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Rev. Father Hamish Currie

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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:

8:00 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.

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Bulletin Announcements

Email yours to

pbcathedral@on.aibn.com

before 11:00 A.M. Wednesday

Easter Season Week I

Mar 27, 2016

Alleluia!

Sisters and Brothers,

Jesus says to frightened disciples, "Do not be afraid." To us he says, "Do not be afraid."

Whatever it is that causes you to fear, Jesus the risen Christ will be with you and will go ahead of you and continue to be with you. He offers you joy and peace, forgiveness and hope. Most of all he offers you himself. You need not fear. He has overcome the world!

Happy Easter

Fr. Hamish



Scripture Readings: Mar 28 to Apr 2, 2016

Monday	Acts 2.14, 22-33; Matthew 28.8-15
Tuesday	Acts 2.36-41; John 20.11-18
Wednesday	Acts 3.1-10; Luke 24.13-35
Thursday	Acts 3.11-26; Luke 24.35-48
Friday	Acts 4.1-12; John 21.1-14
Saturday	Acts 4.13-21; Mark 16.9-15



Monday, Mar 28

No Mass

8:00 A.M.

Tuesday, Mar 29

†Gesolina Vit & Ivano Vit by the Vit Family
 †David Stone by Denis & Gerri Chateau

8:00 A.M.

Wednesday, Mar 30

No Mass

Thursday, Mar 31

†Dora McGrath by Denis & Gerri Chateau

8:00 A.M.

Friday, Apr 1

†Van McMillan by Dawn Malone

8:00 A.M.

Saturday, Apr 2

†Anne Kight & Mercedes & Mando Esposito by John & Rudy Peres & their Families
 †Lori Ann Peres by Mom, Dad & Chris & Family
 †Ed & Marg Yadvisiak by Sharon Yadvisiak
 †Loretta Lavallee by Hepditch & Yadvisiak families

5:00 P.M.

Sunday, Apr 3

9:00 A.M.

†Sister Vida Marija Rovanseck by Angela Kosir
 †Giuseppi Pagnotta by Flora & Gerry Giordano & Rose & Andy McCormick

11:00 A.M.

Intentions of Parishioners

8:30 P.M.

No Intention requested

Join us April 10th

for this life changing event...

GOD, SEX and the MEANING OF LIFE

What if our desires are more important than we thought?

Join best-selling author and Theology of the Body teacher **Christopher West** from

6:00 p.m to 9 p.m. Sunday, April 10
at Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church
114 MacDonald Ave., Sault Ste. Marie, ON

as he explores the ancient but forgotten truth that our deepest desires of body and soul are meant to lead us to the infinite, to God. Christopher will be joined by nationally touring Americana artist **Mike Mangione**. Discover why as human beings we feel this universal "ache" for something more. Learn what the very design of our bodies as male and female tells us about God. Find out how we are created for bliss and why our hearts know this somehow!

Tickets are \$10.**Tickets will be available at the door.****For more info visit corproject.com**

What Is Theology of the Body?

The Theology of the Body (TOB) is a bold, compelling, Christian response to the sexual revolution that is transforming lives and renewing relationships around the globe and across denominational lines. Written by the late Pope John Paul II, the TOB offers an in-depth biblical exploration of the meaning of our creation as male and Female in the divine image that not only paves the way for lasting renewal of marriage and family life, but, as one of the most captivating articulations of Christian anthropology ever developed, enables everyone to rediscover "the meaning of the whole of existence, the meaning of life" (TOB 46:6).

Sunday Collections
 March 20, 2016

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Thank you for your continued generosity!

