



St. Jerome Roman Catholic Church

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Deacon: Rev. Mr. Marcel Lefebvre
Secretary: Kerry Dutchak
Office Hours: Tuesday to Thursday: 8:30am - 4:30pm
 Friday: 8:30am - 12:00pm

Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:00pm
Sunday: 9:00am
 11:00am

Young People's Church

Sunday: 11:00am

Weekday Mass Schedule

Tuesday: 7:00pm
Wednesday: 9:15am
Thursday: 9:15am
Friday: 9:15am

Confession Times

Tuesday: 6:00pm - 6:30pm
Saturday: 3:00pm - 3:30pm
 Also available by appointment

Parish News, Calendar, Catholic Resources, Prayers,
 Readings and up-to-date information available at:



www.stjeromeparishssm.com

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PARISH INFORMATION

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated after a preparation programme is completed. Phone the office or fill out online form to register.

Marriages

Please contact the parish priest at least six months in advance of the intended date of marriage.

Sacrament of the Sick

Celebrated on the First Wednesday of the month at the 9:15am Mass. Also available by appointment.

Vocations to the Priesthood/Religious Life

Please speak to the Pastor or visit: www.beapriest.ca or www.csjssm.ca

Parish Prayer Line

Please call Connie Celli at 705-945-7034 to add your intentions to our prayer list.

24/7 On-Call Priest

Please notify the chaplain, nurse or nursing home coordinator to contact the priest on-call.

Communion to Shut-Ins

Please notify the parish office.

Bulletin Submissions

Deadline for submissions *to be considered* for printing is Wednesday morning. Please note that *all submissions may be edited* for space purposes.

Financial Donation Options:

- 1) Through traditional envelopes
 - 2) Pre-Authorized Debit Plan
 - 3) Online on our website
- Please contact the parish office.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME FEBRUARY 12, 2017

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Tuesday, February 14 - 7:00 PM

St. Cyril, Monk, and St. Methodius, Bishop
Genesis 6.5-8; 7.1-5,10; Mark 8.14-21

Wednesday, February 15 - 9:15 AM

Genesis 8.6-13,20-22; Mark 8.22-26
Sergio Fabbro by Wife Sarah & Family
Jack E. Robinson by Seniors & Friends

Thursday, February 16 - 9:15 AM

Genesis 9.1-13; Mark 8.27-33

Friday, February 17 - 9:15 AM

Genesis 11.1-9; Mark 8.34-38-9.1

Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

Leviticus 19.1-2,17-18; 1 Corinthians 3.16-23; Matthew 5.38-48

Saturday, February 18

4:00 PM - **Tony Seccareccia** by Jerry & Family

Sunday, February 19

9:00 AM - **Intentions of All Parishioners** by The Pastor

11:00 AM - **Dan Bratina** by Gerry & Marlene Kiley

SUNDAY COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday Feb 5,2017: (including loose)(131/317 envelopes)	\$	3,136.60
Pre-authorized Sunday:	\$	1,270.00
Building Fund:	\$	382.00
Pre-authorized Building Fund:	\$	45.00
Online Giving:	\$	51.87
TOTAL:	\$	4,885.47

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you

Budgeted Weekly Income Needed: \$5,600.00

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

LEADERS NEEDED YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHURCH

We need 2 leaders in each of the 3 groups: Pre-school to SK, Grade 1-3, and Grade 4-6. You don't need to be a teacher or a theology expert. Material is available to you. Prayerfully consider if this ministry is for you. Men, women, parents, grandparents, older teens-there is a place for all. Contact Christie Currie at 705-254-0643 or at curriec@adsb.ca for more info or talk with Fr. Pat, Fr. Daniele or any of the current leaders at Mass.



LOYOLA: SIX WEEKS WITH THE BIBLE

This Lent we will resume **Bible Study** using the Loyola Program. A group meets on Wednesday evening from 7:30-9:00 pm. If this time is not convenient and you want to start up your own group OR to study independently, we'll help you get started. If interested, contact Burnie Thorp at bjthorp@shaw.ca or 705-949-1724. Please register by February 22 to allow ordering of materials. No late registrations will be taken. Cost is \$12 (or whatever you can offer). The Wednesday group will begin March 8 and run until April 12.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

We are in need of volunteers to help distribute Holy Communion at all of our Sunday liturgies. Duties include assisting in distributing the real body and blood of Jesus to those gathered at Mass. If you can assist in this precious ministry, please contact Carol Sweeney at 705-253-6689 or speak to Fr. Pat or Fr. Daniele. Training will be provided.

