

ST. KEVIN'S PARISH

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Pastor.....Fr. Michael Williams
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Rev. Mr. Gord Jenkinson
Rev. Mr. Marshall Meehan
Diocesan Order of WomenMichelle Jenkinson

Parish Leadership Team

Gord Jenkinson Kent MacNeill
Charlotte Gryschuk Marilyn Paul
Jeannette Rainville Jim Welch

Parish Finance Committee

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Stan Kunto Charlie Larmondin
Mark Patterson

Coordinators of Ministries

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Gail Collins - SK Site Lorraine Green - OLP Site

Lectors

Ed & Aline Zickar - SK Site Jim Welch - OLP Site

Altar Servers

Ron Denomme – SK Site Elaine Nadon – OLP Site

Children's Liturgy

Amy James - SK Site Jen Smith – OLP Site
Chantal MacNeill -SK Site Crystal Bruneau – OLP Site

Baptism

Diane Marcuccio

RCIA

Pat Partington

Confirmation

Gord Jenkinson

5th Sunday of Lent *March 17, 2013*



"Neither do I
condemn you..."
Jn 8:11

Reconciliation

Saturdays: 11:00 a.m. to Noon at St. Kevin Site
or anytime by appointment.

Baptisms

Please speak to Fr. Michael following any Mass.

Marriage

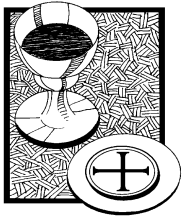
Please contact Fr. Michael at least eight months
before your proposed date.

Ministry to the Sick

For communion to the sick and shut-in and
celebration of the Sacrament of the Sick,
please contact the parish office or speak
to Fr. Michael following any Mass.



Registration in the Parish

Registration forms are available
in the entrance.



Mass Schedule

Monday March 18th to Sunday March 24th 2013

Day	Masses and Intentions		Readings
<i>Monday</i>	No Parish Mass		Daniel 13.1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-64++ John 8.12-20
<i>Tuesday</i>	9:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site	 For Diane Esther Fife By Donna Hiwilammi	<i>St. Joseph</i> 2 Samuel 7.4-5a, 12-14a, 16 Romans 4.13, 16-18, 22 Matthew 1.16, 18-21, 24a
<i>Wednesday</i>	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site	For Anne Fillator & Bill Fillator Sr. By Debbie Coutu	Daniel 3.13-20, 24, 49-50, 91-95++ John 8.31-42
<i>Thursday</i>	9:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site	For Charles Dimmel By Vi & Val Mazzuca	Genesis 17.3-9 John 8.51-59
<i>Friday</i>	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site	For Mr. Chatelaine By John & Gloria Derganc	Jeremiah 20.7, 10-13++ John 10.31-42
<i>Saturday</i>	5:00 p.m. St. Kevin Site	For Pat McAvoy By Mary-Ann Van Aphen & For Edgar Houle By Gloria Keegan	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Isaiah 50.4-7 Philippians 2.6-11 Luke 22.14 – 23.56 
<i>Sunday</i>	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site	For the Parishioners of St. Kevin's Parish By Fr. Michael	
	11:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site	For Clare Hummel By Mrs. Pat O'Shell & For Jean Bilsborough By Pat & Mike Newman	

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
Minister's Schedule for March 23rd and 24th 2013

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

5:00 p.m. St. Kevin Site	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site	11:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site
Deacon Steve Agnes Yorke Elva Chretien Helen Michaud Maureen MacKinnon Yvan Gunville	Deacon Gord John Marcuccio Lynda Mantha Jacques Mantha Luigi Farinon Dina Farinon	Jeannette Rainville Jim Welch Helen Welch

Lector's Schedule

5:00 p.m. St. Kevin Site	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site	11:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site
Jeanine Bolger Joan Gunville	Brenda Hawes James Callaghan	Jeannette Rainville Jacqueline Brown

***Your weekly contribution to St. Kevin's Parish
made on March 10th 2013 was
\$3,846.25.***

Thank you for the support you give to your Parish.

Each month, 15% of this total is sent to our Bishop in order to run the Diocese. This 'tax' is known as the Diocesan Administration Expense, or DAE, and is based on the average of last year's donations.

