

ST. COLUMBAN PARISH

ST. FRANCIS De SALES PARISH



**We are
one in
Christ**



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Rev. Fr. Daniel Van Delst, Parochial Administrator
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OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR

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WEEKLY MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.
Sundays: 7:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
Tuesdays and Thursdays: 8:00 a.m.
1st Saturday Devotion: Confession 7:00-7:30 a.m.
Rosary 7:35 a.m., Mass 8:00 a.m.

WEEKLY MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.
Sundays: 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 8:00 a.m.
1st Friday Devotion: Adoration 7:00 a.m., Mass 8:00 a.m.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

BAPTISMS

2nd Sunday of every month

Please contact a priest for an appointment

MARRIAGES

Please contact a priest for an appointment
six months in advance

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
also, by appointment

PARISH WEBSITE

www.stcolumbanparishcornwall.ca

ARCHDIOCESAN WEBSITE

www.ottawacornwall.ca

SHUT-INS and THOSE ENTERING HOSPITAL

Please talk to a priest or call the office if you have
someone at home who is unwell or is scheduled for
surgery and wishes to receive the Sacrament of the
Sick, or Communion.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

BAPTISMS

1st Sunday of every month

Please contact a priest for an appointment

MARRIAGES

Please contact a priest for an appointment
six months in advance

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
also, by appointment

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StFrancisDeSalesCornwall.weebly.com

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IN OUR PARISH

MASS SCHEDULE

St. Columban (SC) – St. Francis De Sales (SF)

Saturday, May 17th

4:00 p.m. (SC) John Curran by David & Lisa Herjavec
Therese Blanchard by Patty & Steve Ostler
5:00 p.m. (SF) Intentions of Parishioners

Sunday, May 18th FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

7:30 a.m. (SC) Intentions of Parishioners
9:30 a.m. (SF) Frank, Jean & Elaine Flaro & Family & Robert & Helen Taillon & Family by Wayne & Muriel Flaro
10:30 a.m. (SC) Edwin & Dorothy Joubert & Children Debra & Lawrence by Donna & Gilles Labelle
Donna McCosham by Katie & Brian
11:00 a.m. (SF) Rosario Spagnolo by Brenda Spagnolo
Denise Leger by Lucille & Frank Ricci
Yvon Gaudet by Cornwall Senior Curlers

Monday, May 19th

8:00 a.m. (SF) Pierrette Bazinet by Raynald Bazinet

Tuesday, May 20th ST. BERNARDINE OF SIENA (OM)

8:00 a.m. (SC) Mike Lemieux by Darlene

Wednesday, May 21st ST. EUGENE DE MAZENOD (OM) or ST. CHRISTOPHER MAGALLANES (OM)

8:00 a.m. (SF) Kerry Macdonald by the Family

Thursday, May 22nd ST. RITA OF CASCIA (OM)

8:00 a.m. (SC) Vincent DiCola by Lise & Brian DiCola

Friday, May 23rd

8:00 a.m. (SF) Msgr. Kevin Maloney by Members of Adopt-a-Priest "Daisy" program

Saturday, May 24th WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH IN CHINA

BLESSED LOUIS-ZEPHIRIN MOREAU (OM)

4:00 p.m. (SC) Special Intentions for Cathy Miron
5:00 p.m. (SF) Velma McDougall by Garry & Marlene McDougall
Clarence Dubreuil by Roy & Peggy McGrath
Elreen Gagnier by Ron & Helene Periard

Sunday, May 25th SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

THE POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS

7:30 a.m. (SC) Intentions of Parishioners
9:30 a.m. (SF) Intentions of Parishioners
10:30 a.m. (SC) Special Intention for Isabel Lalonde by Betty McIntosh
Margaret Clancey by John & Janice Meyer & Family
11:00 a.m. (SF) Tom Brownell by David & Nancy Hill
Victor Parisien (10th Anniv.) by Helen Parisien
Marie Labossiere by the Mascarenas Family

POPE FRANCIS MAY INTENTION

For working conditions. Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfilment, families might be sustained in dignity, and that society might be humanized.

IN OUR PARISH

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another."
- JOHN 13:34

"As I have loved you," this is the hard part – Jesus's love is unconditional; our love usually comes with strings attached. It is easy to love someone when they love you back. But it takes mercy and compassion to love someone when you feel unappreciated, feel used or feel like your opinion doesn't matter. It takes courage and the grace of God to "love my neighbour" when they may be someone you don't like, someone you don't know, or someone who doesn't look like you.

Note: Special Collections will be reported once a month for both parishes.

