19 JUNE 2016

12th SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

PRO-CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION

480 McIntyre Street West - North Bay, Ontario - P1B 2Z4

Welcome to Your Father's House!



The first reading from Zechariah foretells mourning by the inhabitants of Jerusalem over one they have slain, which will be followed by repentance. The second reading reminds us that in and through baptism we are made one in Christ. In the Gospel, Jesus teaches that living as his disciple requires taking up one's cross each day and following him. The Messiah was expected to free the Jewish people from oppression, and restore the freedom and holiness of their nation. Jesus instead reveals that the Messiah will suffer, die and be raised from the dead, and that true discipleship requires self-denial and sacrifice. Understanding this, let us take up our cross each day and follow Jesus.

Our Parish Mission Statement

We, the members of the Pro-Cathedral of the Assumption community, believe that we have been called through Baptism to live the Good News of Jesus Christ under the patronage of Mary, our Mother. We accomplish this by proclaiming the Word, celebrating the Sacraments, & reaching out to others.

PASTOR **Most Rev. Marcel Damphousse , D. D.**
Bishop of Sault Ste. Marie

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Msgr. Dave Tramontini

ASSISTANT
Rev. Rex Lumine

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Msgr. Normand Clement Chaplain, Nipissing-Parry Sound District Schools
Rev. A. Man-Son-Hing Pastor, St. Peter the Apostle & St. Elizabeth Temagami
Rev. Gilles Grandmont Pastor, St. Vincent de Paul Parish

PERMANENT MINISTERS

Deacons
Rev. Mr. Albert Falconi
Rev. Mr. Donald Shago
Rev. Mr. Rick Hamelin
Rev. Mr. Gary Westenenk

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Our faith community dates back to 1886 when we were **originally located on Main Street West and called St. Mary's** of the Lake and the cornerstone of the existing Cathedral was laid in 1904. The history of our parish is recorded in the memories of thousands of people who built our community.

Parish Liturgies



Marriage: Please pick up a Marriage Information Booklet in the Church Vestibule to review prior to contacting the parish office.

Anointing the Sick: Please call the parish office for more information.

Reconciliation: Every Saturday from 3:00 until 3:45 PM.

Eucharist: Please see mass schedule published in this bulletin. Call the parish office to arrange for a Eucharistic Minister to visit the sick and shut-in who are unable to attend Mass.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: On the First Friday of each month from 10:00 AM until 12:00 noon.

Baptism: Please pick up a Baptism Information Booklet in the Church Vestibule to review prior to contacting the parish office.

The Pro-Cathedral is **wheel chair accessible**. The entrance to the elevator is on Algonquin Avenue. Please enter the vestibule and ring the bell for an attendant. Service available at all weekend masses. Weekday masses service available 11:30 AM to 12:45 PM. A **Hearing Aid System** is available for use by the hearing impaired. Please ask an Usher or Sacristan to assist you upon entering the church.

WEEKLY READINGS: 20 ~ 26 JUNE

Monday	2 Kings 17. 5-8, 13-15a, 18; Matthew 7. 1-5
Tuesday	**2 Kings 18. 9b-11, 14-21, 31-36; Mt. 7. 6, 12-14**
Wednesday	**2 Kings 22. 8-13; 23. 1-3; Matthew 7. 15-20**
Thursday	2 Kings 24. 8-17; Matthew 7. 21-29
Friday	**Isaiah 49.1-6; Acts 13 22-26; Luke 1.57-66, 80**
Saturday	Lamentations 2. 2, 10-14, 18-19; Mt. 8. 5-17
Sunday	1 Kings 19. 16b, 19-21; Galatians 5. 1, 13-18; Luke 9. 51-62

OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK

MONDAY	**8:30 AM to 12:00 NOON**
TUESDAY—FRIDAY	**8:30 AM to 4:30 PM**

LITURGY OF THE WORD



The Liturgy of the Word has ended for this year. We will begin again this Fall on September 18.

Thanks to the many parents for supporting this process by making Liturgy of the Word part of the faith journey of your child.

There are many adults in our Parish who have taken this ministry and been faithful to the call to spread the Good News. I would like to thank these people, Suzanne Lukasik, Jennifer Rachmann, Jennifer Palangio, Rob Dufort, Annette Dutrisac, Georgie MacIntyre, Carmelina McParland, Kim Morrissette, Anna Morrow, Louise Cappadocia, Dan Seguin, Mary Lou Smith and Erin Tayler as well as two new members this year Cathy Cartwright and Cheryl Clayton. A special thanks as well to Antoinette McParland who provided the music for each Liturgy, John and Matthew McParland were the cantors encouraging all to respond in song.
Thanks so much to all for taking the time to prepare each Liturgy and reflecting with those present.

