

Catholic Parishes of Onaping Falls and Cartier

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Newsletter for September 12th & September 19th 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 September 11th – David Chavarie by Sharon Campbell & family
Sunday September 12th – Bernice Gemmell & Lucille Chuby St-Amour (94) by Chris Marcotte
Tuesday September 14th – Emma Lachance by Connie & Allan Luoma
Saturday September 18th – Ledia Andrews by Joan Matte & family
Sunday September 19th – For the people
Tuesday September 21st – Eileen Lalonde by the CWL
Saturday September 25th – Ray Primeau by Sharon & Tom Rioux
Sunday September 26th – Fern Bombardier by Andre & Jeanne Picard

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

Sunday September 12th – For the People
Thursday September 16th – Souls in Purgatory by Jeff & Sandy
Sunday September 19th – Bonne retraite Manon de l'école St-Étienne
Thursday September 23rd – Souls in Purgatory by Jeff & Sandy
Sunday September 26th – For the People

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

Sunday September 12th – Yolende Richard by Ray & Murielle Jalbert
Wednesday September 15th – École St-Étienne
Sunday September 19th – Thérèse Gravelle by Yolande & JC Riopel
Wednesday September 22nd – Mass
Sunday September 26th – Nos parents défunts de Cécile & Aimé Prévost

The Pope's Intentions in 2021:

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 29th 2021

White envelopes	\$ 897.00
Loose	\$ 80.00
Renos	\$ 300.00
HOP	\$ 60.00
Total Donations	\$1337.00

Collection information for September 5th 2021

White envelopes	\$ 1746.00
Loose	\$ 106.00
Renos	\$ 667.00
HOP	\$ 270.00
Needs of the Church	\$ 50.00
Total Donations	\$2839.00

Caisse & Credit Union Reconciliation

September 8, 2021

Caisse – Balance August 31, 2021	+\$55,853.39
Credit Union – Balance August 31, 2021	+\$ 4,516.00
Deposits Since	+\$ 2,839.00
Outstanding Cheques	<u>-\$ 4,333.05</u>
Combined Balance September 8, 2021	+\$58,875.34

HAPPY
SATURDAY

Please join us at St. Bartholomew parish hall, September 25th
from 5 – 7 pm for a Saturday Social
There will be a variety of games, activities, movie night
These Saturday Socials will be held every 4th Saturday of the month
from 5 to 7 pm.
Everyone Welcome! ****Must wear a mask****



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.



CWL RUMMAGE SALE

**LOCATION: ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISH
30 CHURCH STREET, LEVACK**

**DATE: SATURDAY and SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16-17, 2021
from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

MUST WEAR A MASK

HAND SANITIZER WILL BE AVAILABLE

We are asking that all donations be taken to the basement of the Church (back wall) from Tuesday to Thursday's between 9:00 and 3:00 starting in October. All clothes must be clean and all items must be sellable. No outdated car seats or hockey helmets are permitted. Electronic devices must work.
Thank you - your CWL executive



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
Louise Besserer

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

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

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

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