ST. KEVIN'S PARISH

SERVING THE ENGLISH SPEAKING ROMAN CATHOLICS OF CAPREOL & VALLEY EAST

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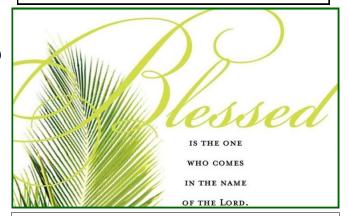
Baptism Confirmation **RCIA**

Teresa Cloutier Gord Jenkinson Pat Partington

Jeannette Rainville

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

March 24, 2024



Reconciliation

Saturdays: 4:00pm to 4:30pm at the St. Kevin's, Val Therese

Sundays: 11:00-11:20 at Our Lady of Peace, Capreol

Baptisms

Please call the parish office and the secretary will help you.

Marriage

Please contact the parish office at least eight months before your proposed date.

Registration in the Parish

Please call the parish office and the secretary will help you.



Prayer Line

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

Mass Schedule

Monday, March 25th to Sunday, March 31st

Day	Masses and Intentions		Readings
Monday 25th	No Mass		Isaiah 42.1-7 John 12.1-11
Tuesday 26th	9:30 a.m. OLP	+ For Deneige Pellerin By Marcel Pellerin & family	Isaiah 49.1-6 John 13.21-33, 36-38
Wednesday 27th	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin	For SSVP Conference (Friends,Patrons,Members, Volunteers & Staff) by Society of Saint Vincent de Paul	Isaiah 50.4-9a Matthew 26.14-26
Holy Thursday 28th	7:00 p.m. St. Kevin	Mass of the Lord's Supper For the intentions of Bishop Thomas Dowd & the priests of the Diocese	Exodus 12.1-8, 11-14 1 Corinthians 11.23-26 John 13.1-15
Good Friday 29th	3:00 p.m. OLP	There are never Masses on Good Friday. There will be a Passion Service at OLP.	Isaiah 52.13-53.12 Hebrews 4.14-16; 5.7-9 John 18.1-19.42
Saturday 30th	8:00 p.m. St. Kevin	+ For those in whose memory a donation was made for Easter flowers	Easter Vigil Mark 16.1-8
Easter Sunday 31st	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin	+ For John Derganc By Gloria Derganc	The Resurrection of the Lord
	11:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace	+ For those in whose memory a donation was made for Easter flowers	Acts 10.34a, 37-43 Colossians 3.1-4 John 20.1-18++

Rides to Good Friday Mass at Our Lady of Peace in Capreol

As has become our practice here at St.Kevin's, Good Friday Mass is only being held at one of our churches. This year it is at Our Lady of Peace in Capreol, on Friday March 29th at 3pm. Some parishioners have come forward to offer rides to Capreol, for those that require this help.



Should you wish a ride arranged, please <u>call the office by Monday March 25th.</u> Provide your name, address, and the best # to contact you at.



HOLY WEEK Liturgical Celebrations

St. Kevin's Parish – 2024

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Palm Sunday	March 23	SK, Val Therese	5 pm	
	March 24	SK	9:30 am	
	March 24	OLP, Capreol	11:30 am	
Holy Thursday	March 28	SK	7 pm	
Good Friday	March 29	OLP	3 pm	
Note: there is not a Good Friday service at St.Kevin's				
Easter Vigil	March 30	SK	8 pm	
Easter Sunday	March 31	SK	9:30 am	
	March 31	OLP	11:30 am	

Bishop Dowd to Visit St.Kevin's Parish

We are pleased to let you know that Bishop Thomas Dowd will be visiting our parish of St.Kevin's from April 6th to April 14th. This is part of a Diocesan initiative for the Bishop to visit all the Parishes in the Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie, and to better know the parishioners and their community. During his time with us, Bishop Dowd will preside over all of our Masses, speak with parishioners, attend Parish Committee Meetings, visit the local schools, meet with our local political representatives, and much more!

