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Monday-Friday
8:30 AM to 12:00 PM
Office Admin Jennifer

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday Mass: 5:00 pm

Sunday Mass: 9:00 am
& 11:00am

Weekday Masses :
Morning Mass:

Tues to Fri at 9am

Sacrament of Penance :
Saturday : 4:15pm-4:45pm

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.

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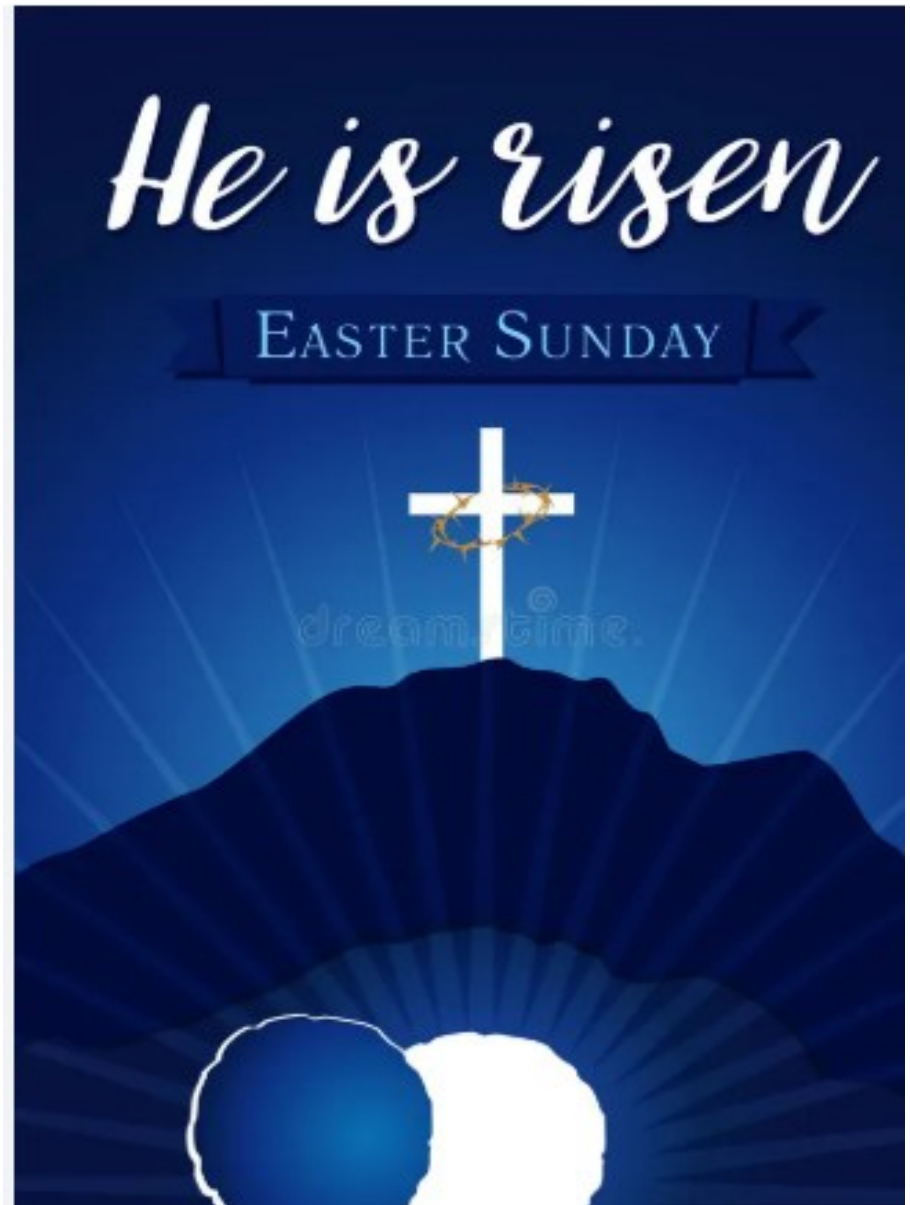
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Before 11:00 AM Wednesday

