

St. Peter the Apostle Roman Catholic Church

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Office Hours: : Monday 9 am to 12 pm; Tuesday to Friday 9 am to 12 pm & 1 pm to 4 pm

Pastor - Father Francis Chidi Ezenezi

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Permanent Deacons

Deacon M. Ketter

Deacon A. Lamothe

Diocesan Order of Women

Mrs. D. Ketter

Mrs. B. Lamothe

Mrs. P. Porter

Baptism

A program of preparation is required. Parents are asked to contact the Parish Office prior to the birth of their child. Adults wishing baptism are asked to contact the Parish Office.

Marriage

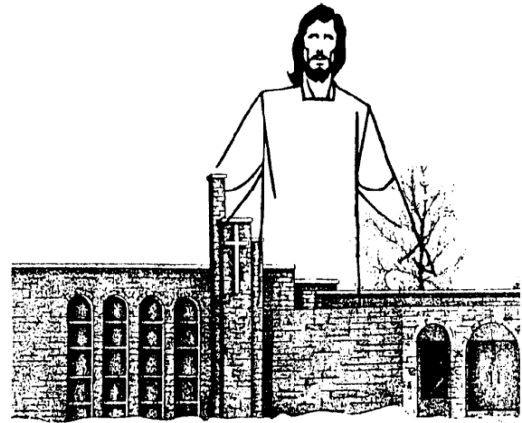
Contact the Pastor at least six months prior to the wedding. A preparation course is required.

Visitation of the Sick

If any member of your family is sick at home or in the hospital, please call and let us know. If you are confined to home, and would like to receive Communion on Sunday, please call the Office before 3:00 pm on Thursday.

Prayers for the Sick

If you or any member of your family is sick, in distress or experiencing troubling times, we invite you to call the Parish office to place that person on our prayer list.



Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Weekday Mass Schedule

Please see inside bulletin for weekday schedule.

Reconciliation

Saturday from 3:00 to 3:30 pm; or by appointment.

Eucharistic Adoration

First Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm.

Children's Liturgy

Each Sunday at the 9:00 am Mass from September to June. All children (beginning from Jr. Kindergarten) are welcome.

Welcome to St. Peter's

We warmly welcome new parishioners to our parish. You are asked to register by completing a registration form. Forms are available in the Entrance or from the Parish Office.

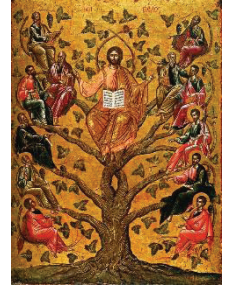


PLEASE PATRONIZE OUR SPONSORS



Fifth Sunday of Easter – May 15, 2022

Jesus commands us to love one another.



MASS INTENTIONS:

Tues, May 17	9am	John & Mary Wilkolaski+ by Stan
Wed, May 18	9am	Mario Caicco+ by Toni & Pina Celebre Intentions of Theresa Lamothe by Nancy Tremblay
Thurs, May 19	9am	Beverley Osborne+ by St. Peter's CWL
Fri, May 20	9am	Frank Tremblay+ by Joe & Louise Defonzo
Sat, May 21	4pm	Alberindo Palladino+ by Maria Palladino Mary Jean Cundari+ by Jean Carmichael
Sun, May 22	9am	Intentions of all Parishioners by Father Francis
	11am	Jean Guy Pharand+ by Helen Pharand In Honour of St. Rita by Anna & Carmine Perrotta

PRAYER LINE: *In sorrow and suffering, go straight to God with confidence, and you will be strengthened, enlightened and instructed.* If you or any member of your family, or anyone you know, is sick, in distress or experiencing troubling times, we invite you to call the Parish Office to place that person on our prayer list.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK:

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED:

SCRIPTURE READINGS <i>May 16 – May 22, 2022</i>	
Monday	Acts 14:5-18; John 14:21-26
Tuesday	Acts 14:19-28; John 14:27-31a
Wednesday	Acts 15:1-6; John 15:1-8
Thursday	Acts 15:7-21; John 15:9-11
Friday	Acts 15:22-31; John 15:12-17
Saturday	Acts 16:1-10; John 15:18-21
Sunday	Acts 15:1-2, 22-29 Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23 John 14:23-29 <i>The Pope's Pastoral Works Sixth Sunday of Easter</i>

Sunday, May 1, 2022	\$2 160.25
Building Fund balance to date	\$113 642.83
Building Fund Goal:	\$200 000

Thank you for your generous contributions!



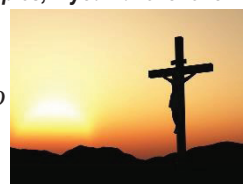
2021 Envelopes are ready to be picked up. Please call the Church office for more information: 705-472-1817

St Peter's is now able to accept e-Transfers! Please use our email address: stpeters@cogeco.net when e-Transferring. Make sure to also include a mailing address and purpose of e-Transfer (for example, memorial donation) in the subject line so that an appropriate tax receipt will be issued.

SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2022

Fifth Sunday of Easter

"This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." John 13:35



What is the novelty of this commandment that Jesus entrusts to His disciples?

"The novelty lies in the love of Jesus Christ, the love with which He gave up His life for us. This is about God's universal love, which is without conditions and without limits, which finds its apex on the cross. In that moment of extreme abasement of self, and abandonment to the Father, the Son of God has shown and given to the world the fullness of love.

He asks us to love one another not only with our love, but with His love... In this way – and only then – can we love each other not only as we love ourselves, but as He loves us. God loves us far more than we love ourselves. And so we can spread the seed of love that renews relationships between people and opens horizons of love. This love makes us ...the new people of God, that is, the Church, in which all are called to love Christ and in Him to love one another." (19 May 2019).

"May the Virgin Mary help us, with her maternal intercession, to welcome her son Jesus for the gift of His commandment, and from the Holy Spirit the strength to practice it in everyday life."

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

Vocations Office
Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie,
Ontario, Canada

www.beapriest.ca

Month of May: Mary

Catholics are urged to pray the Rosary in May For Peace in the World & World Leaders

Pope Francis invites Catholics around the world to pray the rosary during the month of May: "Before the madness of war, please, let us continue to pray the Rosary for peace each day. And let us pray for the leaders of nations, so they might not lose the "pulse of the people" who want peace and who know well that weapons never achieve it, never." May8,2022



Pope Francis - May Prayer Intention

For Faith-Filled Young People - We pray for all young people, called to live life to the fullest; may they see in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage that faith generates, and the dedication to service.



North Bay Pregnancy Help & Resource Centre

Baby Bottle Campaign

May 8 – May 29, 2022

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CWL NEWS

We have one more general meeting before we break for the summer and it's going to be a Potluck Luncheon! On Wednesday June

8th at 11:30am (please note the time change), we will gather for a brief meeting then enjoy lunch together.

We're planning ahead so sign up now by calling Christine at 705-303-3808 or emailing her at cffeechrisp71@gmail.com to let us know what dish you'll be bringing, or even an item like buns or napkins. . After all the restrictions we have had, it will be wonderful to enjoy a meal together. Look forward to seeing you there. Christine



Adsumus, Sancte Spiritus

A family among families: Synodal, missionary and family Church: In

order to encourage family involvement in

the synodal process, the Dicastery for the Laity, Family and Life has published a document as a tool for parishes and families. Called, "Points of Reflection for a Synodal Path with Families", the text contains a series of questions to help families and formators contribute to the synodal process. It is also featured in the "Family and Synodality" section of the official Synod website www.synod.va and it is available in Italian, English, French and Spanish.

NEW CATHOLIC CONVERSATION SERIES

The Evangelization Committee of North Bay & Area have



organized a series of presentations on the Catholic faith. The

presentations are **free** and will

be held at St Peter's Church. Our next presentation will be held on: **Wednesday, May 18 - 7:00pm: "Faith vs Science" with presenter Josh Sullivan...All are invited to attend and bring a friend for these informative and interactive evenings. catholicconversation.net**

The Nipissing-Parry Sound Catholic District School Board invites applications for the position of **Board Chaplaincy Leader**. This position is one of leadership in the spiritual direction, support and faith formation of Board personnel and trustees. Please visit www.npsc.ca/employment for more details.

THIS WEEK

Wednesday May 18	9:30AM – Rosary Cenacle
Wednesday May 18	1:00PM – Finance Committee
Wednesday May 18	1:30PM – Knights 4 th Degree (General)
Wednesday May 18	7:00PM – Parish Pastoral Council
Wednesday May 18	7:00PM – Faith vs Science: Presentation by Josh Sullivan
Saturday May 21	3:00PM – Confession

Garage Sale – June 25, 2022

We welcome all to our first Parish Garage Sale!

Please see the flyer inserted into the bulletin for donation drop-off dates and further instructions.

St. Peter's Annual Parish Picnic

Sunday, June 5th

Beginning with a prayer service at 2:00 pm, the festivities include: Children's games and activities, adult bingo, food, prizes, dessert auction and so much fun! Donations of prizes for adult bingo would be appreciated. Please bring prizes wrapped in newspaper to the box at the entrance of the Church. Baked goods are needed for the Dessert Auction that will take place at the Picnic. Volunteers are needed to help set up, clean up, run games and barbeque hamburgers and hot dogs. Anyone interested in taking part are asked to call Roger at 705-474-5459 or the Parish Office. See you Sunday, June 5th!





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