04 August 2019

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

PRO-CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION

480 McIntyre Street West North Bay, ON P1B 2Z4

Welcome to Your Father's House!



Our first reading speaks about of the foolishness of vanity, and misdirected labor. Saint Paul writes to the Colossians, instructing them not to return to their old way of life, but to *seek what is above*. In the Gospel, Jesus tells the crowd to *Take care to guard against all greed*, and then relates the parable of the foolish rich man. Temptation is all around us. It is tempting to get ahead at the expense of others, and we are tempted to put material wealth ahead of spiritual wealth. Following Christian virtues requires grace, and takes practice and hard work. Let us pray for that grace, *For what profit comes to man from all the toil and anxiety of heart* if we *are not rich in what matters to God*?

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. 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 Sacraments



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	**OFFICE CLOSED**
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday	**8:30 AM to 4:30 PM**
Friday	**OFFICE CLOSED**

READINGS 05 - 11 AUGUST

Monday	Numbers 11. 4b-15; Matthew 14. 13-21
Tuesday	Daniel 7. 9-10, 13-14; Luke 9. 28b-36
Wednesday	Numbers 13. 1-2, 25-33; 14. 1-2b, 26-29, 34-35; Matthew 15. 21-28
Thursday	Numbers 20. 1-13; Matthew 16. 13-23
Friday	Deuteronomy 4. 32-40; Matthew 16. 24-28
Saturday	2 Corinthians 9. 6-10; John 12. 24-26
Sunday	Wisdom 18. 6-9; Hebrews 11. 1-2, 8-19; Luke 1. 32-48

Looking for Meaning in Your Life?

Are childhood memories surfacing?

Have you made mistakes?

Do you need to forgive others?

Do you need to be healed?

Looking for fullness of truth and grace?

Want your children to have a faith foundation?

Looking to be part of a community?

Want to help other people?

Do you hunger for the Eucharist?

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Come back to the Catholic Church

We will Welcome You!

Have Questions?

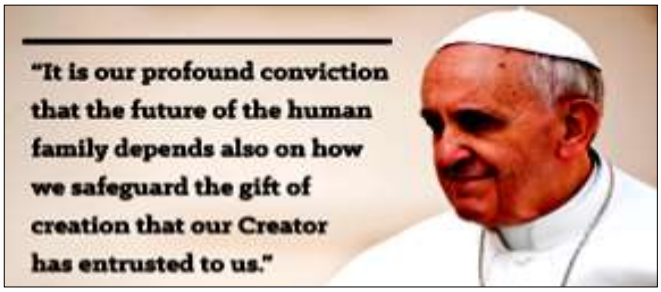
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CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

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.

Bazaar 2019 – Want to help out? Please contact Leah Pierce, Convener, at 472-5687, or by email at pn.thebay@gmail.com. ***We require many volunteers to make our bazaar a success. Join us!***



How much are we willing to let go of so that God can truly be the source and commander of our blessings?



Regional Notices are Posted in the Cathedral Display Case

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday Masses are Held at 12:05 PM

Monday, 05 August - Weekday in Ordinary Time
COMMUNION SERVICE

Tuesday, 06 August - The Transfiguration of the Lord
Amelia Lucenti - Joe and Louise Defonzo and Family

Wednesday, 07 August - Weekday in Ordinary Time
Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Martha and Joe MacIntyre - The Family
Int. of Living and Deceased Members - Catholic Women's League

Thursday, 08 August - Memorial of St. Dominic, Priest
Olga Bitonti and Family - Salvatore and Rosetta Tignanelli

Friday, 09 August - Weekday in Ordinary Time
James "Jim" Gorday - Joe and Louise Defonzo
Intention of Paul Aultman - Friends

4:00 PM Saturday, 10 Aug. - 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Intention of Hugh Ronan - William DeGrosbois

Sunday, 11 August - Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 AM Florida and René Giguère - Annette and Jack
Amelia Canarino - Shirley Valenti

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

Note: Only weekday masses are announced verbally.

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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.



Please consider electronic gifting or making a larger than normal donation in the summer to help us cover our summer expenses.

Thank you for your kind consideration!