Pro-Cathedral of the Assumption

Welcome to Your Father's House!

09 June 2019 — Pentecost Sunday | **480 McIntyre Street West - North Bay, ON - P1B 2Z4**



In the first reading from Acts, we hear the account of the Holy Spirit coming to rest upon the disciples and followers, enabling them to proclaim the Gospel in many languages. In the second reading, Paul, writes to the Corinthians about the variety of gifts and service but one Spirit and Lord. He speaks of the Church as the body of Christ. In the Gospel (in a passage often referred to as "John's Pentecost"), John gives an account of the disciples and their first experience of the risen Christ – Christ who breathes on them and tells them to *Receive the Holy Spirit.* On Pentecost, the disciples go from fearful and hesitant to confident and bold. May we open ourselves to receiving the Holy Spirit so that we may live the fullness of discipleship.

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

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Rev. Rex Lumine

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Mr. Chad Franklin, Seminarian

PERMANENT MINISTERS

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

Diocesan Order of Women
Mrs. Shirley Falconi
Mrs. Norma Milligan
Miss Ruth Godon

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.



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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	**8:30 AM to 12:00 NOON**
Tuesday—Friday	**8:30 AM to 4:30 PM**

SCRIPTURE READINGS 10—16 JUNE

Monday	2 Corinthians 1. 1-7; Matthew 5. 1-12
Tuesday	Acts 11. 21b-26; 13. 1-3; Matthew 10. 7-13
Wednesday	2 Corinthians 3. 4-11; Matthew 5. 17-19
Thursday	2 Corinthians 3. 15-4.1, 3-6; Matthew 5. 20-26
Friday	2 Corinthians 4. 7-15; Matthew 5. 27-32
Saturday	2 Corinthians 5. 14-21; Matthew 5. 33-37
Sunday	Proverbs 8. 22-31; Romans 5. 1-5; John 16. 12-15

Our next Baptismal Preparation Meeting will be held in the Lower Sacristy on TUESDAY, June 11 beginning at 7:00 PM. Those who wish to register for this meeting to have their child baptized are asked to call the parish office by Monday, June 10.



NOTE: This is our last preparation before September.

PRO-CATHEDRAL GLORY GARDENS

BEAUTIFICATION OF THE GARDENS HAS BEGUN

Check out the Sign Garden in the Parking Lot!



Many of the other gardens have been made ready for donations of plants from your gardens such as yellow day lilies, Iris (any color) Sedum, Hosta, and any other perennial you can share. Annuals, the colors of summer would also be most welcome to help brighten up our gardens.

Help us to keep our grounds and gardens beautiful.

Thank You to those who contribute so willingly of their time and donations.

MARRIAGE BANNS

There is a promise of marriage between:

Michael Aidan Carey, son of Charles Carey & Alice (Wilcockson) and Dana Irene Anne Montgomery, daughter of Richard Montgomery & Judith (Kelly). ♥

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday Masses are Held at 12:05 PM

Monday, 10 June-Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church
COMMUNION SERVICE

Tuesday, 11 June - Memorial of St. Barnabas, Apostle
Richard Bergeron - Debbie and Chris Muron
Intention of Richard Levesque Jr. - Richard Levesque
Intention of Students & Staff of Mother St. Bride School - Tuesday Mass Participants

Wednesday, 12 June - Weekday in Ordinary Time
Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Sam Verrillo - Giuseppina Verrillo and Family
Alistair Roy - Robert and Judy

Thursday, 13 June - St. Anthony of Padua, Priest/Doctor
Teresa and Frank Piekarski - Trudy, George and Jillian
Evelyn Eaton - Alma, Lisette, and Lois

Friday, 14 June - Weekday in Ordinary Time
Intention of Robert and Judy
Intention of Marg Riopelle - Roy and Bunty Swanson

4:00 PM Saturday, 15 June - Solemnity of The Holy Trinity
Leonardo Candeloro - Nicola and Michelina Candeloro
Del Passmore - Garry Murphy

Sunday, 16 June - Solemnity of The Holy Trinity
9:00 AM Mike Rossi -Michael Rossi, MaryLou Peddle & Families
Lou Gosselin - Maria Gosselin and Family

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

Note: Only weekday masses are announced verbally.

Missing Fr. Rex?

The coverage for Christ the King in Sudbury is now extended until the end of July but he will be back with us soon!

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.

Acts of the Apostles is theme of Pope's new series of general audiences



Pope Francis during his weekly General Audience begins a new cycle of catechesis on the Acts of the Apostles which speaks about the spread of the Good News. Here are his words in English.