LENTEN BOOK STUDY

You are invited to participate in a Lenten book study which will explore women's contributions to the history of Christianity. The title is "The Elephant In The Church: A Woman's Tract For Our Times" written by Mary T. Malone, author, historian, theologian and retired professor at Toronto's St. Augustine Seminary and the University of St. Jerome's in Waterloo. Join us on six Monday evenings: March 6 -April 10, 2017 from 7:00—8:30 pm at St. Jerome Church. Come and discover faith-filled, courageous women on whose shoulders we stand. How do they inspire us today? To register contact Jackie at 942-6745 or Rose-Marie at 253-8797 by February 20 so that books may be ordered.

TOGETHER IN CHRIST: Catholics & Lutherans in Dialogue

NOTE: dates have been adjusted. Meetings continue on:

Feb. 15: "From Conflict to Communion" (at St. Jerome's)

Feb. 22: "Growth in Communion through Dialogue" (at Zion Lutheran)

Feb. 26: "Commitment to Communion"

(following Pancake Breakfast at St. Jerome's 1:00pm-3:00 pm)

UPCOMING EVENTS

February 12, 2017

C.W.L. Bake Sale

After 9:00 & 11:00 Masses

February 15, 2017

Seniors & Friends

10:00 am

February 15, 2017

Together in Christ:

Catholics and Lutherans in Dialogue Session #3

7:00pm - 9:00pm

at St. Jerome Church

February 16, 2017

EDGE Night

7:00 pm

All Grade 6, 7 & 8's welcome!

February 18, 2017

Intercessory Prayer

9:00 am—Please join us for a half-hour of prayer and fellowship as we pray for our community.

February 18, 2017

Potluck Dinner

After 4:00 pm Mass

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EDGE®

Continues February 16th - 7:00 pm
Welcome all Students from Grades 6, 7 & 8!
"Celebration of Thanksgiving: EDGE Night
on the Eucharist"

LENTEN RETREAT AT VILLA LOYOLA

Date: Friday March 10, 2017 (7:00 pm) to Sunday March 12, 2017 (1:00 pm)

Director: Fr. Philip Chircop, s.j.

Cost: \$230.00 (all inclusive)

Registration: Call 705-522-3502 Monday to Friday OR by email at loyola@isys.ca

See poster at bulletin boards at both entrances for more information.



We remember in our prayers, those who have died, especially **Dorothy Mosco & Wanda Olivier**. May their souls and the souls of all our faithful departed rest in peace.



C.W.L. Valentine's Day Bake Sale

February 12 after the 9 & 11 am Masses

Stop by the hall; get a treat for your sweet.

4 O'CLOCK FLOCK POTLUCK DINNER

Come one, come all! Bring your favourite dish, Saturday February 18 after 4:00 PM Mass. Kitchen open 3:30 for drop off. Join us for fabulous food, wonderful company in a warm community atmosphere. Everyone welcome! Contact Carol Sweeney 705-253-6689 for more information.



POTLUCK DINNER

ATTENTION ALL WOMEN

Are you nervous about speaking in public? Do your knees knock? Come out and learn effective public speaking techniques in a safe, supportive and fun environment on Saturday, March 4, 2017 at 9:30 am in St. Jerome's parish hall on Carmel Rd. Please bring a **brown bag lunch**. Coffee & tea will be available throughout the day. This interactive workshop is sponsored by Sault Ste. Marie Diocesan Council of The Catholic Women's League of Canada. **All women are welcome**. For more information and to register please call Cathy McKinney at 705-946-4858 (*pre-registration not mandatory). Hope to see you there.



WEEKLY PRAYER REFLECTION

World Day of the Sick - February 11



"On this Twenty-fifth World Day of the Sick,

I once more offer my prayerful support and encouragement to physicians, nurses, volunteers and all those consecrated men and women committed to serving the sick and those in need. I also embrace the ecclesial and civil institutions working to this end, and the families who take loving care of their sick. I pray that all may be ever joyous signs of the presence of God's love ..."

POPE FRANCIS

WE PRAY FOR THE NEEDS OF THE SICK AND OF ALL THOSE WHO SUFFER –

the poor, the infirm, the outcast, the marginalized. May they be recognized, no matter how frail, for their innate and inalienable dignity and mission in life. Like Saint Bernadette, who turned her frailty into support for others, may they bring out in others the love and compassion that are part of every created human heart.

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO PROVIDE CARE AND ASSIST THE SICK —

family members, health workers and volunteers — that they may accompany the infirm and show them the love of God made manifest in human hands and hearts. We pray for those in different roles of service and in health care institutions throughout the world, that they will be strengthened in their professionalism and dedication to the sick and the suffering.

Excerpted from CHA's 25th World Day of the Sick Prayer Service