18 August 2019

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

PRO-CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION

480 McIntyre Street West North Bay, ON P1B 2Z4

Welcome to Your Father's House!



Jeremiah is imprisoned under the authority of King Zedekiah because the people are upset by his words. But a court official convinces the king to release him. The writer of Hebrews challenges the community to rid [themselves] of every burden and sin and to keep their eyes fixed on Jesus. In the Gospel, Jesus tells his disciples he has come not to establish peace, but division. In today's Gospel, Jesus outlines many of the ways in which his coming into the world will cause division, and not peace. He comes to set the earth on fire – not to destroy it, but to emblaze it with the fullness of God's love for us. The divisiveness arises not from Jesus himself, but from peoples' response to him: choosing either to build up that fire, or to tamp it down. Let us be those who feed the fire of the kingdom, not extinguish it.

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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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	**8:30 AM to 12:00 NOON**
Tuesday & Wednesday	**8:30 AM to 4:30 PM**
Thursday & Friday	**OFFICE CLOSED**

READINGS 19—25 AUGUST

Monday	Judges 2. 11-19; Matthew 19. 16-22
Tuesday	Judges 6. 11-24a; Matthew 19. 23-30
Wednesday	Judges 9. 6-15; Matthew 20. 1-16a
Thursday	Judges 11. 29-39a; Matthew 22. 1-14
Friday	Ruth 1. 1-2ab, 3-6, 15b-16, 22; Mt. 22. 34-40
Saturday	Revelation 21. 9b-14; John 1. 45-51
Sunday	Isaiah 66. 18-21; Hebrews 12. 5-7, 11-13; Luke 13. 22-30

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!***

Food Bank Sunday ~ Next Weekend

Our next Food Bank Collection will be held NEXT WEEKEND! Please be generous in helping to stock our shelves for our neighbours in need!





✝ MEMORIAL FUND ✝

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

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday Masses are Held at 12:05 PM

Monday, 19 August - Weekday in Ordinary Time
COMMUNION SERVICE

Tuesday, 20 August - St. Bernard, Abbot/Doctor
For Holy Souls in Purgatory
Justin Brazeau - Robert and Judy

Wednesday, 21 August - St. Pius X, Pope
Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Virginia Tedesco - Maria Gosselin and Family
Teresa and Frank Piekarski - Trudy, George and Jillian
Liberato Campanaro - Carmela and Tony Campanaro

Thursday, 22 August - Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Denis Beaulieu - Karen Beaulieu and Family
Intention of Sheila Ronan - William DeGrosbois

Friday, 23 August - Weekday in Ordinary Time
Emily Paquette - Vivian Molnar
Intention of Danielle Florio - Brian and Andree

4:00 PM Saturday, 24 Aug. - 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
Marisa Urso - Elio and Marilyn Tignanelli
A.J. (Lou) MacInnis - Kelly and Family
Intention of Judy and Robert - Ray and Marlene Walter

Sunday, 25 August - 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 AM Nick and Marco Plutino - Dora Plutino and Family
Ivan Levesque - Richard Levesque
Intention of the Donors and those Remembered in the Pro-Cathedral Memorial Fund

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

Note: Only weekday masses are announced verbally.



New to the Cathedral?
Please Register so we can get to know you better!

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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