

# ST. KEVIN'S PARISH

## St. Kevin Site

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## Our Lady of Peace Site

26 Dennie St.,  
Capreol, Ontario

Office Hours: Tuesday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. & 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Website: [www.stkevinparish.ca](http://www.stkevinparish.ca)

**Pastor**.....Fr. Michael Williams  
**Secretary**.....Trudy McEwan  
**Permanent Deacons**.....Rev. Mr. Steve Callaghan  
Rev. Mr. Gord Jenkinson  
Rev. Mr. Marshall Meehan  
**Diocesan Order of Women** .....Michelle Jenkinson

### Parish Pastoral Council

Teresa Cloutier - SK Site	Romaine Chappell - OLP Site
Sue Godin - SK Site	Bert D'Appolonia - OLP Site
Gord Jenkinson - SK Site	Bob Johnson - OLP Site
Aline Radey - SK Site	Laurie Jones - OLP Site
Pat Hinds - SK Site	Marlynn Paul - OLP Site
	Jeannette Rainville - OLP Site

### Parish Finance Committee

Julie Denomme - SK Site	Mark Patterson - OLP Site
Jacques Mantha - SK Site	Bert D'Appolonia - OLP Site
	Mario Mauro - OLP Site

### Coordinators of Ministries

#### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Gail Collins - SK Site	Lorraine Green - OLP Site
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#### Lectors

Ed & Aline Zickar - SK Site	Romaine Chappell - OLP Site
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#### Altar Servers

Ron Denomme - SK Site	Elaine Nadon - OLP Site
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#### Children's Liturgy

Gloria Scott - SK Site	Jen Smith - OLP Site
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#### Baptism

Diane Marcuccio

#### Confirmation

Gord Jenkinson

#### RCIA

Pat Partington

#### Prayer Line

Dina Farinon - SK Site 897-4608	Helen Gustafson - OLP Site 858-1783
Gloria Keegan - SK Site 969-3771	Gaye Martel - OLP Site 858-2682

## *Baptism of the Lord January 10, 2016*



#### 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

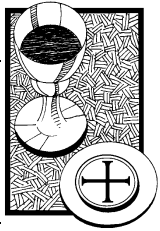
Please contact Fr. Michael at least eight months  
before your proposed date.

#### 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 January 11<sup>th</sup> 2016 to Sunday January 17<sup>th</sup> 2016

Day	Masses and Intentions		Readings
<i>Monday</i>	<b>No Parish Mass</b>		1 Samuel 1.1-8 Mark 1.14-20
<i>Tuesday</i>	9:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site	For Deceased relatives & friends By Pat Newman	<u><i>St. Marguerite Bourgeoys</i></u> 1 Samuel 1.9-20 Mark 1.21-28
<i>Wednesday</i>	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site	<b>No Parish Mass</b>	1 Samuel 3.1-10, 19-20 Mark 1.29-39
<i>Thursday</i>	9:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site	For Martha Held By A & A Skibinski	1 Samuel 4.1c-11 Mark 1.40-45
<i>Friday</i>	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site	For Mr. & Mrs. Edgar Houle By Gloria Keegan	1 Samuel 8.4-7, 10-22a Mark 2.1-12
<i>Saturday</i>	5:00 p.m. St. Kevin Site	For Josh Herd By Liz & Erv Mantler  For Rod Baker By St. Kevin's Parish CWL	<b>Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>  Isaiah 62.1-5 1 Corinthians 12.4-11 John 2.1-12  
<i>Sunday</i>	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site	For Ruth & Nick Franceschini By Derganc family  For Lou Burns By Brian & Diane McDonald	
	11:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site	For all Parishioners By Fr. Michael	

## *2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Minister's Schedule for January 16<sup>th</sup> and January 17<sup>th</sup> 2016

### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

<b>5:00 p.m. St. Kevin Site</b>	<b>9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site</b>	<b>11:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site</b>
Deacon Steve Carmen Lehto Elva Chretien Helen Michaud Gail Collins John Zymantas	Deacon Gord Emile Vautour Gloria Scott Pauline Gareau Dennis Mount Tom Hawes	Jim Welch Helen Welch Pat Jones

