



# Precious Blood Cathedral

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**Easter Season Week 3**

**April 30, 2017**

**Pastor:**

**Rev. Father Hamish Currie**

**Assistant Pastor:**

**Rev. Father Kumar  
Kanagaraj**

**Parish Secretary:**

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.

**Knights of Columbus:**

Ed Corelli 705.759.8855

**CWL President:**

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**Liturgical Music/Choir:**

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before 11:00 A.M. Wednesday



## Scripture Readings: May 1 to May 6, 2017

Monday	Acts 6.8-15; John 6.22-29
Tuesday	Acts 7.51-8.1a; John 6.30-35
Wednesday	1 Corinthians 15.1-8; John 14.6-14
Thursday	Acts 8.26-40; John 6.44-51
Friday	Acts 9.1-20; John 6.52-59
Saturday	2 Timothy 1.13-14; 2.1-3; John 10.11-16



### Monday, May 1 8:00 A.M.

†Jessie Mae Sheenan by Denis & Gerri Chateau  
 †Eileen Klein by Arlena Ogsimer

### Tuesday, May 2 8:00 A.M.

†Harold McGrayne by Denis & Gerri Chateau

### Wednesday, May 3 No Mass

### Thursday, May 4 8:00 A.M.

Intention of Palliative Care & Hospice by CWL

### Friday, May 5 8:00 A.M.

No Intention requested

### Saturday, May 6 5:00 P.M.

†Ben Cano by Brother Tony & Clarice Cano  
 †Rudy Peres by Carlo & Marie Barban  
 †Ronnie Disano by Toni, Rhonda & Brianna Niro & Wife Wilma Disano  
 †Ernest Vienneau by Wife Pauline & Family

### Sunday, May 7 9:00 A.M.

†Allan Matthews by Wife Barb & Family  
 †Jim Greco by Gene & Betty Nori

### 11:00 A.M.

Intention of Parishioners

### 8:30 P.M.

†Ortenzio Vecchio by Daughter Toni

### Thank You for your support of the 2017 Share Lent Campaign!

Development and Peace-Caritas Canada thanks each and everyone who donated to the Share Lent Campaign.

Because of the generosity of the parishioners of Precious Blood Parish, we collect \$ **7,384.00!**

The sum will go towards meeting the needs of our sisters and brothers in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the middle East.

If you have not had a chance to make a donation you may donate directly to **devp.org/give.**

Please pray for all those who are working to build a world of peace and justice.

Blessings and Peace and Gratitude,

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Sunday Collections  
 April 23, 2017

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**Thank you for your continued generosity!**

May 6/7	Lectors	Eucharistic Minister	Ushers	Greeters
<b>Saturday 5:00 PM</b>	Kathy Hamilton Jill Micomonaco	Michelle Inch Linda Simonini Anne Greco	Bernard Lysiak Richard Bubinas John Slobodecki Jean Guy Coudert	
<b>Sunday 9:00 AM</b>	Donna Bos Terry Bos	Louise McGuire Bill Denny Paula Smith	Rudy Wheatley Brian Lidstone	Edna Miskiw Barb Matthews
<b>Sunday 11:00 AM</b>	Sonya Masotti Fil Letteri	Michael Currier Laura Castellarin Myrtle Corelli	Ted & Norma Wall Phil Bellerose Tony Pino	Kathleen Carlson Bambi Alexander
<b>Sunday 8:30 PM</b>	Lorna Connolly	Maria Pasqua	Gino Filice Terry Zuccato	

### 12 Hours of Prayer for Palliative Care

The Catholic Women's League of Canada calls all people of faith to join nationwide in **12 Hours of Prayer for Palliative Care on May 4, 2017** as a profound witness to the sanctity of human life. All parishioners, family and friends are invited to join Precious Blood Cathedral Catholic Women's League in prayer and solidarity from 8:00AM to 8:00PM at the church. Refreshments will be available. Those unable to attend are encouraged to join in prayerful support.

