06 AUGUST 2017

Transfiguration of the Lord

PRO-CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION

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

Welcome to Your Father's House!



In the first reading, the Prophet Daniel observes the Ancient One on his throne, to whom is presented one like a Son of Man who will receive everlasting dominion. The second reading reminds us that Jesus is the beloved son of the Father. In the Gospel, Jesus takes Peter, James and John up the mountain where he is transfigured. The disciples then see Moses and Elijah conversing with him. "The word of the Lord" is something we hear in church, perhaps without giving it much thought. Peter and Daniel both remind us that the words of Jesus we hear in Scripture are none other than the words of the beloved Son of the Ancient One, who is the Most High over all the earth. We would do well to pay close attention to these words.

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

RECTOR
Msgr. Dave Tramontini

ASSISTANT
Rev. Rex Lumine

IN RESIDENCE

Msgr. Normand Clement Chaplain, Nipissing-Parry Sound District Schools

PERMANENT MINISTERS

Deacons	*Diocesan Order of Women*
Rev. Mr. Albert Falconi	Mrs. Shirley Falconi
Rev. Mr. Donald Shago	Mrs. Norma Milligan
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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.

Pope Francis' AUGUST Prayer Intention

FOR ARTISTS

That artists of our time, through their ingenuity, may help everyone discover the beauty of creation.



Why not volunteer to be a Lector, Cantor, Usher, Minister of the Eucharist, Member of the Choir? Or join the Men's Club, the Knights of Columbus or the Catholic Women's League? Isn't it time?

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.

OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK

MONDAY CIVIC HOLIDAY	**OFFICE CLOSED**
TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY	**8:30 AM to 12:00 NOON**
THURSDAY & FRIDAY	**OFFICE CLOSED**

WEEKLY READINGS: 07 ~ 13 August

Monday	**Numbers 11. 4b-15; Matthew 14. 22-36**
Tuesday	**Numbers 12. 1-13; Matthew 15. 1-2, 10-14**
Wednesday	**Numbers 13. 1-2, 25-33; 14. 1-2b, 26-29, 34-35; Matthew 15. 1-2, 10-14**
Thursday	**2 Corinthians 9. 6-10; John 12. 24-26**
Friday	**Deuteronomy 4. 32-40; Matthew 16. 24-28**
Saturday	**Deuteronomy 6. 4-13; Matthew 17. 14-20**
Sunday	**1 Kings 19. 9, 11-13; Romans 9. 1-5; Matthew 14. 22-33**



Beautiful Holy Land Wood Art Display & Sale will be held September 30 and October 1 before and after all masses (Saturday 4:00 PM, Sunday 9:00 and 11:00 AM) at the Pro-Cathedral in support of the Christian community of Bethlehem which has suffered greatly due to political unrest.



For more information, visit LATEST NEWS at http://procathedral.diocesessm.org



July 17, 2017, Montreal, Quebec – Development and Peace – Caritas Canada would like to express its profound gratitude to Canadians across the country for their rapid and generous response to the Government of Canada's Famine Relief Fund to raise monies for the severe food crisis in northeast Nigeria, Somalia, South Sudan and Yemen.

"We are deeply thankful for our donors and the Government of Canada for their help in providing life-saving relief to tens of thousands of men, women and children who are in imminent peril in Africa and Yemen," says Serge Langlois, Executive Director, Development and Peace.

In addition, Development and Peace – Caritas Canada would like to thank the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) and the members of the various Canada's faith communities for their united Interfaith Appeal on June 7th, 2017, to Canadians to Pray, Give or Speak Out in response to this food humanitarian crisis. "This joint appeal of all faith communities was a unified cry from the heart, with one voice and one message to protect the human dignity of the most vulnerable in these countries," adds Langlois.

Over the course of the Fund between March 17th and June 30th, 2017, Canadians rallied to donate $2.5 Million to Development and Peace, of which 1.3 M is eligible for matching funds from the Government of Canada's Famine Relief. Thus, thanks to Development and Peace donors, a total of $3.8 million will be put towards relief efforts in Africa and Yemen.

Donations made to Development and Peace are currently being sent to supplement the emergency aid, such as food, water, sanitation services and medical care, which they have been delivering since last February.

In February 2017, the United Nations declared there were 20 million people, including 1.4 million children, at risk of death in these countries.

PRAYER LINE: If you have a prayer request call Sister Shirley McNamara at 474-3800, Ext. 295 or Lorraine Atchison at 474-0613. Concerns great and small are presented to the Lord on your behalf.

Intercessory Prayer Ministry

Do you have Ideas you want to share?

We are forming a committee to look at social events for our parish community. Call the parish office at 472-3970 and let us know if you would like to help plan these events or share your ideas with us. ***What kind of event would you like to see? We need your ideas and input.***

Weekday Masses are Held at 12:05 PM

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, 07 August - Weekday in Ordinary Time
Deceased Members of the Cotnam Family - Patricia Anderson
Maureen Pelletier - Catholic Women's League

Tuesday, 08 August - Memorial of St. Dominic, Priest
Deceased Relatives of Lloyd and Katherine Voisin
Intention of Paul and Olga Mulc - Dale and Linda Fenton

Wednesday, 09 August - Weekday in Ordinary Time
Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Joe and Martha MacIntyre - The MacIntyre Family
For Souls in Purgatory - Lorenza Thompson

Thursday, 10 August - Feast of St. Lawrence, Deacon/Martyr
Julia Duggan - The Arcand Family
Intention of Dolores and Terry O'Connor - Mary Doyle

Friday, 11 August - Memorial of St. Clare, Virgin
Maureen Pelletier - Bonnie Parslow
John Cotter - Teresa Cotter

4:00 PM Saturday, 12 August - 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Bill Lecour - The Family
Lorraine, Frank, Patrick and Michael Hanley - The Madden Family
Lester Bradley - Mildred Puddister

Sunday, 13 August - Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 AM Omer Foubert - Armand and Barbara Foubert
Adelina Tignanelli - Ventura Castiglione
Homer Hebert - Bonnie Parslow

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

Catholic Women's League News

- The **next meeting of the Executive** we be held on Monday, August 28 at 7:00 PM in the Lower Sacristy
- The next **General Meeting** will be held on Wednesday, September 8 at 7:00 PM in the Parish Hall



- Save the date for the **upcoming CWL** Bazaar to be held on Saturday, November 18! This year's theme is Old Country Christmas. This year's co-conveners are Annette Dutrisac and Lisa Henry.

October General Meeting
Movie Night



Wednesday October 4 ~ 7:00 pm
Everyone is welcome to watch with us!!
This year's movie is "The Shack"
It runs 132 minutes so reports will be tabled.

After a family tragedy, Mack spirals into a crisis of faith, and questions God's existence and life's purpose. Mack is unable to move on, until he gets a mysterious invitation to an abandoned shack. There, God reveals Himself in the form of three strangers led by Papa. Mack's journey will transform audiences of all ages.

COLLECTION: 23 JULY 2017	
Sunday Offering	**Building Fund**
$5,068.15	**$1,272.60**



VIGIL CANDLES

Blessed white candles are available ½ hour before and ½ hour after all masses on the weekend and weekdays. You may enter the Sacristy and ask our Sacristan for your vigil candle. It will be lit and at that time you may place your candle on the stand. An offering of $5 per candle is suggested to help defray costs.

REGIONAL BULLETIN NOTICES ARE POSTED IN THE GLASS CABINET AT THE CATHEDRAL CENTRE