

ST. GREGORY'S CHURCH

Roman Catholic Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie

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OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

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Father Trevor Scarfone
Parish Deacon:
Deacon Rob Thibodeau

Parish Secretary:
Cathy Fabiano

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Year B

Sunday, November 4th, 2018

Celebration of Masses, Devotions and Reconciliation

Weekend Masses:

Saturday: **5:00 p.m.**

Sunday: **9:00 a.m.** and **11:00 a.m.**

Weekday Masses :

Tuesday: **7:00p.m.**, Wednesday –Friday: **9:00 a.m.**

The Rosary:

Recited 1/2 hour before each weekday Mass

Reconciliation:

Confessions are heard every Saturday from **4:15 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. or by appointment.**

Parish Mission Statement

"We, the people of St. Gregory's Community, rooted in Gospel values and gifted by the Spirit, are committed to proclaim and build the kingdom of God".

Parish Vision Statement

"To journey together with Jesus"

Did you know that following the passage of Typhoon Haiyan in the Philippines 5 years ago, Development and Peace – Caritas Canada collected \$12 million to help affected communities become more resilient and participate directly in the reconstruction process? Canadians responded by opening their hearts in solidarity. Today, these communities have regained confidence and know how to assert their rights. For a better idea of the impact of your generosity, watch the documentary ***After the Storm: Building the Pope Francis Village.*** The film follows the transformation of 550 families who joined forces in solidarity.

<https://www.devp.org/en/emergencies/philippines>

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St. Gregory's Parish News

Mass Intentions November 5-November 11, 2018

Monday, November 5
No Scheduled Liturgy

Tuesday, November 6—7:00 pm
Frank Medaglia—Wife Frances

Wednesday, November 7—9:00 a.m.
Brienne Longpre—Father Trevor Scarfone

Thursday, November 8—9:00 a.m.
Corrado Zanatta—Wife & Family
Gennaro Vecchio—Wife Rosa Vecchio
Bruni & Vecchio Family Members—Rosa Vecchio

**Friday, November 9—9:00a.m.-The Dedication of the
Lateran Basilica**

Saturday, November 10—5:00 p.m.-St. Leo the Great
Angelo Barone—Wife Mafalda & Children
Francesco Perna & Esterina Occhiuto—Figlio Ettore Perna
& Nipote
Antonina Purificati—Daughter Alfea & Family

Sunday November 11—9:00 a.m.
Intentions of Parishioners

Sunday, November 11-11:00 a.m.
Giuliana Calvano—Husband Vince Calvano & Family
Angelo Muto—Wife & Family
Paul Souliere—Cathy & Ted McKinney



Finance Report

Sunday, October 28, 2018	\$2,521.00
Building Fund	\$10.00
World Mission Sunday	\$35.00
Weekly Average Pre Authorized	\$385.00
Total Income	\$2,951.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Week of November 5-November 11

Monday	Philippians 2.1-4/Luke 14.12-14
Tuesday	Philippians 2.5-11/Luke 14.15-24
Wednesday	Philippians 2.12-18/Luke 14.25-33
Thursday	Philippians 3.3-8a/Luke 15.1-10
Friday	Ezekiel 47.1-2, 8-9, 12/John 2.13-22
Saturday	Philippians 4.10-19/Luke 16.9-15

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st READING	1 Kings 17.10-16
2nd READING	Hebrews 9.24-28
GOSPEL	Mark 12.38-44

Parish Activities for the Week

November 5-November 11

Monday 5	7:00pm— Italian Prayer Group-Parish Hall
Tuesday 6	1:00-4:00pm— Friendship and Coffee-Parish Hall— All are welcome 7:30pm-Choir Practice 7:30pm-Holy Spirit Prayer Celebration
Wednesday 7	7:30-9:00pm— CWL General meeting 7:00pm Confirmation Prep- Session 3/4
Thursday 8	No scheduled events
Friday 9	8:00pm- A.A. Meeting (Parish Hall)
Saturday 10	4:15pm-4:45pm-Confessions also by appointment.
Sunday 11	11:00am-Children's Liturgy 11:00am-Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Baptism Preparation for Parents will be held **December 13th** at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall. For information or to register call the Parish office 705-949-8883



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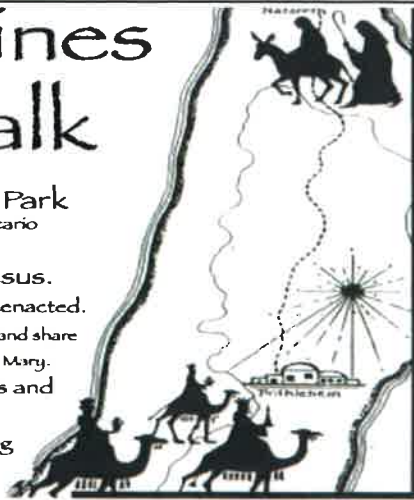
Did You Know...

Did you know that the ladies of St. Gregory's Catholic Women's League volunteer at the Blood Donor Clinic and Davey Home Tuck Shop?

