

St. Stanislaus & St. Pius X & St. Christopher

Parish Priest :
Rev. Father Arulkumar

Parish Secretary :
Faye Wafer

Office Hours :
Tuesday to Thursday
10 AM to 2 PM

Sunday Masses :
St. Pius X - Lively
Saturday : 4:30 PM
St. Christopher - Whitefish
Sunday : 9:00 AM
St. Stanislaus - Copper Cliff
Sunday : 11:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation :
St. Stanislaus - Copper Cliff
Sunday : 10:30 AM to 10:45 AM
St. Pius X - Lively
Saturday : 4:00 PM to 4:15 PM
St. Christopher - Whitefish
Sunday : 8:30 AM to 8:45 AM

Baptism :
Usually on the 3rd Sunday of the month.
Please make arrangements one month in
advance by contacting the Parish Office.

Marriages :
Please make marriage arrangements
9 months in advance by contacting the
Parish office. Saturday weddings are
scheduled at 1:00 PM.

Other Sacraments :
Contact Parish Office

Bulletin Announcements :
Email yours to
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Before 12 PM Wednesday

Prayer line :
St. Stanislaus : Faye Wafer 705-682-3207
or Ellen Austin 705-682-4596
St. Pius X : Eleanor Williams 705-692-4061
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St. Christopher : Adrienne McIntyre
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Mission Statement :
By our Baptism, we are committed to
celebrate the presence of Christ in Word
and Sacrament and are continually
called to build our lives in the image of
Christ. Through liturgy and ministry, we
strive to bring ourselves closer to God
and to each other, by building a strong
community of believers and a joyous
family of God.

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Third Sunday of Easter - May 1, 2022



**A Big Thanks to All
Who made the Divine Mercy Celebration 2022
More Meaningful & Graceful**



Catholic Education Week 2022
Catholic Education: Rebuild, Restore, Renew Together
Catholic Education Week takes place this year from Sunday, May 1 to Friday, May 6th. During this week, Sudbury Catholic Schools will join with Catholic schools across the province and to celebrate the unique and distinctive contribution that our schools make. We welcome this opportunity to celebrate our mission, Leaders in Learning and Faith, as we strive to integrate the Gospel values into every aspect of the school's curriculum and into all aspects of schooling.
In our celebrations this week, we invite our Catholic community to strengthen the bond that exists between us; by rebuilding-restoring-renewing our faith together and embracing the role of Catholic education in our lives.
Please join us in prayer this week as together, we share in gratitude for the gift of Catholic Education.

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Tuesday, May 3

09:30 AM - St. Christopher, Whitefish

† Palma Gauthier by Irene Gignac

Wednesday, May 4

10:30 AM - St. Pius X, Lively

† James Kanagarat by Kof C #3909

Thursday, May 5

09:30 AM - St. James School, Lively

No intention Requested

Friday, May 6

09:30 AM - St. Stanislaus, Copper Cliff

Kevin Smith by Jennifer Kirkwood

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Saturday, May 7

04:30 PM St. Pius X, Lively

† Margaret Vaillant by Kof C #3909

Sunday, May 8

09:00 AM St. Christopher, Whitefish

For the People entrusted to the Pastor

11:00 AM St. Stanislaus, Copper Cliff

† Cheryl Girolametto by Lisa Dicaire

The Rosary is recited before
Saturday and Sunday Mass.

The Cenacle of the Marian Movement of priests
is held each **Tuesday at 10:15 AM**
at **St. Christopher's Church, Whitefish.**

A **Prayer Line** is available for parishioners.
Anyone wishing to pray for a
special Intention, for someone who is **ill**,
having **surgery**, for the **deceased**, or
any other intention may contact
the **Prayer Line** or the **Parish Office.**

Mass Intentions

Offering Masses is a long standing
tradition in the Catholic Church.

