

# ST. GREGORY'S CHURCH

Roman Catholic Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie

71 Estelle Street,  
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OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
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## Pastoral Team:

Pastor: Fr. Trevor Scarfone  
Deacon: Rev. Mr. Rob Thibodeau  
Secretary: Cathy Fabiano

## Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Sunday, March 3rd, 2019

## Celebration of Masses, Devotions and Reconciliation

### Weekend Masses:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 9:00 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.

### Weekday Masses:

Tuesday: 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday – Friday: 12:05 p.m.

### The Rosary:

Recited 1/2 hour  
before each weekday Mass

### Reconciliation:

Confessions are heard  
every Saturday from 4:15 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"*

## Season of Lent

Lent has two major purposes: It recalls or prepares for Baptism, and emphasizes a spirit of penance. Through forty days of closer attention to God's Word and of more fervent prayer, believers are prepared to celebrate the Paschal Mystery. Lenten instructions stress these baptismal and penitential themes.

*The  
Season  
of  
Lent*



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# St. Gregory's Parish News

**March 4 - March 10, 2019**

**Week of March 4—March 10**

**Monday, March 4**  
*No Scheduled Liturgy*

**Tuesday, March 5— 7:00 p.m.**  
Aline Larabie—Father Trevor Scarfone

**Wednesday, March 6—7:00 p.m.—Ash Wednesday**  
Dan Hinschburger—Father Trevor Scarfone

**Thursday, March 7—9:00 a.m.**  
Sharon Carlo—Father Trevor Scarfone

**Friday, March 8—9:00 a.m.**  
Joseph Tschirky—Father Trevor Scarfone

**Saturday, March 9—5:00 p.m.**  
Rosario Gatto—Daughter Linda Fiore & Family  
Emilia & Sam Sicoly—Lena & Tony Barone & Family  
Donato Buonomo—Wife Maria & Family

**Sunday March 10—9:00 a.m.**  
Eugenio, Emilia, John & Maria Sicoli—  
Mike Sicoli & Family  
Delia Marghella—Antonietta Posteraro  
Adelina Iacoe, Eugenio Guzzo, Emma Caria, Melkiorre &  
Maria Guzzo—Genoffa Coccimiglio

**Sunday, March 10—11:00 a.m.**  
Intentions of Parishioners—Father Trevor Scarfone

**Monday** Sirach 17.24-27, 29/Mark 10.17-27

**Tuesday** Sirach 35.1-12/Mark 10.28-31

**Wednesday** Joel 2.12-18/Matthew 6.1-6, 16-18

**Thursday** Deuteronomy 30.15-20/Luke 9.22-25

**Friday** Isaiah 58.1-9a/Matthew 9.14-15

**Saturday** Isaiah 58.9b-14/Luke 5.27-32

**First Sunday of  
Lent**

**1st READING** Deuteronomy 26.4-10

**2nd READING** Romans 10.8-13

**GOSPEL** Luke 4.1-13

**Parish Activities for the Week  
March 3—March 10**

**Monday 4** No Scheduled Events

**Tuesday 5** 7:30 pm  
• Holy Spirit Prayer Celebration

**Wednesday 6** 1:00 pm—3:30 pm  
• Friendship and Coffee—Parish Hall  
All are Welcome!

**Thursday 7** 7:00 pm  
*Celebration of First Reconciliation*

**Friday 8** 8:00pm  
• A.A. Meeting (Parish Hall)  
12:30pm  
• Stations of the Cross

**Saturday 9** 4:15pm-4:45pm  
• Confessions (also by appointment).

**Sunday 10** 11:00am  
• Children's Liturgy  
• Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

**Finance Report**

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| <b>Sunday, February 24, 2019</b> | <b>\$1,894.60</b> |
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| Building Fund | \$50.00 |
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| Weekly Average Pre Authorized | \$385.00 |
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| <b>Total Income</b> | <b>\$2,329.60</b> |
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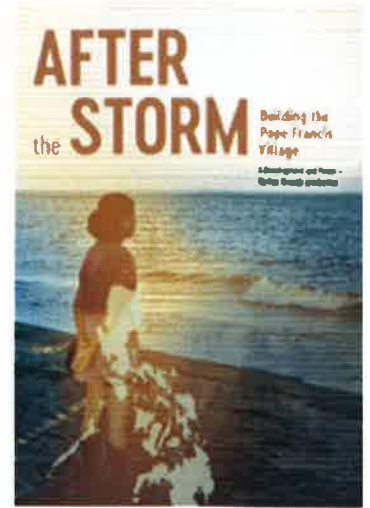
**THANK YOU FOR YOUR  
GENEROSITY**