God bless each of you!

Darlene Truchon Co-ordinator

Congratulations to

Theresa and Silvio Ricci

who are celebrating their

60th Wedding Anniversary!

May God, who has given you these years together, of his infinite goodness and mercy continue to bless you and your union. With all our love on this special day, may God bless you both!



Work Ahead!

Just to remind you that we are working on our tower repairs this summer — and they should begin soon.

These masonry and flashing restoration and conservation works will encompass caulking and re-pointing deteriorated mortar joints. This damage has allowed rain to penetrate into the inside of our Cathedral attic. We have identified the affected areas in the interior and this repair work will be completed as well. Please note that assessments have been made of our towers from inside and outside. None of the damage is of a structural nature so the integrity of the towers is fine.



During repairs there may be times that the entrances to the Cathedral will have to be blocked for your safety. Access will be provided for parishioners to access the Cathedral at alternate locations.

Thank you for your patience while this restoration takes place to keep our beautiful Cathedral in good repair!

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday Masses are Held at 12:05 PM

Monday, 20 June - Weekday in Ordinary Time
Marc Smith - Marthe Smith and Family
Intention of Danielle Florio - Andree Cornish

Tuesday, 21 June - St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious
Doreen Forrest - Leo and Rita Morrissette and Family
Intention of the Burgess and Dufresne Families

Wednesday, 22 June - Weekday in Ordinary Time
Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help



Holy Souls in Purgatory - Karen and Denis Beaulieu
Alberindo Palladino - Joe and Louise Defonzo

Thursday, 23 June - Weekday in Ordinary Time
Omer Landry - J.P. and Lorraine Guillemette
Intention of Toni and Dot Doran - Leona Kervin

Friday, 24 June - The Nativity of St. John the Baptist
Linda Gilchrist - Rose Frizzell
Yvette Donig - The Family
Marco Plutino - The Plutino Family

4:00 PM Saturday, 25 June - 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Rev. Mr. Jerry McIsaac - Helen McIsaac and Family
P.M.P. Lococo - David Lococo
For a Special Intention - John and Carol Rowe

Sunday, 26 June - Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 AM John Doyle - Paul and Olga Mulc
Simon Boulanger - The Family
Intentions of the Donors and those Remembered in the Pro-Cathedral Memorial Fund

11:00 AM Intention of the Parishioners - Msgr. Dave Tramontini



Take up your cross each day and follow Jesus.



Pope Francis has declared this year the Year of Mercy. That means it's the perfect time to join us on a life-changing journey through Dynamic Catholic's free Summer of Mercy email program, based on our bestselling book *Beautiful Mercy.*

Beginning Sunday, June 19, you'll receive three emails per week for seven weeks. On Tuesdays and Thursdays, emails will have a **1-2 minute video** from Matthew Kelly and other leading Catholic voices of our time. You'll also find an **excerpt from *Beautiful Mercy*.** The simple yet powerful messages will help you **experience God's unconditional love so you can share it with others.** A short email on Sundays will recap the week, making it easy to view and read any videos and reflections that you missed. **Sign up at dynamiccatholic.com today.**

Let's rediscover God's incredible mercy together!

Note: There are still free copies of the book Beautiful Mercy available for pickup on the bookcase behind the last pew on the Algonquin side of the Cathedral.

Welcome NEW PARISHIONERS

Please complete a Parish Registration Form found in the pamphlet holder at the entrance to the Cathedral so we can get to know you better. Thank you!

Ascending Life-Canada

An Association of Lay Faithful, by Pontifical right, a movement for retired persons in the 3rd stage of their lives, believes that all serenity and happiness is found in the sharing the messages of the Gospel with others. We believes that we are strengthened and filled with hope that our relationship with others will help us to discover a relationship with Jesus, and through him, with his Father, our God. We believe that under the guidance of the evangelical spirit, through individual testimony embracing our lives, we bring witness by bringing faith, hope, charity and truth. Our Gatherings are in an atmosphere of Friendship and Confidence in friendly exchange, Reflection and Prayer in Genuine Communication.
We close this season with a Summer Blessing and Meditation

A SUMMER BLESSING

May you walk with God this summer,
in whatever you do and wherever you go.
Walking with goodness,
walking with honesty, and with courage.
Walking with love and respect,
and concern for the feelings of others.
May you talk with God this summer,
and every day, in any situation.
Talking with God means....
Praying words of praise
for the beauty of creation.
Saying prayers of thanks
for friends and good times.
Asking God's help in all your decisions.
Expressing sorrow for when you have failed.
May you talk with God everyday. Amen

Ascending Life Canada wishes you SUMMER HAPPINESS

Happiness in what you are!
Happiness in what you do!
Happiness in what you believe!
A Happy Summer With friends and Family

See you in September!

