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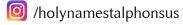




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Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00pm (Holy Name of Jesus) Sunday 9:00am (St. Alphonsus Liguori) Sunday 11:15am (Holy Name of Jesus) Sunday 4:00pm (Holy Name of Jesus)

Weekday Masses

Tuesday 9:00am (Holy Name of Jesus) Wednesday 9:00am (St. Alphonsus) Thursday 5:15pm (Holy Name of Jesus) Friday 9:00am (Holy Name of Jesus)

Sunday Mass is also available LIVE Sunday at 11:15am on our YouTube Channel (and available after it airs too!)

REMEMBER TO:

- Bring and wear a mask.
- Keep your distance.
- Be prepared to answer screening questions when you arrive.
- Follow the direction of our volunteers throughout your visit to our church.



UPCOMING LIVE YOUTUBE BROADCASTS FROM OUR PARISH COMMUNITY:

November 29 - 11:15am: Sunday Mass LIVE! Available at this link:

https://youtu.be/bx0twiNCOAM

New to the Parish? Welcome! Make sure to introduce yourself to our parish staff, and fill out a Parish Registration Form available at the back of each church or online on our website.

Sacraments: Information on our Sacraments are available on our parish website.

Vocations to the Priesthood/Religious Life: Please speak to our Pastor or visit: www.beapriest.ca

Financial Support: Please consider supporting the works of the parish through traditional Sunday envelopes, our Pre-Authorized Withdrawal Plan, online on our website, or through E-Transfer!

NOVEMBER 29, 2020: FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Tuesday, December 1 - 9:00AM (Holy Name) *Isaiah 11:1-10; Luke 10:21-24*Intentions of Tim & Family by Ray & Karen Thomson

Wednesday, December 2 - 9:00AM (St. Alphonsus) *Isaiah 25:6a-10; Matthew 15:29-37*Maureen Cross by Laurent & Susan Lariviere

Thursday, December 3 - 5:15PM (Holy Name) *Memorial of St. Francis Xavier, Priest Isaiah 26:1-6; Matthew 7:21,24-27* **Elma Micus** by Gerry Hinschberger

Friday, December 4 - 9:00AM (Holy Name) Isaiah 29:17-24; Matthew 9:27-31 Special Intention by a parishioner

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Isaiah 40:1-5,9-11; 2 Peter 3:8-14; Mark 1:1-8

Saturday, December 5 - 4:00PM (Holy Name) Josephine Muzzi by Tina, Rose & Marie Muzzi

Sunday, December 6 - 9:00AM (St. Alphonsus) Intentions of all Parishioners by our Pastor Jack Sullivan by a parishioner

11:15AM (Holy Name) (Also LIVE on YouTube!)
Percy Miller by Roy & Fran Malette

4:00PM (NEW!) (Holy Name)

Frank Falconi by Deacon Allan & Nicky Charette Noah Dugas by a parishioner

FINANCIAL HELP

Please consider one of the four ways to give:

- 1) **Sunday Envelope:** Use them at church, or mail a cheque, or post-dated cheques to the parish office.
- 2) Pre-Authorized Withdrawal: You set the amount and frequency ask us for a form and attach a void cheque.
- 3) Online Giving: On our website through CanadaHelps www.holynamestalphonsus.com/donate
- **4) E-Transfer:** Send your donation to our email address **holynamestalphonsus@ssmd.ca** include your name and where funds should be allocated (Holy Name of Jesus or St. Alphonsus Liguori)

A reminder that if any gifting imposes a level of hardship of any kind whatsoever, please do not donate. Thank you for your cooperation and generosity!



MEMORIAL CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

In order to offset the cost of flowers to decorate the Sanctuaries for Christmastime, we are asking you

to make a small donation in memory of a loved one who has passed away. Please place your donation in an envelope (located at the back of each church), note your information on it for tax purposes, and place it in the Sunday collection basket. You may also E-Transfer your donation or drop it off at the parish office. A list of all the donors and their loved ones will be printed, and we will offer our Christmas Masses in their memory.

SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION MASS & HOLY HOUR

Mass for the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be celebrated **Tuesday**,



December 8 at 7:00pm at Holy Name of Jesus.

Please note that incense will be used at this celebration. A Holy Hour will follow from 8:00pm - 9:00pm for those who wish to stay. There will not be a 9:00am Mass on this day.