### Lector's Schedule

<b>5:00 p.m. St. Kevin Site</b>	<b>9:30 a.m. St. Kevin Site</b>	<b>11:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace Site</b>
Greg Reilly Wendy Runions	April Michaud Denise Waltenbury	Pat Jones Jacqueline Brown

*Your weekly contribution to St. Kevin's Parish made on  
January 3<sup>rd</sup> was \$3,956.70.  
Thank you for the support you give to your Parish.*

This amount does not cover the expenses of running the Parish. The difference is made up from various sources, including bequests, wedding & funeral offerings, and memorial donations.

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### *CWL Meetings*

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



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

*Knights of Columbus Council #3866 :* *Every 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month at the  
St. Kevin's Site Hall. Supper at 6:00 p.m. Meetings begin at 7:00 p.m.*



### **BREWED AND STEEPED THEOLOGY:**

This Tuesday morning session follows our morning Mass in Capreol, in the basement board room. Topics for discussion may be submitted to Fr. Michael beforehand, either through e-mail or via the collection basket. The topic to be discussed this coming Tuesday is:

“Why can’t priests get married?”

Everyone is welcome to attend, to participate or just listen, and to enjoy this informal discussion over a cup of coffee or tea.

### **WELCOME:**

This weekend, we welcome Sr. Bonnie Chesser to our Parish, who will be speaking to us of vocations during all our celebrations. Welcome, Sr. Bonnie, to our Parish.

### **THANK YOU:**

For many, many years, Moe Deschamps has served as a volunteer in our Parish in a number of capacities: Finance, Property and Maintenance Committees, Collection Counting, Fundraising and Lector. While continuing on as a Lector, he has discerned that it is time for him to step down from those other ministries, and so has done so, effective January 1<sup>st</sup>. We are grateful to Moe for his many years of dedicated service to our Parish family, and we wish him well in the new responsibilities he will embrace in his family and community in the years ahead.

The Capreol Cross Country Ski Club is hosting its "**July in January**" on **Sunday January 17, 2016 from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m.** at the Capreol Cross Country Ski Chalet. Strawberry shortcake is \$4.00 and proceeds are going to the Bread and Roses Food Bank. Please help us to help those in need.

### **Morning Conversations with the Word**

Come join us for coffee and a guided teaching and discussion of the Sunday Gospel every Friday morning at 10:00 a.m. Facilitator: Pat Partington (969-3380)



**Busy Bees**

Busy Bees wish you a Merry Christmas and will meet again with a Happy New Year **January 13, 2016.** Come and join us please.

**WEDNESDAY MASS:** Is cancelled this week, as Fr. Michael will be in North Bay for Bishop Marcel's installation.

**LIVING FAITH:**

Please note that the currently available "Living Faith" books will no longer be provided by the Parish. The current book provides reflections up until the end of March. Before then, those who would like to continue receiving this resource are invited to subscribe directly, using the information provided at the back of the current book.

The reason for this change is primarily financial. It costs the Parish close to \$1,000 every year to provide this resource, and we find that the numbers using it vary widely from quarter to quarter, meaning some of that money is wasted when books go unused. By subscribing personally, Parishioners will be assured of receiving their copy directly, and nothing will be wasted.

Additionally, there are many other excellent resources available for daily reflections, both in print and online, and this may be an opportune time for some to explore the alternatives and discover something that is even more enriching to your spiritual life.

**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL:**

Pat Hinds has been nominated to serve on the Parish Pastoral Council as a representative for our St. Kevin's Site, and she has accepted this nomination. She begins to serve, effective immediately. Thank you, Pat, for taking on this ministry of service in our Parish family.

**ARISE:**

With the Post-Arise Day of Reflection and Pot Luck dinner last Sunday, we have officially come to the end of our 5 Seasons of Arise. It has been a wonderful journey for everyone who participated in it. We are especially grateful to Laurie Gagnon who coordinated the entire journey, along with her team of Sonya Arcand, Bob Johnson, Helena Cameron and Fr. Michael.

