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Rev. Father Hamish Currie

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Sue St. Jules

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.

Diocesan Order of Women:

Dorothy Yadvisiak

CWL President:

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Liturgical Music/Choir:

Bulletin Announcements

Email yours to

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before 11:00 A.M. Wednesday

Easter Season Week 6

May 1, 2016



Scripture Readings: May 2 to May 7, 2016

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| Monday | Act 16.11-15; John 15.26-16.4a |
| Tuesday | I Corinthians 15.1-8; John 14.6-14 |
| Wednesday | Acts 17.15, 22-18.1; John 16.12-15 |
| Thursday | Acts 18.1-8; John 16.16-20 |
| Friday | Acts 18.9-18; John 16.20-23a |
| Saturday | Acts 18.23-28; John 16.23b-28 |



Monday, May 2

†Chum Cloutier by Marilyn & Lou Quinlan **8:00 A.M.**

Tuesday, May 3

†Sean Tanahill by Marilyn & Lou Quinlan **8:00 A.M.**

Wednesday, May 4

No Mass

Thursday, May 5

Mass of Thanksgiving by a Parishioner **8:00 A.M.**

Friday, May 6

No Intention requested **8:00 A.M.**

Saturday, May 7

†Monique Kanjilal by Claudette Loney **5:00 P.M.**

Sunday, May 8

9:00 A.M.

†Jerry Theriault by Ontario Society of Senior Citizens' Organizations

†Jeannie Devon by her Family

†Bob Malone by Wife Dawn

11:00 A.M.

Intention of Parishioners

8:30 P.M.

†Maria Trunzo by Marcel & Maria Runco

†Mafalda Vecchio by Daughter Toni

†Ernest Vienneau & Blanche Elliott by Wife & Daughter Pauline



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| Saturday 5:00 PM | Maureen Montanini Moyra O'Pallie | Ralph Esposito Laura Castellarin Anne Greco | Bernard Lysiak Neil Conway John Slobodecki Paul Logan | Phylis Delaney Phyllis Wilson |
| Sunday 9:00 AM | Susan Colizza Dawn Malone | Terry Colizza Anne Kasch Denise Colizza | Rudy Wheatley Brian Lidstone | Agnes Cote Donna Bos |
| Sunday 11:00 AM | Sonya Masotti Joanne Dumanski | Michael Currier Myrtle Corelli Thi Quy Tran | Ted & Norma Wall Phil Bellerose Tony Pino | Louise Bichler Kathleen Carlson |
| Sunday 8:30 PM | John Stadnyk Tom Walton | Maria Pasqua | Gino Filice Terry Zuccato | |

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John 15

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2. The next Pasta and Meatball supper will be held on May 3rd from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Grand Gardens on Dennis Street. Monies raised from this supper goes to support The Journey. Cost is Adults \$9.99 and Children \$5.99. Hope to see you there and thank you for assisting us in our charitable endeavors.

Catholic Women's League

Mission Statement:

The Catholic Women's League of Canada is a national organization rooted in gospel values calling its members to holiness through service to the people of God.

General Meeting:

Our May meeting will take place on Tuesday May 3rd at 7:00 PM in Ste Anne's Room. Come and join us as we make plans for the day of prayer for Palliative Care and our June Pot Luck.

12 Hours of Prayer for Palliative Care: The National Council has put out a request for Council's to participate in this cross Canada initiative to take place on May 4, 2016, during the National Hospice Palliative Care Week. We hope to finalize plans to participate at a later date.

Annual Diocesan Convention:

Sault Ste Marie and District parish council's are hosting the annual convention May 13, 14 and 15. It will open with a Mass 7:00 PM at St. Gerard Majella Parish. All are welcome to attend. Fourteen members of our council have registered to go to the convention. We look forward to the opportunity to learn more about the League, to share stories and to participate in the spiritual programs which will focus on the Year of Mercy.

Annual Year end Potluck:

Mark your calendars for Tuesday June 14th when we will celebrate our 95 Years of existence as a Council and honour those members who have reached milestone years of service. More to come on this.



Huron-Superior Catholic
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Catholic Education Week is coming!

A week that combines our theme of mercy and the act of opening doors of reconciliation, mercy and forgiveness to all around us.

Please call your neighbourhood Catholic school to see what is happening May 1-6, 2016

In the Community

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 13655 Hosting Ham Dinner & Bake Sale by CWL. Monday May 2, 2016 from 5:00—6:00 PM at Our lady of Good Counsel Parish Hall. Adults \$10.00, Children 12 and Under \$5.00, Children under 5: Free

This week is Catholic Education Week. The theme of the year has been Opening Doors of Mercy. We have explored how mercy can be welcoming, loving, forgiving, living the Gospel and rejoicing. It is a blessing that we can grow and explore our faith as we learn. Join your neighbourhood school for their Walk for Justice on May 4th.



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Sixth Week of Easter

John's Gospel offers us comfort and peace in a very direct way for the **6th Sunday of Easter**. Jesus says "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid."

Monday is the **Memorial of Saint Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**. Tuesday is **Feast of Saints Philip and James, Apostles**. Thursday most of the world will celebrate **Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord**, while the rest will celebrate it the following Sunday.

Our Easter season readings from **Acts of the Apostles** continue this week. We read of Paul converting a wealthy cloth trader, Lydia; of the dramatic conversion and baptism of the jailer and his family; Paul's bold speech to the crowd at the Areopagus and his fearless preaching in Corinth, despite the growing threat from the Jews. We also see how followers of Paul catch the fire of his faith and now begin to convert others.

In **John's Gospel**, we realize we are approaching Pentecost in a few weeks as Jesus begins to speak of his leaving the earth and of the coming of the "Advocate" - the Spirit of Truth. The image of the Trinity is clear: "when the Advocate comes whom I will send you from the Father...." To his disciples, the idea of his leaving fills their hearts with grief but Jesus reassures them, "it is better for you that I go" so that the Spirit can come to them. The Spirit "will guide you to all truth." Jesus promises, "Amen, amen, I say to you, you will weep and mourn, while the world rejoices; you will grieve, but your grief will become joy." "This is my commandment: love one another as I love you." "Whatever you ask the Father in my name he will give you."

Whether the **Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord** is celebrated this Thursday or on Sunday, May 8, it is a stirring story from **Acts of the Apostles** of Jesus leaving his disciples and promising them the support of the Holy Spirit. The **Gospel of Luke** tells of Jesus as he led his disciples out "as far as Bethany, raised his hands, and blessed them. As he blessed them he parted from them and was taken up to heaven."

On Sunday, most of the world will celebrate the **Seventh Sunday of Easter**. As if in preparation for **Pentecost Sunday** on May 15, we read in Acts of the stoning of Stephen, who is "filled with the Holy Spirit." In John's Gospel the poetic words of Jesus are a love song to us as he prays to his Father, "Father, they are your gift to me. I wish that where I am they also may be with me, that they may see my glory that you gave me...."

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