8:00 am Mass followed by the rosary  
 9:00 am to 2:00 pm Individual prayer  
 2:00 pm Prayers for Caregivers  
 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm Individual prayer  
 7:00 Pm Stations of the Cross

Pope Francis reminds us "Let us not underestimate the power of so many voices united in prayer"  
 For more information please contact Gerri at 705 759 4698.

### **THIS WEEK AT THE PRECIOUS BLOOD CATHEDRAL**

**The Craft Group** Will meet Wed. May 3rd 12:00 to 3 :00 PM

**The Choir** Will meet Thursday May 4th at 7:45 PM

## Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus Council 11608 will be hosting their Pasta and Meatball supper on Tuesday, May 2nd at the Grand Gardens on Dennis St. Monies raised from the supper will go to support The Journey. Cost is Adults \$9.99 and children \$5.99. Hope to see you there.

## Catholic Women's League

### May General Meeting

Our May meeting will take place on Tuesday May 2nd at 7:00 PM in Ste Anne's Room. We hope to see you there.

### June Year end Dinner:

Plans are in place to hold our year end dinner at Grand Gardens on Dennis Street on June 6th. Tickets

will be available at our May Meeting. Price is \$25.00 inclusive.

### Annual Diocesan Convention

Please pray for our delegates who are attending the convention in North Bay this week-end.

### Day of Prayer for Palliative Care

All members are encouraged to support this endeavour by coming to spend some time in prayer during the day.



Palliative care refers to the specialized care of people who are dying that aims to relieve suffering and improve the quality of living and dying.

The need for palliative care in Canada continues to grow, yet it is still widely misunderstood. ARCH has put together some myths and facts to help dispel some of the misinformation.

## MYTHS ABOUT PALLIATIVE CARE

### **Myth: Palliative care is only for old people or people with cancer**

**Fact:** All those who are diagnosed with chronic life-limiting illness can benefit from palliative care, regardless of age or illness.

### **Myth: We need to protect children from being exposed to death or dying**

**Fact:** Death is an inescapable fact of life. Allowing children to talk about death and dying is important. By talking with them, you may discover what they know and do not know—if they have misconceptions, fears, or worries. You can then help them by providing needed information, comfort, and understanding.

### **Myth: Pain is part of dying. Everyone experiences it.**

**Fact:** Pain is not always a part of dying. If pain is experienced near end-of-life, there are ways it can be alleviated. Talk with your palliative care team to learn about ways to reduce your pain.

### **Myth: Palliative care accelerates death.**

**Fact:** Palliative care aims to neither prolong nor accelerate death but rather ensures quality of life until the very end.

## 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](http://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

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## Third Week of Easter

The **Third Week of Easter** begins with the disciples on the road to Emmaus. Then did not recognize him until the breaking of the bread. The gospels all week are about his being broken and given for us as Bread that Gives Life.

In our first readings from **Acts of the Apostles** this week, we read of Stephen, one of the earliest martyrs, and of Philip converting an Ethiopian slave along the road. Next is the story of Saul, persecutor of Christians being blinded and then healed by Ananias in the name of Jesus. The week ends with Peter traveling the region and healing.

The Gospel for this week is from Chapter 6 of **John's Gospel** on Jesus as the "Bread of Life." Like so many stories in this Gospel, Jesus teaches from one layer of understanding to another, taking us deeper into understanding his gift of himself to us in the Eucharist. Jesus says, "Do not work for food that perishes but for the food that endures for eternal life." "The bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst." "I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my Flesh for the life of the world." "Whoever eats my Flesh and drinks my Blood remains in me and I in him." This marvelous dialogue ends with this exchange with his disciples: "Jesus then said to the Twelve, 'Do you also want to leave?' Simon Peter answered him, 'Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God.'"

On the **Fourth Sunday of Easter**, in the gospel, Jesus tells us "I am the gate. Whoever enters through me will be saved... I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly."

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