



# Precious Blood Cathedral

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## Second Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday

April 28, 2019

### Pastor :

**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 :

**Kerry Pavoni**  
705-942-7750

### CWL President :

**Maureen Gooderham**  
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### Liturgical Music / Choir :

**Bruce Douville**  
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### Bulletin Announcements :

Email yours to  
[pbcathedral@on.aibn.com](mailto:pbcathedral@on.aibn.com)  
**Before 11:00 AM Wednesday**

### Prayer Line :

**Corona McNally**  
705-575-6975



## DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

## Weekdays Scripture Readings: 29th April to 4th May, 2019

Day	Reading	Gospel
Monday	Acts 4.23-31	John 3.1-8
Tuesday	Acts 4.32-37	John 3.7b-15
Wednesday	Acts 5.17-26	John 3.16-21
Thursday	Acts 5.27-33	John 3.31-36
Friday	1 Corinthians 15.1-8	John 14.6-14
Saturday	Acts 6.1-7	John 6.16-21

## Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK

**Monday, April 29** 8:00 AM

†Allan Matthews by Wife Barbara and Family

**Tuesday, April 30** 8:00 AM

†Eileen Klein by Maureen & Alan Gooderham

**Wednesday, May 1** No Mass

**Thursday, May 2** 8:00 AM

†Ernie Gagnon by Annette & Richard Gregorini

**Friday, May 3** 8:00 AM

†Alfonse Nanni by Wife Marion

**Saturday, May 4** 5:00 PM

†Audrey Belanger by Simone Ross

**Sunday, May 5**

**9:00 AM**

No Intention requested

**11:00 AM**

**CWL MASS**

Intention of All Parishioners

**8:30 PM**

No Intention requested

### BE PART OF HISTORY!!!!

Precious Blood Cathedral in partnership with the Sault Ste. Marie Museum is looking for photographs, stories, and artifacts to help tell our story of Sault Ste. Marie Catholic heritage in our new Gallery of History in the Gathering Place. Stories and artifacts from various parishes and Catholic institutions will be celebrated. Please bring any photographs, stories, and artifacts you wish to donate to the Parish Office starting March 24.

For more information about this initiative and volunteer opportunities please contact the Parish Office 705-256-8474.

### JOURNEY CONTRIBUTIONS

Expenses continue, please continue your contribution to the Journey

**Sunday Collections**

**\$5,191.75**

**April 21, 2019**

**Share Lent**

**\$ 890.00**

**Easter**

**\$5,169.00**

**Holy Land**

**\$ 802.00**

**Thank you for your continued generosity!**



May 4/5	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Ushers	Greeters
<b>Saturday 5:00 PM</b>	Maria Esposito Anne Marie Dupuis	Jean Scott Anne Greco Laura Castellarin	Bernie Lysiak Richard Bubinas John Slobodecki Jean Luc Coudert	
<b>Sunday 9:00 AM</b>	Fil Lettieri Vincent Greco	Bill Denny Terry-Lou Legros Alfredo Bruni	Rudy Wheatley Brian Lidstone	Janice Dolcetti Sandra Suurna
<b>Sunday 11:00 AM CWL Mass</b>	Louise Bichler Louise McGuire	Paula Smith Maureen Gooderham Maria Pasqua	Ted & Norma Wall Phil Bellerose Tony Pino	Corona McNally Edna Miskiw Rose McCormick Gerri Chateau
<b>Sunday 8:30 PM</b>	Rico Iacoe		Gino Filice Terry Zuccato	

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**THIS WEEK AT PRECIOUS BLOOD**

The Rosary is recited after each weekday Mass  
The Choir will practice on May 2nd at 7:30 PM

## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

**April 26 - 28th** - The Annual Diocesan Convention is at the Quattro Hotel. Our members are responsible for the hosting duties at the convention. The closing mass is at St. Gregory's Church at 11 am on Sun. April 28th.

**May 5th** - CWL Sunday at the 11 am mass.

**May 7th** - 12 Hours of Palliative Care Day for our parish.

The **General CWL Meeting** is at **7 pm** in St. Anne's Room. New members are welcome!

