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Rev. Father Hamish Currie

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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

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Gerri Chateau, 705-759-4698

Liturgical Music/Choir:

Bruce Douville

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Bulletin Announcements

Email yours to

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before 11:00 A.M. Wednesday

Easter Season Week 6

May 21, 2017



Scripture Readings: May 22 to May 27, 2017

Monday	Acts 16.11-15; John 15.26-16.4a
Tuesday	Acts 16.22-34; John 16.5-11
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 22 **8:00 A.M.**
No Mass

Tuesday, May 23 **8:00 A.M.**
†Wojciech Zakrzewski By Wife, Daughters & Grandchildren
†Donald Pezzutto Jr by Don & Lorraine Pezzutto

Wednesday, May 24
No Mass

Thursday, May 25 **8:00 A.M.**
†Dr. Lou Lukenda by Dr. John & Violet Lukenda

Friday, May 26 **8:00 A.M.**
†Dr. Lou Lukenda by Dr. John & Violet Lukenda
†Caroline McGrayne by Tom & Louise McGuire

Saturday, May 27 **5:00 P.M.**
†Ben Cano by Dorothy Mazzola
†Deceased member of McAuley Family by Kathryn McAuley
†Mary Audit by Elaine Dyni & Claire McGuire

Sunday, May 28
9:00 A.M.
†Sister Rita Mahoney by Tom & Louise McGuire
†Eugeno & Maria Bruni by Tony & Lena Pino
†Gloria Mejorada Gonzalez by Emilie, Jim & Selena
†Stefina Czaklis by Anna Zurauskas
†Aldene Martynuck by Husband Stan & Family
11:00 A.M.
Intention of Parishioners

8:30 P.M.
†Luigi & Rosetta Lucio by Their Children

An Invitation to join us... **CROSS IN THE WOODS – EXCURSION TO SHRINE AT INDIAN RIVER, MICHIGAN SUN., MAY 28**

St. Gerard Majella Parish is organizing an excursion to the Cross in the Woods Shrine in Indian River, Michigan on Sunday May 28. Bus transportation to and from the site has been arranged. The bus will leave St. Gerard Majella parking lot at 10:15 am and return around 5:30 pm. St. Gerard Majella Pastor Fr. Francis will celebrate Mass at the Church on the site. There will be time for exploring the site, reflection and visiting the shop at the Shrine.

A dinner, catered by Primavera, is also being organized upon our return, in the Parish Hall. Menu includes: roast chicken, potatoes, pasta, meatballs, bread, salad, dessert.

COST: Bus excursion only \$20.00; Dinner only \$15.00; Bus and dinner \$35.00
For more information or to purchase tickets, call Veronica at the Parish Office (705-949-0435) or Tom & Sheila Shannon (705-253-4637).

May 13, 2017
Journey Winner
Mike Currie
#0297

Sunday Collections
May 14, 2017

\$4,242.45

Thank you for your continued generosity!

May 27/28	Lectors	Eucharistic Minister	Ushers	Greeters
Saturday 5:00 PM	Maria Esposito Kathy Hamilton	Michelle Inch Anne Greco Monique Staruck	Bernard Lysiak Richard Bubinas John Slobodecki Paul Logan	
Sunday 9:00 AM	Louise Bichler Donna Bos	Louise McGuire Maureen Gooderham Terry Lou Legros	Rudy Wheatley Brian Lidstone	Edna Miskiw Barb Matthews
Sunday 11:00 AM	Vinnie Greco Carmen Sicol	John Bruno Thi Quy Tran Maria Santelli	Ted & Norma Wall Phil Bellerose Tony Pino	Myrtle Corelli Kathleen Carlson
Sunday 8:30 PM	Tom Walton	Maria Pasqua	Gino Filice Terry Zuccato	

**The following appointments of Pastors in the
Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie is effective July 1, 2017**

Name	Current Appointment	New Appointment
Msgr. Brian Dixon	Christ the King, Sudbury	Retired
Rev. Jackson Arul	Assistant Pastor Holy Redeemer Sudbury	Parish Administrator (Can. 540) St. Kevin, Val Therese, Our Lady of Peace, Capreol
Rev. Francis Ezenezi	St. Gerard Majella	St. Peter the Apostle, North Bay St. Ursula, Bear Island St. Elizabeth, Temagami
Rev. Jim Ketzler	St. John the Evangelist, Garson St. Bernardine of Siena, Skead	Christ the King, Sudbury
Rev. A. Man-Son-Hing	St. Peter the Apostle, North Bay St. Ursula, Bear Island St. Elizabeth, Temagami	Our Lady of Fatima, Elliot Lake Ste-Marie, Elliot Lake Ste-Famille, Blind River
Rev. Eric Pannike	Our Lady of Fatima, Elliot Lake Ste-Marie, Elliot Lake Ste-Famille, Blind River	St. Gregory, Sault Ste. Marie
Rev. A. Saurianthadathil	St. Gregory, Sault Ste. Marie	Parish Administrator (Can, 540) St. Gerard Majella
Rev. Michael Williams	St. Kevin, Val Therese Our Lady of Peace, Capreol	St. John the Evangelist, Garson St. Bernardine of Siena, Skead

