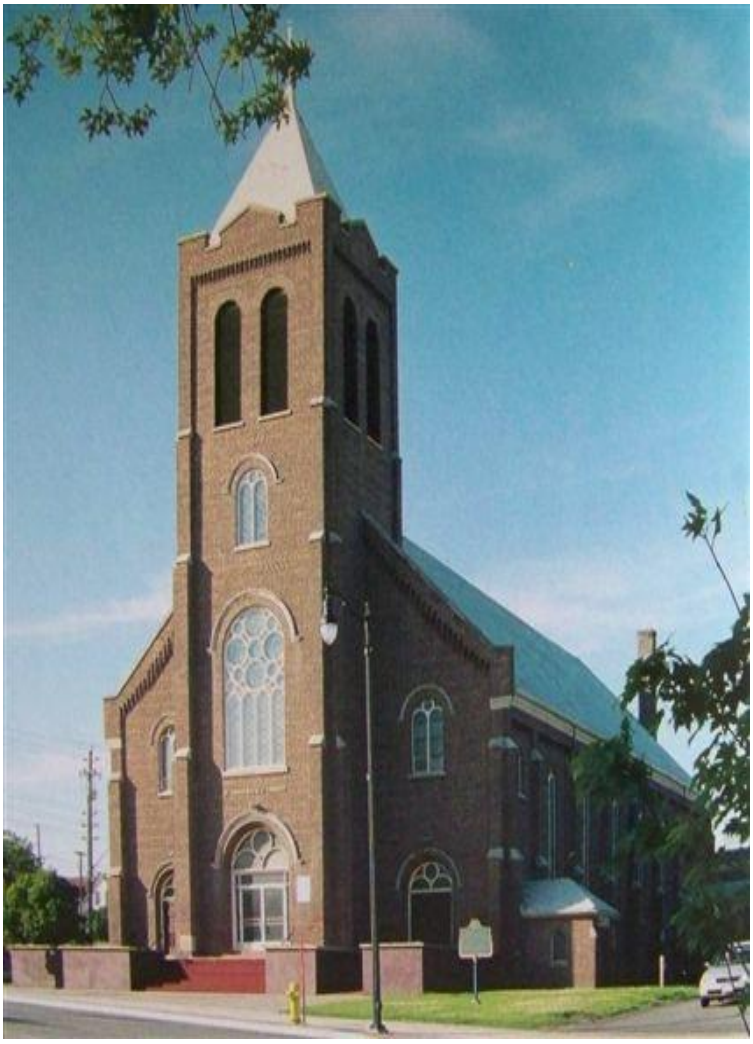
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St. Andrew's Parish is a unique - diverse community of people who live and share life through trusting, loving and serving.

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In our journey of life and faith, we work and strive to build a more peaceful and better society for a greater future. We like to share our talents by developing and maintaining a parish community that is active, vibrant and spiritually strong.

We look forward to preserving our faith traditions, reaching out to others as the living Body of Christ in this changing world.

Pastoral Team and Staff

Parish Administrator:	**Rev. Victor Chukwuma**
Deacon:	**Rev. Mr. Andre Nicol**
Deacon:	**Rev. Mr. Joey Terhljan**
Minister of Service:	**Kathie Terhljan**
Bookkeeper:	**Isabella Hotrum**
Custodian:	**Kerry Baraniuk**

Office Hours
Monday to Wednesday - 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Weekly Mass Schedule
See Mass Intentions inside Bulletin

Parish Registration

New Parishioner Welcome Packages are available on the Forms Rack at the back of the church.

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Sundays from September to June during the 10 a.m. Mass. All children and parents are welcome.

R.C.I.A.

Please contact the office for more information about the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parish Registration and Baptism Formation are required. Please contact the office.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Individual Confessions will be heard one-half hour before the Saturday and Sunday Masses.

Sacrament of Marriage

Parish Registration and a Marriage Preparation Course are required. Contact the office at least 12 months in advance.

Anointing of the Sick

Please contact the Parish Office.

Hospital/Home Visits

Please contact the Parish Office. In an emergency, if Father cannot be reached, please contact the TBRHSC at 807 684-6000 and ask for the Priest on Call.