ST. COLUMBAN COLLECTION REPORT FOR MAY 04, 2025

Sunday Envelopes	3,318.00
Loose Collection	714.07
Easter	55.00
Weekly Total	\$ 4,087.07

ST. FRANCIS COLLECTION REPORT FOR MAY 04, 2025

Sunday Envelopes	5,182.00
Loose Collection	363.05
Easter	90.00
Weekly Total	\$ 5,635.05

ANNUAL DAISY MASS OF THANKSGIVING

Please join us for the Annual Daisy Mass on Friday, June 6th at 2:00 p.m. at St. Peter's Church in Cornwall. This special Mass is held each year to celebrate and pray for our priests, in thanksgiving for their ministry and spiritual leadership. The Daisy Movement was founded to offer ongoing support to priests through prayer, encouragement, and community. A reception will follow the Mass. All are warmly invited to attend.

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTION

The living flame of the Sanctuary Lamp, signifying the Eucharistic Presence of our Lord Jesus Christ, is offered this week for Theresa MacDonald on the Occasion of her 90th Birthday.



TODAY'S READINGS – May 18TH, 2025

1st Reading: Acts 14.21b-27
Responsorial Psalm: Ps 135.8-9, 10-11, 12-13 (R.1)
R . *I will bless your name for ever, my king and my God.*
2nd Reading: Revelation 21.1-5a
Gospel: John 13.1, 31-33a, 34-35

SACRAMENTS OF HEALING

An important part of Christ's ministry was the ministry of healing. The Gospels are full of stories of many miracles that Jesus performed. Some were physical healings, and some were spiritual healings (the forgiveness of sins and the casting out of evil spirits). The Church has maintained the importance of this ministry by celebrating two sacraments of healing.

Most people are well aware of the sacrament of Reconciliation (Penance or Confession). But, are we equally aware and familiar with the other sacrament of healing, namely "the Anointing of the Sick"?

For too many of us this sacrament has been considered to be the sacrament of the dying, but in reality, this sacrament was meant to be a sacrament of healing. It is not meant to be offered only when we are dying, but a sacrament which works alongside with medical science to pray for healing for those who are seriously ill of mind or body.

In February of 2024, St. Francis de Sales held a prayer service (not Mass) conferring this sacrament. This year, in order to accommodate all who are seeking healing, the prayer service for healing (not Mass) with the Anointing of the Sick will be offered on **Sunday, June 8 at 3:00 p.m. at St. Columban's Church**. We encourage you to invite family and friends to join us in this celebration.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY PROGRAM

The Children's Liturgy Program needs volunteers. At least one adult, aside from the leader, must be present. The program is at risk without another adult who can consistently participate.

A police check is required. Please contact the Office at 613-932-9616. Office Hours are 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. Monday–Friday.

CHICKEN DINNER FUNDRAISER

Chicken Dinner Fundraiser for two students attending the Jubilee in Rome in July, Dinner at the Royal Canadian Legion, 415 Second Street West, Cornwall, Ontario. May 25, 2025, from 4:30 – 6:00 pm. 1/4 chicken with potatoes, vegetables, gravy, bun, dessert and drink; silent Auction & 50/50 draw. Tickets \$ 20.00 are available from Debbie at 613 936 3454 or the Legion office. Take-out is available.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 5068 ROUND TABLE FAMILY BREAKFAST



Knights of Columbus Council 5068 Round Table has a Family Breakfast on Sunday, June 01, 2025, at Precious Blood Parish in Glen Walter, from 9:00 a.m. until Noon. Free-will offering.

PATRONS OF ST. COLUMBAN FOUNDATION

At all the masses this weekend, a special collection will be taken for the Patrons of St. Columban Foundation at the same time as the regular collection. Parishioners with church envelopes can use the special envelope in their box of envelopes. If you do not have a box of envelopes, you may use the blue envelope found at the church entrances. Parishioners can also pledge to donate weekly or monthly by using the pledge form found in the pamphlet at the church entrances. Cheques should be made payable to the Patrons of St. Columban Foundation. The Foundation will issue income tax receipts. Please help us preserve our historic St. Columban's Church.

ST. FRANCIS CWL BURSARIES

CWL Bursaries for all Catholic Secondary School Graduates: Graduates attending St. Francis or who have extended family attending St. Francis de Sales Parish are invited to pick up an application form for the 4 CWL bursaries available to each secondary school this June. Please return the forms to the office.

K of C 11531 - GENERAL MEETING

General Meeting for all Members will be on Tuesday, May 20th, 2025, in the Parish Hall. Rosary at 6:30 pm and the meeting begins at 7:00 pm. All members are invited and encouraged to attend.

WOMEN'S SPRING RETREAT AT ST. FRANCIS de SALES

The annual Women's Retreat Day at St. Francis de Sales will be on Saturday May 24, from 8:45 AM to 1 PM. The retreat is free but registration is needed for set up and food supplies. To register call the office (613-932-0756) or email Sally Grant at snowshoe65@gmail.com. ALL WOMEN in both St. Francis de Sales and St. Columban parishes are welcome to attend, and to register their friends as well.

