

# Catholic Parishes of Onaping Falls and Cartier

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**Newsletter for August 29<sup>th</sup> & September 5<sup>th</sup> 2021**  
**Please note that this is a two week newsletter!**

I will be leaving a few loose copies of the newsletter at the back of each church. This is for our parishioners that do not receive the newsletter by email or for people who would like a paper copy and don't have a printer at home.

*Joanne*

**Information from our Public Health Office.**

**Please, adhere to the following advice:**

- the importance of active screening everyone who enters our parishes (this requires a volunteer asking screening questions)
- the value of at least 6' between people (not between pews - a body adds about 1' of space)
- hand sanitizer before entry into church and before communion (please bring your own from home if possible to use before communion). If you forget, please proceed to the back of the church to sanitize your hands first and then you can receive communion from Fr. Joseph)
- no congregational singing
- and a solid exit strategy so that people are at least 6' apart. Please remain in your pew until you can remain 6 feet away from the next parishioner.

**We cannot emphasize enough how valuable these measures are, especially at a time when variants of concern are in the communities served by our diocese.**

*Attendance will be limited. The maximum capacity of each church is reduced to 50% fire code capacity, or fewer if required to ensure physical distancing.*

**Physical Distancing must be consistently practiced.** Expect that your parish church will have pews/rows that are sectioned off, and that family groups and individuals will be asked to keep at least two meters (six feet) distance from each other. Wear a mask to Mass to guard against germ spread. Anyone presenting symptoms of illness or who have travelled out of country in the past 14 days is directed to stay home.

**Liturgical changes will be in place.** Similar to protocols established when churches were closing, extra precautions will be taken. Temporary adjustments will be made with respect to how we celebrate Mass and receive Holy Communion.

**There still will be a risk for anyone who attends a public Mass.** Even with best health practices and strict physical distancing, anyone who enters a public space should recognize there is a risk of contracting the corona virus. Improved cleaning will occur in our churches, but no one should expect that they will be any safer from germs than in other public spaces.

**St. Bartholomew/ Levack / Masses Tuesdays 10am / Saturdays 7pm / Sundays 9:45am**

Saturday August 28<sup>th</sup> – Aggie Roger by Joe & Childa

Sunday August 29<sup>th</sup> – Ron Deslauriers by Dan & Louise Besserer

Tuesday August 31<sup>st</sup> – Mass

Saturday September 4<sup>th</sup> – Louise Ladouceur DeMarco by Liona & David

Sunday September 5<sup>th</sup> – For the People

Tuesday September 7<sup>th</sup> – Rita Kiernan by Sharon Campbell

Saturday September 11<sup>th</sup> – David Chavarie by Sharon Campbell & family

Sunday September 12<sup>th</sup> – Bernice Gemmell & Lucille Chuby St-Amour (94) by Chris Marcotte

**St. Francis Xavier / Cartier / Masses Thursdays 9am and Sundays 8:30am**

Sunday August 29<sup>th</sup> – Berthe Lavoie by Doris & Marcel Poulin

Thursday September 2<sup>nd</sup> – Souls in Purgatory by Jeff & Sandy

**Saturday September 4<sup>th</sup> – First Saturday Devotion – Jean Louis Deschamps & Lily Kinehan**

Sunday September 5<sup>th</sup> – Lea Lemelin by Dave & Liona Thibault

Thursday September 9<sup>th</sup> – Souls in Purgatory by Jeff & Sandy

Sunday September 12<sup>th</sup> – For the People

**St. Stephen/ St. Etienne/ Dowling / Masses Wednesdays 10am / Sundays 11am**

Sunday August 29<sup>th</sup> – For the People

Wednesday September 1<sup>st</sup> – Roma Faubert by Liliane Belanger

Sunday September 5<sup>th</sup> – Cécile Proulx by Ray & Murielle Jalbert

Wednesday September 8<sup>th</sup> – Emile Lavoie by the St. Jean family

Sunday September 12<sup>th</sup> – Yolende Richard by Ray & Murielle Jalbert

*The Pope's Intentions in 2021:*

*August: The Church*

*Let us pray for the Church, that she may receive from the Holy Spirit the grace and strength to reform herself in the light of the Gospel.*