Please give Bishop Dowd a warm welcome when you see him. More information on the visit will be shared, once it is available.

St. Kevin's CWL Fundraiser

EASTER BAKE SALE

St. Kevin's Parish Hall

Sat. March 23 and Sun. March 24 after mass

Members wishing to donate baking can drop it off at the Parish Hall on: Fri. Mar. 22 - between 10am & 12noon

New Holy Water Fonts at St.Kevin's

At St.Kevin's 2 new holy water fonts have been installed on the walls, just inside the main doors into the church. When wanting to make the sign of the cross with holy water, please use the blessed water in these new fonts. The water in the large baptismal font has not blessed.

BREAD & ROSES FOOD BANK, Capreol

On behalf of the Bread and Roses food bank we would like donations of **soup** <u>for</u> <u>the month of March</u>. Items can be purchased at Foodland and a box is in the store for your items, or you can drop them off at Trinity United Church on Wed. or Friday morning between 9:30 and 11 am. A box has also been placed at the main entrance in the OLP lower foyer to accept your donations.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul - St. Kevin's Conference

Today is Palm Sunday and the beginning of the holiest of Christian weeks. Let us pray for the grace to take up our own cross and to follow Jesus through death to new life.



During Lent, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to bring the mercy of Jesus into the hearts of the poor, by assisting 34 families.

Memorial Easter Flowers



There are envelopes available at both the St. Kevin's & OLP sites for parishioners who are interested in making a donation to the parish for Easter flowers. We suggest this donation be given in memory of a deceased loved one. Any donation will be accepted.

Donations must be received by Monday March 25th, to have the remembrance published in the Easter bulletin.

Faith Sharing

Friday faith sharing at St.Kevin's is cancelled for March 22nd & March 29th, resuming on April 5th.



Facilitator: Pat Partington

General Meetings				
CWL SK Council	SK	Every 2 nd Tuesday of each month. Executive meets at noon. General Meeting follows at 1:00pm. 2024 membership \$35 Contact: Sue Godin (705) 593-2174		
CWL OLP Council	OLP hall	Every 2 nd Monday of each month at 1:30 p.m. (<i>if a holiday, moved to 1st Monday</i>). 2024 membership \$32 Contact: Marlynn #705-858-1857		
K of C Council #7368	SK hall	Every 1st Wednesday of the month. Executive meets at 6:30pm. General meeting follows at 7:00pm Contact: Greg Reilly (705) 969-5827		
St. Vincent de Paul Confer- ence	SK Board room	General meetings are every 1st Thursday of the month, at 1 pm . Contact :Betty Macisaac 249-878-5443		

Thank you to St.Kevin's Knights of Columbus, Council #7368 for their continued support of our Parish. The recent donation of \$2000 will cover the costs of new holy water fonts and altar linens at the St.Kevin's church.



Mark Your Calendars! Strawberry Shortcake Tea & Bazaar Saturday April 20th 2024 - 1pm to 3pm Hosted by Our Lady of Peace CWL



We are inviting parishioners to help us out by donating items towards any of the bazaar fundraisers noted below. Donations can be brought to the church, or you can call the CWL member indicated. If you would like your donation to remain anonymous, just let us know. *Thanks in advance for your support!*

Penny Sale table - new items only please. Cash donations are also welcome.	Contact: Lara Foucault 705-858-3149 or Colleen Daciuk 705-858-2094
Plant Sale - any kind, fully grown or 'starter' - show us your green thumb!	Contact Laura Lee McKee 705-690-3816 She would appreciate if you let her know that you plan to donate to the plant table.
Baking Table - members will get a call & be invited to donate	Contact: Rachell Carriere 705-858-2616 or Carmen Lemieux 705-858-1314
Pasta Table - Lina will be preparing jars of homemade pasta sauce for the bazaar in April	Contact Lina Mauro 705-858-2927 Those members wishing to contribute pasta sauce should contact Lina before the end of March, for more information.

