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Pastor:
Father Clarence Jacob

Parish Secretary:
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Interim Parish Secretary:
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Office Hours:
 Monday to Thursday
 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Mass Schedules:
 Sunday - 9:30 a.m.
 Friday - 10:00 a.m.

Tuesday - Golden Birches
 10:30 a.m.

**Exposition of the
 Blessed Sacrament:**
 Friday 3:00

**Tuesday Monthly Mass
 Red Pine Lodge:**
 First Tuesday of each
 Month 6 p.m.

Reconciliation:
 By appointment only

Baptism:
 Please call the office

Wedding:
 Please make marriage
 arrangements 6 months in advance
 by contacting the Parish office.

**Communion to the Housebound
 & Hospitalized:**
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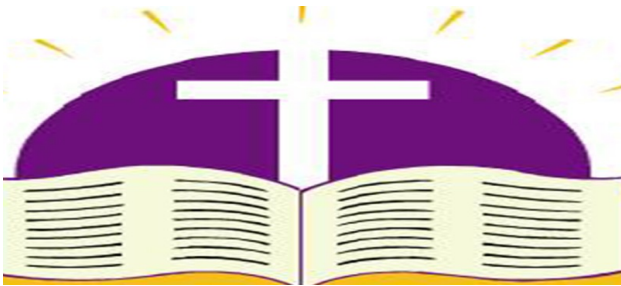




March 22nd, 2026

5th SUNDAY OF LENT

*“As once in the vision, O God, your prophet summoned
 the spirit so that dry bones stood up alive, and as
 once your Son stood fearless at death’s door
 calling Lazarus to come forth alive, raise us up
 with Christ from death of sin, that all of us,
 the elect and the baptized, may be unbound
 and set free. Amen.”*



Sun. Mar 22 - Paula Mallette
Req by Pat Mallette & Family

Tues. Mar 24 - Rescheduled Don Ball
Req by Joan Shanahan & Family

Fri. Mar 27 - James Boivin
Req by William Boivin

Sun. Mar 29 - All Parishioners

Bishop Thomas Dowd invites all the faithful of the Diocese to attend Chrism Mass, which will be celebrated on Tuesday, March 24th at 7 pm at Precious Blood Cathedral, Sault Ste. Marie.

During this solemn celebration, the bishop will bless the holy sacraments throughout the year, and the priests of the Diocese will renew their priestly promises.

All are warmly invited to participate in this important diocesan celebration.

Thank you for your collaboration.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. Mar. 23rd: Daniel 13.2, 4 - 6, 8, 15 - 16, 19 - 23, 28, 41- 46, 48 - 64
Ps 23.1 - 3a, 3b - 4, 5, 6
John 8.1 - 11

Tues. Mar 24th: Numbers 21.4 - 9
Ps 102.1-2, 15 - 17, 18 - 20
John 8.21 - 30

Wed. Mar 25th: Isaiah 7.10 - 14; 8.10d
Ps 40.6, 7 - 8, 9, 10
2nd Reading: Hebrews 10.4 - 10
Luke 1.26 - 38

Thur. Mar 26th: Genesis 17.3 - 9
Ps 105.4 - 5, 6 - 7, 8 - 9
John 8.51 - 59

Fri. Mar. 27th: Jeremiah 20.7, 10 - 13
Ps 18.1 - 2ab, 2c - 3, 4 - 5, 6
John 10.31 - 42

Sat. Mar 28th: Ezekiel 37.21 - 28
Responsorial Cantic: Jeremiah 31.10, 11 - 12ab, 13
John 11.45 - 56

Today's Prayer

Heavenly Father, as we walk these final steps toward the cross, soften our hearts to Your mercy and strengthen our spirits in hope. Breathe new life into what feels weary within us, and draw us closer to the promise of resurrection. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fellowship coffee hour will take place the 1st Sunday of each month and volunteers are needed. There is a Sign-up sheet at the entrance to the Church.

There are 2 Advertising spaces for your business, available in our church bulletin. Please contact the office or if you know someone who may be interested.

There is a winter Maintenance Log Sheet located at the entrance to the Church which should be completed when the walkways to the Church are shoveled and/or sand is used, the time this was done and your initials. This is for insurance purposes.

Going forward, we are requested to drop Sunday Offerings into the wicker basket near the Baptismal fount.



SUNDAY MARCH 15, 2026	
ATTENDANCE -	
Sunday Offering	\$ 1,020.00
Loose Change	20.00
Building Fund	30.00
Share Lent	20.00
Religious Articles/Candles	<u>30.25</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT	\$ 1,120.25