Apr 2/3	Lectors	Eucharistic Minister	Ushers	Greeters
Saturday 5:00 PM	Jill Micomonaco Moyra O'Pallie	Ralph Esposito Monique Staruck Linda Simonini	Bernard Lysiak Neil Conway John Slobodecki Paul Logan	Phylis Delaney Phyllis Wilson
Sunday 9:00 AM	Terry Bos Susan Colizza	Louise McGuire Paula Smith Denise Colizza	Rudy Wheatley Brian Lidstone	Agnes Cote Edna Miskiw
Sunday 11:00 AM	Vinnie Greco Sonya Masotti	Gino Masotti Myrtle Corelli Veronica Bornyj	Ted & Norma Wall Phil Bellerose Tony Pino	Kathleen Carlson Bambi Alexander
Sunday 8:30 PM	Tom Walton Ivan McCaig	Maria Pasqua	Gino Filice Terry Zuccato	

“Why do
you seek
the living
one among
the dead?
He is not
here, but
he has
raised.”

Luke 24.5

THIS WEEK AT THE PRECIOUS BLOOD CATHEDRAL

The Craft Group April 6/16 12:00—3:00 PM At the Centre

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Knights of Columbus 11608

The Knights of Columbus Council 11608 is now an International Degree Team. The Council recently held a Degree Ceremony in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan.

At our monthly meeting we had an update of our charitable contributions. We have assisted the following:

- a) Light the Cross Fund
- b) Soup Kitchen Community Centre
- c) St. Vincent de Paul
- d) ARCH

The next Pasta and Meatball Supper will be held on Tuesday, April 5th at the Grand Gardens on Dennis St. Monies raised at the suppers are dedicated to the Journey for "Good Works".

Catholic Women's League

Verdi Commitment:

Our council's commitment for the Verdi is Monday April 4th. We are still in need of two loaves of sandwiches. Please call Gerri at 705 759 4698 if you can contribute a loaf of sandwiches.

Spring Regional Luncheon:

Our Spring Regional Luncheon will be held Saturday April 9th at the Moose Hall. Tickets will be available at our April Meeting on April 5th or you can call Gerri at 705 759 4698 to get a ticket.

Annual Diocesan Convention:

This year the Convention is being hosted here in Sault Ste Marie on May 13, 14 and 15. Registration packages will be available at our meeting on April 5th. If you have never been you could be eligible to enter your name in the incentive program to help defray the cost. Please join us for a time of renewed faith.

On behalf of all members of Precious Blood Catholic Women's League Council we wish you all a very Blessed Easter,

**Prayer and Eucharistic Adoration
for the "Sanctity of Life"...the unborn, disabled, elderly and terminally ill.**

Our Lady of Good Counsel Church

114 MacDonald Avenue

**Adoration Chapel hours are 6am to Midnight,
7 days a week.**

The **40 days of Prayer and Eucharistic Adoration will begin** April 1 and will continue until May 10 2016. We invite parishioners who are interested in participating in this vigil, to simply sign the log book labelled "**40 days of Prayer and Eucharistic Adoration**", which will be kept next to the Chapel's regular Adoration log book. You can choose to attend one hour a week for the duration of the vigil period or 1 hour daily or simply 1 hour only.

Please be sure to sign into the correct log book. This vigil is not intended to interfere with regular adorers of the Eucharist.

If you require further information, please call Claudette @ 945-8798.

On behalf of Life is Precious Ministry, thank you and God Bless you for your commitment to Prayers and Eucharistic Adoration during this vigil.

Your sister in Christ

Claudette Breton

In the Community

St. Jerome's Parish is hosting the second annual Youth Hardwood Classic 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament Sat. April 2, 9:00 a.m. George Leach Centre, Algoma University All youth in grades 5-12 are welcome. Teams of 3-4 players Cost is 30.00 per team. All teams guaranteed 3 games. Open level free throw competition Food & Beverages for sale. Great prizes.

To register, call 705-255-2011 or email ssmyouthhardwoodclassic@gmail.com

Registration deadline is March 24, 2016

Searching for More Meaning in Your Life? Yearning for a Deeper Relationship with God?

