

Pastor: Rev. Father Hamish Currie

Assistant Pastor: Fr. Ignatius Xavier

Parish Secretary: Lisa Wyer Office hours: 8:30AM-12:30PM

Sunday Masses: 5:00 PM Saturday Vigil Mass 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 8:30 PM

Weekday Masses: 7:55 A.M. No Mass on Wednesdays

Sacrament of Penance: Saturday 4:15 to 4:45 P.M.

Baptism:

Usually on the 3rd Sunday of the month. Please make arrangements *one* month in advance by contacting the Parish Office.

Marriages:

Please make marriage arrangements *six* months in advance by contacting the Parish office.

Papal Blessing:

Please allow at least 6 months for Papal Blessing to arrive after the request has been made.

Diocesan Order of Women: Dorothy Yadivisiak

CWL President: Louise McGuire, 705-254-7869

Liturgical Music/Choir: Shana Speakman, 705-206-3077

Bulletin Announcements Email your to pbcathedral@on.aibn.com before 11:00 A.M. on Wednesday

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Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ the King November 23, 2014

Pastor's Pen

Christ came to serve, not to be served. As we end this Church calendar year and prepare to immerse ourselves in the reflective season of a new Advent, this Feast of Christ the King challenges and questions us as to how we live our faith—of raising up the poor and lowly—in every aspect of our lives?

The Centre for Social Justice and Good Works is central to the whole idea of the JOURNEY and GATHERING PLACE and how the Church lives out the call from Scripture and Tradition to empower people by giving priority to the needs of those who are poor. The Centre will provide service leadership skills to members of the community, especially our youth.

Thank you to Fr. Pat Woods for preaching this weekend and opening our eyes to the need for priests and religion in our time.

Still time to get tickets for the Gala and a gentle reminder that it is also a good time before year end to consider your gift to the Journey and take advantage of tax credits for charitable gifts.

The Shrine Tour Brochure is available on-line and in the office.

May this new Advent begin a year of Gods grace and favour on us and our Journey.

Peace

Fr Hamish

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Scripture Readings: November 24 – November 30

| Monday | Revelation 14.1-3, 4b-5; Luke 21.1-4 | | |
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| Tuesday | Revelation 14.14-19; Luke 21.5-11 | | |
| Wednesday | Vednesday Revelation 15.1-4; Luke 21.12-19 | | |
| Thursday | Revelation 18.1-2, 21-23, 19.1-3, 9a; Luke 21.20-28 | | |
| Friday | Revelation 20.1-74, 11-15; 21.1-2; Luke 21.29-33 | | |
| Saturday & Sunday | Isaiah 63.16b-17; 64.1, 3-8; 1 Corinthians 1.3-9; Mark 13.33-37 | | |

Mass Intentions

| Monday, November 24 Mass of Thanksgiving by Paula | 7 : 55 A.M. | |
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| Tuesday, November 25 ł Monsignor Burns 5th Anniversary | 7:55 A.M. | |
| Wednesday, November 26 | No Mass | |
| Thursday, November 27 [†] Mary LaRochelle by Denis LaRochelle [†] Deceased members of Precious Blood Cat by Denise | 7 :55 A.M. hedral CWL | |
| Friday, November 28 [†] Arlene Candelori by Norman Candelori, J Glenn Sargant & Family | 7 :55 A.M. Janice & | |
| Saturday, November 29 [†] Deceased members of the Furac Family b Furac & Family & Mary [†] John Ostroski by The Family | 5:00 P.M. y Martin | _ |
| Sunday, November 30 9:00 A.M. ∤ Cecile Pavoni by Bob & Judy Barbeau | | |
| ł Dr. Duncan Jenkins by Brian & Bev Duni | n | |
| 11:00A.M. Intentions of Parishioners | | S Se |
| 8:30 P.M. For Vocations to the Priesthood & Religiou | ıs Life | |

Sympathy

We offer our prayers and condolences to Dick Brownlee on the death of his wife Emily.





Please remember... Front pews are reserved for those with mobility issues. Presiding Priest will bring the Eucharist to you.

The History of a Diocese

in Northern Ontario Hard cover books about the history of the Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie will be available for purchase in the parish office during office hours. The cost is \$35.

REMINDER

Please do not leave valuables visible in your car and lock your vehicle.

| Sunday, November 16 | \$4528 |
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| Building/Journey Fund YTD | \$470,793 |
| Sep. Pre-Authorized Donations Sunday | \$3030 |
| Sep. Pre-Authorized Donations Journey | \$1270 |

Thank you for your continued generosity!