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In our gospel from Matthew, Jesus sits down with his disciples who have chosen to follow him and teaches them the path to holiness through what we have come to know as the Beatitudes. Like the disciples, Jesus calls each of us to holiness. The Beatitudes provide a set of guidelines to help us become more Christ-like in our attitudes and behaviours. Today's Solemnity of All Saints is a reminder of our call to holiness. As we reflect on the lives of the Saints, we are encouraged and strengthened by their example to live a life in union with Christ. Following the path to sainthood is different from what our culture deems successful and honourable. Through their example, the saints teach us the value of living a humble daily life through joys and disappointments, trusting in God to shape our lives according to His will.

THIS WEEK – November 2 to November 8, 2026

MASS/LITURGY SCHEDULE:

Date		Location	Time	Mass Intention	Requested By
Mon.	Nov 2	Our Lady's Chapel	12:10 pm	For the Faithful Departed	Fr. Victor Chukwuma
		St. Joseph's Chapel	4:15 pm	For the Faithful Departed	Fr. Victor Chukwuma
Tues.	Nov 3	Our Lady's Chapel	12:10 pm	Spec. Int of Sharon Badanai	Kathie & Joey Terhljan
Wed.	Nov 4	Our Lady's Chapel	12:10 pm	Deceased Liparota Family Members	Maria & Family
Thurs.	Nov 5	Our Lady's Chapel	12:10 pm	Ray Belanger	Joanna Krisko
		St. Joseph's Chapel	4:15 pm	Spec. Int. of Helen Boggett	Kathie & Joey Terhljan
Fri.	Nov 6	Our Lady's Chapel	12:10 pm	Noella Prieston	Barbara & Allen Jaatinen
Sat.	Nov 7	Main Church	5:00 pm	Paul Raj	Paterson
Sun.	Nov 8	Main Church	10:00 am	Raymond & Florence Greer	Kelly Greer

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT – Tuesday through Friday in our Lady's Chapel at 11:30 a.m.

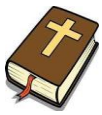
SOLEMNITIES, FEASTS & MEMORIALS



Nov 2 – All Souls' Day - Commemoration of the Faithful Departed
Nov 3 – St. Martin de Porres
Nov 4 – St. Charles Borromeo
Nov 6 – First Friday of the Month
Nov 7 – Our Lady's Saturday

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2026

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Readings: Wisdom 6.12-16
1 Thessalonians 4.13-18
Matthew 25.1-13

WEEKDAY MASS INTENTIONS NEEDED



Is there someone you know who needs prayers? The Catholic Church teaches that the Mass is the most powerful of all prayers and is of infinite value to the person for whom the mass is being offered. Each liturgy has a special intention associated with it. The suggested offering is $10 as set by the diocese. Arrangements can be made through the Parish Office or by filling out a Mass Intention Envelope located on the table at the back of the church and placing it in the Collection Basket.

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Our Priests: Please pick up this month's "Pray for Priests" Calendar at the main entrance to the church.

The Sick of our Parish: Catherine Carr, Mary Carr, Joseph Fink, Wayne Harman, Ann Kossar, Bridget Lefave, Stephanie Lenton, Marie Lou Lopez, Clementine Petchenuk, George Petralia, Suzanne Rymes, Carmela Scali, Anne Scott, Robert Sliskovich, Liberto Soares.

Parishioners at Home and in Long Term Care: Manuel Alves, Christine Cerutti, Gerry Gagnon, Emmi Janko, Suzanne Michaud, Paul Morrison, Betty Ann Mutrey, Walter Respondek, Maura Robinson, Ed Sepanary, Rae Scarnati, Eulalia Soares, Vi Trevisanutto, Andelina Wood, Nora Zsakai.

Faithful Departed: Especially those whose first anniversary of death occurs about this time.

Pope's Prayer Intention for November:



Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service of the common good and solidarity of those who have less.

