



# Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish—Nipigon

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## & St. Hilary Parish – Red Rock

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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- September)**

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

**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.



This Sunday the liturgy invites us to celebrate the feast of the Trinity. In our church we tend to look at the Trinity as a doctrine. It is something we are meant to hold and believe; we learn about it with our minds and with our reason. But we add the proviso that we cannot understand it. “Understanding” is viewed as the important thing; if we can’t understand it we are not making much progress with it. This is not, however, the best way to approach the doctrine of the Trinity. What we need to do is to retrace the journey made by the church. We enter into the spirituality of Jesus through the practice of *lectio divina*. Gradually we find that we experience the Trinity as a “mystery”.

This is the liturgical sense of the word. It is something we celebrate because we know it makes us better human beings, as we follow ever more closely in the footsteps of Jesus. Jesus saw that authority in the world was something that was “given” to him. It was a “gift” he had received from the Father. It was given to him by someone in Heaven, his Father who dwells in heaven. It was not a truth that he was able to discover for himself, nor one that he came to experience from his own decisions. It was always something he had “received.” As Son he was able to exercise this gift. He had the authority to do this. He practiced the reality of the Trinity with personal power. He exercised this authority for himself and from his own observation. Having received it from outside himself, he put it into practice in the way he related with people. **The things we can feel free to hand on to others include all forms of authority, especially that of our faith in Jesus. We must therefore take “baptizing in the name of the Father, of the Son and of the Holy Spirit” in a very wide sense. It does not merely refer to our church baptism; it includes the entire work of the church, the process of inviting people to experience authority as Jesus did. We take the time to celebrate the many people who have shared this “baptism” with us. We pray that they too will have the grace to approach “all nations” with this wide and tolerant “Trinitarian Spirit.”**

“An Extraordinary Time of Prayer and Sharing” The Bishop’s Annual Diocesan Ministry Campaign has traditionally started on Divine Mercy Sunday these past years. This year the Diocesan Centre will contact donors by mail so in the next few weeks you will receive information on this year’s campaign in your mailbox. Our theme is most appropriate as we share with Pope Francis in asking the Lord for courage and patience during this worldly pandemic that has changed our lives. I ask again for your consideration and generosity for this year’s campaign. Our needs grow more and more each year, and your response in past years has been most appreciated and has enabled me, as the bishop, to serve the needs of our parishes and communities in our diocese. Please be generous again this year and I ask God’s blessing upon you and your families. Sincerely, Bishop Fred Colli

Each weekend Bishop Colli celebrates Sunday Mass for shut-ins and those unable to attend Mass at this time. This Mass is available each weekend on our Diocesan website at: [www.dotb.ca](http://www.dotb.ca)



*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 May 29,21-5:00 p.m - Int. Bob Zuchiatti Family

Sun. May 30, 21 - 9:30 a.m.- +Marcel Potan.

Tue. June 01,21 - 6:30 pm - + Joseph Copp

Wed. June 02,21- 6:30 pm - + Timothy McLean

Thurs. June 03,21 - 6:30pm - + Lend Michelle

Fri. June 04, 21 - 6:30 pm - + Idary Smotylo

Sat. June 05,21 - 5:00 pm - +Ernest Thompson

Sun. June 06,21 - 9:30 am - + Joseph Tookenay

**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. May30, 21 - 11:00 a.m. - + Richard Coimier - Martina Duruille

Sun. June 06,21 - 11:00 a. m - + Richard Coimier - Shelley & Eugene

Income for the Last Week - Regular Sun. May 02,,2021 - \$.00 and rebate from Bishop's Campaign \$650.00

Please, be aware of your parish needs! THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.



**YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH. While experiencing temptation, no one should say, "God is tempting me." Temptations Come and Go. I have heard preachers suggest that God permits temptation to test us. I don't think so. God does not play games with our sincere efforts to do good. God does not put obstacles in our way but partners with us and holds us up in the rough seas of temptation. St. Joseph, be our protector in time of temptation that we may always choose good over evil.**



Income for the Last Week ABVM Parish Sun. May 23,2021; \$ 2,750.00

Please, be aware of your parish needs! Thank you for your commitments!

Lord, we thank you for the various ways in which you reveal your presence to us: there are times when we experience you as Father through teachers, community leaders, members of our family, spiritual guides to whom you have given authority in heaven and on earth, so that we feel empowered spiritually and can assume responsibility in our workplaces and in public life. At other times we experience you as Son, through the great people you send us as companions. They do not talk down to us. When we fail in some great enterprise and have to start again, like the eleven disciples setting out disconsolately to return to Galilee, they come up and speak to us as fellow pilgrims who have themselves been defeated, so that they can tell us now to go out confidently and share our wisdom with all the nations.

**CONFIRMATION** - The date of the Confirmation will be given later.

## **FIRST COMMUNION**

Unfortunately, we are going to have to postpone the First Communion until the next school year. With the uncertainty due to COVID 19 and other circumstances at the school, we have to do this. SORRY. We will contact you in September / October and get this organized. Thank you for everything to do.

**Due to the extension of the Provincial Covid-19 Restrictions, our Churches will remain closed and no public Masses or Services will be celebrated until the measures are lifted in June 14,2021**



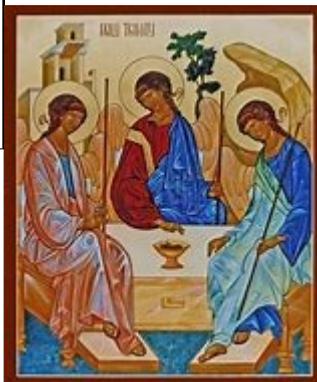
**Bishops Message:** Unfortunately our churches still remain closed during this "stay at home order" and emergency lockdown. I know this is difficult for everyone and I again ask for your patience and understanding. Everyone wants to go back to church and regular Sunday Mass or

weekday Mass, however, as we see in our province, the situation is rather dire in many parts. We must maintain physical distancing, to wear a mask, to wash our hands regularly and to work from home when possible. Everyone is encouraged to get vaccinated as soon as possible also. Thank you for your continued support to our parishes both spiritually in prayer and economically in your weekly donation. We ask the Lord to guide us through this time and to lead us to safety and gathering once again as a faith family. May the Lord bless you and your families and keep them safe. Sincerely, Bishop Fred Colli

**Weekly Confessions:** One hour before every Mass; Every Saturday : 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm

**Penitential Celebrations:** Two are celebrated each year, in Advent and in Lent.

If you don't feel ready to come to Church, access this latest online Mass celebrated by Bishop Colli or scroll down to the bottom of this page for other Masses that are streamed online.



*Give thanks to the Lord for his presence in the Eucharist. Father, Son and Spirit, enfold me in love, the love of your eternal life.*

**"Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil; May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; And do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all evil spirits who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen."**