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Rev. Father Hamish Currie

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Kanagaraj

Parish Secretary:

Sue St. Jules

Office hours: 8:30AM-12:30PM

Sunday Masses:

Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 PM

Sunday 9:00 & 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

Prayer Line

Corona McNally 705-575-6975

31st Week of Ordinary Time

Nov 5, 2017



How often have you, or will you hear “What do you want for Christmas?”

Well – we have the perfect response “A Donation to the Journey !”

Attached to the bulletin is an envelope with three post cards. On the reverse side of card is a place to address these cards to children, grandchildren etc.

Donations may be made by cash, cheque or credit card. It is all explained on the card. You just need to ensure they know what the Journey is !!!!

Extra cards are available at the ticket selling tables, from the office or from Fr. Hamish or Fr. Kumar.

Scripture Readings: November 6 to November 11, 2017

Monday	Romans 11.29-36; Luke 14.12-14
Tuesday	Romans 12.5-16a; Luke 14.15-24
Wednesday	Romans 13.8-10; Luke 14.25-33
Thursday	Ezekiel 47.1-2, 8-9, 12; John 2.13-22
Friday	Romans 15.14-21; Luke 16.1-8
Saturday	Romans 16.3-9, 16, 22-27; Luke 16.9-15



Monday, Nov. 6 **8:00 A.M.**
†Robert K. Landry by a Friend

Tuesday, Nov. 7 **8:00 A.M.**
†Johnny Mannello by Sergio & Anna Marson

Wednesday, Nov 8
No Mass

Thursday, Nov. 9 **7:00 P.M.**
†Ermelinda Melchionna by Marie Bruno & Family

Friday, Nov. 10 **8:00 A.M.**
†Rev. Ted Yadvisiak by Dawn Malone

Saturday, Nov. 11 **5:00 P.M.**
†Mae Roberts by The Family
†Mario Vizzari & Vizzari Family
by Agnes & Eugene D'Ulisse

Sunday, Nov. 12
9:00 A.M.
†Margaret, Denis & Daniel Leclerc by Denise Moreau

11:00 A.M.
Intention of Parishioners

8:30 P.M.
†Ortenzio Vecchio by Daughter Toni

Are you being called to Liturgical ministry as lector, extraordinary minister of the Eucharist, Usher, or Greeter? Call the parish office 705-256-8474
Childrens Liturgy
We would like to organize Children's Liturgy for 9:00 am mass. Interested? Call parish office 705-256-8474

Development and Peace Caritas Canada

Strong and empowered women: Lasting and inclusive peace!

Did you know that a peace agreement is 35% more likely to last at least 15 years if women help build it? By adopting effective community-based and non violent approaches and by forming networks that cross political, religious and ethnic boundaries, women transform peace and reconciliation processes. This fall, join the Development and Peace Caritas Canada campaign to learn more about the role of women in violence prevention and peacebuilding.

Over the next two weeks there will be more information in the bulletins on how you can play an important part and have your voices heard at the Federal Government level. You will be invited to sign an action card that will be sent to Prime Minister Trudeau for his consideration. Together, let's call on the Canadian Government to give women the resources they need to be the heart of peace. For more information visit devp.org/campaign or contact your parish representative for D&P **Jan Poulin Zurawinski** at jezurawinski@shaw.ca or phone 705 253 7536.

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Sunday Collections
October 29, 2017

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Nov 11/12	Lectors	Eucharistic Minister	Ushers	Greeters
Saturday 5:00 PM	Moyra O'Pallie Maureen Montanini	Jean Scott Laura Castellarin Monique Staruck	Bernard Lysiak Richard Bubinas John Slobodecki Paul Logan	
Sunday 9:00 AM	Susan Colizza Evelyn Theriault	Louise McGuire Bev Dunn Paula Smith	Rudy Wheatley Brian Lidstone	Agnes Cote Barb Matthews
Sunday 11:00 AM	Hannah Lettieri Vinnie Greco	John Bruno Maria Santelli Maureen Gooderham	Ted & Norma Wall Phil Bellerose Tony Pino	Myrtle Corelli Bambi Alexander
Sunday 8:30 PM	Marlene Zuccato	Maria Pasqua	Gino Filice Terry Zuccato	

**2018 Lector Workbooks are available in the Sacristy.
Please pick up your copy.**

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
AT ST. GERARD MAJELLA**

We invite you all to join us for an hour of celebration at St. Gerard Majella Church, 211 Pentagon Blvd. on Tuesday, November 7, 2017. The Eucharistic Adoration will begin at 7:00 pm and conclude with the celebration of Mass.

THIS WEEK AT PRECIOUS BLOOD

The Craft Group Will meet on Tuesdays November 7th 12:00—3:00

The Rosary is recited after each weekday Mass

Mom's Group Wednesday November 8th at 10:00 AM

The Choir Rehearsal on Thursday November 9th at 7:30 PM

Catholic Women's League

General Meeting

November meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 07, 2017 at 7:00 PM in Ste Anne's Room. Election of Officers will take place at this time. Other important decisions regarding Meeting times will be made. Your vote and input are important to the success of our Council.

Fall Regional Lunch will take place on Saturday November 18, 2017 at Grand Gardens North at 12:00 noon. There will be a guest speaker.