# St. Gregory's Parish News

*Share the journey with poor coastal communities in Tacloban, the Philippines*

In 2013, poor coastal communities in the Philippines saw their homes ravaged by Super Typhoon Haiyan. Thanks to your donations, Development and Peace and its local partners formed a consortium for the purchase of a piece land that affected communities were empowered to transform into the Pope Francis Village. Watch the documentary *After the storm* to follow the inspiring journey of these communities:

[devp.org/en/philippines-documentary](http://devp.org/en/philippines-documentary).



## Catholic Women's League

### Pasta Fundraiser for our 100th Anniversary



Saturday March 23, 2019– 6:00 pm  
Moose Lodge  
543 Trunk Road



Dinner: 6:30 pm Dance to Follow  
Family Friendly Music by Psalm 150 Club

For Tickets, Call Cathy at 946-4858 \$25.00 per person



## The *CWL of St. Joseph the Worker/Holy Family*

will be celebrating their 55th Anniversary  
Saturday, March, 16th, 2019 (*The actual formation of the CWL at St. Joseph the Worker was Mar. 18, 1964.*)

The Celebration will begin with mass on March 16th, at 4:00pm followed by soup & sandwiches and cake.

Tickets are \$10.00 with proceeds to Holy Family Parish maintenance fund.

Tickets will be sold after masses this weekend March, 2nd & 3rd and also March, 9th & 10th.  
Or call Norma at 705-256-5130 or Marg at 705-256-5512.



*We offer our condolences to the family of  
Ernie Gagnon  
May you find comfort and peace in the  
Eucharistic Celebration and in our faith  
community during this difficult time.  
May his soul rest in peace.*



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## Catholic Women's League

### CWL Legislature Bill 59

Our National and Provincial CWL representatives have met with ministers on Parliament Hill to discuss the following legislature: **Bill 59, Caregiver Recognition Act**—developing, implementing, providing or evaluating caregiver supports.



The 2019 Membership Fees(\$22.00)  
are now due.

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.

New Members are welcome!

Our CWL general meeting will be held on **Wednesday, March 6, 2019**. We will attend the 7:00 pm mass. Meeting to follow. Hope to see you there!

### NOVENA TO OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP

Devotion to our Lady had a rich historical tradition in the Catholic Church. Countless miracles, healings and conversions are attributed to Mary by those who pray to her as Our Mother of Perpetual Help.

Together with millions of Catholics around the world, let us also go to her miraculous picture to be inspired:

- She inspires us in our call to discipleship.
- She points us to her son.
- She intercedes for us unceasingly.

Join our Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help on **Wednesdays during 9:30 a.m. Mass at St. Gerard Majella Church Begins Wednesday March 13**

### DISCOVER MORE ABOUT FAITH

Have you ever asked yourself questions about your faith? Has anyone ever asked you the same questions? There is so much to know and so many questions we all have. Would you like to have answers?

Come and learn together "What they never taught you in Catechism class"

We will be offering, at St. Gregory's, an evening to answer the questions you have and the ones you never knew you had. Come and gather with us as we learn to grow and understand more about faith.

The first evening will be March 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the Church. All are welcome.



Knights of Columbus sponsored

**"Ham Dinner & CWL Bake Sale"**

**Monday, April 1st, 2019**  
**from 5:00—6:00 pm at**  
**Our Lady of Good Counsel Church.**

Admission: \$12.00/Adults, \$5.00/Children under 12, and No Charge for Children under 5 years old.