**An Individual may ask a priest to offer a
Mass for several reasons.**

For example, in Thanksgiving, for the
intentions of another person (such as on a
Birthday or an **Anniversary**), for someone
who is **sick** or for the **repose of the soul** of
someone who has died.

Call the Parish Office: 705-682-4683

Third Sunday of Easter

Responsorial Psalm - Psalm 30

**I will extol you, Lord,
for you have raised me up.**

Weekdays Scripture Readings: May 2 to May 8, 2022

Day	Reading	Gospel
Monday	Acts 6:8-15	John 6:22-29
Tuesday	1 Corinthians 15:1-8	John 14:6-14
Wednesday	Acts 8:1-8	John 6:35-40
Thursday	Acts 8:26-40	John 6:44-51
Friday	2 Timothy 4:1-5	John 10:11-16
Saturday	Acts 9:31-42	John 6:53, 60-69++
Sunday	Acts 13:14, 43-52 / Revelation 7:9, 14-17	John 10:27-30

Sunday Collection - April 23 / 24, 2022

Thank You for Your Continued Generosity!

Church	Envelopes	Loose	PADP
St. Stanislaus, Copper Cliff	\$ 284	\$ 24	\$
St. Pius X, Lively	\$ 1210	\$ 20	\$
St. Christopher, Whitefish	\$ 505	\$ 188.05	\$

Third Week of Easter

John's Gospel brings us a wonderful story for the **Third Sunday of Easter**. After the events of Good Friday and the joy of Easter Sunday, Peter longs to return to his old life. 'I am going fishing', he says. In a scene reminiscent of the original call of Peter, Jesus appears to the group after a futile night of fishing but is unrecognized by his followers. He calls out to Peter in the boat and tells him where to drop his fishing nets. The fish overflow the nets and they suddenly recognize him: 'It is the Lord!' Jesus cooks them breakfast and asks Peter three times if he loves him. Peter, puzzled, affirms three times that he loves Jesus - just as he denied him three times during the Passion. 'Feed my sheep', Jesus says to him.

Monday is the **Memorial of Saint Athanasius, Bishop and Martyr**. Tuesday is the **Feast of Saints Philip and James, Apostles**.

In our first readings from **Acts of the Apostles** this week, we read of Stephen, one of the earliest martyrs, and of Philip converting an Ethiopian slave along the road. Next is the story of Saul, persecutor of Christians being blinded and then healed by Ananias in the name of Jesus. The week ends with Peter traveling the region and healing.

The gospel for this week is from Chapter 6 of **John's Gospel** on Jesus as the 'Bread of Life'. Like so many stories in this gospel, Jesus teaches from one layer of understanding to another, taking us deeper into understanding his gift of himself to us in the Eucharist. Jesus says, 'Do not work for food that perishes but for the food that endures for eternal life'. 'The bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world'. 'I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst'. 'I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my Flesh for the life of the world'. 'Whoever eats my Flesh and drinks my Blood remains in me and I in him'. This marvelous dialogue ends with this exchange with his disciples: 'Jesus then said to the Twelve, 'Do you also want to leave?' Simon Peter answered him, 'Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God'.

On the **Fourth Sunday of Easter**, the **Acts of the Apostles** shows us Paul and Barnabas and the turmoil they faced. The Gentiles were delighted with the good news of Jesus and but the Jews were angry and expelled them from their territory. In a brief, but powerful story from **John's Gospel**, Jesus offers comfort to those who follow him: 'My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me'.

Daily Prayer This Week

We can begin reflecting upon how often we 'work for food that perishes'. The pay-off, the success, the accomplishment, the reward we receive for what we do is often quite passing and unsatisfying. It would be important to be able to sense anything that appears to be food that doesn't last and name it as such this week. The real food, the life-giving nourishment that our Lord offers us is himself.

Knights of Columbus Membership Monthly Meeting - May 04, 2022

6:00 PM Dinner 7:00 PM Regular Meeting

Location: St. Stans Lower Hall

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