



Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish—Nipigon

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MASS SCHEDULE

Annunciation Blessed Virgin Mary Church St Hilary Church

Saturday - 5:00 p.m.

none

Sunday - 9:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Tuesday to Friday - 6:30 p.m.

1st and 3rd Sundays: Beardmore - St. Theresa Church - 2:15 p.m. (close)

MacDiarmid/Rocky Bay - Immaculate Heart of Mary Church - 1:00 p.m.

2nd and 4th Sundays: Dorion - St. Isidore - Mass - 12:30 a.m. (May- Sep.) (close)

1st & 3rd Saturdays: Dorion - St. Isidore - Mass - 6:30 pm (close)

HOLY HOUR: First Friday - 5:00 p.m—6:30 a.m Adoration and Benediction
and Holy Mass—ABVM Church.

HOLY ROSARY: The Rosary for the unborn Child - Wednesday - 6:00 p.m.– ABVM

ASSOCIATIONS & COUNCILS: Parish Council, Finance Committee, Building Committee, C.W.L Knights of Columbus, Food Bank.

BAPTISM: Please contact the parish office

CONFESSION: One hour before Mass

MARRIAGE: Please contact the parish office at least 6 months in advance.

Visiting the Sick: Anytime call to Priest.

Annunciation BVM and St. Hilary Parishes are a community of Catholics under the guidance of the Holy Spirit. We proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ through worship, service and fellowship, in cooperation with the Bishop of Thunder Bay, in order to bring forth the values of the Kingdom of God.

Annunciation Blessed Virgin Mary Parish; NIPIGON
PENITENTIAL SERVICE WITH GENERAL ABSOLUTION **FOR ALL PARISHIONERS.** APRIL, Thursday 07; 2022 at 6:30pm>Welcome

PENITENTIAL SERVICE WITH GENERAL ABSOLUTION **FOR PARENTS AND CHILDREN** - APRIL, Tuesday 05, 2022 - AT 6:30 P.M Annunciation Blessed Virgin Mary. Welcome.

St. HILARY PARISH - RED ROCK; Penitential Service with general absolution for all parishioners, APRIL, FRIDAY 08, 2022 AT 6:00 P.M. WELCOME.

I H Mary, MacDiarmid— Penitential Service with General Absolution—APRIL 03, BEFORE MASS. All welcome
ANY TIME IS INDIVIDUAL CONFESSION BEFORE MASS IN PARISH IN NIPIGON AND RED ROCK.



SURVEY EXTENSION. In order to enable more parishioners to take part in Pope Francis' Church Survey, the original

March 1st deadline has been extended to Friday, March 26th. You can find the questions in print at the main entrance of the Church or online on our Parish website. Remember that it is not necessary for you to answer all the questions in the Survey.

Support for Ukraine Established in 1967, Caritas Canada is the official international solidarity organization of the Catholic Church in Canada, which exists to inform Canadians about the root causes of impoverishment and mobilized to act for change. Development and Peace is currently accepting donations for Caritas networks in Ukraine. To make a donation and to learn more about the unfolding situation, please visit devp.org.

Income for the Last Week ABVM Parish Sun. March.20,2022; \$920.00 Please, be aware of your parish needs! Thank you for your commitments!



God understands us, He waits for us. He doesn't get tired of forgiving us. If we repent and go to him with a truly open heart.
— Pope Francis —
AZ QUOTES



THERE IS NOTHING MORE COMFORTING THAN TO HAVE FRIENDS AND FAMILY REQUEST THAT THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS BE SAID IN THEIR NAME OR FOR "THE REPOSE OF THEIR SOUL"

- Sat. March 26, 22 - 5:00 p.m - Int. of Lucille Lesperance Family
- Sun. March 27. 22. - 9:30 a.m - + Vincenza DeCicco - Anna Belin & Family
- Tue. March 29, 22 - 6:30 pm - + Donald Granier
- Wed. March 30. 22 - 6:30 pm - Int. of Vincent Liepins, Family
- Thurs. March.31.22 - 6:30 pm - Int. of Urban Luce Family
- Fri. April 01.22 - 6:30 pm - Int. of Sean Mahoney, Family
- Sat. April 02. 22 - 5:00 pm - Int. of Lindsay Mannila family
- Sun. April 03, 22 - 9:30 a.m - +Keon Potan - Dolores Tuck(Happy) & Dori Potan



OPEN MASS INTENTIONS: PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE FOR THE INTENTION. Or write the info on a paper —1 mass =\$10.00, and put in the collection basket, thank you for your time. When a loved one dies or a friend is ill or alone, there is nothing more comforting than to have friends and family request that the Holy Sacrifice of The Mass be said in their name or for the repose of their soul."