Prayer Line :
Corona McNally
705-575-6975

The Resurrection of The Lord

April 20, 2025



Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, April 19, 2025 @ 8pm

† Don Gagnon by Ellen

Sunday, April 20, 2025 @ 9am

† Jeannie & Meryn Devon by Family

Tuesday, April 22, 2025 @ 9am

No Mass Intention

Wednesday, April 23, 2025 @ 9am

No Mass Intention

Thursday, April 24, 2025 @ 9am

Intentions for Mary Denomme by Delma Brown

Friday, April 25, 2025 @ 9am

† Eric Haapala by Tony and Sue Colizza

Saturday, April 26, 2025 @ 5pm

† Albert & Angeline & Suriano Family by Terry & Marlene Zuccato

Sunday, April 27, 2025 @ 9am

† Denise Colizza by Patricia Maninos



CWL NEWS!

Tuesday May 6th - General CWL Meeting in the hall at 7 pm. Bingo games will follow the meeting and include prizes. Bring a friend!

Wednesday May 7th - Palliative Care Mass, **9 am** at Precious Blood Cathedral.

May 23 - 25th - Sault Ste. Marie Diocesan Convention will be in North Bay at the Davedi Club. See the poster and handouts on the CWL bulletin boards for details. The registration form and order form are due to Karen McAndrew by April 16th. Make your cheque out to Precious Blood CWL.

Please call Moyra O'Pallie (705-253-4363) or Karen McAndrew (705-945-8866) if you have any questions. First time attendees will be placed in a draw for \$100 to help with the costs of the convention.

Volunteers needed for the **Davey Home Tuck Shop**. Let Marie Bruno know if you are able to volunteer on Wednesday June 11th from 2 - 4 pm. (705-943-0345). Our members are volunteering June 8 - 14.

Why become a CWL member? <https://www.cwl.ca/why-become-a-member/>

Contact Marie if you have any questions. (705-943-0345)

The CWL wishes you a Happy Easter filled with joy, love and peace!





The Shalom Place 7-Day Silent Retreat is returning! It is being held at St. Joseph's Mother-house in North Bay in July (22-29).

There are two options available:

1. The person-directed retreat - Includes private room, meals, and daily individual meeting with a spiritual director. \$685.00
- OR**
2. A video recorded retreat with Margaret Silf - Includes private room, meals, and daily video input session and reflection material from Margaret Silf (used with permission) based on a retreat she gave on "Discovering Your Wisdom Years." \$400.00.

For more information and to register: www.shalomplace.ca, shalomssm@shaw.ca , or
705-254-4690
Limited space, so register soon!



Precious Blood Cathedral Fundraiser "Pasta and Meatball Dinner"

Tuesday, May 13, 2025 at 5:30 pm.

Menu: Pasta, Meatballs, Garden Salad, and Dessert.

Cost: Adults - \$20 each ---- Children 7 to 12 years old - \$5.00 each

Under 6 Free

Place: Gathering Place

As this is a fundraiser, we invite you to bring a dessert to share.

Tickets will be sold at all masses starting

April 26 & 27, May 3 & 4 & May 10 & 11

Volunteers are required to help at this event. Jobs include ticket sellers, place settings, kitchen duties and clean up.

If you would like to be part of the volunteer team, please call
Gloria Denny at 705.759.2833 or Terry-Lou Legros at 705.946.3516.

Coffee Sundays

The first Sunday of each month—join us after Mass for coffee in the Gathering Place.

Coffee Hour: **May 4, 2025**



Divine Mercy Sunday Service will be held at
Our Lady of Good Counsel,
April 27th at 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The Service will include Eucharistic Adoration,
Veneration of the Divine Mercy Image and of a First
Class Relic of St. Faustina.