Collection: 05 JUNE 2016	
Sunday Offering	**Building Fund**
$6,322.12	**$685.00**

STAINED GLASS WINDOW DONATIONS

JUBILATE! CONCERT TOTAL: $2,450.00
Thank you to Everyone for their Support!

Catholic Women's League

Annual Christmas Bazaar

Before we break for the summer holidays, the Bazaar committee will meet on Wednesday, June 22 at 7:00 PM in the Parish Hall.

Over the lazy days of summer please give some thought to supporting the Bazaar which will be held Saturday, November 19.



Would you be willing to donate any of the following?

Baking: Show off your baking skills by donating to the Bazaar. When donating any baking, please stipulate whether it is for the Kitchen or Bake Table.

New Items for the Penny Sale: Do you have that perfect new item you would like to donate?

Knitting: Can you donate yarn, wool or completed knitted items?

Sewing and Crafts: Perhaps you have fabric or completed sewing and crafts to donate?

Hidden Treasures: Are you cleaning out your basement or crawlspace? Are you downsizing? The Bazaar is a great opportunity to donate your gently used items and all for a great cause!

Please contact Annette Dutrisac, co-convener at Annette.d@live.ca for more information.

FATHER'S DAY



On behalf of the members of the Pro-Cathedral Catholic Women's League we wish all the fathers in our parish a wonderful day.

In an article entitled "Pope: Families need fathers who guide, love them through thick and thin", published in the National Catholic Reporter on February 4, 2015, the pope said that without God and his grace, "fathers lose their courage and walk off the field. But children need to find a father who is waiting for them when they return from their failures. They will do everything not to admit it, not to show it, but they need this, and not finding him opens up in them wounds that are difficult to heal." To read the whole article go to http://ncronline.org/blogs/francis-chronicles/pope-families-need-fathers-who-guide-love-them-through-thick-and-thin

2016 Envelopes Not Identified

Are you using one of the following envelope numbers this year?

Please email or call the parish office to let us know who you are: **23, 74, 134, 138, 434, 554**

✝ Memorial Fund ✝

The following names have been received at the request of donors in memory of our deceased friends and relatives:

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DOREEN FORREST

REGIONAL NEWS

Prayers for the New Evangelization in our Region: If you feel called to pray for the New Evangelization in our Region, Join us every Tuesday at Holy Name Church from 11:00 AM to 12:00 noon. In front of the Blessed Sacrament, we will pray for the Holy Spirit to help us to be Evangelizers. For information contact Fran 476-4146 or Holy Name 495-1501

Pilgrimage to The Holy Land under the spiritual guidance of Father Tony Man-Son-Hing and Father Trevor Scarfone November 3-11, 2016 visiting Galilee, Nazareth, Jericho, Bethlehem, Jerusalem and more. Details and information available from St. Peter's Parish Office at 472-1817.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held weekly at Holy Name of Jesus Church. Please come and visit Jesus even for a few minutes. He waits for us. Hours of Adoration: Monday and Thursday 12 noon to 5 pm; Tuesdays 12 noon to 9 PM; Wednesday and Friday: 12 noon to 6 pm. To make a weekly one-hour commitment, please call Lena Butler 497-3434.

Open Adoration: St. Alphonsus in Callander every Friday 8:30 AM to 12:00 Noon. First Friday 8:30 AM to 8:30 AM (24Hrs). **St. Joseph's Motherhouse** first Sunday of the month from 3:30-4:30 PM in Holy Family Chapel and Pro-Cathedral First Friday 10:00 AM to 12:00 Noon.

The Promises of Fatima Rosary Group – come pray with a group of dedicated people who form a Fr. Gobbi Cenacle honouring our Blessed Virgin Mary. Wednesday mornings at 9:30 AM at St. Peter's Parish followed by Mass.

Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help every Wednesday at 11:55 AM at Pro-Cathedral of the Assumption prior to the 12:05 PM mass.