*September: An Environmentally Sustainable Lifestyle*

*We pray that we all will make courageous choices for a simple and environmentally sustainable lifestyle, rejoicing in our young people who are resolutely committed to this.*

The Catholic Parishes would like to thank the parishioners who have continued to make their weekly donations. Your continued support and generosity during this very difficult time is truly appreciated!

**If any gifting imposes a level of hardship of any kind whatsoever, please do not donate.**

If you are able to donate during this time, please consider one of the suggested gifting methods for your current weekly donation:

- 1) dropping your envelope into the parish mail slot
- 2) forwarding to the parish, by local mail, a series of post-dated cheques and Sunday envelopes.
- 3) Signing up for a **PADP** - pre-authorized donation program (contact office for the form)

**Collection information for August 15<sup>th</sup> 2021**

White envelopes	\$1420.00
Loose	\$ 50.00
Renos	\$ 20.00
HOP	<u>\$ 800.00</u>
<b>Total Donations</b>	<b>\$2290.00</b>

**Collection information for August 22<sup>nd</sup> 2021**

White envelopes	\$1444.00
Loose	\$ 80.00
Renos	<u>\$ 100.00</u>
<b>Total Donations</b>	<b>\$1624.00</b>



Please join us at St. Bartholomew parish hall, August 28<sup>th</sup>  
 from 5 – 7 pm for a Saturday Social  
 There will be a variety of games, activities, movie night and snacks.  
 These Saturday Socials will be held every 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month  
 from 5 to 7 pm.  
 Everyone Welcome!



**Confirmation November 2021  
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Young adults and students of grades 7 and 8 and older  
 who wish to receive CONFIRMATION this year, are  
 asked to call and register at the parish office at  
 705-966-3762.

Classes will begin at St. Bartholomew Parish Hall  
 sometime in September.

If your child is a student at St-Étienne you do **not** need to call and register. You  
 will have the opportunity to register at the school in September.



**CANADA NEEDS OUR LADY  
 PLEASE COME! JOIN WITH US  
 CELEBRATE THE MIRACLE OF THE SUN**

Which occurred at FATIMA October 13, 1917

When: Saturday, September 11, 2021 @ 1pm

Where: Our Lady of Hope Church/ 590 Brenan Road/ Sudbury

....there is no problem, no matter how difficult it is, whether temporal or spiritual....that  
 cannot be solved by the Rosary – Sister Lucia

All those who propagate the Holy Rosary shall be aided by me in their necessities.  
 No. 12 of Holy Mary promises

For more information you can contact Eileen McGuire phone no. 705-470-5135

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**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AT HOME, HOSPITAL OR NURSING HOME**

Paisley Amyotte  
 John Dupuis  
 Helen Hickey  
 Dianne Luttrell  
 Doug McMahon  
 Rheal Poirier  
 Ed Serson  
 Leona Dawe  
 Stella Thibault

Tina Benoit  
 Wendy Fougere  
 Colleen Huskinson  
 Keith MacDonald  
 Mary Nowak  
 Kathleen (O'Shell) Robbie  
 Roberta Tracanelli  
 Juliette Gravel  
 Louise Besserer

Blake Bond  
 Jim Golden  
 Carol Besserer  
 Joe MacDonald  
 Vivian O'Bumsawin  
 Tammy Besserer  
 Denis Vallieres  
 Jeannette Gaydos  
 Roger Luttrell

Roland Chouinard  
 Greg Grant  
 Betty Leschishin  
 Chris Marcotte  
 Richard (Bub) Pellerin  
 Pauline Sauve  
 Bernice Kaczmariski Gemmell  
 Cecile Prevost

If anyone's name should be added or taken off the list, please call the office.