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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.

Knights of Columbus:

Ed Corelli 705.759.8855

CWL President:

Gerri Chateau, 705-759-4698

Liturgical Music/Choir:

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Bulletin Announcements

Email yours to

pbcathedral@on.aibn.com

before 11:00 A.M. Wednesday

Fifth Sunday of Lent

April 2, 2017

CHRISM MASS 2017

ST. JEROME'S PARISH APRIL 6, 2017

7:00 PM

Come join this important Diocesan celebration.

Reception following.

REMEMBER

SHARE LENT COLLECTION

PALM SUNDAY APRIL 9TH

Scripture Readings: April 3 to April 8, 2017

Monday	Daniel 13.1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-64++; John 8.1-11
Tuesday	Numbers 21.4-9; John 8.21-30
Wednesday	Daniel 3.13-20, 24, 49-50, 91-95++; John 8.31-42
Thursday	Genesis 17.3-9; John 8.51-59
Friday	Jeremiah 20.7, 10-13++; John 10.31-42
Saturday	Ezekiel 37.21-28; John 11.45-57



Monday, April 3 8:00 A.M.

†Fred Moynan by Wife Zita & Family

Tuesday, April 4 8:00 A.M.

†Deceased members of the Leclerc & Moreau families

Wednesday, April 5

No Mass

Thursday, April 6 8:00 A.M.

†Eileen Klein by Heather Proderich & Kerry Kaminski

Friday, April 7 8:00 A.M.

†Eileen Klein by Denis & Gerri Chateau

Saturday, April 8 5:00 P.M.

†Ben Cano by Sister Margie & Harold Newbold

†Lucy Pomber by Dawn Malone

Sunday, April 9

9:00 A.M.

†Vincent Caicco by Franca & Family

†Rita Heaney by Angela Kosir

†Don Muio by Wife Barbra, Daughters & Grandchildren

†Maria Pereira by The Family

11:00 A.M.

Intention of Parishioners

8:30 P.M.

†Maria Trunzo & Vince Runco by Maria & Marcel Runco

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**PLAN FOR TRIDUUM
Holy Thursday 7:00 PM
Good Friday 3:00 PM
STATIONS OF THE
CROSS 7:00 PM
Easter Vigil 9:00 PM
Easter Sunday 9:00 AM
& 11:00 AM**

the Journey

**March 25, 2017
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Sunday Collections
March 26, 2017

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April 8/9	Lectors	Eucharistic Minister	Ushers	Greeters
Saturday 5:00 PM	Kathy Hamilton Moyra O'Pallie Janet Brown Jill Micomonaco	Ralph Esposito Linda Simonini Al Lucio	Bernard Lysiak Richard Bubinas John Slobodecki Jean Guy Coudert	
Sunday 9:00 AM	Evelyn Theriault Louise Bichler Terry Bos Susan Colizza	Louise McGuire Barbara Klesh Bill Denny	Rudy Wheatley Brian Lidstone	Agnes Cote Donna Bos
Sunday 11:00 AM	Joanne Dumanski Sonya Masotti Marie Bruno Vinnie Greco	Michael Currier Laura Castellarin Myrtle Corelli	Ted & Norma Wall Phil Bellerose Tony Pino	Bambi Alexander Gertrud Wurzer
Sunday 8:30 PM	Lorna Connolly John Stadnyk Ivan McCaig	Maria Pasqua	Gino Filice Terry Zuccato	

Prayer Line

We are pleased to announce that once again we will have a Prayer Line available for parishioners.

Anyone wishing to have prayers for a special intention, for someone who is ill, having surgery, for the deceased, or any other intention may contact Corona at 705 575 6975.

Anyone wishing to join the prayer line to provide prayers can also contact Corona. Your help would be greatly appreciated.

THIS WEEK AT THE PRECIOUS BLOOD CATHEDRAL

The Craft Group Will meet Wed. Apr 5th 12:00 to 3 :00 PM

Chrism Mass St. Jerome's Parish Apr 6th 7:00 PM Reception to follow

Choir practice Thursday Apr 6th at 7::45 PM

The Rosary is recited after each weekday Mass

Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus Council 11608 will be having their next Pasta and Meatball supper on April 4th at the Grand Gardens on Dennis Street. Monies raised from the supper goes to support the Journey. Cost is Adults \$10.00 and Children \$5.00. We hope to see you there.

Catholic Women's League

Blood Donor Clinic:

Thank you to the ladies who volunteered to help provide refreshments at the Blood Donor Clinic.



