

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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Deacon Rob Thibodeau

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Anna Temporao

**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Year B**

Sunday, January 21, 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 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"

Top Stories:

Financial Report, Mass Intentions, CWL News,

Trivia question

Community Events, Up and Coming Events Calendar

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St. Gregory's Parish News



Mass Intentions—January 22th—January 28th 2018



Monday, January 22—No Scheduled Liturgy

Tuesday, January 23—7:00 p.m.
Jim & Anne Bonmico—Angela & Maria & Families

Wednesday, January 24—9:30 a.m.
Intentions of Parishioners

Thursday, January 25—2:00 p.m.
Finnish Rest Home, Parishioners Welcome

Friday, January 26—9:30 a.m.
Intentions of Parishioners

Saturday, January 27—5:00 p.m.
Lena Jury—Rosalie Marinucci
Joe Iuliano —Lina and Family
Giaconda Meraglia and Dora Pagliaro—Meragli & Provenzano Families

Sunday, January 28—9:00 a.m.
Pasquale & Giovanna Marghella—Gabriele & Carmela Mazzuca
Grazia Martone—Mr & Mrs. Umberto Flammia
Augusto Palombi—Kathy Palombi

Sunday, January 28—11:00 a.m.
Intentions of Parishioners

Finance Report

Monday, January 14, 2018	\$2,093.50
Building Fund	\$10.00
Christmas Offering	\$110.00
Initial Offering	\$ 167.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$90.00
Weekly Average Pre Authorized	\$437.00
Total Income	\$2,907.50

Thank you for your generosity!

Week of January 22—January 28

Monday	2 Samuel 5.1-7,10/Mark 3.22-30
Tuesday	2 Samuel 6.12b-15,17-19/Mark 3.31-35
Wednesday	2 Samuel 7.1-17+/Mark 4.1-20
Thursday	Acts 22.3-16/Mark 16.15-18
Friday	2 Timothy 1.1-8/Luke 10.1-9
Saturday	2 Samuel 12.1-7a,10-17/Mark 4.35-41

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st READING	Deuteronomy 18.15-20
2nd READING	1 Corinthians 7.32-35
GOSPEL	Mark 1.21-28

2018 Sunday Offering Envelopes

The offering envelopes are now available at the entrance of the church. Please pick up your envelopes as early as possible. Income tax receipts are also available
Thank you.



Trivia Question of the Week

Last weeks question—*What does Confirmation do to a person that will be noticeable even when we are in heaven or hell?*

Answer: : It leaves an indelible mark on our soul! Actually, there are three sacraments that change our character, leaving an indelible mark on our soul: Confirmation, Baptism and Holy Orders.

Check next weeks bulletin for answers

What does the water of Baptism wash away from a baby's soul?

Previous and Present bulletins can be found on our website at www.stgregoryssm.com

St. Gregory's Parish News

YOUTH MINISTRY IN SAULT STE. MARIE

See what's happening for young people in Sault Ste. Marie! The following programs are open to all young people in the city:

Students in Grade 6, 7, and 8: All students in this age range regardless of school or parish are invited to take part in **EDGE - a Catholic Youth Night, every Thursday Night at 7:00pm** at St. Jerome's Church (26 Carmel Road). Every evening is full of games, Catholic teachings, socials and food!

High school Students: Registration is now open for "Made for More" the Diocesan Catholic Youth Conference happening February 24, 2018 at St. Mary's College in Sault Ste. Marie. Register online at www.stjeromeparishssm.com/dcyc2018 or through the parish or your high school chaplain.

Young Adults age 18-25: All Young Adults aged 18-25 are invited to take part in **Elevate - our Catholic Young Adults Group - that meets every Friday night at 6:30pm beginning January 26** at St. Jerome's Church (26 Carmel Road). January 26 begins with a free home-cooked meal at 6:30pm, followed by a presentation/discussion on how to talk about or share your faith with your peers when it seems so difficult.

For more information on any of these groups, please visit www.stjeromeparishssm.com



"Poverty Sunday" January 28th 2018

In response to Pope Francis's call 'to be a poor church and a church for the poor', we dedicate the last Sunday of every month for the poor. All parishioners are invited to bring non perishable food to be collected and distributed to our local food bank or the Soup Kitchen.



Knights of Columbus Council 932 will offer a pasta supper on **January 29th** from 5 to 6:30 at the Moose Lodge on Trunk rd.

The cost is \$10 for adults. Children 6 to 10 pay \$4 while those 5 and under eat free. **Profits will be donated to the local Special Olympics committee.**

"Central United Church, 160 Spring St. Sault Ste. Marie is hosting a **Lasagna Supper** on **Wednesday, Jan. 24, 2018 @ 6:00 pm.**



The menu includes lasagna, salad, bread, ice cream, cookies, tea & coffee. Tickets are \$12.00 or \$6.00 for children under 6 and may be purchased through the church office (705-253-3264) or by phoning Marj (705-946-3142)."



Sunday January 14th, and Sunday January 21st, 2018.

The Men's Club of St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church (293 St George's Ave, E.) will be holding their - **"ALL-U-CAN-EAT-BREAKFAST-BRUNCH"** Sunday, January 21st, 2018, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

Admission: \$9.00/Adults, \$4.00/Children under 12, and No Charge for Children under 6 years old. Menu: Scrambled Eggs, French Toast, Roast Potatoes, Mini-Sausages, Ham, Baked Beans, Fruit Cocktail, Coffee, Tea, Orange & Apple Juice.

Everyone is Welcome!

Breakfast

Catholic Women's League News

Membership Fees

The 2018 membership fees (\$22.00) are due by the **end of January**. Please include your payment (cheque payable to St. Gregory's CWL) or cash in an envelope with your name, address, and telephone number.

