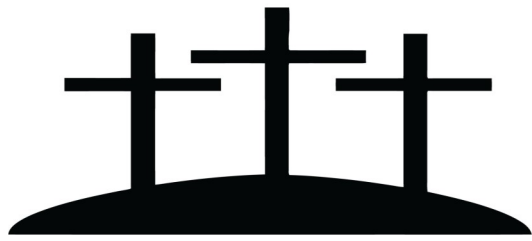




Is God calling you to be a priest?
 "Trust in the Lord with all your heart... He will direct your path."
 (Proverbs 3:5-6)

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A Habit of the Catholic Heart

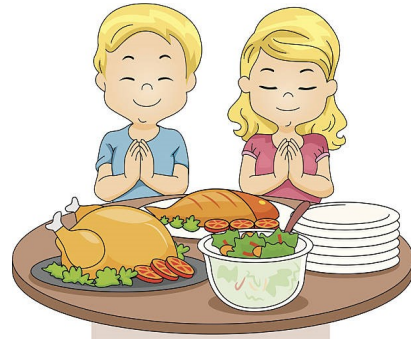
Are we ready to say grace? Many religious people pause before they eat and pray. Christians do this also. The English word we have for this prayer is "grace" -the same word we use to speak of the way God's love is given to us freely, given without any earning it on our part.

"Grace" comes easily from a Latin word, gratia, a word many know from the close Spanish word, *gracias*. This simple word is trying to get hold of what is best in the human spirit. It is that spontaneous "thanks" that is our response to a kindness, some good word or deed with which another person blesses us.

So at table we say grace, we give thanks. Hunger brings us back to the table - even when there's no table at all - and before we take nourishment, we go hungry a moment longer while we give thanks.

What is done before eating is just one tiny moment of what's the deepest Catholic habit. We want "grace" all the time, morning and night, even in hard times. We are a "thanks saying" people. It comes with the territory. We're shaped in giving thanks by the obligation we have to gather at the church's table every Sunday and make the eucharistic, the thangs-giving, prayer before we feast on the body and blood of the Lord.

We're baptized to be Christ's body giving God thanks all the days of our life, being the voice of creation whether we feel like it or not, whether the times are good or awful (thanks can leave lots of room for lament and even - just pray the psalms - some cursing now and then). This is no easy "Hey, thanks a lot!" It is rather the total thanks of those who have been shaped by Christ's passion and death in God's merciful love for the world.



**The Pregnancy Centre
 Virtual Baby Bottle Campaign**

In order to continue helping women and men who are in need of pregnancy and parenting support during the COVID-19 crisis, we need your support! Between Mother's Day (May 10th) and Father's Day (June 21st), just go to our website: www.algomapregnancy.com and click on the Baby Bottle Campaign banner to donate on-line using your credit card. Or if you don't have internet access (or just prefer writing a cheque), please send your cheque in the mail to: The Pregnancy Centre, 177 McDougald Street, Sault Ste. Marie, ON P6A 3A9. Write "baby bottle campaign" at the bottom of your cheque. It's quick, it's easy, and as you know, when we all contribute what we can, it adds up to a lot and it makes a huge difference in so many lives! Thank you for your support!

Louise MacGlashan, Executive Director



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**SUNDAY JUNE 7, 2020
 THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST
 HOLY TRINITY**



"THE FEAST OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY RENEWS OUR MISSION OF LIVING IN COMMUNION WITH GOD AND ALL PEOPLE ON THE MODEL OF THE DIVINE COMMUNION."

- Pope Francis

Reconciliation

Saturdays:
 3:00 - 3:30 pm

Baptism :

Expectant parents welcome to register, and speak with Fr. Ron after Mass

Matrimony :

Must register at least eight months in advance. Book the Church before the hall.

Communion at Home :

Lay ministers are available to bring Communion to shut-ins. Phone the parish office.

Prayer-Line :

Rose Marie Spina
 254-4064

Angela Filice 253-8607
 (Italian)

Visiting & Card

Ministry:

If you wish to send cards or have someone visit people who are confined to their homes. Contact the parish office.

REGULAR CHURCH

OFFICE HOURS

**Tues - Friday
 9:00-12:00**

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

During this time, we invite you to please drop off your donation envelopes at our office by depositing your envelope in the mail slot of the office door.
 Thank you.

Thank-you To All Who Give!!
 Web site: veronica.church

**TELEVISED MASS ON SHAW CABLE Channel 10
 and on BLUE CURVE 105 Every Sunday at 9:00 AM**

**TELEVISED ONLINE MASS
 Saturday, June 6 & Sunday, June 7
 Website: veronica.church
 *check website for times**

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

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The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
Saturday, June 13 & Sunday, June 14, 2020

Mass Intentions:

Curly Vanderburg by Carol Vanderburg.
Heinrich Werth by Lynn Thornton.
Doreen Ochocki by Ann D'Etorre.
For the intentions of all parishioners of St. Veronica's.

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A new convenient way we are now accepting donations is through Auto-Deposit E-Transfer. Send your E-Transfer to veronicassm@shaw.ca and the donation will automatically be deposited into our Parish's account without the need to create a question or answer! If you are not registered with our Parish, please include your address with the E-Transfer for a tax receipt. Thank you all for your continued support!

We extend our prayers
and sympathy to the
family and friends with
the passing of,
Michele Maione



The Trinity is...

God the Father
+Creator
+Holy
+Almighty
+All-Knowing
+Everlasting



God the Son
+Redeemer
+Savior
+Messiah
+Lord
+Emmanuel



God the Holy Spirit
+Advocate
+Guide
+Helper
+Counselor
+Paraclete



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Prayer, Our Deepest Hunger

When: Friday, June 12th, 9 AM - 3 PM EST, with Fr. Ron Rolheiser

Retreat Schedule: 9 AM - First Session with Q&A
Health Break
10:25 AM - Join us for a Tai-chi Virtual Warm Up
10:45 AM - Second Session with Q&A
12:00 PM - Lunch Break with Visual Presentations from Paraclete Press
1:30 PM - Third Session with Q&A

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