SUNDAY COLLECTION - NOV. 22, 2020

HN Sunday Offering: \$1,733.00 (37/208 Envelopes)

 Loose:
 \$ 73.60

 Building Fund:
 \$ 10.00

 HN Pre-Authorized:
 \$ 491.00

 E-Transfers:
 \$ 565.00

 Online Giving:
 \$ 425.00

 TOTAL:
 \$ 3,297.60

Outreach to the Poor: 20.00

SAL Sunday Offering: \$ 295.00 (10/85 Envelopes)

 Loose:
 \$ 40.00

 SAL Pre-Authorized:
 \$ 417.00

 E-Transfers:
 \$ 215.00

 Online Giving:
 \$ 25.00

 TOTAL:
 \$ 992.00

Budgeted Weekly Income Needed: Holy Name \$4,000.00, St. Alphonsus 1,400.00 Thank you for your generosity!

CHRISTMAS GIVING TREES

Many in our community need our help this Christmas - and your generosity is needed for our **two Giving Trees!** At <u>Holy Name of Jesus:</u> the Holy Family Giving Tree in support of families in our parish and Our Lady of Fatima & St. Francis schools. Take a tag, purchase the item, return the tag with the gift in a Christmas gift bag (unwrapped) for distribution to our families in need.

At <u>St. Alphonsus:</u> the Jesse Tree is in support of the Christmas Cheer outreach and families at St. Theresa School.

The final deadline to return all gifts is Sunday, December 13. Thank you for your generosity!



ADVENT DAY OF CONFESSIONS

While there will not be a regional Day of Confessions this year, we will still offer a Day of Confessions in our parish community to help in our spiritual renewal for the Season of Advent in preparation for Christmas.

Confession will be available on Wednesday, December 16:

9:30am - 11:30am: St. Alphonsus Liguori 4:00pm - 8:00pm: Holy Name of Jesus

The Lord never tires of forgiving, it is we who tire of asking for forgiveness.

Pope Francis

All are welcome and all are encouraged to take advantage of the Sacrament of Confession this Advent Season!



THURSDAYS 6:30PM - 8:00PM AT HOLY NAME OF JESUS CHURCH ALL STUDENTS IN GRADES 6, 7 & 8 ARE WELCOME!

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WARM SOCKS COLLECTION

The Holy Name of Jesus Catholic Women's League is asking its members and all parishioners for donations of warm socks for distribution to homeless shelters across the city



and the Gathering Place. You can drop off your warm socks in the basket at the top of the stairs until **December 7**. Thank you for your help!

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE 2021 MEMBERSHIP DUES

C.W.L. MEMBERS can pay their dues for 2021 through the traditional envelope, by dropping off their dues at the parish office - or even E-Transfer them to the parish!



BULLETIN ADVERTISERS WANTED

We are currently seeking advertisers for our parish bulletin beginning January 2021 until December 2021. These ads are available weekly, and so far in 2020 have been seen over 15,000 times! A good opportunity for you to promote your business at a great deal - only \$250.00 for the entire year! Call the parish office for more info and get your ad noticed!

SUNDAY MASS TO AIR LIVE ON YOUTUBE

Beginning this Sunday, November 29 - Sunday Mass will broadcast LIVE from Holy Name of Jesus Church on Sunday at 11:15am, and will be available to watch after it YouTube airs too!



INSTALLATION OF BISHOP DOWD TO **AIR LIVE ON SALT & LIGHT**

The installation of Bishop Thomas Dowd as Bishop of the Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie will take place on Thursday, December 17 at 2:00pm. It will air live on Salt & Light Television and online on their website.







NEW EPISODE OF 'THE CATHOLIC BUZZ PODCAST' DISCUSSES THE SEASON OF

ADVENT - WHAT IS IT & WHAT SHOULD WE **BE DOING?** The Season of Advent begins this coming Sunday! We know we put the wreath up and change our colours to purple - but what exactly is the Season of Advent - and how should we be preparing spiritually during this time?

Join Mat, Josh and Fr. Daniele on the latest episode of The Catholic Buzz Podcast!

Watch the Episode here: https://youtu.be/P0ZGkGqOnSQ

Listen to the episode on Apple Podcasts or by visiting www.holynamestalphonsus.com/ thecatholicbuzz

OUR CONDOLENCES & PRAYERS

We remember in our prayers, those who have died, especially Jack Sullivan and Dora Cassidy. May their souls & the souls of all our faithful departed rest in peace.