Knights of Columbus

Pasta and Meatball dinner the first Tuesday of each month, Grand Gardens Dennis Street, proceeds go to the Journey.

Catholic Women's League



June Year end Dinner:

Our year end dinner will be held at Grand Gardens on Dennis Street on June 6th at 5:30 PM. Price is \$25.00 inclusive. Come and join us as we celebrate many years of service with the presentation of Pins. We will also have entertainment. Please call Denise at 949 1442 to get a ticket.

Blood Donor Clinic

Thank you to the ladies who have volunteered to work at the clinic.

Healing Shawl Ministry

A small committee has formed to introduce the Healing Shawl Ministry to our parish.

A healing shawl is a garment of love and consolation for someone who is in need of some type of comfort. It is a prayerful knitted, crocheted or sewn for a recipient by members of this ministry.

Each shawl is blessed before being presented to the one in need and is a gift of love.

If you are interested in knitting or crocheting a shawl for this ministry or you have some wool to donate please call Corona at 705-575-6975 or Denise at 705-949-1442 and arrangements can be made.

If you know of someone who is in need of comfort and you feel could benefit from receiving a healing shawl please contact the above numbers.

In the Community

St. Mary's Catholic Church

"ALL-YOU-CAN-EAST-BREAKFAST-BRUNCH"

Sunday May 21, 2017—10:00 AM to 12:30 PM in the Parish Hall

Admission: \$9.00/Adults, \$4.00 Children under 12, and No Charge for Children under 6.

To all single women between the ages of 20 and 60:

Do you wonder if God it might be calling you to a more intimate relationship as a Religious Sister?

If so, please join us for a "Come and See" weekend. Spend time with God through prayer and nature, share leisure time with Sisters, learn about our history.

St. Joseph's Motherhouse, North Bay

Friday 7:00 pm to Sunday 1:00 pm June 9 to 11, 2017

RSVP by May 30, 2017 to Sr. Costanza Romano

Email: cozromano@gmail.com

Mobile: 705-255-0545

30th Anniversary of Sault Ste. Marie's Senior Games

Monday June 5th to Friday June 9th

Please register at the Senior Citizens Drop-In Centre 619 Bay Street or Steelton Senior Centre 235

Wellington Street West. For further information call 705.254.6474

Social Services is presently looking for families who would be interested in supporting our 16, 17 year old youth, within our city, who are presently homeless. We will require homes for single youth and youth who may be caring for an infant child. These youth are in need of guidance, support and love. They will be attending school full time and the youth with children will be participating in the Learning, Earning and Parenting Program (L.E.A.P.). Social Services will issue room and board or rent for these youth, and assist with other costs when required. Thank you for your consideration in supporting our youth and young parents.

Please contact :

Liz Theriault

or

Maria Runco

L.E.A.P Case Manager

Youth Case Manager

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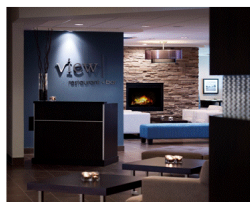
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Sixth Week of Easter

On the **Sixth Sunday of Easter**, we hear the incredibly comforting news from Jesus in **John's Gospel**: "I will not leave you orphans; I will come to you" as he promised to send the Advocate, the Spirit of Truth to us.

Thursday, in most dioceses around the world, is the **Feast of The Ascension of the Lord** with its own special readings. In some places it is celebrated on the following Sunday. Friday is the Memorial of St. Philip Neri.

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 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 on Thursday or on Sunday, it is a stirring story from **The Acts of the Apostles** of Jesus leaving his disciples and promising them the support of the Holy Spirit. Matthew's **Gospel** tells of how they gathered at the mountain and Jesus said, "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them ... teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age."

The **Seventh Sunday of Easter** sets the tone for next week's Pentecost Sunday as we read in **Acts of the Apostles** of Mary, the Apostles and other followers waiting in the upper room after the Ascension. In **John's Gospel**, Jesus prays to the Father, claiming us as his own: "I revealed your name to those whom you gave me out of the world. They belonged to you, and you gave them to me."

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