CWL Meetings

***St. Kevin Site: Every 2nd
Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.***



***Our Lady of Peace Site: Every 2nd
Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m.***

***Knights of Columbus Council #3866 : Every 3rd Thursday of each month at the
Our Lady of Peace Site Hall. Meetings begin at 7:00 p.m.***

***Knights of Columbus Council #7368: The 1st Tuesday of each month at the
St. Kevin's Site Hall. Meetings begin at 7:30 p.m.***





Chrism Mass 2013

Everyone is invited by our Bishop to attend the Chrism Mass, which this year will be celebrated at the Pro-Cathedral of the Assumption Church in North Bay
on Thursday, March 21st at 1:30pm.



CHANGE IN DATE:

For those in our preparation program for Holy Eucharist, you are reminded that our final celebration date (reception/certificates/gifts) has been moved up one week,
from Sunday, May 19th **to Sunday, May 12th.**

This is to avoid the May long weekend. It's also Mother's Day, for those who like to plan ahead. Sudbury Rocks Marathon day too, for those who like to run.



ELIZABETH CENTER:

Fr. Michael will be celebrating Mass at the Elizabeth Center on Friday morning this week, at 10:30am, in addition to our regular Friday morning Mass at SK Site.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2013

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil July 17-30, 2013



By Invitation of Pope Benedict XVI ... Be one of 800,000 young adults from over 190 countries gathered to celebrate their faith! **Deadline for application is April 15, 2013 Apply now to avoid disappointment!**

For more information contact:

Your Pastor or Diocesan Pastoral Services at
705-674-2727 ext. 251



Busy Bees

Last chance to purchase perogies made by the ladies of St. Kevin's CWL.

When: after Saturday's 5:00 P.M. mass and Sunday's 9:30 A.M. mass.

Price: \$6.00 for 3 dozen perogies

Thank you to all those who have purchased perogies. Hope you enjoy them!

Find out in the April 14th bulletin on the success of this project.

RECONCILIATION:

In addition to the availability of the Sacrament of Reconciliation here, every Saturday morning at 11am, Reconciliation is also available on Wednesday, March 20th at Christ the King Parish: from 10am - 12 and 12:30pm – 3pm. As always, you can ask any Catholic Priest, at any time, to hear your Confession.

Central to the mission of the Church is charity. That is evinced by the following facts: The Catholic Church runs 5,305 hospitals and 18,179 clinics. It manages 17,223 homes for the elderly, the terminally ill and the handicapped. It also runs 9,882 orphanages. The Catholic Church is the largest private provider of Aids care in the world – looking after 1 in 4 of every victim of that disease.

All of this, of course, is a response to our Lord's example in healing the sick and bringing comfort to those who are wounded in any way. It is central to our lives as Christians, which is why the 'almsgiving' facet of Lent is so important.

As always, our Bishop determines where our official "Share Lent" collection is sent; as in previous years, it will be given to the Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace (CCODP).

Personally, I no longer support CCODP, although it was once the largest recipient of my giving. I stopped several years ago when it came to light that it funds groups in various places that advocate for abortion. I'm not sure if that news hit the consciousness of this Parish, but it certainly caused quite a tsunami for the Church in Canada, as well it should have. It was (and remains) a scandal of the highest magnitude, not least of all because the CCODP staff were (and some remain) defensive of their funding decisions, seeing nothing wrong with them. The Canadian Bishops intervened, investigated and promised change. Whether that change happened or not is doubtful, as CCODP no longer publishes the list of groups it funds, and at least 2 Bishops (Cardinal Collins of Toronto and Bishop Mulhall of Pembroke) have withheld Diocesan funds from CCODP again this year.

I mention all this for purposes of full disclosure to you, who are asked to contribute to the needs of the poor, and may choose to do so simply by using the "Share Lent" envelope in your boxes. If you do, that money will be sent to CCODP. If you are comfortable with this, fair enough. If not, you may consider donating your alms to another agency that serves the poor in a manner with which you are comfortable. Personally, "Chalice" has moved to the top of my list, and there are other excellent agencies worthy of support as well. Each of us, of course, is morally responsible for the way our donated money is used.

While on the topic of charity, it might be worth mentioning that this (income tax season) is a good time to calculate your tithe to the poor. Tithing, of course, is the traditional way of recognizing that God has given us everything, and so we give God back the 1st 10% of what He has given us. A good way of doing this is taking 10% of your gross income from last year and then budgeting to give that amount away to the poor this year.

"Inasmuch as you did this to one of the least of these, you did it to Me".

PARISH LEADERSHIP TEAM:

A reminder that we meet in the hall of Our Lady Peace Site on Tuesday night this week, beginning at 7pm. You should have received some information by e-mail, which you are invited to consider before the meeting in order that we can discuss it and come to a decision.

