



# Precious Blood Cathedral

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**3rd Week of Christmas**

**January 6, 2019**

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**Rev. Father Hamish Currie**

**Assistant Pastor :**

**Rev. Father Emmanuel  
Zinsu**

**Parish Secretary :**

**Sue St. Jules**

**Office Hours :**

**8:30 AM to 12:30 PM**

**Sunday Masses :**

**Saturday Vigil Mass : 5:00 PM**

**Sunday : 9:00 AM & 11:00 AM  
and 8:30 PM**

**Weekday Masses : 8:00 AM**

**No Mass on Wednesday**

**Sacrament of Penance :**

**Saturday : 4:15 PM to 4:45 PM**

**Baptism :**

Usually on the **3rd Sunday** of the month. Please make arrangements **one month in advance** by contacting the Parish office.

**Marriage :**

Please make marriage arrangements **6 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 :**

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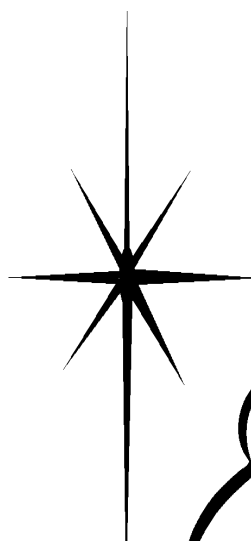
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**Bulletin Announcements :**

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**Before 11:00 AM Wednesday**

**Prayer Line :**

**Corona McNally**  
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## Epiphany



Weekdays Scripture Readings: 7<sup>th</sup> January To 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2019

Day	Reading	Gospel
Monday	1 John 3.22-4.6	Matthew 4.12-17, 23-25
Tuesday	1 John 4.7-10	Mark 6.34-44
Wednesday	1 John 4.11-18	Mark 6.45-52
Thursday	1 John 4.19—5.4	Luke 4.14-22a
Friday	1 John 5.5-13	Luke 5.12-16
Saturday	1 John 5.14-21	John 3.22-30

## Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK

**Monday, January 7** 5:00 PM

†Mae Lukenda by Dr. John & Vi Lukenda

**Tuesday, January 8** 10:00 AM

†Ermelinda Melchionna by Marie Bruno & Family  
In Thanksgiving for Alfredo & Nella Bruni  
By John & Ann Kasch

**Wednesday, January 9** - No Mass

**Thursday, January 10** 8:00 AM

†Mae Lukenda by Dr. John & Vi Lukenda  
†Sandra Mariotti by Jean Scott

**Friday, January 11** 8:00 AM

†Maria Elizebetta Lombardo  
by Nadine & Paul Condon

**Saturday, January 12** 5:00 PM

†Gene Rebellato by Annette & Richard Gregorini  
†Mae Lukenda by Claire & Claude Cloutier  
†Alfonse Nanni by Wife Marion  
In Thanksgiving for Tristan by His Grandmother

**Sunday, January 13**

9:00 AM

†James & Mary Geron

†Laura Giuliani by Rod & Paula Smith

11:00 AM

Intention of All Parishioners

8:30 PM

No Intention requested

## Mass Intentions

**Offering masses is a longstanding tradition in the Catholic Church.**

**An individual may ask a priest to offer a Mass for several reasons: for example, in thanksgiving, for the intentions of another person (such as on a birthday or an anniversary), for someone who is sick, or for the repose of the soul of someone who has died.**

**Call the parish office**

**Sunday Collections**  
**December 30, 2018**

**\$3,829.75**

**Thank you for your continued generosity!**

<b>January 12/13</b>	<b>Lectors</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	<b>Ushers</b>	<b>Greeters</b>
<b>Saturday 5:00 PM</b>	Anne Marie Dupuis Maria Esposito	Ralph Esposito Linda Simonini Anne Greco	Bernie Lysiak Richard Bubinas John Slobodecki Jean Luc Coudert	
<b>Sunday 9:00 AM</b>	Susan Colizza Terry Bos	Bill Denny Matthew Pavoni Terry-Lou Legros	Rudy Wheatley Brian Lidstone	
<b>Sunday 11:00 AM</b>	Carmen Sicoly Maria Bruno	John Bruno Maureen Gooderham Bambi Alexander	Ted & Norma Wall Phil Bellerose Tony Pino	
<b>Sunday 8:30 PM</b>	Rico Iacoe		Gino Filice Terry Zuccato	

**The Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist and Confirmation will be celebrated at Precious Blood Cathedral in the spring.**

Preparations sessions will begin on Wednesday, February 20, 2019.