**Weekday Scripture Readings:
April 21, 2025 – April 26, 2025**

Day	Reading	Gospel
Monday	Acts 2.14,22-33	Matthew 28..8-15
Tuesday	Acts 2.36-41	John 20.11-18
Wednesday	Acts 3.1-10	Luke 24.13-35
Thursday	Acts 3.11-26	Luke 24.35-48
Friday	Acts 4.1-12	Mark 16.9-15
Saturday	Acts 4.13-21	Luke 24.1-12

Sunday Collection
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Easter Week

Easter Sunday, we read from the **Acts of the Apostles** to hear Peter's preaching about the Resurrection. The **Letter to the Colossians** reminds us "You have died and your lives are hidden with Christ in God." The gospel is from **John's Gospel** and gives us the first story of that Easter morning - Mary Magdalene discovers the empty tomb and runs to Peter and the "disciple Jesus loved" to tell them. They run to the tomb and discover for themselves that it is empty.

The first reading for Easter Week is from the **Acts of the Apostles**. We hear Peter's preaching the Good News and experience the first deeds of the Apostles, which parallel the acts of Jesus, including the conflicts he experienced and his power to heal.

The gospels this week are all resurrection appearances. These wonderful stories contain some common elements. They appear designed to make it clear that this was not a group of disciples who dreamed up the resurrection, because they were hoping for it so much. In fact, they found it difficult to believe. The Jesus they saw and experienced was not a "ghost." Instead, he had a body.

Monday, is the story of Jesus appearing to Mary Magdalene and the other Mary, as well as the "cover-up story" and pay off of the guards. Tuesday, we read of Jesus' appearance to Mary Magdalene, through the eyes of **John's Gospel**. Jesus missions her to announce the Good News to his brothers. On Wednesday we are treated to **Luke's** marvelous story of Jesus' appearance to the two disciples on the road to Emmaus. They were sad, because they had hoped the story would have turned out differently. Jesus tells them why he had to first suffer and die in order to enter into his glory. As they stopped to eat, "he was made known to them in the breaking of the bread." Thursday Jesus appears in the room where the disciples are gathered. "Peace be with you" he says and then eats with them and shows them his wounds. On Friday, we have the powerful appearance in **John's Gospel** at the Sea of Tiberias. Peter decided to return to fishing. Jesus appears and re-missions him. On Saturday, the week concludes with the summary of appearances in what appears to be an addition to the end of **Mark's Gospel**.

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."



GIFT SHOP OPEN FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH

Daily Prayer This Week

We now begin a celebration of the **Resurrection of our Lord** for the next seven weeks - when we mark the **Ascension** forty days after Easter and culminating in the celebration of **Pentecost** on the fiftieth day after Easter. This week, we begin that deepening realization of, and reflection upon, the meaning of the gift of life we have received in God's raising Jesus from the dead so that we might have eternal life.

Just as it difficult for many of our cultures to face the reality of death, it is difficult to accept the reality of life after death. St. Paul invites us to live in this passing world with our hearts set on the world that will never end. This week let us try to open our hearts to a deeply-felt sense of what a difference it makes that the tomb is empty, that Jesus is alive, that he allows us to recognize him in the breaking of bread, and that he missions us to proclaim this Good News.

Each morning this week, we can pause for a moment and simply thank God for our being alive today. Even more, we can thank God for the life that Jesus won for us. Throughout the day, and at different brief moments, we can remember that this is Easter Week and ask to live more freely today, more gratefully. We can name the grace in our own terms and in the context of what we are experiencing, what gets us discouraged or what gives us life. Overall, we want to live the freedom we have been given. If death has no hold on us, so many of our fears would melt away. If we realized our ultimate home is in heaven, our spirits would be lighter and we would walk around more gratefully.

So, as we go through this week, we can let ourselves believe in the Resurrection that was won for us. "Lord, I believe in the gift of life you have given me in the death and resurrection of your Son, Jesus." We can say this act of faith, or sing any of the wonderful Easter songs in the back of our minds, as many times as it takes to let ourselves feel the effects of Easter.