Please put your payment in the collection basket on Sunday. New members are welcome!

Third Sunday of Ordinary Time B

Today's readings all have a sense of urgency about them. The prophet Jonah is compelled to bring a message of impending doom to the city of Nineveh; they have only forty more days to mend their ways. St. Paul counsels people to put aside the concerns of normal life, for the world as we know it is passing away. And the Gospel recounts for us how the apostles literally dropped everything in order to follow the Lord.

How compelling is the Kingdom of God for us?

Domenica «Per Annum» 3B

Le letture di oggi hanno un senso di urgenza. Il profeta Giona è costretto a portare alla città di Nìneve il messaggio di una grande rovina che gli sta per accadere; la gente ha soltanto quaranta giorni di tempo per correggere il loro modo di vita. San Paolo consiglia la gente ad abbandonare le preoccupazioni della vita regolare quotidiana, perchè il mondo come noi lo conosciamo è di passaggio. Ed il Vangelo ci racconta come gli apostoli lasciarono immediatamente il loro impegno per seguire il Signore.

In quale modo ci obbliga a noi il Regno di Dio?



Congratulations

Emmett William Thomas Seabrook

who was baptized in our

Parish on

January 7th 2018

May her parents and

godparents be examples of faith to inspire him!



We are on Facebook!

*Make sure to Like
and Share*

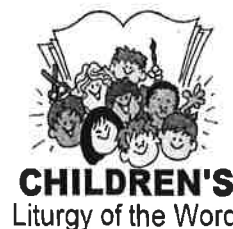
*St. Gregory's
Facebook Page.*

It will help us stay

connected and share special events.

It is a special joy to see young families taking part in the Mass and engaged in the life of the parish. We welcome crying babies! It is a sign that the church is young and alive. We have a very talented, caring and energetic team organizing Children's Liturgy program every Sunday. We encourage parents to bring your children to participate in Liturgy of the Word with children during our **Sunday 11:00 a.m. Mass.**

Let us try our best to keep the gift of faith alive and active.



CHILDREN'S
Liturgy of the Word

Up and Coming Events

Mark your Calendar!

Revised January 17

Changes **highlighted**

-
- Sun Jan 21 **Mass**
9:00am St. Gregory Church
- Sun Jan 21 **Brunch** for parishioners and visitors
10am - 12:30pm St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, St. George's Avenue
- Sun Jan 21 **Mass** & pre-Baptism Anointing - Papi-Grant family
11:00am St. Gregory Church
- Sun Jan 21 **Inter-Faith Service** 500th Anniversary of the Reformation
3:00pm Zion Lutheran Church, Upton Rd. & Wellington St. E.
- Tue Jan 23 **Mass**
7:00pm St. Gregory Church
- Tue Jan 23** **Choir Practice *** CANCELLED *****
7:30pm St. Gregory Church
- Wed Jan 24 **Mass**
9:30am St. Gregory office Boardroom & Chapel
- Wed Jan 24 **St. Basil's School classroom visits** Fr. Eric
12:30 - 3:15pm Grades 7 & 8
- Thu Jan 25 **Mass**
2:00pm **Finnish Rest Home Parishioners invited**
- Thu Jan 25 **Edge** Catholic Youth Night Grades 6,7,8
7:00pm St. Jerome Parish Hall all parishes invited!
- Fri Jan 26 **Mass**
9:30am St. Gregory office Boardroom & Chapel
- Fri Jan 26 **Elevate** Catholic Young Adults Evening 18-25 yrs
6:30pm St. Jerome Parish Hall (includes dinner) all parishes invited!
- Fri Jan 26 **Alcoholics Anonymous**
8:00pm St. Gregory Parish Hall
- Sat Jan 27 **Confessions**
4:15 - 4:45pm St. Gregory Church

Poverty Sunday Bring groceries for the Food Bank

- Sat Jan 27 **Mass**
5:00pm St. Gregory Church

- Sun Jan 28 **Mass**
9:00am St. Gregory Church
- Sun Jan 28 **Mass & Baptisms - Coccimiglio, Shuba & Papi-Grant families**
11:00am St. Gregory Church
- Tue Jan 30 **Mass**
7:00pm St. Gregory Church
- Tue Jan 30 **Parish Musicians meeting**
7:30pm St. Gregory office Boardroom
- Tue Jan 30 **Choir Practice *** CANCELLED *****
7:30pm St. Gregory Church
- Wed Jan 31 **Mass**
9:30am St. Gregory office Boardroom & Chapel
- Wed Jan 31 **St. Basil's School classroom visits** Fr. Eric
12:30 - 3:15pm Grades 7 & 8
- Wed Jan 31 **Parish Pastoral Council**
7:00pm St. Gregory office Boardroom
- Thu Feb 1 **Mass**
9:30am St. Gregory office Boardroom & Chapel
- Thu Feb 1 **Edge Catholic Youth Night** Grades 6,7,8
7:00pm St. Jerome Parish Hall all parishes invited!
- Fri Feb 2 **Mass**
9:30am St. Gregory office Boardroom & Chapel
- Fri Feb 2 **Sacraments Planning Meeting**
6:30pm St. Gregory office Boardroom
- Fri Feb 2 **Elevate Catholic Young Adults Evening** 18-25 yrs
6:30pm St. Jerome Parish Hall (includes dinner) all parishes invited!
- Fri Feb 2 **Alcoholics Anonymous**
8:00pm St. Gregory Parish Hall
- Sat Feb 3 **Confessions**
4:15 - 4:45pm St. Gregory Church
- Sat Feb 3 **Mass**
5:00pm St. Gregory Church
- Sun Feb 4 **Mass**
9:00am St. Gregory Church
- Sun Feb 4 **Mass**
11:00am St. Gregory Church