While some small groups have decided to conclude their weekly gatherings, others have decided to continue. Pat Partington's group, for example, continues to meet every Friday morning throughout the year. Several other groups will be meeting throughout Lent. If you are interested in joining one of these groups, the following have room to accept more participants:

Monday night in Capreol at the Church

Monday night in Val Therese at the Church

Thursday morning in Val Therese at the Church

If you are interested in joining one of these groups, please speak to Fr. Michael about how to go about it. Since this is the final day of our Christmas Season, it seems a shame to say it, but Lent starts in just over 4 weeks!

## **THANK YOU ! MIIGWECH ! MERCI**

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all members of our Diocesan Church - lay faithful, priests, deacons, religious, Women of the Diocesan Order of Service - for their good wishes and generosity toward me on the occasion of my 75th Birthday and retirement from my pastoral responsibilities as Diocesan Bishop.

Your unwavering friendship and support, particularly that of my brother priests during these past twenty-nine years will forever be engraved in my memory and my heart.

I bless the Lord for the road travelled together. May His spirit always keep us faithful and proud to belong to this great and beautiful diocese in Northern Ontario.

Fraternally,  
Jean-Louis Plouffe

## **INSTALLATION OF OUR NEW BISHOP**

This Wednesday, January 13, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. at the Pro-Cathedral of the Assumption in North Bay, Most Reverend Marcel Damphousse will formally be installed as the 6th Bishop of our Diocese. ALL members of the laity and clergy are invited to attend.

Regional Welcoming Eucharistic Celebrations will also be held in Sudbury on Wednesday, January 20, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at Ste-Anne-des-Pins Church and in Sault Ste. Marie on Wednesday January 27, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Jerome Church.

Both gatherings will be followed by a "Meet and Greet" the new Bishop in the parish hall.

ALL are welcome!

## **Syrian refugee fundraiser**

We will be holding a soup and sandwich lunch at Our Lady of Peace Site Sunday January 17, 2016 from 11:00 am to 1:30 pm. Free will offering.

Thursday Morning, 11:00, January 14th, 2016, in the Boardroom at St. Kevin's, *'The Apples of Abba's Eye'* will come together, once again, to share the upcoming Sunday's Gospel and share, once again, with our ARISE Family of three years!

## **ELEVATOR OPERATOR:**

We are in need of more elevator operators at Our Lady of Peace Site, for both the Sunday morning Mass, and the 2 weekday Masses. Training is provided for this critical ministry of mercy to those unable to use the stairs at this Site. To volunteer, or to obtain more information, please call Emilio at 858-3441 or Gerry at 665-4416.



## **REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP CORNER**

**The GOOD NEWS is, thanks to your incredible generosity, we have reached our fundraising goal of \$41,000.**

Well done! The support of everyone has been overwhelming, and the Capreol-Valley Refugee Sponsorship Team is grateful to each and every one who has made a contribution.

Please continue to pray for the Alzahrn family, as they are as anxious to arrive in their new home as we are to receive them.

### **Breaking News:**

**As our bulletin was about to be printed, we learned that the Alzahrn family is arriving in Toronto at 8pm on Wednesday, and will likely be in Sudbury by Thursday. Thank you, everyone, for your continued prayers and support.**

### **CHRISTMAS POST-LUDE:**

With today marking the end of the Christmas Season, it is appropriate to thank everyone who made this series of celebrations in our community both vibrant and beautiful. And so, to our music ministries, our environment teams (decorators), liturgical ministers and Sacristans – a huge THANK YOU for sharing your time and talents with our community.

St. Kevin's CWL will have our first General Meeting of the New Year on Tuesday, January 12th, 7:00 pm. Some New Topics and some New Executive Members - We look forward to sharing with you and friends are always welcomed.

Before and After Masses -Saturday (Jan. 16) and Sunday (Jan. 17)

As in years past CWL will be asking you to sign cards against Pornography. These cards will be forwarded to Members of Parliament and hopefully your signature, along with the signatures of CWL members from across Canada, will lead to changes in the Law.

Bishop Alexander Carter Catholic Secondary School Open House For All Current Grade 8 Students January 13th at 6:30pm. Please contact the school if you have any questions 705-969-2212.