Perhaps we had a difficult Holy Week or Easter. There might have been loneliness or family conflicts. Perhaps we are facing a chronic illness or deep struggles with a loved one, or we are grieving the loss of a loved one. These, and many other struggles can challenge our Easter hope and joy. This is the week to place our trust in the one who is now alive, so that we can live forever. We can ask for the gifts of hope renewal these days. In giving thanks, we can ask that our hearts be opened even more to receive the gift of his Spirit.

Shawl Ministry

If you know of someone who is in hospital or at home or at the
Hospice

that is in need of comfort from a shawl.

Contact Corona at **705-575-6975**.

April 26th & April 27th, 2025	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Greeters</u>
<p data-bbox="228 254 529 323">Saturday, April 26 5:00 pm</p> <p data-bbox="245 478 513 590">Sunday, April 27 9am</p> <p data-bbox="337 829 420 856">11am</p>	<p data-bbox="760 254 1073 289"><u>St Anne's Entrance</u></p> <p data-bbox="813 323 1019 352">Linda Clement</p> <p data-bbox="732 392 1101 428"><u>Queen Street Entrance</u></p> <p data-bbox="837 462 995 491">Terry Scott</p> <p data-bbox="760 529 1073 564"><u>St. Anne's Entrance</u></p> <p data-bbox="813 598 1019 627">Sandra Suurna</p> <p data-bbox="732 665 1101 701"><u>Queen Street Entrance</u></p> <p data-bbox="802 735 1031 770">Christopher Tan</p> <p data-bbox="760 837 1073 873"><u>St. Anne's Entrance</u></p> <p data-bbox="818 907 1015 942">Florice Bahay</p> <p data-bbox="732 976 1101 1012"><u>Queen Street Entrance</u></p> <p data-bbox="810 1045 1023 1075">Richard Breton</p>	<p data-bbox="1208 254 1521 289"><u>St Anne's Entrance</u></p> <p data-bbox="1261 323 1468 352">Joanne Young</p> <p data-bbox="1175 392 1544 428"><u>Queen Street Entrance</u></p> <p data-bbox="1261 462 1461 491">Terry Zuccato</p> <p data-bbox="1200 529 1521 564"><u>St. Anne's Entrance</u></p> <p data-bbox="1245 598 1476 627">Tiffany Edwards</p> <p data-bbox="1175 665 1544 701"><u>Queen Street Entrance</u></p> <p data-bbox="1237 735 1482 770">Terry-Lou Legros</p> <p data-bbox="1200 837 1521 873"><u>St. Anne's Entrance</u></p> <p data-bbox="1240 907 1481 942">Roseanne Breton</p> <p data-bbox="1175 976 1544 1012"><u>Queen Street Entrance</u></p> <p data-bbox="1289 1045 1430 1075">Tony Pino</p>
<p data-bbox="228 1375 529 1486">Saturday, April 26 5pm</p> <p data-bbox="245 1642 513 1753">Sunday, April 27 9am</p> <p data-bbox="337 1824 420 1852">11am</p>	<p data-bbox="855 1360 980 1396"><u>Lectors</u></p> <p data-bbox="834 1430 1002 1465"><u>April 26th</u></p> <p data-bbox="813 1499 1023 1528">Maria Esposito</p> <p data-bbox="855 1566 980 1602"><u>Lectors</u></p> <p data-bbox="834 1635 1002 1671"><u>April 27th</u></p> <p data-bbox="821 1705 1015 1734">Susan Colizza</p> <p data-bbox="821 1806 1015 1835">Reeza Litiatco</p>	<p data-bbox="1192 1360 1528 1396"><u>Eucharistic Minister</u></p> <p data-bbox="1278 1430 1442 1465"><u>April 26th</u></p> <p data-bbox="1256 1499 1468 1528">Ralph Esposito</p> <p data-bbox="1192 1566 1528 1602"><u>Eucharistic Minister</u></p> <p data-bbox="1278 1635 1442 1671"><u>April 27th</u></p> <p data-bbox="1240 1705 1481 1734">Rose McCormick</p> <p data-bbox="1240 1806 1481 1835">Bambi Alexander</p>



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