Today we begin a new cycle of catechesis on the Acts of the Apostles which speaks about the spread of the Good News and shows us the wonderful bond between the proclamation of the Gospel and the Holy Spirit who gives power to this witness of faith. As such, when the Holy Spirit is present in human words, they in turn become dynamic, capable of inflaming hearts and overcoming walls of division. The gift of the Spirit, moreover, is freely given; it cannot be merited or earned. The Risen Jesus invites us to faithfully await the fulfilment of the Father's promise: "You will be baptized with the Holy Spirit" (Acts 1:5). As they awaited this gift, the Apostles, together with Mary, did so together as members of the Lord's family. Let us, then, also ask the Lord for the patience to await him attentively, praying to the Holy Spirit and fostering our shared communion within the Church.

THANK YOU



The Liturgy of the Word for the children in our Parish will end next weekend on June 16.

I want to thank the parents and grandparents who support this Ministry . It is a wonderful experience to listen to these children reflect on God's Word at their level of understanding.

Thanks to an awesome group of people who prepare each week to celebrate with the children. Thank you to Linda Lancaster, Dan Seguin, Maria McParland, Carmelina McParland, Mary Lou Smith, Louise Cappadocia, Kim Morissette, Suzanne Lukasik, Erin Tayler, Jennifer Palangio, Jennifer Raachman, Georgie McIntyre, Cathy Cartwright, Cheryl Clayton, Anna Morrow and Annette Dutrisac. In a special way I want to thank Lauren and Michelle DeLoyde for participating for the first time. I hope they will continue to support this work.

We are blessed in our parish to have music each week. Thanks to Antoinette McParland on the piano and John McParland leader of the psalm.

Thanks and God bless each of you.

Darlene Truchon, Coordinator



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.

COLLECTION - 02 JUNE	
Sunday Offering	**Building Fund**
$5,938.95	**$1,265.00**

PRAYER LINE



The prayer line is a group of parishioners who pray for the needs of others. Concerns great and small are presented to the Lord on your behalf. If you have a prayer request or would like to join the group call Sister Shirley McNamara at 474-3800, Ext. 295 or Lorraine Atchison at 474-0613 and they will gladly pass them on to others who are waiting to receive your requests.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Care for our Common Home - Weekly Tip for Water Conservation – – if washing dishes, put water in the sink rather than letting the tap run while washing

Relay For Life: For the fourth year in a row, the CWL council of the Pro-Cathedral is forming a Relay For Life team, this time with a new and permanent name **'CWL Soul Sisters'**. This year's Relay event will take place on Friday, June 21 from 6:00 to 11:00 PM at the athletic field at CFB North Bay.

If you are interested in joining our team or would like more information contact Leah Pierce at pn.thebay@gmail.com or at 472-5687.

If you cannot relay that is ok. Instead, support one of our wonderful team members! For information visit www.relayforlife.ca

Membership reminder – On behalf of Brenda Passmore, Membership Chairperson, CWL members who have paid their 2019 membership can pick up their membership cards from the CWL box on the table on the right hand side when you come into the church.

LOOKING FOR SOMETHING SPECIAL?

Ladies, some of you have been asking about CWL scarves, CWL scarf pins, Pin Ribbons and 100th Anniversary pins!



The prices are as follows:

Scarf	**$25.00**	**Scarf Pin**	**$17.00**
Anniversary Pin	**$11.00**	**Pin Ribbons**	**$12.00**

All prices include tax shipping and handling. For your convenience, if you would like any one of these items we will order for you.

Note: Payment is necessary before the order is placed.

Contact Annette Dutrisac at 495-3584 or annette.d@live.ca

Bazaar 2019 – Do you have a knack for organizing? Can you hardly wait for the joyous spirit of the Christmas season? If this sounds like you, we are looking to fill the Christmas Tea & Bazaar Convener and Co-convener positions. If you are interested or would like more information please contact Leah Pierce, Convener, at 472-5687, or at pn.thebay@gmail.com. Remember you will have an army of volunteers to help make the bazaar a huge success!

The first Christmas Bazaar and Tea meeting will take place on *Thursday, June 27 in the Parish Hall at 6:30 PM*. This year's theme will, once again, be *Let it Snow, Let it Snow, Let it Snow!*

REGIONAL EVENTS

St. Anthony's Festival on Thursday, June 13 at St. Peter the Apostle Church. Mass at 7:00 PM, followed by procession, and blessing of the bread. Proceeds will go to St. Peter's ramp renovation project.

North Bay pregnancy Help & Resource Centre, 323 Algonquin Ave, North Bay, ON P1B 8J8. Open weekdays 10:00 AM–4:00 PM. Tel: 475-9270. Offering free pregnancy testing, optional counselling, a friendly non-judgmental ear, baby supplies, post-abortion grief counselling, and community service referrals.