ST. HILARY PARISH

- Sun. March 27, 22 - 11:00 a.m. - +Vince Kennedy - Eugene Pillipow
- Sun. April 03, 2220. 22 - 11:00 a.m. - + Shelley Pillipow

Income for St. Hilary Church the Last Week -Regular Sun. March 20. 2022 - \$410.00 Please, be aware of your parish needs! THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.



Let the Spirit speak to your heart. Let us allow ourselves to be guided by the Holy Spirit; let us allow him to speak to our hearts and say this to us God is love., God is waiting for us, God is Father; he loves us as a true father loves; he loves us truly, and only the Holy Spirit can tell us this in our hearts,. Let us hear the Holy Spirit, let us listen to the Holy Spirit, and may we move forward on this path of love, mercy and forgiveness.

Schedule time in our Parish during Lent—2022

1. Mass from Tuesday to Friday—6:30pm
2. Station of the Cross - Friday 6:00 pm
3. Reconciliation before Mass from 5:00 pm.
4. Penitential Service with general absolution see in bulletin.

I'm Catholic - Theology for the common man. (2) **Symbols and signs of Lent** Purple color. The Lenten stance of 'being the man in the desert' evokes the color of blood (red) mixed with a heavenly goal (blue). This color, violet, is the color of mourning and sadness, hard labor and torment. It is typical of the desert atmosphere where everything is lacking and everything achieved/received is the result of pain, suffering and violence. The joyful meeting with God comes as a result of this violence and pain. It is also the color of the bloodshed of the Son of God who brought low the heights of heaven for us.

Lenten liturgy: Stations of the Cross and songs The three basic Lenten operations of fasting, almsgiving, and prayer are the means by which salvation was accomplished. The Lenten liturgy that is responsible for bringing us this salvific substance always reminds us of the love of God toward us, the love who offered himself for us on the cross. This story of love, so assiduously kept in the heart of the Mother of Jesus, survived in the form of biblical narratives, and as such it was the subject of meditation of monks and fathers of the desert. With time they created a form of traditional and folk liturgy used by simple people and known today as the Stations of the cross and **Lenten songs**. Let us use this time and circle of Lent to be better prepared for our encounter with God in the mysteries of our salvation.

Weekly Confessions: One hour before every Mass; Every Saturday (except Holy Saturday): 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm
Penitential Celebrations: Two are celebrated each year, in Advent and in Lent.

Season of Lent: MESSAGE FROM BISHOP: **Important Update on Covid-19. - March 21, 2022**

With the government of Ontario lifting the Mandatory Masking Policy today, the policy direction for the Diocese of Thunder Bay will be that wearing a Mask in our churches for Mass/services or at other parish meetings or gatherings will be OPTIONAL, and will be the personal choice of each parishioner. We will respect whatever decisions are taken by our parishioners, and we will recognize everyone's right to wear or not to wear a mask. However, we encourage some social distancing to continue. During Sunday or weekday Masses, priests, deacons or other ministers of Holy Communion, must continue to sanitize their hands beforehand, and must continue to wear a mask while distributing Holy Communion at Mass or in other places. Communion from the cup is still not allowed at this time. There will be further updates about the ending of our Diocesan Vaccine Policy, which we noted initially was only to be temporary due to the pandemic. Thank you for your continued support of our diocesan policies. These are important for the safety of everyone. We encourage those who can, to once again attend Mass at their parish church, especially as we approach the celebrations of Holy Week and Easter.

Sincerely,
Bishop Fred Colli