Day of Reconciliation: March 28th 2017

Thank you to all those who came out to welcome our visitors for the day of reconciliation. Thanks Also to everyone who provided baking.

Lunch for the Moose Hall Program for the Handicapped

Monday, April 3rd our Council will be providing lunch for this program. If you can provide a loaf of sandwiches or a pan of squares, please call Gerri at 705, 759 4698.

General Meeting

Our next meeting will be held Tuesday April 4th at 7:00 PM in Ste Anne's Room. Please come out and learn more about the theme for the next two years. Also we will have some surprise entertainment which will be fun.

Development and Peace Caritas Canada

Solidarity Sunday

Each donation is used to help our sisters and brothers all over the world--- from Paraguay to Syria, to Indonesia and beyond!

We conclude this Share Lent with the words of Pope Francis, offered on the occasion of the Jubilee of Mercy:

"Mercy is the force that reawakens us to new life and instills in us the courage to look to the future with hope."

Thank you for helping us create a future filled with hope for our sisters and brothers in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Middle East.

For further information on the work of Development and Peace Caritas Canada go to: www.devpc.org

For information regarding D&P Caritas Canada in our parish please contact:
email: jezurawinski@shaw.ca or call Jan Poulin Zurawinski at 705 253 7536

In the Community

NEW EVANGELIZATION SUMMIT 2017

We are excited that Sault Ste. Marie is an official host site for the 2017 New Evangelization Summit May 12 – 13. This conference has been designed to inspire Catholics deepen their own faith and help them in their task to evangelize to others. The event is held in Ottawa, but is live-streamed to host sites across Canada and the United States. Join thousands of Catholics across North America to hear from 8 world-class speakers such as Bishop Robert Barron, Sr. Miriam Heidland, and more! Be inspired, receive formation, and connect with other Catholics. Registration is now open by visiting www.newevangelization.ca. The cost is \$35.00 (includes snacks and lunch), and the location is the old Mount St. Joseph (90 Ontario Street). Stay tuned for more info

Stitches from the Heart Quilt Guild - a non-profit group - is presenting a Piano concert at Central United church on April 7, 2017.

Ricky Tims is a concert Pianist and Flute player who is also a quilter!!! He is a great entertainer and story teller. It will be a great show and well worth seeing.

CROATIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH Our Lady of the Highways
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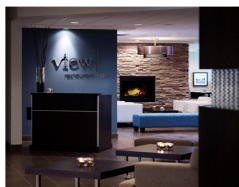
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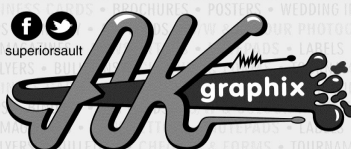
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The Fifth Week of Lent

The **Fifth Sunday of Lent** brings us closer toward the Passion and death of Jesus. In **John's Gospel**, we hear the story of the raising of Lazarus. Jesus was not there when his dear friend, Lazarus died, but after meeting with Lazarus' grief-stricken sisters and weeping himself, he stood at the door of the tomb and called, "Lazarus, come out!" The dead man came out, tied hand and foot with burial bands, and his face was wrapped in a cloth. So Jesus said to them, 'Untie him and let him go.'"

The first readings prepare for the gospels. We begin with the long, but wonderful story of Susanna, who trusted in God. The bronze serpent on a pole reminds us of Jesus' saving cross. Three young men refuse to commit idolatry and show us how God protects "the servants who trusted in him." God enters a covenant with Abraham. Despite his persecution, Jeremiah praises God, "For he has rescued the life of the poor from the power of the wicked!" God promises the people of Israel "a covenant of peace."

Our gospels are again from the **John's Gospel**, also known as the **Fourth Gospel**. On Monday, Jesus is presented with a woman caught in adultery. Reminding us of the bronze serpent and his death, Jesus says, "When you lift up the Son of Man, then you will realize that I AM." To the children of Abraham and to us Jesus declares, "If you remain in my word, you will truly be my disciples and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free." "Whoever keeps my word will never see death.... Amen, amen, I say to you, before Abraham came to be, I AM." They heard what they thought was blasphemy and tried to stone him. Jesus simply told the truth, because, "the Father is in me and I am in the Father." After the raising of Lazarus, the plans were set to destroy Jesus. The high priest says the prophetic words, "it is better for you that one man should die instead of the people, so that the whole nation may not perish."

On **Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord** we make our way into **Holy Week**. We read the gospel about Jesus' entry into Jerusalem, Paul's invitation to us to imitate Jesus who emptied himself, and the whole **Passion**, this year from **Matthew's Gospel**.

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