THE MASS: STEP BY STEP



LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST: **The Eucharistic Prayer** – The Eucharistic Prayer is the center and high point of the entire liturgical celebration. It offers praise and asks God to change the bread and wine into the Body and Blood of Christ. For most of the Middle Ages, the priest recited this prayer quietly often as the choir sang. With the liturgical changes of Vatican II, the people were given acclamations to recite and at other times to join their hearts and minds with the priest as he offers aloud the prayer on their behalf. In upcoming bulletins, we will explore the various aspects of the Eucharistic Prayer.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

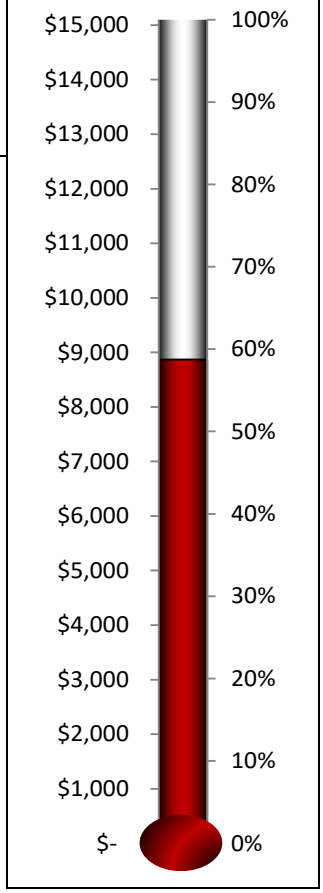


	PARISH COLLECTIONS				
	COLLECTION ENVELOPES	ELECTRONIC OFFERINGS	LOOSE COLLECTIONS	SPECIAL COLLECTIONS	SPECIAL PROJECT/ BUILDING FUND
October 25, 2026	**$1475.00**	**$250.00**	**$588.45**	**$75.00**	**$125.00**

FINANCIAL SUMMARY 2026		
	SEPTEMBER	**YEAR TO DATE**
Operating Income	**$8,386.25**	**$99,642.79**
Operating Expense	**$16,282.98**	**$123,719.82**
Net Gain/Loss	**-$7,896.73**	**-$24,077.03**

BISHOP'S CAMPAIGN 2026

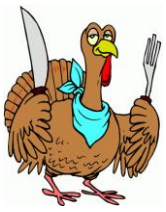
PARISH GOAL
$15,100
RAISED TO DATE
$8,870





BISHOP'S CAMPAIGN UPDATE – The Bishop's Diocesan Ministries Campaign is underway for 2026. This annual campaign raises needed funds to support various ministries and programs within the Diocese of Thunder Bay. Each year, parishes are asked to share in raising funds for this campaign. Many of you have already received a campaign package and pledge form from the Diocese which provides more detail as to how these funds are used. Donations can be made directly to the diocese or through the parish office. If you have not received a campaign package, these can be found on the table at the back of the church. At this point we are a little over half-way to our **Parish goal of $15,100** and are grateful to all who have contributed thus far. If you have not already done so, we encourage you to reflect on how you can support the parish and our diocese by contributing to this campaign.

PARISH EVENTS & ACTIVITIES



Join us for our annual **TURKEY DINNER** on **Sunday, November 22nd at 5:30 p.m. in Saunders Hall**. Dinner includes: Turkey, Dressing, Mashed Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Cranberry Sauce & Dessert. Tickets are Adults $30, Students $15 and Children (6 & under) eat for Free. Tickets will be available starting next week before/after the weekend Masses or at the Office during office hours.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS



Knights of Columbus Leo Council #1130 invites all men of the parish to the next **COR SESSION** to be held on **Saturday, November 7th at 9:00 a.m.** at the Columbus Centre.

The Knights of Columbus will hold their annual **MASS FOR DECEASED MEMBERS** at Corpus Christi Church on **Thursday, November 12th at 7:00 p.m.** All are welcome to attend.

IN THE DIOCESE



St. Elizabeth CWL is hosting a **2-BIT AUCTION FUNDRAISER** on **Sunday, November 15, 2026 from 1-4 p.m.** Doors open at noon. Tickets are $8 in advance or $10 at the door. Great prizes to be won! Refreshments will also be available. For tickets or for more information call St. Elizabeth Church at 807 622-1085 or email steliz@tbaytel.net. Must be 19 years or older to participate.

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