Marriage Preparation Weekend: October 28-29. Call Regional Catholic Services at 472-5821 to reserve your place. Material cost is $40.00 per couple payable at time of registration. Couples should register early!

Motherhouse Taze prayer continues on the 3rd. Thursday each month in the Holy Family Chapel, from 7:00—8:00 PM.

Our welcome to Kindergarten Orientation Sessions are happening in schools across the NPSC School Board throughout June. Visit www.npsc.ca for the schedule of orientation sessions for the school nearest you.

Birthright: Pregnant? Need Help? Call 1-800-550-4900 or visit: www.birthright.org Email: info@birthright.org "We're in this for life!" A free confidential service as an alternative to abortion.

YEO (Youth Evangelizing Others) is a Catholic Youth Group designed for grade 8-12 students with a mission to bring other teens to know Jesus through testimonies, talks, skits, and games. Friday nights at St. Joseph-Scollard Hall Gym from 6:30 to 9:00 PM. For more information, contact Sam at 496-0456.

North Bay Community Blood Donor Clinics are held each month in North Bay and blood donations are needed especially during the summer to meet patient needs. Please book your appointment at www.blood.ca or call 1-888-236-6283 You have the power to give life! **Next Clinic: July 5 & 6 at Clarion Resort**



On June 25th The Rotary Club of North Bay is hosting a dinner with entertainment at the Davedi Club in support of international literacy projects. Special guests will include *Rita Claverie de Sciolli,* Guatemala Ambassador to Canada and *Maria Concepcion Castro Mazariegos,* Charge d'Affaires, Guatemala Embassy. **As part of this evening, a special presentation will be made to our very own Tony Demarco – their newest Paul Harris Fellow Recipient for his outstanding commitment to his community. This is the highest honour bestowed on individuals by The Rotary Foundation. Everyone is invited to come out and support Tony as he receives this special honour.**
Social 5:30 pm, Dinner 6:30 pm, Speakers 7:30 pm. Tickets are $30/each – for information and tickets contact: Colin Thacker at 494-8339 or e-mail cthacker@sympatico.ca

Vacation Bible School for kids 6-12 at Calvin Presbyterian Church July 18-22 from 9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon. Spelunker Sports, Amazing Experiments, Lip-smacking snacks, Surprising Adventures and Meet Cave Critters! Register on-line at www.calvinpresbyterianchurch.ca or call 474-4750 for information.

St. Brice's Anglican Church Indoor Yard Sale, BBQ and Craft Sale July 2 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM at 1225 Cassells Street.

Good Shepherd Atrium now accepting registrations for this fall. Located at the Pro-Cathedral Church, the atrium for the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program provides a special place for children 3 to 5 years old to follow the church calendar, come to know Jesus, through parables, songs, art work, geography and more. All materials are faithful to the beliefs and practices of the Catholic Faith. Registration is taking place now. Our Regional Catholic Atrium is located at the Pro-Cathedral of the Assumption Parish in the lower sacristy. Registrations can be found at www.procathedral.ca (See Ministries – Children & Youth). Call Erin at 476-8509 for more information.

Catholic Charities collects used clothing for free distribution to those in need. Clothing for men, women, children and infants, shoes, or accessories. They could also use towels, tea towels and sheet sets. Items can be dropped off to the Catholic Charities entrance off Algonquin any Tuesday 9:00 to 11:30 AM or weekdays to the Pro-Cathedral Rectory (480 McIntyre Street West.). Items should be clean and in good repair. PLEASE — Due to Space Limitation Seasonal (Spring/Summer) Clothing Only!

A Celebration of Life – Live Butterfly Release in support of Near North Palliative Care Network July 16. To purchase a butterfly - contact the office at St. Joseph's Motherhouse 2025 Main W. or call 497-9239 or email office@nnpcn.com to see how you can support hospice palliative care and grief support in our community.

Call CANA for Cards, Rosaries, Sacramental Gifts, Books & More! Call 776-2192 or email them at cana12cana@gmail.com to see what they can help you with!

Pope Francis JUNE 2016 Prayer Intentions

UNIVERSAL ~ Human Solidarity: ***That the aged, marginalized, and those who have no one may find-even within the huge cities of the world– opportunities for encounter and solidarity.***

EVANGELIZATION ~ Seminarians and Novices: ***That seminarians and men and women entering religious life may have mentors who live the joy of the Gospel and prepare them wisely for their mission.***