

ST. GREGORY'S CHURCH

Roman Catholic Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie

71 Estelle Street,
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OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday to Saturday: 8:30 A.M. to 12:00 Noon - 1:00 P.M. to 4:30 P.M.

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Parish Priest:

Father Alex Saurianthadathil C.Ss.R

Parish Secretary:

Cathy D'Addario

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Sunday, 05 October, 2014

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 at **7:00 P.M.**

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday at **9:30 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"

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St. Gregory's Parish News



Mass Intentions October 6th - 12th, 2014

- † Denotes a Mass for one who is deceased
☩ Denotes a Mass intention for the living

Monday, October 6th

No scheduled liturgy

Tuesday, October 7th - 7:00 p.m.

- † Maria & Carmine Mazzuca
- daughter, Aquilina DeMiglio & family
† Rose Esson - the Esson & Colosimo families

Wednesday, October 8th - 9:30 a.m.

- † Elena Stefanizzi - husband, Robert & family

Thursday, October 9th - 9:30 a.m.

- † Sue Bonin & Verena Rainaltar - John Bonin

Friday, October 10th - 9:30 a.m.

No scheduled liturgy

Saturday, October 11th - 5:00 p.m.

- † Deceased Family Members - Anna Fata
† Maria Skorich - husband, George
† Domenico Scalzo - wife, Giovanna & family
† Antonio Vairo - Eugenio Caruso & family

Sunday, October 12th 9:00 a.m.

- † Annina Gallo - husband, Jim & family
† Daniella Dovigi - husband, Angelo & family
† Antonio Viola - Maria Sicoly
† Rosaria Falsetti Plastino - aunt, Maria Sicoly & family

11:00 a.m.

Intentions of all Parishioners

Readings for the week of October 6th

Monday	Galatians 1.6-12; Luke 10.25-37
Tuesday	Galatians 1.13-24; Luke 10.38-42
Wednesday	Galatians 2.1-2,7-14; Luke 11.1-4
Thursday	Galatians 3.1-5; Luke 11.5-13
Friday	Galatians 3.6-14; Luke 11.15-26
Saturday	Galatians 3.22-29; Luke 11.27-28

✠ **Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time** (green)

1 st Reading	Isaiah 25.6-10a
2 nd Reading	Philippians 4.12-14,19-20
Gospel	Matthew 22.1-14

FINANCE REPORT

Sunday Offering

September 28th, 2014	\$3,162.20
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Other Donations

Needs of the Canadian Church	\$578.00
"Jubilee Project"	\$480.00
"Jubilee Project" (to date)	\$70,920.77
Total Income	\$4,220.20

Thank you for your generosity!

Thanksgiving Day Mass



This year the Thanksgiving Day Mass will be celebrated with Bishop Jean-Louis Plouffe on Monday, October 13, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. at the Essar Centre. We encourage you to join the teachers and students to thank God for all the blessings we have received.

St. Gregory's Parish News

Now
on sale!

... Discover the story of the Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie in a richly illustrated hard cover book called *"The History of a Diocese In Northern Ontario"* now available for purchase at a cost of \$35.00.

Thank you to the families of *"Giovanni Gallo"* and *"Isabel Rinaldi"* who added 'St. Gregory's Church' among other charitable institutions for memorial donations. Your thoughtfulness and financial support to our parish is greatly appreciated. These donations will be used towards our 'Jubilee Project'.

I invite all parishioners to consider *'St. Gregory's Church'* when choosing a charitable institution for memorial donations to honour a loved one who has passed. Operational costs and church upkeep rely solely on the contributions and generosity of its people. This form of financial support and heartfelt gesture would truly bless and enrich the life of St. Gregory's Church.

Your brother in Christ, Father Alex

Application forms for the reception of the sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation for 2014 - 2015 are available at the entrance of the church. Applicants must be in grade 3 and grade 7 or higher as of September 2014.

Parish Activities for the Week

October 06th - 12th, 2014

Tuesday 07	1:00 p.m.	C.W.L. Craft Group (Parish Hall)
Friday 10	8:00 p.m.	A.A. Meeting (Parish Hall)
Sunday 12	11:00 a.m.	Children's Liturgy (Parish Hall)



WELCOME TO OUR FAITH COMMUNITY

If this is your spiritual home we invite you to register with the parish. Registration forms are available at entrance to the church and in the parish office. If you live outside the parish boundaries the only way we are able to assist you is if you are registered with St. Gregory's and this is the parish you attend on Sundays. If you are new to the parish please introduce yourself to our pastor.

INFANT BAPTISM

Please call the Parish Office at 705-949-8883 for an appointment. Parents must be registered parishioners. A Baptism Preparation Course is required for all parents and Godparents. A Godparent must be 16 years of age, baptized Catholic and be Confirmed. Baptisms are celebrated on the third Sunday of every month. Please make arrangements at least one month in advance by contacting the Parish office.

CARE OF THE SICK & HOME BOUND

To arrange for the Sacrament of the Sick and/or Eucharist for the home-bound, please contact the parish office. Visits to the hospital are made regularly; please call and let us know you would like a visit.

MASS REQUESTS

Please call the Parish office to schedule a Mass.

FOR THOSE INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC

We are always ready to begin the process by which an adult or older child becomes a Catholic, either by full initiation in Baptism, or by reception into full communion. We are also happy to prepare you for adult Confirmation. For children aged 7-16, parents may call the Parish Office.

MARRIAGE

Please make marriage arrangements six (6) months in advance by contacting the Parish Office.

PREPARATION FOR SACRAMENTS

In Grade 3, children may receive the Sacraments of **Reconciliation** and **First Eucharist**. At our parish the Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated in January and First Eucharist is celebrated in May. The sacrament of **Confirmation** is available to those who have been baptized, received Reconciliation and First Eucharist. Candidates should be in grade 7 or higher. Confirmation is generally celebrated in November. For more details please call the parish office.

PARISH MINISTRIES

Permanent Ministers:	Shirley Kindred Angelo Rosset	Children's Liturgy Co-ordinator:	Carmelina Purificati
C.W.L. President:	Carmelina Spry	Property & Maintenance:	Vittorio Bruno
Finance Committee Chair:	George Trevisan	Italian Prayer Group:	Olmina Bonassisa
Parish Pastoral Council Co-Chairs:	Robert Bressan John Febbraro	Funeral Team Chair:	Sam Medaglia
Liturgy Committee Chair:	Herv Rector	Sacristan Chair:	Darlene Novello
Ministers of the Eucharist:	Shirley Kindred Carmelina Spry	Usher Co-ordinator:	Andrew Michienzi
Welcomers:	Emma Bonin Leslie Amadio	C.W.L. Craft Group:	Yolanda D'Orazio
Mass Co-Ordinator:	Betty-Lou Mancuso	Decorators:	Sandi & Herv Rector
Lectors:	Danny Schaer	Music Co-ordinator:	Dorothy Fera
ARISE Parish Team Co-ordinator:	Rob Thibodeau	Parish Website:	Leo & Tessa Vecchio
Altar Server Co-ordinator:	Mary Ellen Perlini		
		SACRAMENTS	
		Baptism:	Olinda Bruno
		Reconciliation:	Shirley Kindred
		Eucharist:	Franca Huckson
		Confirmation:	Anastasia Bellini