Our Annual Christmas Dinner will be held on Tuesday December 05, 2017 at 5:30 PM at Grand Gardens on Dennis Street. Tickets for both of these events will be available at the General Meeting on November 07, 2017.



Taizé is an Ecumenical Christian community in France whose music and meditative reflection on God's Word has nourished people throughout the world. Join us for the ecumenical prayer service! All are welcome!

At: **St. Jerome Church** 26 Carmel Road, Sault Ste. Marie

Time: **7:00 pm—8:00 pm** Wednesday November 8, 2017

YOUTH MINISTRY IN SAULT STE. MARIE

See what's happening for young people in Sault Ste. Marie! The following programs are open to all young people in the city:

Students in Grade 6, 7, and 8: All students in this age range regardless of school or parish are invited to take part in EDGE - a Catholic Youth Night, every **Thursday Night at 7:00pm** at St. Jerome's Church (26 Carmel Road). Every evening is full of games, Catholic teachings, socials and food!

"ELEVATE" - CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULTS AGES 18-25

Between the ages of 18-25 and looking for a Catholic Young Adults group in Sault Ste. Marie? Join us **Friday evenings** at St. Jerome's Church (26 Carmel Road). Each evening begins at **6:30pm with a free home-cooked meal**, followed by fellowship, talks, or socials! **Everyone welcome – bring a friend!** For more information www.stjeromeparishssm.com/elevate

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In the Community

TWO NOVEMBER EVENTS from *Shalom Place*

Midwives of an Unnamed Future: 6-week Program for Women—to deepen their inner life as they seek to bring forth a future of hope. Facilitator: Emma Bonin, CSJ Associate *Starting Monday, Nov. 6, 4:30 – 6:30 pm at Shalom Place*

Jesus Knows Your Grief: Evening Retreat – a time of reflection including some input, music, guided prayer and quiet time. Facilitators: Iris Bertrand, MSW, RSW and Robin Lelievre, MSW, RSW *Wednesday, Nov. 15, 7 – 9 pm at St. Jerome's Parish Hall* **REGISTER for both – 705-254-4690 or shalomssm@shaw.ca**

Diaconate Ordination

His Excellency the Most Reverend Marcel Damphousse, Bishop of Sault Ste. Marie, announces the ordination of Robert C. J. Thibodeau to the Sacred Order of Permanent Deacon on Friday November 10th, 2017. Celebration of the Holy Eucharist and Conferral of the Sacrament of Holy Orders will be held at 7:00 p.m. at St. Gregory's Church in Sault Ste. Marie. All parishioners and friends are welcome. Let us pray for Robert as we welcome him as a new permanent deacon in our Diocese.

Knight of Columbus Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish Hall

Ham Dinner & Bake Sale Monday November 6/17 from 5:00 to 6:00

St. Gregory's CWL Annual "Bake and Craft Sale" will be held on **Saturday, November 25th** from 1:00 to 5:00PM and also before and after the masses on **Sunday, November 26th** in the Parish Hall. Come early on Saturday for the best selection.

The Pregnancy Centre

Thank you for your participation in our 2017 "Change for Life" Baby Bottle Campaign! We raised \$1,340.70 and the total amount raised in this year's campaign: \$42,960.00!

The Chamber Singers of Algoma, Patty Gartshore Director present LUX AETERNA, A Concert of Remembrance, Sunday November 12, 3:00 p.m. at Precious Blood Cathedral. Tickets are \$20.00 Adults, \$5.00 Students, available at Savoy's Jewelers or at the door.



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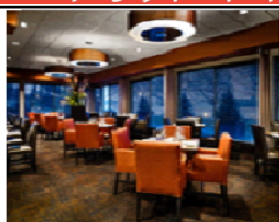
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The Thirty-First Week of Ordinary Time

Jesus calls us to humility on the **Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time** as he says in the **Gospel of Matthew**, “Whoever exalts himself will be humbled; but whoever humbles himself will be exalted.” He encourages us to turn away from honors and titles and to take the lowest place at the banquet.

We celebrate the **Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome**; the **Memorial of Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church**, and the **Memorial of Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop**.

During the regular readings this week, we conclude a four-week series of first readings from **Paul's Letter to the Romans**. He reminds us, “Who has known the mind of the Lord?”

In the **Gospel according to Luke** we see Jesus living out his daily life with challenging honesty. He calls us to extend an invitation out of our hearts, not with an eye on an invitation in return: “invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind.” Then Jesus tells the parable of the invited guests who made excuses to decline the invitation. He sends his servants to invite everyone. Jesus tells a crowd that they have to renounce their possessions to be his disciple and that to do something really important, we have to prepare and be ready. When the religious leaders complain, “This man welcomes sinners and eats with them,” Jesus tells parables of the man who finds his lost sheep and the woman with the lost coin, both of whom rejoice in finding what was lost. A steward protects himself by pardoning those who owe his master. We end the week with Jesus asking which is more important, God or money? “No servant can serve two masters.”

Being prepared for the coming of the Lord is the nugget in the gospel for the **Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**. We hear in **Matthew's Gospel** the story of the foolish maidens who are not ready for their master's coming, and miss the wedding feast