The Promises of Fatima: Come pray the Rosary with a group of people who form a Fr. Gobbi Cenacle honouring our Blessed Virgin Mary. Wednesday mornings at 9:30 AM at St. Peter's Parish.

Summer Retreat at Villa Loyola "Discovering Our Prayerful Balance: Remaining Socially and Pastorally Engaged... with Contemplative Awareness". Drawing upon the contemplative wisdom and perception of the founder of the Jesuit religious order, Saint Ignatius of Loyola, this summer retreat will prayerfully ponder how we may balance busy, socially engaged lives with greater prayerful rootedness. During this time of personal reflection we will prayerfully ponder how St. Ignatius and other more contemporary Christian wisdom figures. From Sunday August 11 (7pm) to Friday August 16 (1pm) with Director, Fr. Trevor Scott, S.J.
Cost: $500.00 all inclusive. For more information contact Villa Loyola at 705-522-3502, Ext. 0 or email loyola@isys.ca

Sisters of St. Joseph – Motherhouse Present:
Christian Meditation: Tuesdays 1:30-2:30 pm at the Motherhouse. Contemplative prayer is the opening of oneself to the love of the Spirit of God.
Taize Prayer: Third Thursday each month 7:00--8:00 pm in the Holy Family Chapel. Taize prayer includes song, scripture, and silence. The silence is to meditate and pray for openness to God's presence in our lives, and Peace in the world.

Knights of Columbus Meetings
Fr. Michael Cundari Council, 12030 at Holy Name Church: General Meeting third Tuesday of each month at 7:30 PM
Contact: Joe Sinicrope at 497-0604
Corpus Christi Knights of Columbus Council 12106 now meet second Tuesday of each month with regular and executive meetings held the same day at the Canadian Forces Base Church (Queen of Peace). Contact: Art Tiernay at 358-1368
We also collect pop cans for charity work. Please drop off your cans at Holy Name Church beside the Garage.
Knights of Columbus Council #1007 Executive Meeting at 6:30 PM and General Meeting at 7:00 PM on the first Wednesday of each month September to June at St. Peter's Church in the Parish Hall. Refreshments served. New or transferring members can contact Mike Joly at 495-1792.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
St. Alphonsus in Callander: Every Friday 8:30 AM to 12:00 Noon. First Friday 8:30 AM to 8:30 AM (24Hrs).
St. Peter the Apostle: First Wednesday of each month from 7:00 to 8:00 PM. Everyone is invited.
Holy Name of Jesus: Tuesday to Friday 11:30 AM to 4:30 PM. To make a weekly one-hour commitment, please call Gisele Champagne at 497-1911.
Pro-Cathedral: First Friday of the month 10:00 AM to 12:00 Noon followed by 12:05 PM mass.
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.

Marriage Preparation Weekend
October 25-26 6:30 PM Friday 9:30 AM to 5:00 PM Saturday.
Call Regional Catholic Services at 472-5821 to reserve your place. Material cost is payable at registration.
Limited to 18 couples register soon!

Catholic Charities collects clothing for free distribution to those in need. Clothing for men, women, children and infants, shoes, or accessories. Also towels, tea towels and sheet sets. Drop off to Catholic Charities entrance off Algonquin Tuesdays 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 Clothing Only!

CONTACT CANA FOR YOUR RELIGIOUS ARTICLES

Books & More! Email Kas or Alana at

cana12cana@gmail.com or 705-776-2192

Is your child starting Kindergarten this September? Contact your nearest English Catholic School and join us for a kindergarten orientation session. For a list of schools and their orientation dates visit www.npsc.ca

Going into or Have a Sick Family Member in Hospital? Mass is celebrated every Wednesday at 3:00 PM by a parish priest at the North Bay General Spiritual Centre (West Wing Entrance). And ... Eucharist is distributed Wednesday, Friday and Sunday by ministers of Holy Communion. Let pastoral care know your family member would like to be added to the list for visitation.

North Bay Symphony looking for people who would like to billet musicians from time-to-time. Two free tickets to concert when you are a billet. For more information, contact Kay Heuer at 474-8794 or at kaymheuer@gmail.com

North Bay Community Blood Donor Clinics held every second Wednesday! Held 1-2:30 PM and 4-7:30 PM. Please book your appointment at www.blood.ca or call 1-888-236-6283



DISPLAYS OF HOLY LAND WOOD ART FOR PURCHASE WILL BE HELD WEEKEND OF

SEPTEMBER 21 & 22

Before & After all Masses

The Christian community of Bethlehem has suffered as a result of declining tourism due to political unrest. Christians have been fleeing the Holy Land and the absence of a living Christian community is a real threat to the survival of the Holy Sites such as the Church of The Nativity. **Funds raised are used to strengthen the Christian presence in the Holy Land. These beautiful items make great gifts!**