PARISH PHOTO ALBUM:

Dates for photographs:

April 18 – 20 all day at St. Kevin's Site,

May 1 – 4 all day at Our Lady Peace Site,

May 30 – June 1 all day at St. Kevin's Site.

With this notice, we hope that all Parishioners can participate in this **FREE SITTING**, and be included in *our new album*. All who have a photo taken will receive one **FREE ALBUM** and one **FREE 8 x 10 COLOUR PHOTO**.

SSVP, St. Kevin's Conference News.....



Chefs Eddie & Rod will share some of their best tips for preparing meals on a budget, Thursday, March 21, 2013 from 7-9pm. Workshop will take place at Sr. Frederica Harvest House at 2496 Highway 69 North, in Val Caron. There is no fee but do call 705-897-1212 to book your spot.

ADOPT AN UNBORN CHILD:

Beginning next week, everyone is once again invited to adopt an unborn child for this year. It is an idea initiated by Bishop Fulton Sheen and in response to the abortion holocaust underway in our land.

Pink (for girls) and blue (for boys) forms will be available at the entrance of both Worship Sites. Please take it home and pray about it, before choosing a name for your baby. Write the name of your child, and your name too, on the right hand portion of the form, cut it off, and leave it in the crib in the entranceway to the Church.

Keep the left hand portion with your child's name and the prayer which you will commit to praying each day for your child.

On the Feast of the Holy Innocents, Mass will be celebrated for all these children.

OLD PHOTOGRAPHS:

Does anyone have old photographs of any of our original worship sites (Capreol, Hanmer, Val Caron) being built? We have lots of our new worship site in Val Therese being built, but none we can find of those original buildings under construction. If you do, we'd love to scan them and, perhaps, use them on our Parish website. Let us know, okay?



ARISE – COMING TO OUR PARISH:

This coming Fall, we will launch ARISE in our Parish. It is a three year process of renewing and deepening our faith. Coming, as it is, at the end of The Year of Faith, it will be a timely program for all of us.



This year's Socks for the soul campaign was an extreme success considering a late beginning and a short amount of time. The final count was approximately 3000 pairs of socks and other items. This donation helped us help the Outreach Program again this year. I would like to thank everyone for their generous donations.

Please do not forget that if you have items throughout the year they can be dropped off at the parish for the Outreach Program.

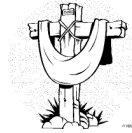


NEW HYMN BOOKS:

We need 100 books for OLP Site. 28 have been purchased, so there are 72 books remaining. We need 125 books for our SK Site. 33 have been purchased, so there are 92 books remaining. Books may be dedicated to loved ones, and will be allocated on a first come – first claimed basis.

Don't be disappointed – donate towards a book today.

For your convenience, a donation form can be found on our Parish Web Site, on the 'Donations Page'.



FRIDAY MEATLESS SOUP SUPPERS & STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

This coming Friday is our final 'Soup Supper', hosted by our Capreol CWL at OLP Worship Site Hall. Come any time between 5pm and 6:30pm – we pray the Stations of the Cross together starting at 6:30pm in the Church. There is no cost – a freewill offering will be accepted, all of which will be given to the poor.

NATIONAL CATHOLIC MISSION:

The National Catholic Mission this year will be broadcast on VISIONTV on Monday, March 25th (part one) and Tuesday, March 26th (part two).

Each night, the Mission will begin at 6pm and will be repeated at 10pm. It will feature Fr. Ron Rolheiser on the importance of trust, and Fr. Anthony Gittins on what Jesus wants us to remember. For those who do not have access to VISIONTV, a DVD will be available following the Mission – just ask Fr. Michael if you wish to borrow it.



Memorial Easter Flowers

There are envelopes available for parishioners who are interested in making a donation to the parish for Easter flowers. The names of loved ones who are being remembered will be mentioned in the Easter bulletin. Any donation will be accepted.

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION NEEDED - CAPREOL:

We have had two Parishioners step forward to serve as new Extraordinary Ministers of Eucharist at OLP Worship Site, so we are grateful to them – Pat Newman and Marlynn Paul – as we will be able to continue distributing Holy Eucharist from the Chalice. We can certainly use more Ministers there, however, so please do consider if God may be calling you into this Ministry.

PARISH BREAKFAST:

Everyone is welcome to enjoy the Parish breakfast cooked up by the Knights of Columbus next weekend at Our Lady of Peace Site, following both morning Masses.