:00 p.m.	

Sunday Morning:

Most Precious Blood	8:30 a.m.	Graeme Patterson <i>by wife, Beatrice</i>
Our Lady of Fatima	9:00 a.m.	Larry McMahon <i>by Lyle and Charlotte Cleroux</i>
St Francis Xavier	10:30 a.m.	Glenn Carr <i>by family</i> Mervin Vincent <i>by Michael and Darlene Joyce</i>
Monday	8:00 a.m.	Harvey Murray <i>by Steve and Mary Mulvihill</i>
	9:00 a.m.	Holy Hour and Benediction
Tuesday	8:00 a.m.	Don Richard <i>by Veneta and family</i>
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	Joan Daley <i>by Susan Ringrose</i>
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	Leon and Martha Tanguay <i>by Joan, Andre and Marcia</i>
Bonnechere Manor	10:30 a.m.	Lornie Carthy <i>by Leo and Elsie Coulas</i>
Friday	8:00 a.m.	Brian Friske <i>by Art and Marilyn Campbell</i>

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

18 - 19 JULY 2026

Saturday Evening:

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:

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> Desmond Enright <i>by Jamie and Susy Campbell</i>