**May 11** - Regional Reflection, 1 - 3 pm, St. Gerard Majella Church.



**Save the Date: CWL invites you to join us in prayer and fellowship on Tuesday May 7<sup>th</sup> to commemorate 12 Hours of Prayer for Palliative Care. 8:00 am – 8:00 pm Stay tuned for a planned agenda of mass, prayer, and speakers. Pope Francis reminds us, "Let us not underestimate the power of so many voices united in prayer." "...I would like to invite you to prayer together, for one another with one another"**

## K of C sponsored Ham Dinner & CWL Bake Sale

**Monday, May 6th at 5:00-6:00 p.m.**

**at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church.**



The Huron Superior Catholic District School Board in collaboration with the Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace – Caritas Canada, invites you to join and support your children and grandchildren at their schools, for a Migrant Walk Wednesday, May 8, 2019. Join them and support them as they walk in solidarity with the 68.5 million children, women, and men who have been forced to flee their homes. For information about times, please contact their schools or check the school/board's website

## INTERIOR RENOVATIONS...

*"Be faithful in small things because it is in them that your strength lies."*

*Mother Teresa*

***It's not a refugee crisis, it's a human crisis.***

Over 65 million people around the world have been forced from their homes to escape famine, climate change and war in the greatest human displacement since World War II. Please join **Development and Peace – Caritas Canada** and the **Huron Superior Catholic District School Board** in their screening of the film **Human Flow**, an epic film journey by the internationally renowned artist Ai Weiwei. **Human Flow** will be shown in the amphitheatre at St. Basil's Elementary School, Friday May 10 at 4:30 pm.

Admission is free, but there will be a free-will offering for those who are able to contribute to the cost of the film.

**SENIOR SINGERS; BENEFIT CONCERT**

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**HIGH SCHOOL CATHOLIC YOUTH CONFERENCE: ALL IN**

All high school aged youth are invited to participate in the **Northern Ontario Catholic Youth Conference on Saturday, May 4, 2019 at St. Joseph-Scollard Hall in North Bay, Ontario.** Join high school students from across Northern Ontario for a day of faith, music, sharing, talks and powerful witness featuring popular Catholic Speaker Michael Chiasson. This year's theme is "All In" as we reflect on our relationship with God and others, encouraging our students to live out their unique mission in life with passion. Registration fee is only \$20! Register online at [www.holynametalphonsus.com/allin](http://www.holynametalphonsus.com/allin) or pick up a Registration Form at your church or by visiting your high school Chaplain. This event is presented by the Roman Catholic Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie and the Nipissing-Parry Sound Catholic District School Board.

Coming this May, Sault Ste. Marie will once again be a host site for the New Evangelization Summit held this year at Our Lady of Good Counsel on Saturday May 4. Two big changes have been made:

- 1) It will be a one day event instead of two
- 2) This year it is FREE to attend

Our Bishop is encouraging all of us as Catholics to take advantage of this opportunity to grow in our faith, and help others to do the same.

**Tickets for the event here in Sault Ste. Marie are available by visiting [www.newevangelization.ca](http://www.newevangelization.ca)**



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**Second Week of Easter**

On the **Second Sunday of Easter**, as we celebrate **Divine Mercy Sunday**, we get a picture of how the early community gathered around as “**Many signs and wonders were done among the people at the hands of the apostles.**” **John's Gospel** gives us two post-resurrection stories that feature Thomas, the doubting apostle. “**Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.**”

Monday we remember **St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church**. Thursday is the Memorial of **St. Anthanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**. Friday is the **Feast of St. Philip and James, Apostles**.

The **Acts of the Apostles** all this week offers us the challenges the apostles faced from the earliest communities and from the Jewish authorities.

For the remaining five weeks of the Easter season, our readings will be from the **Acts of the Apostles** and from **John's Gospel**, with stories of Jesus' ministry not heard during the Ordinary Time of the liturgical year.

The weekday readings begin with the frightened Pharisee, Nicodemus, coming at night to speak to Jesus, asking how anyone can be “**born again.**” Jesus says we must be born of water and Spirit. John's gospel offers a poetic look at light and darkness, good and evil: “**the light came into the world, but people preferred darkness to light...**” But whoever lives the truth comes to the light, so that his works may be clearly seen as done in God. John writes, “**For the one whom God sent speaks the words of God.**” After Jesus' disciples tell him to send 5,000 people away, he shows them how to feed them all. He walks across the sea to meet his apostles in their boat, saying, “**It is I. Do not be afraid.**”

**John's Gospel** brings us a wonderful story for the **Third Sunday of Easter**. After the events of Good Friday and the joy of Easter Sunday, Peter longs to return to his old life. “**I am going fishing.**” he says. In a scene reminiscent of the original call of Peter, Jesus appears to the group after a futile night of fishing but is unrecognized by his followers. He calls out to Peter in the boat and tells him where to drop his fishing nets. The fish overflow the nets and they suddenly recognize him: “**It is the Lord!**” Jesus cooks them breakfast and asks Peter three times if he loves him. Peter, puzzled, affirms three times that he loves Jesus - just as he denied him three times during the Passion. “**Feed my sheep,**” Jesus says to him.