



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 - 7:00 p.m.

Tue & Thu - 10:00 a.m. (If is int. Mass)

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

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—7:00 p. m Adoration and Benediction
and Holy Mass—ABVM Church.

HOLY ROSARY: The Rosary for the unborn Child - Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.– ABVM

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

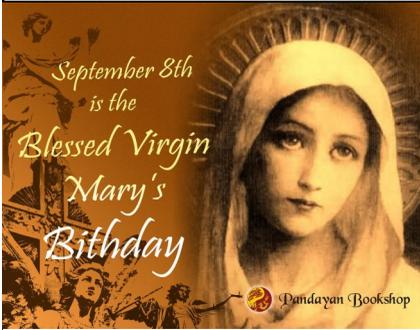
BAPTISM: Please contact the parish office

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.



Birthday of Our Lady. We remember the birthdays of people who are important in our lives. We also remember the birthday, those who are significant for our faith life. The central person in terms of our faith life as Christians is, of course, Jesus, and we remember his birthday on Christmas day. Next to Jesus, Mary is the most central person for the faith life of many Christians, and it is only fitting that the church remembers her birthday.

It is impossible to know when exactly Mary was born, but September 8 is traditionally when the church celebrates Mary's birthday. When we wish someone a happy birthday we are also giving thanks for that person's whole life. Today we give thanks for Mary's birth and life. While today's Gospel reports the birth of Jesus, rather than the birth of Mary, we celebrate Mary's birth and life precisely because she became the mother of the Saviour. She is the one through whom we receive Emmanuel, God-with-us. Mary doesn't offer us herself; she offers us her Son. She holds out her Son to us. She would gladly make her own the words of John the Baptist that "He (Jesus) must increase, but I must decrease." The best way to honour Mary is to receive the Son of God whom she offers to us. We aim to become, like herself, people who, in the words of Luke's gospel, "hear the word, hold it fast in an honest and good heart, and bear fruit with patient endurance."



Discipleship of Jesus takes many forms and we interpret this passage in the light of the particular form of discipleship to which we have committed ourselves – marriage, parenting, friendship, career, religious life or priesthood. We think of other commitments we and others make: to social change for example – bringing about reconciliation between ethnic groups or religions, or reforming economic, educational or political systems, locally or internationally. The secret is to let the passage speak to our experiences of grace, of Jesus alive in the world today, and in each of us too, to the extent that we are his presence for others. It will also be a call to conversion of course, because we are often not like him.

Income for the Last Week ABVM Parish Sun. Sep. 01, 2019 - \$1,355.00 Please, be aware of your parish needs! Thank you for your commitments!



WE NEED YOUR HELP TO PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD! Our Parish is currently in need of more Lectors especially during the Saturday and Sunday Mass. For information, please call rectory 807-887-3153



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. Sep. 07,19 - 5:00 pm - Int. of Mona Cormier Family

Sun. Sep. 08,19 - 9:30 am - +Wanda White

Tue. Sep. 10,19 - 7:00 pm - +Margaret Laporte

Wed. Sep. 11,19 -7:00 pm - + Bradley Penner

Thurs. Sep. 12.19 - 7:00 pm - +Roy Quigley

Fri. Sep. 13, 19 - 7:00 pm - Int. of Chuck Currie Family

Sat. Sep. 14, 19 - 5:00 p.m. - Int. of Daniel Dampier Family

Sun. Sep. 15, 19 - 9:30 a.m. - Msgr Roy Carey



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:

Due to the power outage September 8 our Sunday lunch will now be on September 15. Our Ladies of St. Hilary meeting will be held on September 9th at 7 pm in the church hall.



Sep. 08,19 - 11:00 a.m. - +Msgr. Roy Carey

Sep. 10, 19 - 10:00 a.m. - For sick Parishioners

Sep. 12,19 - 10:00 a.m. - Int. of Red Rock city

Sep. 15,19.- 11:00 a.m. - 47 wedding anniversary Michael and Ilona

Income for the Last Week - Regular Sun. Sep. 01,19 - \$585.00 Please, be aware of your parish needs! Thank you for your commitments!



The Holy Spirit is the soul of Mission. The events that took place in Jerusalem almost two thousand years ago are not something far removed from us; they are events that affect us and become a lived experience in each of us. The Pentecost of the upper room in Jerusalem is the beginning, a beginning which endures. The Holy Spirit is the supreme gift of the Risen Christ to his apostles, yet he wants that gift to reach everyone. As we heard in the Gospel, Jesus says, " I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate to remain with you forever." It is the Paraclete Spirit, the "Comforter," who grants us the courage to take to the streets of the world, bringing the gospel! The Holy Spirit makes us look to the horizon and drives us to the very outskirts of existence in order to proclaim life in Jesus Christ. Let us ask ourselves: do we tend to stay closed in on ourselves, on our group, or do we let the Holy Spirit open us to mission?

VISIT TO THE SICK: If you or someone you know would like to receive Holy Communion at home please call 889-0482. REMEMBER IN YOUR SICK.

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The next CWL meeting will e held on Mon. Sept. 9 at 5;30 pm

Giving up possessions is a huge demand of Jesus, It can be misunderstood and cause grief. What Jesus means is that we identify what it is in us that may block us being his disciples. Wealth may provide comfort status in society or the Church/ security, or whatever centres our concerns/ and whatever keeps us from acting justly with and for others.

Created in the likeness of God/ we are created good. In each of us is the desire to nourish what is good and best in us. We wish to do the same for our children/ our pupils or anyone in our care.

We nourish the good in ourselves by prayer, community by good deeds and an honourable way of life, We watch the example of Jesus and listen to how he teaches us in his stories. Today he asks us to know ourselves, just like the man building a tower plans what he has and what he can do.

Goodness like beauty is a gift of God. Our goodness

in life is a gift from God. We find goodness also in each other. Good people make good people better! Saints we like show us a way to God and inspire us, and even help us. The gospel is full of people trying to do



their best and learning with fresh starts and after their mistakes how to follow Jesus. Goodness is vulnerable. We can try our best and fail. We make promises that don't last despite our best efforts. In the eyes of God goodness is in what we do and in what we try to do. God sees the goodness of the heart. Lord give us a desire for the good in our lives and help us live by your good gospel.

Open House for Permanent Deacon of the Church. There will be an information night at the Diocesan Centre, September 10th at 7 p.m.—9 p.m. This will consist of a presentation by Bishop Colli and a video description of the program. A question and answer period will follow with refreshments. Single men, and married men with their wives are welcome. For additional information, call 807-343-9313 or email diaconte@dotb.ca

The Bishop's Diocesan Ministry Campaign (Sharing the Challenges).

The Bishop's Campaign for 2019 is now beginning. Parishioners will receive a brochure and donation card in the mail this month. The theme for 2019 is 'TOGETHER ON THE ROAD'. Like the disciples on the road to Emmaus, we walk together and share our journey with Christ who draws near to us. Like the disciples on the road, let us open our hearts to recognize Jesus in our encounters along the road. Please be generous in supporting the Bishop's Diocesan Ministry Campaign.