Consider SPIRITUAL DIRECTION (GUIDANCE) *SHALOM PLACE* has experienced and qualified Spiritual Directors to support you on your spiritual journey. **INTERESTED?** Check website: www.members.shaw.ca/shalomssm Call: 705-254-4690 or email: shalomssm@shaw.ca to set up an "information session" with any of our Spiritual Directors. We are happy to welcome **Pat Rooney** as our newest member to the Spiritual Direction Team.

KIWANIS CLUB OF SAULT STE. MARIE "ALL YOU CAN EAT PANCAKE BREAKFAST"

March 19/20 & March 25/26/27, April 2/3 & April 9/10. Sault Ste. Marie Conservation Authority Sugar Shack 1100 Fifth Line East. 9:00 to 1:00. Cost \$9.00 Adults. \$7.00 Seniors. Children 6-12 \$5.00 and 5 and under Free

52nd Annual Show of the Northland Barbershop Chorus April 9, 2016 at the Kiwanis Community Theatre in White Pines. Tickets are \$25.00 and are available from Bob Shami at 705.253.9574 or at Hess Jewellers or the Station Mall Box Office.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 13655 AT OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNCEL PARISH HALL-

Hosting Ham Dinner & Bake Sale by the CWL. Monday April 4, 2016 from 5:00 to 6:00 PM. Adults: \$10.00, Children 12 and Under: \$5.00, Children under 5: Free



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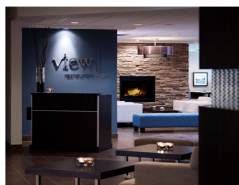
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Easter Week

Easter Sunday, we read from the **Acts of the Apostles** to hear Peter's preaching about the Resurrection. The **Letter to the Colossians** reminds us "You have died and your lives are hidden with Christ in God." The gospel is from **John's Gospel** and gives us the first story of that Easter morning - Mary Magdalene discovers the empty tomb and runs to Peter and the "disciple Jesus loved" to tell them. They run to the tomb and discover for themselves that it is empty.

The first reading for Easter Week is from the **Acts of the Apostles**. We hear Peter's preaching the Good News and experience the first deeds of the Apostles, which parallel the acts of Jesus, including the conflicts he experienced and his power to heal.

The gospels this week are all resurrection appearances. These wonderful stories contain some common elements. They appear designed to make it clear that this was not a group of disciples who dreamed up the resurrection, because they were hoping for it so much. In fact, they found it difficult to believe. The Jesus they saw and experienced was not a "ghost." Instead, he had a body.

Monday, is the story of Jesus appearing to Mary Magdalene and the other Mary, as well as the "cover-up story" and pay off of the guards. Tuesday, we read of Jesus' appearance to Mary Magdalene, through the eyes of **John's Gospel**. Jesus missions her to announce the Good News to his brothers. On Wednesday we are treated to **Luke's** marvelous story of Jesus' appearance to the two disciples on the road to Emmaus. They were sad, because they had hoped the story would have turned out differently. Jesus tells them why he had to first suffer and die in order to enter into his glory. As they stopped to eat, "he was made known to them in the breaking of the bread." Thursday Jesus appears in the room where the disciples are gathered. "Peace be with you" he says and then eats with them and shows them his wounds. On Friday, we have the powerful appearance in **John's Gospel** at the Sea of Tiberias. Peter decided to return to fishing. Jesus appears and re-missions him. On Saturday, the week concludes with the summary of appearances in what appears to be an addition to the end of **Mark's Gospel**.

On the **Second Sunday of Easter**, as we celebrate **Divine Mercy Sunday**, we get a picture of how the early community gathered around as "Many signs and wonders were done among the people at the hands of the apostles." **John's Gospel** gives us two post-resurrection stories that feature Thomas, the doubting apostle. "Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed."

INTERIOR RENOVATIONS...

Failure

Failure is not an event, but rather a judgment about an event. Failure is not something that happens to us or a label we attach to things. It is a way we think about outcomes.

— John Ortberg



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