



**Welcome To**  
**Our Lady of Lourdes**  
**112 North Foord St.,**  
**Stellarton**

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**MISSION STATEMENT**

We, the Our Lady of Lourdes Community, are committed to share the love and salvation of Christ Jesus through the celebration of the sacraments and social actions. Our community is a sanctuary of love, hope, spiritual growth and mutual help. We are a community that journeys together.

**NEW PARISHIONERS**

We warmly welcome you to Our Lady of Lourdes family. You mean a lot to us, and you will be cherished always. As you journey together with us, may you find peace, joy and love that endure. We encourage you to register with the Parish office 902-752-4822

**Mass Intentions**

**Dec 1<sup>st</sup> – Dec 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

**Monday Dec 1<sup>st</sup>** 9am

Dave Lemmon (L)  
Req by Sharon Heighton

**Tuesday Dec 2<sup>nd</sup>** 9am

Clarrie MacDonald (D)

**Wednesday Dec 3<sup>rd</sup>** 9am

Margaret Henderson (D)  
Req by Mr. Alois Stokan & family

**Thursday Dec 4<sup>th</sup>** 6pm

Ed Walton (D)  
Req by Brenda Duffy & family

**Friday Dec 5<sup>th</sup>** 9am

John Kay Martin (D)  
Req by Martin Family

**Saturday Dec 6<sup>th</sup>** 9am

Joseph Ozga (D)  
Req by CWL

**Saturday Dec 6<sup>th</sup>** 5:30pm

Moriarty Family (D)  
Req by family

**Sunday Dec 7<sup>th</sup>** 9am

Dan Praught (D)  
Req by Don & Barb Jerrett

**Winner of the November 50/50 Raffle**  
**was Howard Sampson \$257.50**  
**Congratulations Howard!**  
**December 50/50 raffle tickets now on**  
**Sale!**

**How to play, go to:**

[www2.rafflebox.ca/raffle/ourladyoflourdes](http://www2.rafflebox.ca/raffle/ourladyoflourdes). Choose your number of tickets Click “Purchase” to pay with your credit card. Proceeds go to Our Lady of Lourdes Capital Fund.  
Thank you for your support

**ORDINARY TIME- WEEK 34**

**November 27, 2025**

**Fr. Macdonald Ibeh -- 1-902-565-9994**

**[ibeh\\_macdonald@yahoo.com](mailto:ibeh_macdonald@yahoo.com)**

**MASS TIMES**

Saturday 5:30pm

Sunday 9am & 11:10am

Daily Mass times

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 9am

Thursday 6pm

Eucharistic Adoration Thursday 5pm:6pm

Confessions Thursday 5pm -5:45 pm

**Christmas /New year Mass Schedule**

**Christmas Eve (Dec. 24<sup>th</sup>) 8pm**

**Christmas Day (Dec 25) 10pm**

**December 27<sup>th</sup> 5:30pm**

**December 28<sup>th</sup> 9am & 11:10am**

**New Year (Jan. 1<sup>st</sup>) 10am**

**SCRIPTURAL PASSAGES FOR THE WEEK**

- 1.) Isaiah 11.1-10
- 2.) Roman 15.4-9
- 3.) Matthew 3.1-12

**Rosary Beads**

There are Rosary pamphlets in the Grotto, if anyone has extra rosary beads they would like to donate, please put them in the Grotto. Thank you!

**Christmas Flowers**—As we approach the Christmas season your support in purchasing the flowers would be greatly appreciated. If you wish to donate in memory of a loved one, please write the name on the envelope. (flower donation and your loved one’s name). You can also donate by sending an e-transfer to [lourdes@ns.sympatico.ca](mailto:lourdes@ns.sympatico.ca)

**Saint Vincent de Paul Society** provides emergency help to those in need.

Contact our Help Line:

Our Lady of Lourdes Area 902-759-1389

St John the Baptist Area 902-771-2766

To Donate: place your envelope marked “St. Vincent de Paul” in the weekend collection or drop off at the parish office.

***Advent Journey***

**Join in a Musical Journey through the**  
**Season of Christ: Advent**

**Youtube.com**

**Advent 1: The Advent of Our God**

**Created by Phillip MacLeod (Our Lady of**  
**Lourdes Parishioner)**

**Knight of Columbus**

**Keep Christ in Christmas campaign buttons** are now available at both entrances fo the church .

Free will donation

**Cemetery**

All etransfers for the cemetery, please use the following email address: [lourdescemetery@gmail.com](mailto:lourdescemetery@gmail.com)

**Weekend Collection**  
**November 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025**

|                             |          |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| Envelopes/ Loose/Candles \$ | 3,211.00 |
| Missal \$                   | 15.00    |
| Flowers \$                  | 280.00   |
|                             | 3,506.00 |

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|------------------------|--------|
| St. Vincent de Paul \$ | 10.00  |
| Cemetery donation \$   | 200.00 |

**Santa Brunch**  
**Dec 7<sup>th</sup> following 10am Mass**  
**Sausages & pancakess,**  
**tea/coffee/juice/dessert**



**Adults \$5.00 Children Free**  
All adults who picked up tickets but didn't pick up their child's ticket please pick up following Mass at the Grotto entrance; tickets are required for all.

**Notices from St. John the Baptist Parish**

- 1. Mon. Dec 8<sup>th</sup> Mass at 6pm at St. John the Baptist Parish for the Immaculate Conception.** We celebrate the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. During this Mass we will have a procession with flowers being placed in front of the statue of Mary. All are welcome to attend.
- 2. Advent Day Recollection/Confession Fri., Dec 12<sup>th</sup> at 6pm at St. John the Baptist Parish.** There will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and a reflection by Fr. Godwin followed by Confessions.

**Thank you to this week's bulletin sponsors:**



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**CWL Corner**



Pope Leo XIV calls on Christians to see the poor not merely as recipients of charity, but as protagonists of hope. So as an Advent project of comfort, the CWL are inviting the parishioners to join us in collecting socks, mittens, hats & scarves until the 20th of December to be given to Viola's place, Roots for Youth and Tearman House. Items can be left in the baskets at the entrances to the church, and please keep the vulnerable in your prayers especially as the cold weather is now upon us.

**The CWL** is still collecting stamps for Development & Peace and boxes are at the entrances of the church for drop off.  
Thank you!

**CWL - Festive Dinner**

Members will gather on Monday Dec. 1 the first Monday in our Advent season, to share a meal at Swiss Chalet at 6 PM. For those members who can, we ask that you bring a donation for the food bank to help feed those who are in need. We are looking forward to gathering with our members for a little fun and to celebrate the presence of friendship among us and to recognize that this is gift, a beautiful blessing from our God. Along with your donation we ask that you consider bringing good cheer, a story to share, a poem or a reflection you find inspirational as we prepare for Christmas.

*'In the company of friends, even the simplest dinner becomes a feast.' – Plato*



**Advent**

Our CWL is welcoming the Advent season with a sweet little family activity booklet for the children and families of our parish. We hope it will enrich this time of preparation with faith, fun and family. If your child would like to receive a copy please see one of our CWL members at the entrances of the church. 😊

**Eighty Acts of Kindness**

The CWL would like to extend a huge thank you to all who added to our 80 Acts of Kindness celebrating our 80th year here at Our Lady of Lourdes. Let us continue to share God's light as we walk in faith, on our way home.

**CWL Facebook**

Our Lady of Lourdes CWL on Facebook!  
[www.facebook.com/ololcwl](http://www.facebook.com/ololcwl)

**CWL Hospitality Team** is available for funeral service receptions. Please call Debbie Reid @ 902-759-5896.