Free Lip Reading / Speech Reading Program

The Canadian Hard of Hearing Association is sponsoring a Lip Reading / Speech Reading program. The program is free of charge but seating is limited, so you must call to register 705-523-5695. The program will run on Tuesdays for 10 weeks, starting March 26th, 7pm til 9pm at 435 Notre Dame Avenue in Sudbury (Nolin Centre). See poster on bulletin board.

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Universal Prayers March 24, 2024



For the Church, teaching in the Name of Christ, that it sustain the weary with a word of courage, righteousness and hope.

We pray to the Lord.

For those who are oppressed: May they experience support and freedom from those who are followers of the Lord, Who took the form of a slave.

We pray to the Lord.

That as we celebrate Holy Week and the Triduum, we may empty ourselves like Christ Jesus, serving in unselfish love.

We pray to the Lord.

That people in our community filled with humility may help to build God's kingdom by answering the call to serve God and the people.

We pray to the Lord.

For the leaders of government: that they recognize in Jesus, the King of the Jews, how to be true leaders and servants to those entrusted to their care.

We pray to the Lord.

For the sick and suffering members of our Parish family, and most especially for those who have been commended to our prayers through our Parish Prayer Ministry.

We pray to the Lord.

That our brothers and sisters who have died in may be raised up, and that those who mourn them may be comforted.

We pray to the Lord.

Our Parish

March 24, 2024

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord (B)

Mark 11:1-10 or John 12:12-16 / Isaiah 50:4-7 / Philippians 2:6-11 / Mark 14:1-15:47 or 15:1-39



The Hungers with Which We Live

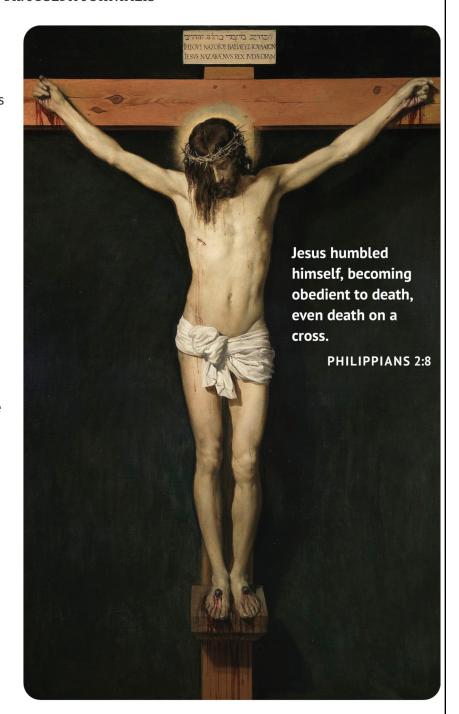
FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

enzin Kiyosaki is a former Buddhist nun who now works as an interfaith chaplain at a medical center in Los

Angeles. There she tends to the spiritual needs of patients who have less than six months to live. When her brother asked her what it was that dying patients talk about, it led to her book The Three Regrets: Inspirational Stories and Practical Advice for Love and Forgiveness at Life's End. The three regrets she lists are: 1) I did not live the life of my dreams; 2) I did not share my love; and 3) I did not forgive. All too easily it seems we become preoccupied with what in the end becomes peripheral to what we really seek in life.

Today we tell the story of how Jesus' life of loving others came to its final conclusion, one of sacrificial love to the point of death. He came to reveal how such love is an essential dimension of the presence of God at the heart of every human life, and a cornerstone of the kingdom of God he proclaimed and to which he gave his life.

To the end, even on the cross, forgiveness was an essential aspect of his life of loving others. The very realities of what Jesus' life was all about are the same hungers we so often fail to recognize as we live our lives, though it is what he continually preached. Coming face to face with our own mortality seems to make his message most real.



Reflect-

Are you living the three values articulated by Tenzin Kiyosaki? Is there one you could do better?