11 August 2019

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

PRO-CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION

480 McIntyre Street West North Bay, ON P1B 2Z4

Welcome to Your Father's House!



The reading from the Book of Wisdom recounts the faith of the forefathers on the night of Passover. The Letter to the Hebrews reminds us of Abraham's unwavering faith in things unseen. In the Gospel, Jesus uses a parable to teach the importance of right priorities – those who remain faithful and ready will be rewarded. Faithfully living the life of a disciple requires great trust in a God who can seem distant or even absent, depending on the circumstances of our lives. Sometimes we create the distance by giving priority to the distractions of the world, and sometimes tragic events beyond our control can cause us to doubt God's presence. Maintaining steadfast faith requires dedicated care and attention to our relationship with God. Jesus' example and the power of the Holy Spirit provide us the strength and guidance we need to remain ready to meet him when he comes again.

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

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 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 & Tuesday	**8:30 AM to 12:00 NOON**
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday	**OFFICE CLOSED**

READINGS 12—18 AUGUST

Monday	Deuteronomy 10. 12-22; Matthew 17. 22-27
Tuesday	Deuteronomy 31. 1-8; Mt. 18. 1-5, 10, 1-14
Wednesday	Deuteronomy 34. 1-2; Matthew 18. 15-20
Thursday	Revelation 11. 19a; 12. 1-6a, 10ab; 1 Corinthians 15. 20-26; Luke 1. 39-56
Friday	Joshua 24. 1-13; Matthew 19. 3-2
Saturday	Joshua 24. 14-29; Matthew 19. 13-15
Sunday	Jeremiah 38. 4-6, 8-10; Hebrews 12. 1-4; Luke 12. 49-3

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!***

COLLECTION - 28 JULY	
Sunday Offering	**Building Fund**
$5,821.35	**$752.35**

COLLECTION - 04 AUGUST	
Sunday Offering	**Building Fund**
$4,862.50	**$1,098.00**



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MASS SCHEDULE
Weekday Masses are Held at 12:05 PM

Monday, 12 August - Weekday in Ordinary Time
COMMUNION SERVICE

Tuesday, 13 August - Weekday in Ordinary Time
Jack David - Karen-Anne McArthur
Intention of Mark Ronan - William DeGrosbois

Wednesday, 14 August - Memorial of St. Maximilian Kolbe
Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

For Holy Souls in Purgatory
Intention of Kristy and Nicholas Beaulieu - Karen Beaulieu

Thursday, 15 August - The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Eva Robichaud - Pro-Cathedral Widows Group
Intention of Colleen Klein

Friday, 16 August - Weekday in Ordinary Time
Emily Paquette - Philip Paquette
Lucille Brisson - Brian and Andree Cornish

4:00 PM Saturday, 17 Aug. - 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Bill McMahon - Denise McMahon
Amelia Canarino - Joe and Louise Defonzo
Ian Morrison - Patti and Duncan Morrison and Carla Rosset

Sunday, 18 August - Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 AM Tom Kilmartin - Annette Messier
Omer Gauthier - Loretta Boudreau

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

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.

Regional Notices are Posted in the Cathedral Display Case

PARISH REGISTRATION:
Please help keep our records up-to-date! You may bring this form to the parish office or place in the collection.

Name: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

City: _____ P/C: _____ Cell Phone: _____

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☐ I am unsure if registered, please check
☐ I have recently moved, please update

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