

ST. GREGORY'S CHURCH

Roman Catholic Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie

71 Estelle Street,
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OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
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Pastoral Team:

Pastor: Fr. Trevor Scarfone
Deacon: Rev. Mr. Rob Thibodeau
Secretary: Cathy Fabiano

Third Sunday of Lent

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Sunday, March 24th, 2019

Celebration of Masses, Devotions and Reconciliation

Weekend Masses:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m.
11:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday: 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday – Friday: 12:05 p.m.

The Rosary:

Recited 1/2 hour
before each weekday Mass

Reconciliation:

Confessions are heard
every Saturday from 4:15 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"*

Season of Lent

Lent has two major purposes: it recalls or prepares for Baptism, and emphasizes a spirit of penance. Through forty days of closer attention to God's Word and of more fervent prayer, believers are prepared to celebrate the Paschal Mystery. Lenten instructions stress these baptismal and penitential themes.

*The
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of
Lent*



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St. Gregory's Parish News

March 25 - March 31, 2019

Week of March 25—March 31

Monday, March 25
No Scheduled Liturgy

Tuesday, March 26— 7:00 p.m.
Victor Gardi—His Family
Maria Teresa Caputo—Uncle Silvio & Annetta,
Cousin Rose & Family

Wednesday, March 27—12:05 p.m.
Mary Eide—Father Trevor Scarfone

Thursday, March 28—2:00 p.m-Finish Resthome
No Intentions requested

Friday, March 29—12:05 p.m.
No Intentions requested

Saturday, March 30—5:00 p.m.
John Souliere—Cathy & Ted McKinney
Angelo Barone—Wife Mafalda & Children
Ernie Gagnon—St. Gregory's Choir

Sunday March 31—9:00 a.m.
Intentions of Parishioners—Father Trevor Scarfone

Sunday, March 31—11:00 a.m.
Giuliana Calvano—Vince Calvano
Maria Fabbicino—Giovanni & Maria Spadafora
Jimmy Baldassarro—Paul Baldassarro & Family

Monday	Isaiah 7.10-14;8.10d/Luke 1.26-38
Tuesday	Daniel 3.25,34-43/Matthew 18.21-35
Wednesday	Deuteronomy 4.1,5-9/Matthew 5.17-19
Thursday	Jeremiah 7.23-28/Luke 11.14-23
Friday	Hosea 14.1-9/Mark 12.28b-34
Saturday	Hosea 5.15b-6.6/Luke 18.9-14

Fourth Sunday of Lent

1st READING	Joshua 5.9a, 10-12
2nd READING	2 Corinthians 5.17-21
GOSPEL	Luke 15.1-3, 11-32

Parish Activities for the Week
March 25—March 31

Monday 25	No Scheduled Events
Tuesday 26	7:30 pm <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Holy Spirit Prayer Celebration • St. Anthony Committee
Wednesday 27	1:00 pm—3:30 pm <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Friendship and Coffee—Parish Hall 6:00 pm <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discover Faith—Parish Hall
Thursday 28	2:00 pm <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Finish Resthome
Friday 29	8:00pm <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A.A. Meeting (Parish Hall) 12:30pm <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stations of the Cross
Saturday 30	4:15pm-4:45pm <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Confessions (also by appointment).
Sunday 31	11:00am <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children's Liturgy • Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Finance Report

Sunday, March 17, 2019	\$2,452.75
Building Fund	\$390.00
Weekly Average Pre Authorized	\$385.00
Total Income	\$3,227.75



**THANK YOU FOR YOUR
GENEROSITY**

St. Gregory's Parish News

Share the journey with those forcibly displaced in Colombia

In Colombia, over 6.5 million people have been forcibly displaced due to conflict, violence, natural disasters, and development projects. With your support, Development and Peace's partner the National Agrarian Coordination (NAC) is working with Indigenous women, many of whom are victims of forced displacement, to help them gain the skills and confidence to be intermediaries with the authorities. By promoting inclusive and participatory democracies, we are addressing one of the root causes of forced migration!

Next week is Solidarity Sunday, when the Share Lent collection in support of the work of Development and Peace will take place. Your generosity has a real impact on the lives of our sisters and brothers in the Global South!



We are on the look out !!!!



St. Gregory's wants to add to our music ministry Team.
Can you play an instrument, piano, organ, guitar, etc....?
Do you like to sing?
Are you willing to share your talent(s)?
Do you know someone who has music talents?
Not a huge commitment...perhaps one mass per month
Let Fr. Trevor or Deacon Rob know.....we'd love to chat with you.

THE NORTHLAND BARBERSHOP CHORUS PRESENTS THEIR 55th ANNUAL SHOW

You Don't Know Me -
...Maybe Heaven Can Help



- Saturday, April 6th, 2019, 7:30 p.m.
- Sault Community Theatre Centre

Tickets : \$28.00 available from
Hess Jewellers
Theatre Centre Box Office (Station Mall)

For info call Doug Iles at 705-942-3075

Come and join us in raising funds for Share Lent

Our Parish is having a meal of solidarity with the poor. This meal of Soup and Bread is to raise funds for our Share Lent collection. Come out and enjoy the company of friends and neighbours as we share a simple meal together.

March 27th 6:00 p.m. in the parish hall.

Free will offering will go toward Share Lent (Development and Peace)
Please call the parish , 705-949-8883,
to register.

This will help us estimate how much food to prepare.



St. Gregory's Parish News

Catholic Women's League

CWL General Meeting

Our CWL general meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 3rd, 2019 at 7:30 pm in the Parish Hall. Prayer partners will be revealed. Please plan to attend!



The 2019 Membership Fees(\$22.00)
are now due.

Please include your payment (cheque payable to St. Gregory's CWL) or cash in an envelope with your name, address and phone number. Payment can be put in the collection basket.
New Members are welcome!

EDGE resumes March 21st!

Our popular and Spirit-filled youth ministry group EDGE resumes after the March Break on **Thursday, March 21st at 7:00pm** with a **Welcome Back Social Night** at St. Jerome's Church (26 Carmel Road)! All students from across the city of Sault Ste. Marie in Grades 6, 7 and 8 are welcome!

EDGE is a Catholic youth program that presents Catholic teachings in a way that young people can understand and develop in their spiritual lives, while making new friends in a safe place. Each **EDGE** Night includes time for music, prayer, teaching, social activities and games - and are led by a team of Catholic high school students. **EDGE** happens **every Thursday** night from 7:00pm - 8:30pm

Come join us!

DISCOVER MORE ABOUT FAITH

Have you ever asked yourself questions about your faith? Has anyone ever asked you the same questions? There is so much to know and so many questions we all have. Would you like to have answers?

Come and learn together "What they never taught you in Catechism class"

We will be offering, at St. Gregory's, an evening to answer the questions you have and the ones you never knew you had. Come and gather with us as we learn to grow and understand more about faith.

March 27, 2019 at 7:00 pm.

Scoprire Più Della Fede

Avete fatto domande circa la vostra fede?

C'è stato qualcuno che vi ha fatto le stesse domande?

Volete avere le risposte a quiste domande?

Venite ed impariamo insieme "quello che non ci hanno insegnato nella classe di catechism."

A St. Gregory offriremo una serata per rispondere alle domande che avete ed a quelle che abbiate senza saperlo.

Ci riuniamo insieme per crescere e capire meglio la nostra fede.

Venite il 27 di marzo per le 7:00 di sera nella chiesa.

Tutti Sono Invitati.