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| Nov 29/30 | Lectors | Eucharistic Minister | Ushers | Beware that your hearts do not |
| Saturday 5:00 P.M. | Janet Brown Anne Marie Dupuis | Ralph Esposito Michelle Inch Louise Adams | Bernard Lysiak Neil Conway John Slobodecki Paul Logan | become drowsy from carousing and drunkenness |
| Sunday 9:00 A.M. | Dawn Malone Fil Lettieri | Louise McGuire Bill Denneny Denise Colizza | Rudy Wheatley Brian Lidstone | and the anxieties of daily life, and |
| Sunday I I:00 A.M. | Vinnie Greco Carmen Sicoly | Michael Currier Maria Santelli Bambi Alexander | Ted & Norma Wall Phil Belleros | that day catch you by surprise like a trap. |
| Sunday 8:30 P.M. | Rico Iacoe | | Gino Filice | Luke 18 |
| | Please remember in your prayers, all | | | |
| Mon. Nov. 24 I:30p | | m ARISE Group | at Sacred Heart | the sick and shut in |
| Tues. Nov. 2 | 25 II:30 a | m Craft Group | at Sacred Heart | especially Margaret Nicholson, |
| Wed. Nov. 2 | 26 6:00р | m RCIA Session | at Sacred Heart | Mae Roberts, |
| Thurs. Nov. | 27 7:00p | m Choir Practic | e | Bernice Corcoran, Gerald Nolan, Ted Kobinski |

Catholic Women's League

A very big thank you to all the CWL members and parishioners who assisted in making our bazaar a success. The Knights of Columbus men, with the generous help from Fr. Ignatius, transported tables to the Church for the bazaar and back to the Sacred Heart Center afterwards.

All ladies of the parish, join us on Dec. 2 for Dinner at the Iron Club. \$38, taxes and gratuities included. We would love to see you there for an enjoyable evening. Please RSVP to Louise by Nov. 29. Call 705- 254-7869 for any further details. If you need a ride we can help.

CWL Sunday at 9 a.m. Mass Dec. 7. We need ladies to assist with Eucharistic Ministry, Readers, Ushers etc. If you can help please call Marie Bruno at 705-946-4606 by Nov. 25.

Knights of Columbus Council 11608

K of C 11608 invite all parishioners to their all-you-can-eat **Pasta & Meatball dinner** in support of the Journey on **Tuesday, December 2** from 5pm-7pm at the Grand Gardens on Dennis St. Cost is \$9.99 for adults & \$5.99 for children. Take out is also available. **The Knights are having this dinner on the first Tuesday of each month.**

Christmas Meeting: All members of Council 11608 are invited to attend our December meeting on Tuesday, December 16 at 7pm at Sacred Heart Center. If you plan to attend, please call Otto Volpe at 705-949-4409 by December 13.



Upcoming Events:

The **2014 Annual 'Journey' Gala and Auction** will be held on **December 4th** at the Marconi Club starting at 6pm. There will be an amazing menu & great entertainment with a live & silent auction. The ticket price is \$100 person. Tickets are being sold individually or in tables of ten. Please feel free to organize tables of ten to support the 'Journey'. For tickets, call Linda Simonini @705-945-7038 or Connie Moore @705-253 -4594 or Lisa in the Parish office @705-256-8474. Please join the fun and support the 'Journey'.

2015 Lottery Tickets are now on sale at various locations. Please see note on bulletin board for location dates & times. \$20 per ticket. Tickets can always be purchased in the parish office. 49 weekly draws for \$1000 starting January 24, 2015. Any parishioner who would like to sell tickets, please see the ticket seller before & after each mass. We could use your help.

Journey Lottery WinnerNovember 15Mary Ann Clark

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West End Thursday, December 11, 2014 at 7:00pm St. Gregory's Church, 71 Estelle St.

East End Wednesday, December 17, 2014 at 7:00pm Precious Blood Cathedral, 778 Queen St. E.



2015 Offertory Envelopes

Offertory Envelopes for 2015 will be available in early December. If you have not been using envelopes in the past, and would like some, please contact Lisa in the parish office and a set of envelopes will be prepared for you. If you would like to contribute through our Pre-Authorized Donation Program, please see Lisa in the office to complete the necessary form.