Bruce Mines Holy Walk

Bruce Mines Tourist Park
Williams St., Bruce Mines, Ontario

Celebrate the birth of Jesus.
Be inspired by the Christmas story reenacted.
Walk the road to Bethlehem with your family and share in the marvels experienced by Joseph and Mary.
Warning: Beware of Roman soldiers and other hazards along the way.
Enjoy Christmas music while waiting for your walk to begin.



November 16 & 17, 2018

6 - 9 p.m. Friday
6 - 8:30 p.m. Saturday

Church doors open at 5:30 p.m.

Arriving early is encouraged • Free will offering • Interdenominational Refreshments in the Church basement, after your Walk • Dress warmly



Buses, seniors and physically-challenged guests can be accommodated.
Please call Arlene Connell at 705-785-3458.

E-mail: bruceminesholywalk@gmail.com



BUS TO BRUCE MINES HOLY WALK

St. Jerome's is organizing a bus to travel to the **Bruce Mines Holy Walk on Friday, November 16.**

The Holy Walk re-enacts the Christmas Story of Jesus as experienced by Mary and Joseph's journey to the manger. The bus departs St. Jerome's parking lot at 5:30 pm and returns at approximately 9:30 pm. We will be travelling with a Charter Coach Bus, equipped with a washroom.

The cost per seat is \$20 Reserve yours today by contacting their parish office (26 Carmel Road) 705-949-1072. All are asked to dress warmly, refreshments will be served after the Walk, and a free will offering is accepted as entry to the Walk.

Catholic Women's League



Membership Fees

The 2019 Membership Fees (\$22.00) are now due and must be paid by December 31st, 2018. Please include your payment (cheque payable to St. Gregory's CWL) or cash in an envelope with your name, address and phone number. Payment can be put in the collection basket.

CWL Bake Sale

The CWL Annual "Bake Sale" will be held on Saturday, November 17th, 2018 from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. and also before and after the masses on Sunday, November 18 in the Parish Hall. Come early on Saturday for best selection. CWL members and any parishioners wishing to donate baking to this worthy fundraiser can come to the Parish Hall by **noon on Friday, November 16 or on Saturday, November 17 before 11a.m.** *This fundraiser benefits the Parish and other worthy causes. We hope you will support this event!*



CWL General Meeting

Our CWL general meeting will be held on Wednesday November 7th, 2018 at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. There will be a guest speaker from Shalom Place. Please plan to attend!

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*Coffee and Friends
are the Perfect Blend*

The Friendship Club
every Wednesday, in the Parish Hall
from 1:00 to 3:30p.m.

Come socialize and have fun! **All ladies are welcome!**



SPIRITUAL GROWTH



Holy Spirit Prayer Celebration

Tuesday Nov. 6 at 7:30pm(after Mass) at St. Gregory's Parish Hall.

We journey together. Come and praise the Lord, be empowered to live a new life in the Holy Spirit. Come and worship in thanksgiving and praise.

All are Welcome.

For more information call Rino Chilelli @ 705-256-6783



CONFÉRENCE DES ÉVÊQUES CATHOLIQUES DU CANADA
CANADIAN CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS

29 October 2018

Rabbi Reuben Poupko
Rabbi Baruch Frydman-Kohl
Rabbi Debra Landsberg
Rabbi Jonathan Infeld

Dear Chairs of the Canadian Rabbinic Caucus,

On behalf of the Catholic Bishops of Canada, we wish to extend to you and the Jewish communities of Canada our deepest condolences and support in response to the shooting that took place at the Tree of Life Synagogue in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania this past Saturday. We have tragically learned that this horrendous incident has claimed the lives of eleven congregants of the synagogue along with many others injured, including first responders.

This act of unspeakable violence during the Sabbath is a terrible and clear manifestation of anti-Semitism, a scourge which most regrettably persists in our world today and is of great concern to the Jewish community, the Catholic Church and society as a whole. We are acutely aware of and sensitive to the trauma caused by such acts reverberates throughout the Jewish communities with its pain and terrible affects not being lessened by distance or geographic borders.

At this difficult time of both mourning and distress, we wish to tighten the hands of friendship with you, to emphasize our solidarity, our prayers, and our closeness to the Jewish people of Canada. May the Lord of peace and love comfort those who have lost their loved ones and extinguish the vehemence, hate and division which are plaguing our world.

May their memory be for a blessing.

+ John A. Boissomeau

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Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto
Catholic Co-Chair of the Canadian Conference of
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Dialogue

+ Lionel Gendron, p.s.s

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Bishop of Saint-Jean-Longueuil and
President of the Canadian Conference
of Catholic Bishops

+ Paul-André Durocher

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Archbishop of Gatineau
Member of the Canadian Conference of Catholic
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c.c. - Mr. Richard Marceau, Vice President, External Affairs and General Counsel, The Centre for Israel and Jewish Affairs
- Mr. Steve McDonald, Director of Policy and Strategic Communications, The Centre for Israel and Jewish Affairs