

03 AUGUST
2025

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!

The author of Ecclesiastes speaks of vanity and the toil of life. Paul exhorts the Colossians to leave behind earthly ways and pursue what is from above. In the Gospel, Jesus warns the crowd to take care against all greed, and then tells a parable of a rich man who stored up all his goods but died before being able to enjoy them. Much of life is spent in toil, working to earn what we need to support ourselves and our families. Though this pursuit is necessary and good, the Lord reminds us not to fall into the trap of allowing work to become the sole foundation of our lives, particularly not to the extent that it leads us to forgo or delay building a life of discipleship.



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. Rick Hamelin
Rev. Mr. Donald Shago
Rev. Mr. Gary Westenek

Diocesan Order of Women
Mrs. Shirley Falconi
Miss Ruth Godon

IN RESIDENCE

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

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.




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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 Noon. 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.



Get your tickets - don't be disappointed!

Pro-Cathedral

PARISH BBQ

Saturday, August 9 after the 4 PM Mass



BURGERS, HOT DOGS, SALADS & DESSERT

Come & Celebrate our Roof Campaign Achievements!

Tickets: \$5.00 /Adults (Free for Children)

Available after all Masses ~ Limited Seating!

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus & Catholic Women's League

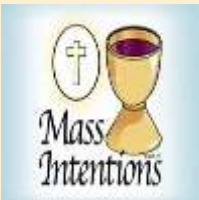
OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK

Monday	OFFICE CLOSED
Tuesday	8:30 AM to 12:00 NOON
Wednesday—Friday	OFFICE CLOSED

Please call or email the parish office.
Messages will be checked periodically.

Scripture Readings: 04—10 August	
Monday	Numbers 11. 4b-15; Matthew 14. 13-21
Tuesday	Numbers 12. 1. 1-13; Matthew 14. 22-36
Wednesday	Daniel 7 9-10, 13-14; Luke 9. 28-36
Thursday	Numbers 20. 1-13; Matthew 16. 13-23
Friday	Deuteronomy 4. 32-40; Matthew 16. 24-28
Saturday	Deuteronomy 6. 4-13; Matthew 17. 14-20
Sunday	Wisdom 18. 6-9; Hebrews 11. 1-2, 8-19; Luke 12. 32-48

Offering Mass intentions is a tradition of prayer, support, and community. You may request a mass for someone who is deceased; for the intentions of someone who is living; for those who are sick and suffering who need prayers; or in celebration of a special occasion. Contact the parish office to book a mass. A Mass Stipend is \$15.00 and an income tax receipt is provided.



Please purchase your tickets soon so you don't miss out!

 **Pro-Cathedral of the Assumption**

Tea & Dessert Fashion Show Extravaganza
Saturday, 23 August - 1:30-3:30 pm

Join us for a delightful exploration of elegance and taste, celebrating the beauty of tea and dessert!
With Fashion Show for all ages by Lola's and special musical guest, Verdon Vaillancourt.

\$25.00 / Person
Tickets available at the Parish Office (480 McIntyre St. W.)
or by Calling Annette at 705-495-3584

Men, Women, Families Welcome!
Parish Hall Entrance at double-grey doors McIntyre St.



Sponsored by the Pro-Cathedral Catholic Women's League
A Roof Campaign Fundraising Event



Pro-Cathedral of the Assumption
The Catholic Women's League of Canada

It's that time of year again!
Annual Christmas Bazaar & Tea
Saturday, November 15, 2025, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Pro-Cathedral Parish Hall

Message from the Heritage & Hidden Treasure Convener

Decluttering this summer?

Please think of the CWL Bazaar. We need your precious treasures, heirlooms, jewellery, accessories, scarves, purses, home decor, household items, games, puzzles, toys and Christmas decorations.

Drop off weekend at the church garage:
Saturday, September 6th before and after the 4 pm Mass, and
Sunday, September 7th after the 9 am Mass and before the 11 am Mass.

For all inquiries contact Patricia Fassl at (705) 494-0614.



Mass Schedule

- Tuesday, 05 August: Weekday in Ordinary Time** **12:05 PM**
Judy Kelly-Manary - Robert Manary
Veraldi and Knight Families - Myrtle Veraldi
- Wednesday, 06 Aug: The Transfiguration of the Lord** **12:05 PM**
Int. of Living and Deceased Members of the Catholic Women's League
Intention of the McGuinty Family - Terry and Denyse Vendetti
- Thursday, 07 August: Weekday in Ordinary Time** **12:05 PM**
Rocco and Maria Schiavo - Arthur and Lucille Schiavo
Intention of Kristy and Nicholas Beaulieu - Karen Beaulieu
- Friday, 08 August: Memorial of St. Dominic** **12:05 PM**
Dan and Geoff Laplante - The Family
Sheila Levesque - Richard Levesque
Parents of Stan and Mariann Zima
- Saturday, 09 August: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time** **4:00 PM**
Adam Preradovich - Stan and Mariann Zima
Peter Maunsell - Joyce Brooks
- Sunday, 10 August: Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
9:00 AM Al Falconi - Frank and Marisa Pincivero
Helen Sikora - Audrey and Gerard Kunkel
11:00 AM Intention of the Sault Ste. Marie Diocesan Catholic
Women's League Members
Intention of the Parishioners - Father Larry Rymes

AWAY ON HOLIDAYS THIS SUMMER?
The Pro-Cathedral can Accept
E-transfer Donations at
music.finance@procathedral.ca

Sunday Collection - 27 July	
Sunday Offering	Building Fund
\$5,615.55	\$1,203.00

ROOF CAMPAIGN REPORT to 27 July 2025	
Roof Campaign Balance	\$143,659.15
Sunday, 27 July Collection	
Roof Loose	\$904.45
22 Receipted Donations	\$683.00
Pledge Donation (1 Donation)	\$7,000.00
Thank you to our generous donor!	
Orchard Gift Card Sales 46 Cards X \$5.00 Profit	\$230.00 Profit to Date: \$2,430.00
Twiggs Gift Card Sales 4 Cards X \$5.00 Profit	\$20.00 Profit to Date: \$280.00
CAMPAIGN BALANCE	\$152,496.60

INTERFAITH CELEBRATION
HOMECOMING FESTIVAL OF NORTH BAY

SUNDAY, AUGUST 3, 2025
2 PM - 3:15 PM
KIWANIS BANDSHELL
(WATERFRONT)



NORTH BAY FAITH COMMUNITIES
GATHER IN CELEBRATION OF OUR
COMMUNITY AND TO WITNESS TO OUR
HOPE FOR THE FUTURE BY SHARING
PRAYERS, MUSIC AND READING.

CON-CELEBRATED BY REV. JOSEPH DE VIVEIROS, C.R.

EVERYONE WELCOME!