Please call the parish to register.

Dates of the celebrations are: First Reconciliation Wednesday, April 3, 2019  
First Communion June 16, 2019 at 10:00 AM  
Confirmation to be determined by the Bishop

### **THIS WEEK AT PRECIOUS BLOOD**

**The Rosary is recited after each weekday Mass**  
**The Choir will practice on January 10th at 7:30 PM**

## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

### Membership Drive:

Come join the league! Add your voice and support to a national sisterhood of Catholic Women who promote awareness and respond to political and social issues that affect all Canadians. Application forms are in St. Anne's room. For more details call Maureen Gooderham (945-0852) or Anne Kasch (759-8670)



### General Meeting:

The next meeting will be **Tuesday January 8<sup>th</sup>** in St. Anne's room at 12 pm. New members are welcome to come out.

### **The Journey Lottery Lottery tickets on sale!**

The draws for prizes of \$25,000 and five draws of \$1,000  
Will be held on Holy Saturday, April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

### Take a book and sell a book tickets

The \$20 tickets are great gifts.

**We need the support of everyone !!!**

## **SPECIAL OLYMPICS BRUNCH HOLY FAMILY CHURCH SUNDAY, JANUARY 13TH 2019 10:30 am TO 1:00 pm**

## **INTERIOR RENOVATIONS...**

*"Life is wasted if we do not grasp the glory of the cross, cherish it for the treasure that it is, and cleave to it as the highest price of every pleasure and the deepest comfort in every pain. What was once foolishness to us—a crucified God—must become our wisdom and our power and our only boast in this world."*

*John Piper*



**The Volunteer Interfaith Committee of Sault Ste. Marie invites you to attend**

World Religion Day Celebration  
January 20, 2:00 pm  
Central United Church  
160 Spring St. (Corner Albert & Spring)  
Prayers, Reflections, Music, Dance, and Culture  
Refreshments and Fellowship to Follow

**Prayer Line**

Anyone wishing to have prayers for a special Intention,  
for someone who is ill, having surgery, for the deceased,  
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Anyone wishing to join the prayer line to join in prayer  
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**3rd Week of Christmas**

Sunday is the celebration around the world of the **Epiphany of the Lord**. The light has come into the darkness of the world and our salvation was made known to the Gentiles. The Prophet **Isaiah** offers us a vibrant image of hope and fulfillment: “Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! Your light has come, the glory of the Lord shines upon you.” **Matthew's Gospel** brings us the story of the Magi and their encounter with Herod on the way to “do homage” to the newborn King of the Jews. “And behold, the star that they had seen at its rising preceded them, until it came and stopped over the place where the child was.”

In the week that follows the Epiphany we continue with more of the beautiful first readings from the **First Letter of John**. He wants us to believe the message: we are from God and are loved by God and “whoever is without love does not know God, for God is love.”

The **Gospels** this week are from all four gospel writers, **Matthew, Mark, Luke and John**. We read of Jesus traveling through Galilee “teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the Gospel of the Kingdom, and curing every disease and illness among the people.” He feeds loaves and fishes to the hungry and exhorts his disciples, “Take courage, it is I, do not be afraid!” when they are caught in a storm at sea. When he reads from the scriptures at the synagogue, he proclaims, “Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing.” On Saturday, John tells his followers he is not the Christ. “He must increase; I must decrease.”

Sunday is the **Baptism of the Lord**. We hear the Lord say in the first reading from **Isaiah**, “Here is my servant whom I uphold, my chosen one with whom I am pleased, upon whom I have put my spirit.” Those words are echoed in the reading from **Luke's Gospel**, “This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased.” This feast marks the end of the Christmas season and the beginning of Ordinary Time on the Church calendar.