

07 JULY
2024

PRO-CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION

14th SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

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



Welcome to Your Father's House!



The Lord sends Ezekiel to speak his word to the Israelites who have rebelled against God. Paul shares how Christ's power is revealed through his own personal weaknesses. In the Gospel, Jesus is teaching in the synagogue in *his native place*, but is only able to perform a few healings because those who hear him do not believe. In today's Gospel we find Jesus proclaiming the Good News in *his native place*. Although his message was not well received by most, there were a few who came to believe. We, too, are called to share our faith near and far. Sometimes our efforts will bear little fruit, but at other times, by God's grace, someone may come to faith and that possibility should encourage us to persevere in this endeavor.

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.

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: 3:00 to 3:45 PM each Saturday.

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: Each Friday from 11:00 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.

Most Rev. Thomas Dowd, D.D.
Bishop of the Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie

Rev. Larry Rymes
Pastor of the Pro-Cathedral Parish



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

IN RESIDENCE

Rev. Joseph de Viveiros, CR Chaplain, Nipissing-Parry Sound District Schools



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 – Thursday	8:30 AM to 12:00 NOON
Friday	8:30 AM to 12:00 NOON

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday	Hosea 2. 14, 15b-16, 19-20; Matthew 9. 18-26
Tuesday	Hosea 8. 4-7, 11-13; Matthew 9. 32-38
Wednesday	Hosea 10. 1-3, 7-8, 12; Matthew 10. 1-7
Thursday	Hosea 11. 1, 3-5b, 8c-9; Matthew 10. 7-15
Friday	Hosea 14. 1-9; Matthew 10. 16-23
Saturday	Isaiah 6. 1-8; Matthew 10. 24-33
Sunday	Amos 7. 12-15; Ephesians 1. 3-14; Mark 6. 7-13

Our faith community dates back to 1886 when we were **originally located on Main Street West and called St. Mary's** of the Lake. 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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50/50 RAFFLE

This raffle is conducted by the Pro-Cathedral of the Assumption, a charity in North Bay under Licence #RAF1355768

Everyone has a story. God calls people to serve the Church in various ways. Some of these people experience the peace of knowing their Vocation - others face challenges, fears and doubts.



Visit <https://beapriest.ca> to view a series "Called to Serve" where you can meet those who have answered the call to serve the Church in many different ways - Deacons, Priests, Bishops, Religious Sisters and Brothers and Lay Men & Women. Each episode highlights the journey of what it's like to be called by God, and discover the grace God grants to those He calls.

These "Called to Serve" videos are a production of the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie and offer some real insight into the discernment and journey of each person. *You might recognize a few faces too!*

Prayer for Summertime

Loving God, Creator of all times and places, we thank you for the gift of summertime, the days of light, warmth and leisure.



Thank you for the beauty that surrounds us everywhere we look; the multi-coloured flowers, the deep blue of the sky, the tranquil surface of lakes, the laughter of children at play, people strolling in the park, families gathered around picnic tables and the increased time to spend with family and friends.

As we open our eyes and ears to the landscape of nature and people, open our hearts to receive everything as a gift. Give us the insight to see you as the Divine Artist. Help us to realize and appreciate that you are labouring to keep all in existence. And warm our souls with the awareness of your presence.

Let all the gifts we enjoy this summer deepen our awareness of your love so that we may share this with others and enjoy a summertime of re-creation.

Amen



The Pro-Cathedral Prayer Line consists of 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

Parish Donations ~ Ways to Support

- Parish Envelopes
- Pre-authorized donations from your bank account.
- Credit card donations
- E-transfer music.finance@procathedral.ca
- Use our "Donate Today" button on our website at procathedral.ca
- Download the app Tithe.ly
- Text "GIVE" to 1-833-423-1163 and follow instructions
- Support our Monthly 50/50 RAFFLE



The next weekend for the Second Collection, **LOOSE ROOF CHALLENGE** is July 13 & 14.

Thank you to the team at McGuinty Funeral Home for their generosity in matching the non-receipted LOOSE ROOF donations up to \$1,000.

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MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday, July 9 - Weekday in Ordinary Time - 12:05 PM

Maureen Tallon - Suzanne Lukasik
Intention of Kristy and Nicholas Beaulieu - Karen Beaulieu

Wednesday, July 10 - Weekday in Ordinary Time - 12:05 PM

Henry Gauthier - Kathleen Gauthier and Family
June Marleau - Jennifer and Dan Berthiaume
Intention of the Carey Family - Judy and Robert

Thursday, July 11 - Memorial of St. Benedict - 12:05 PM

Gary Potter - Carol Potter and Family
Carolyn Canarino - Frank and Julie Verardi

Friday, July 12 - Weekday in Ordinary Time - 12:05 PM

Geoff Laplante - The Family
Patrick Bowen - Susan Boudreau and Family

Saturday, July 13 - 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time - 4:00 PM

Mary Jane Condo - The Family
Intention of Bonnie and Stephen Hanselman - Brenda and Bryan Busch

Sunday, July 14 - 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM Peter Malouin - Terry, Keith, and Alex Campbell
Janet Newman - Mary Kelly

11:00 AM June Marleau - Sybil Cangiano and Family

Int. of the Pro-Cathedral Parishioners - Fr. Larry Rymes

Do you live in the Pinewood area and attend the 9 AM Mass? We have a long-time parishioner who no longer drives and is looking for a ride to this Mass.

If you can help out, please call Karen at the parish office for details.

Thank you for your consideration!



Heading out on vacation

for a portion of the summer?

We still count on the spiritual and financial support of our parishioners and want people to feel connected to the parish.

⇒ Don't forget to sign up to receive the bulletin electronically. Visit: <https://procathedral.ca> and you can sign up on the right hand side of our home page. All we need is your name and an email address and you will receive the bulletin each week in full colour.

⇒ Consider setting up on-line giving through your bank account or credit card. No need to remember to mail in your envelope ever again!

⇒ Continue to keep the Pro-Cathedral and its parishioners in your daily prayers.

Stay safe

and enjoy your summer!



Walking Pilgrimage to Ste. Anne de Beaupre in Quebec City
September 23-25. \$280/Person—contact St. Peter's Church at 472-1817 for more information. Everyone welcome!

4th Annual Catholic Family Retreat:

August 3-5—registration now open! Held at Sacred Way Farms, Powassan. Theme this year is from the Book of Esther "A Time Such as This" and our Retreat Leaders are Chris & Katie Bray! Join us for prayer, family fun, activities and inspiring talks! Optional Camping is available on the property. For full schedule, more information and to register, visit: holynamestalphonsus.com/familyretreat