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES - K OF C 11531 - PARISH BREAKFAST

Sunday, May 25th, 2025, 8.30 am-noon in the Parish Hall. Cost: Adults \$8.50, children under 12 years old \$4.00.

ST. FRANCIS FIRST AID COURSE

On May 31 - June 1 there will be a first aid course (Sat 9-4, Sun 12-7) available to parishioners of St. Francis de Sales who are interested in participating as first aid volunteers for the parish. Please contact David for info: David@WattieKarate.ca (OR 613.793.3008). Sign up required in advance.

CATHOLIC INFORMATION CENTRE

Are you in need of gifts for FIRST COMMUNION? We also carry gifts and cards for the Sacraments of BAPTISM and CONFIRMATION. Drop by to see us at Unit I-812 Pitt St., same door as the Income Tax Office (City Centre Plaza) or you can reach us at 613-933-5099.

DIOCESAN CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE OUTREACH PROGRAM

The Diocesan Catholic Women's League President Melina Norbert has started an outreach program for the homeless. She is asking for clean milk bags to make mats for the homeless in our area. Please save your exterior large milk bags and drop them off at the back of the church in the box provided, marked for Darlene. Thank you for helping with this on-going community outreach.

LOW GLUTEN HOSTS

We offer low-gluten hosts for those who have Celiac or cannot have gluten. Please let the presiding priest know before the start of Mass.



**NO SCENTS
MAKES GOOD SENSE.
LET'S KEEP THE AIR
SPACE IN OUR CHURCH
SCENT-FREE
THANK YOU.**



PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

O Jesus, our great High Priest, hear my humble prayers on behalf of your priests. Give them deep faith, a bright and firm hope and a burning love that will increase in their priestly life. In their loneliness, comfort them. In their sorrows, strengthen them. In their frustrations, point out to them that the Church needs them; souls need them; they are needed for the work of redemption. Amen.

COMMUNION IN PEW

For those who have mobility issues and need communion brought to the pew, please notify the presiding priest or one of the Eucharistic Ministers before the start of Mass.

POWER PRAYER

Do you have something to be thankful for? Does someone you know need prayers? Are you praying for a special need? Having a mass said allows our parish community to offer their prayers along with you for your intention. We don't have to be alone in prayer. We welcome all those who would like to have a mass or several masses said for their intentions.

TIME with JESUS!

St. Julien's Chapel offers a prayerful, peaceful time with our Lord Jesus. Open 24 hours a day, visitors must register and obtain an entry fob. To register and receive a fob, please contact St.Julienschapel@hotmail.com or leave a phone message at **613-938-8371**. Someone will be in touch within a few days.



JESUS REVEALED TO ST. FAUSTINA AT ADORATION THAT "BENEATH THESE RAYS (FROM THE EUCHARIST) A HEART WILL BE WARMED EVEN IF IT WERE A BLOCK OF ICE; OR HARD AS ROCK".... (ST FAUSTINA)

BINGO AT STE-THÉRÈSE-DE-LISIEUX PARISH HALL, CORNWALL

The Knights of Columbus of Ste-Thérèse-de-Lisieux Parish and the parishioners invite you to their BINGO nights which will be held on Thursday, 29th, 2025 in their parish hall (1304 Lisieux Street, Cornwall). Doors and canteen open at 5:30PM. Early Bird at 6:30PM and the Bingo starts at 7:00PM. *We hope to see you there! Please tell your family and friends!!*

PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH BINGO and BID EUCHRE

Precious Blood Parish will be holding their next **Bingos** on Wednesday, May 21 and June 4 & 18. Doors open at 5pm. Early bird games start at 6:20 with Bingo starting at 7:00pm. Hot dogs and refreshments for sale. Call 613-931-1424 for more information.

Precious Blood Parish will be holding their next **Bid Euchre** nights on Thursday, May 22. Doors open at 6pm and games start at 6:30pm. \$3 entrance fee. Snacks and refreshments available. Call 613-931-1424 for more information.

LOVE SONG RECITAL

Concert: It is a love song recital, on Sunday May 18th at 14H00 (2:00 p.m.) at the Nativity Church. This is a fundraiser for the Nativity Parish. The title of the recital is "Sing Love and Peace, from Édith Piaf to Jean-Pierre Ferland, from Charles Aznavour to Ginette Reno." The ticket price is \$20 per person, \$10 for students.

HAWAIIAN LUAU FUNDRAISER

St. Peter's Parish Hawaiian Luau fundraiser supper and dance. Saturday, June 14th, 5:00 PM at the Knights of Columbus Upstairs Hall, 205 Amelia St. Tickets \$30.00 per person. Hawaiian theme buffet, karaoke, silent auction and many prizes. For tickets, call 613-932-7600 (K of C 755) or (613) 938-3100 (St. Peter's).