SUNDAY MISSAL

2021 SUNDAY MISSALS NOW **AVAILABLE!**

The 2021 Sunday Missals are now available for sale at both of our churches at weekend Mass and in the church offices during regular office hours. They are \$5.00.

HOLY HOUR TUESDAY AT 7:30PM Join us for an hour of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Tuesday evenings at 7:30pm at Holy Name of Jesus Church. Masks are mandatory and the same safety measures will be applied as they are for Sunday Mass.



HELP WANTED: MASS LECTORS

We need your help in proclaiming the Word of God at all of our week-



end Masses. Please speak to Fr. Daniele, Deacon Allan or Alana Pelc if you are interested in this ministry. Training and resources will be provided!

North Bay & Area Right to Life

has religious Christmas Cards for sale. 1 pkg of 10 for \$7.00, 3 pkg of 10 for \$20.00. To purchase call Denise Seguin 705 474-6827

2021 Sunday Offertory Envelopes are now available at the entrance of each church. If you would like to make alternate arrangements to pick up your envelopes, please phone the parish office.

2021 DONATIONS TO YOUR PARISH

Our parish community relies solely on the generosity of our parishioners who donate to our parish. From our donations, we are able to responsibly meet the needs of our spiritual and temporal affairs.



FOR 2021 - WILL YOU CONSIDER:

- A small increase from your 2020 donations?
- Signing up for **Automatic Withdrawals** and setting up a regular donation schedule with the parish?

WHAT ARE MY OPTIONS TO DONATE?

- 1) **2020 SUNDAY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES:** The 2020 Sunday Offertory Envelopes are now available at the back of each church, sorted alphabetically. Please do not use these until 2021.
- 2) **AUTOMATIC WITHDRAWALS:** If you no longer wish to use envelopes this is a great opportunity to switch to our Pre-Authorized Debit Plan (or Automatic Withdrawal). **You set the amount and frequency,** and the amount is automatically withdrawn from your account, as we do to pay other bills directly. More info and forms are available at each entrance or please contact the parish office.
- 3) ONLINE GIVING: You can donate directly through the safe and secure CanadaHelps platform using your VISA or Mastercard. Please visit: www.holynamestalphonsus.com/donate
- 4) E-TRANSFER: Send your donation to our email address
 - holynamestalphonsus@ssmd.ca include your name and where funds should be allocated (Holy Name of Jesus or St. Alphonsus Liguori)

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED GENEROSITY!

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Join us Sunday afternoons at 2:30pm at Holy Name of Jesus Church.

2020 CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S **MASS SCHEDULE**

The Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ (Holy Day of Obligation) Christmas Eve (December 24)

5:00pm – Family Mass (at Holy Name of Jesus)

- Max Capacity in church 80 people
- Seating available in Parish Hall Max Capacity 70
- This Mass will be Live-Streamed on our Parish YouTube Channel

<u>8:00pm – (at St. Alphonsus Liguori)</u>

- Max Capacity in church 50 people
- **Please note that incense will be used at this celebration.**

12:00am – Midnight Mass (at Holy Name of Jesus)

- Max Capacity in church 80 people
- Seating available in Parish Hall Max Capacity 70
- This Mass will be Live-Streamed on our Parish YouTube Channel
- **Please note that incense will be used at this celebration.**

Christmas Day (December 25)

11:15am (at Holy Name of Jesus)

- Max Capacity in church 80 people
- Seating available in Parish Hall Max Capacity 70
- This Mass will be Live-Streamed on our Parish YouTube Channel

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God (Holy Day of Obligation)

Tuesday, December 31: 4:00pm (at Holy Name of Jesus)

- Max Capacity in church 80 people
- This Mass will be Live-Streamed on our Parish YouTube Channel
- **Please note that incense will be used at this celebration.**

Wednesday, January 1: 10:00am (at St. Alphonsus Liguori)

- Max Capacity in church 50 people
- **Please note that incense will be used at this celebration.**





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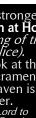
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Meetings second Tuesday of the month at Canadian Forces Base Church (Queen of Peace) Contact **Art Tiernay** at 705-358-1368



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