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Do You Want To Fast This Lent?

Fast from hurting words, and say kind words. Fast from sadness, and be filled with gratitude. Fast from pessimism, and be filled with hope. Fast from worries, and trust in God. Fast from pressures, and be prayerful. Fast from bitterness, and fill your heart with joy. Fast from selfishness, and be compassionate to others. Fast from grudges, and be reconciled. Fast from words, and be silent, so you can listen.

Pope Francis

St. Ambrose Parish

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Pastor: Father Clarence Dinesh

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Secretary:

Germaine Duplin 842-2024

St. Ambrose Office Hours:

(Office located in church basement)

Wednesday - 9-1:00 pm Thursday - 9-1:00 pm

Parish Pastoral Council:

Chair - J. Tetreault Vice Chair - C. Kirby Secretary - C. Kirby

Pastoral Lay Minister:

L. Carson

Finance Committee:

Chairperson - C. Kirby

Building Committee:

Chairperson - Y. Belisle <u>Catholic Women's League</u>

(CWL) President: -L. Carson Funeral Chair -L. Carson

<u>Weddings:</u> Contact the office when you announce engagement.

<u>Baptisms:</u> Contact the office when you announce pregnancy.

Communion to Shut-Ins or Sacrament of the Sick:

Please notify the rectory/office.

<u>Prayer Chain</u>

Germaine Duplin 785-3178

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 10, 2024



SUNDAY MASS--NOON
THE FIRST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH ALGOMA MANOR
10:30AM
WESTWIND SHORES 10:30AM

For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him might not perish but might have eternal life.

Glorify the LORD with me; let us exalt His name together.

WEEKLY OFFERING SUNDAY MARCH 3,, 2024

Sunday Envelopes Loose Change Lift Building Candles Hydro Food Bank	\$485.00 70.00 25.00 00.00 14.25 50.00 (75.00)
	(75.00) 100.00

TOTAL \$744.25

ATTENDANCE46
ATTENDANCE WESTWIND SHORES 6

THANK YOU

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday March 10--St Ambrose—Noon --for all St. Ambrose parishioners

Thursday March 14 —Westwind Shores--10:30am -- for Viateur Carrier, requested by Pierre Carrier

Sunday March 17—St. Ambrose — Noon- in memory of Laurise Marchand, requested by La Famille Marchand

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. Mar. 11--Isaiah 65.17-21, Ps 30.1+3, 4-5, 10+11a+12b, John 4.43-54

Tues. Mar. 12--Ezekiel 47.1-9, 12, Ps 46.1-2, 4 -5, 7-8, John 5.1-16

Wed. Mar. 13--Isaiah 49.8-15, Ps 145.8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18, John 5.16-30

Thurs. Mar. 14--Exodus 32.7-14, Ps 106.19-20, 21-22, 23, John 5.18, 31-47++

Fri. Mar. 15--Wisdom 2.1a, 12-22, Ps 34.16-17, 18-19, 20+22, John 7.1-2, 10, 25-30

Sat. Mar. 16-Jeremiah 11.18-20, Ps 7.1-2, 8bc-9, 10-11, John 7.40-53

Sun. Mar. 17--FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT--Jeremiah 31.31-34++, Ps 51.1-2, 10-11, 12-13, Hebrews 5.7-9, John 12.20-33

- 1. Stations of the Cross will be held during Lent on Fridays at 4pm.
- 2. The Rosary will be said before Mass during Lent beginning at 11:25am

Our Lenten book study "Ascension Lenten Companion: Walking with Jesus to Jerusalem" after mass. Any interested parishioners are welcome to attend. The weekly discussion sessions will be an hour in length.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fellowship after Mass today. Come downstairs and enjoy some light refreshments, and fellowship with fellow parishioners.

CWL meeting, Thursday, March 14th, at 1pm.

'Summer's Coming' Draw Basket is on display at Northern Credit Union 'and' area outlets. Tickets will be available at the entrance of the Church after Lent. Tickets \$2 each or 3 for \$5.00 The beautiful basket will be drawn on Mother's Day, May 12th

Bake or Bake Less Sale

Wednesday, March 27th

Northern Credit Union

10:30am-2:30pm

Baking donations, greatly appreciated.



Palm Sunday Mass-- St. Ambrose---Noon

Holy Thursday--March 28-- St. Ambrose 5pm

St. James--5pm potluck and 7pm bilingual Mass with Ste. Famille; reposition of sacrament 8-9pm

Good Friday-- **St. Ambrose**--3pm Community Stations of the Cross (shared with community churches)

St. James-3pm **Ste. Famille**--11am

Easter Vigil--**St. Ambrose**--None **St. James**--7pm bilingual at Ste. Famille **Ste. Famille**--7pm bilingual combined with St. James

Easter Day--**St. Ambrose** --Noon **St. James**--9:30am **Ste. Famille**--None

March 24, 9:30am -2:00pm Sowerby Hall Pancake Brunch

Pancakes, sausage, boiled eggs, maple syrup, oranges, and muffins.

Adults \$16.00 Children 5-12, \$8.00 5 and under FREE