

JANUARY 3 - Memorial of The Most Holy Name of Jesus: The name of Jesus has been honoured since New Testament times. Saint Paul, in his letter to the people of Philippi, writes that “. . . at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father” (*Philippians 2.10-11*). The veneration of the Holy Name was extended to the entire Roman Catholic Church on December 20, 1721, during the pontificate of Pope Innocent XIII.

JANUARY 7 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT ANDRÉ BESSETTE,

RELIGIOUS: Born in Quebec in 1845, Alfred Besette joined the Congregation of the Holy Cross in 1870, taking the name Brother André, the name by which he is known to many in Montreal. In the course of his duties as porter at Collège Notre-Dame in Montreal, he welcomed the sick and afflicted, praying with them through the intercession of Saint Joseph, and was credited with extraordinary favours and with healings. Across from the college, he erected a statue of Saint Joseph on a mountain and later was responsible for building a wooden chapel there which grew into a basilica. Today Saint Joseph’s Oratory welcomes more than two million visitors each year. Brother André lived to be 91. He was beatified in 1982 and was canonized on October 17, 2010.

January 8 - Memorial of Saint Raymond of Penyafort, Priest: Raymond was born in 1175 in Spain. In 1222 he became a Dominican priest. An outstanding philosopher and lawyer, he was responsible for the organization of papal decrees which became the basis for the original code of canon law. Raymond died at Barcelona on January 6, 1275, in his 100th year. He was canonized in 1601. He is a patron saint of lawyers, including canon lawyers.

Christmas Flowers have been donated in Loving Memory of:

*John & Nora Howse, Jake Howse, Blaise Howse, John Howse, Charmaine Howse, Norman West, and Reg & Evelyn Organ by Rona & Donald Howse
Basil Barnes and deceased members of the Organ & Barnes families by Stella Barnes*

Condolences

The parishioners of St. Ignatius Parish extend to the family of the late Harold LeRoux their profound sympathies. We join you in prayer for the repose of your loved one. May God bless you and console you.

Condolences

The parishioners of St. Ignatius Parish and St Anne’s Church extend to the family of the late Ernest Joseph John their profound sympathies. We join you in prayer for the repose of your loved one. May God bless you and console you.



St. Ignatius Parish



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Ignatius Church-St. Alban's St. Anne's Church- Conne River

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SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

The word “epiphany” comes from the Greek noun “epiphaneia” which means “shining forth”, “manifestation”, or “revelation”. The Feast of the Epiphany celebrates God’s revelation or manifestation of Jesus’ identity as true God, Messiah, and Saviour of the world. There is great joy in the proclamation that God is made known to the entire world in Christ Jesus; on the other hand, this brings with it a great challenge for us to be open and accepting of others, to ensure that all people are welcome, and that all needs are met

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Daily masses Mon January 3– Fri January 7

Mon-11:00 a.m. Chapel-----Theresa Farrell and deceased members of the Farrell & Barnes families

Tues -11:00 a.m. Chapel-----Eugene Nugent

Wed -11:00 a.m. Chapel-----Jake Howse

Thurs -11:00 a.m. Chapel-----John & Dorothy Barnes

Friday-11:00 a.m. Chapel-----Janet Organ

Weekend Liturgy: Sat – January 8 and Sun—January 9

St.Alban’s-Sat7:00p.m.St.Ignatius Church—Muriel Benoit & Michael Farrell
St. Alban’s-Sun

10:30 a.m. St. Ignatius Church—***Parish Family***

Conne River-Sun 2:00 p.m. St. Anne’s Church-----Madeleine John

Ministries' schedule for Weekend Masses

DATE	Sacristan	Reader	Eucharistic Minister	Music
Dec 31	Mary S Patsy M	Pat P	Father Patrick	
Jan 01	Monica K	Cindy B	Father Patrick	
Jan 02	Mary S Patsy M	Ann B	Father Patrick	
Jan 08	Edith O Monica K	Edith O	Father Patrick	
Jan 09	Mary S Patsy M	Valerie H	Father Patrick	

Weekly Parish Income

St. Ignatius Church	\$565.00
St. Anne's Church	92.00
Christmas Offering	1250.00
Mass Stipend	20.00
St. Alban's Clover Farm Christmas Fundraiser	1800.00
50/50 Fundraiser (December)	2935.00
Advent Folders	431.50
Christmas Flowers	60.00
Sunday Missals	80.00
Parish Dues	20.00
Funeral Stipends	400.00
World Mission Sunday	20.00

Congratulations to Sharon Jeddore, winner of the December 50/50 Fundraiser. (\$1467.50)

Congratulations to the winners of the St. Alban's Clover Farm Christmas Fundraiser. First prize-\$500- Sophie Engram, Second prize-\$300- Queena Lilly, and Third prize-\$200- Cory Greenham. St. Ignatius would again like to thank St. Alban's Clover Farm for conducting the fundraiser and for their donation of the second prize.

WELCOME TO ST. IGNATIUS PARISH: ST.IGNATIUSCHURCH AND ST. ANNE'S CHURCH:

We are happy to have you here in our parish. It is our hope that you experience the presence of Christ during our worship.

"Where two or three come together in my name, there I am with them" Matt 18:20

2022 Parish Envelopes By now, you should have picked up your 2022 envelope box . Remaining named boxes are on the table at the back of the church. If there is no box with your name, feel free to take one of the blank boxes. If you do, don't forget to record your name opposite the box number you took. PLEASE DO NOT USE THE ENVELOPES UNTIL JANUARY 1, 2022.

2022 Initial Envelope The first envelope in your box is labelled INITIAL OFFERING. This envelope has two purposes: 1) the proceeds are meant to help cover the parish cost (currently about \$5) per box of envelopes and 2) by putting your name on this envelope, it allows us to check the accuracy of our parish records by comparing this name with the name on file. **If you DO NOT use the initial envelope, then please put your name on the first 2022 envelope that you DO USE.** Thank you.

Envelope Box Number Changes: Due to deaths among our faithful parish contributors over the years, plus the decline in church attendance in general, the parish has to order fewer and few boxes of envelopes each year. As a result, each year a number of parishioners have to be assigned a different box number than the previous year. *This is NOT a problem since your income tax receipt for 2021 is based on your envelope number for 2021, which may or may not be the same as your box number for 2022. Your income tax receipt for 2022 will be based on your envelope box number for 2022.*

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The parishioners of St. Ignatius Parish extend to the family of the late Vera Hill their profound sympathies. We join you in prayer for the repose of your loved one. May God bless you and console you.