In the Community

You are invited to an **ADVENT RETREAT** sponsored by <u>SHALOM PLACE</u> on Dec. 6. Entitled **BE EMP-TY... BE FULL**. This retreat day will focus on Mary, the mother of Jesus – how she became empty in letting go to the Divine call, thus becoming full of God's Life. What could this experience mean for me in my life? Come, listen, grow in peace. Saturday, December 6, 9 am to 3 pm St. Jerome's Parish Hall & Church. Suggested Offering: \$40 or whatever you can afford. Facilitator: Sister Lea Joanisse, CSJ. Pre-register by calling 705-254-4690 or email <u>shalomssm@shaw.ca</u>

Weekend Retreat at Villa Loyola:

Theme: Imagination and Spirituality: Praying Through the Visual Arts

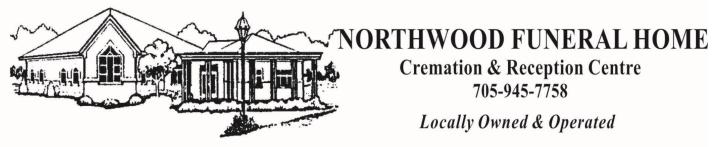
Dates:From Friday February 6 (7pm) to Sunday February 8 (1pm) 2015Director:Fr. Teo Ugaban, S.J.Cost:\$240.00 all inclusive (art supplies provided)Registration:Call 705-522-3502 ext, 0 Monday to Friday or by email at loyola@isys.ca

<u>St. Gregory's C.W.L. Bake & Craft Sale</u>: The CWL annual "Bake & Craft Sale" will be held on Saturday, November 29th, 2014 from 1pm to 5pm, after the 5 o'clock and also before and after the masses on Sunday, November 30th in the Parish Hall. Come early on Saturday for the best selection. CWL members and parishioners wishing to donate baking to this worthy fundraiser can come to the Parish Hall by noon on Friday, November 28th or on Saturday, November 29th before 11:00 a.m. This fundraiser benefits the Parish and other worthy causes. We hope you will support this event!

<u>Ham Dinner</u>: Knights of Columbus Bishop Pappin Council is sponsoring a ham dinner and CWL bake sale, Monday, December I from 5pm-7pm in Our Lady of Good Counsel parish hall. Cost is \$9 for adults/\$4 for children ages 5-12/children ages 4 and under eat free.

<u>Christmas Tea & Bazaar</u>: Croatian Catholic Church, 466 Second Line East, Saturday, November 29, Ipm-3pm. Adults: \$5/Children under 10: Free. For tickets please call Josephine 705-945-8483.

<u>St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church</u>: Annual Christmas Tea & Bazaar on Sunday, November 30, Ipm-3:30pm. Adults: \$5/Children 12 & under: \$2. Perogies, cabbage rolls, Ukrainian bread, children's items & White Elephant Sale. 293 St. George's Ave. E.



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Thirty-Fourth Week of Ordinary Time

Sunday is the **Thirty-Fourth or Last Sunday in Ordinary Time** and the **Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ the King**. Jesus tells the marvelous parable about how we will all be judged - as a shepherd separates sheep from goats, based upon our care for the poor: "Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of the least brothers of mine, you did for me."

Monday is the Memorial of Saint Andrew Dŭng-Lạc, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs.

The first reading all week is continues from the mystical **Book of Revelation**.

In this last week of Ordinary Time, we have readings from **Luke's Gospel**, which grow more explicit about the end time as Jesus and his disciples draw closer to Jerusalem. Jesus watches rich people make donations at the Temple but when a poor widow drops in two small coins he notes that her donation is far larger for "she, from her poverty, has offered her whole livelihood." He speaks of the end time, and cautions that many will claim to come in Jesus' name. "Do not follow them!" He says that the cost of following him may be high, and may lead to trials and divisions in families. But, he says, "By your perseverance you will secure your lives." In a dramatic look at the end time, Jesus says, "And then they will see the Son of Man coming in a cloud with power and great glory." Just as we know what the signs in nature tell us - fig trees in bloom announce the coming of summer - Jesus want us to be aware of the signs of the coming of the Kingdom: "when you see these things happening, know that the Kingdom of God is near." Finally, he tells us not to let our "hearts be drowsy" from drunkenness or anxiety but to be vigilant at all times and to pray for the strength we will need for the "tribulations that are imminent and to stand before the Son of Man."

Sunday is the beginning of a new liturgical year with the **First Sunday of Advent**. The first reading from the **Prophet Isaiah** as the people repent before God: "Would that you might meet us doing right, that we were mindful of you in our ways!" **Mark's gospel** offers the image of the master who leaves his servants in charge while he is away. Be watchful! Be alert!

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Consequences

Remember, you may choose your sin, but you cannot chose the consequences.

Jenny Sanford

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