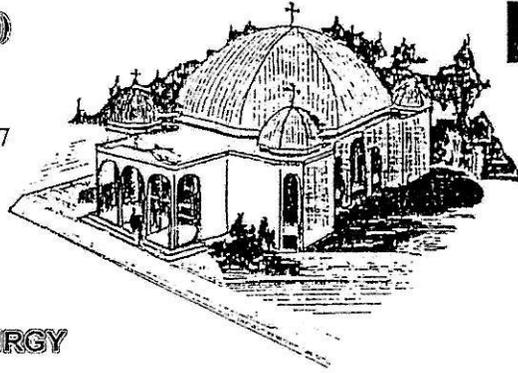


## ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

(Byzantine-Ukrainian Rite)

293 St. George's Avenue East  
Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario  
P6B 6E8 Phone: (705) 942-1377

Established in 1917



### DIVINE LITURGY

Saturday: 4:15 pm. - all in English  
Sunday: 9:30 am. - all in Ukrainian  
11:00 am. - all in English

**BAPTISM:** by prior arrangement

**MARRIAGE:** Please call the parish office  
3 months notice is required.

### RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 3:15 - 3:45 pm.  
Before & after weekday Liturgy  
Anytime by appointment

### SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

### HOME VISITATION:

Please call the parish office to make  
arrangements.

*WELCOME to our parish...Enter expectantly...*

*Breathe prayerfully....*

*Worship reverently...*

*Relax restfully...*

*Greet others in love...*

*Leave touched by God, & come again soon!*

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**RECTORY:** 91 Grand Blvd.  
Sault Ste. Marie, ON P6B 4S1  
Phone: (705) 256-1025

Ms. Charlotte Conrad  
Monday: CLOSED  
Tues. - Fri. 10 am. - 4 pm.  
Closed on all holidays

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*We are each of us angels with only one wing...  
And we can only fly embracing each other...*  
Luciano DeCrenzenzo

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Sunday, September 6th, 2020

14<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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**EPISTLE:** 2 Corinthians 1:21-2:4

**LAY READERS**

4:15 pm.

9:30 am.

**GOSPEL:** St. Matthew 22:1-14

11:00 am.

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**DIVINE SERVICES: (September 7 – September 13)**

**MONDAY:** 12:00 Noon Rosary  
12:20 p.m. Divine Liturgy

**TUESDAY:** 10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy

**WEDNESDAY:** No Services

**THURSDAY:** No Services

**FRIDAY:** 9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy

**SATURDAY:** 4:15 p.m. Divine Liturgy for Parishioners (Eng.)

**SUNDAY:** 9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy for Parishioners (Ukr.)

11:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy for Parishioners (Eng.)

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**SOMEONE IS REACHING THE HALF CENTURY MARK THIS WEEK!!!** On Friday, Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>, Fr. Jerry will be celebrating his 50<sup>th</sup> birthday. We wish you God's many blessings and want you to know how much you are loved and appreciated for all that you do – seen and unseen.

Mnohaya i Blahaya Lita!

1. Ladies and Men of the parish are asked to help make perogies and cabbage rolls on Thursday September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at 7:30 a.m. Preparation work (cabbage & potatoes) will be done just by the cook. There will be social distancing tables.

2. Just a reminder about our **FOOD DRIVE**. Donations placed in our blue basket in the vestibule are delivered to the Salvation Army Food Bank regularly. Jesus said: "Whatsoever you do to the least of my brothers or sisters that you do unto me."

3. Parish e-mail address: [soostmaryukr@bellnet.ca](mailto:soostmaryukr@bellnet.ca) [www.stmarysukrsm.ca](http://www.stmarysukrsm.ca)

**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND SHUT-INS:**

Lorraine Wilson, Dora Notte, Jessie & Anita Lutes, Msgr. Anton Szymychalski, Clair Crowley, Fr. Jaroslaw Lazoryk, Wanda Duczmal, Debbie Bromeley, Antoinette Blunt, Katheren Pasternak, Walter Borowicz, Pat Stratichuk, Elsie Barrett, Betty Pauliuk, Doris Lebel, Jo-Anne Stone, Nikolaos Georgas, Denise Jacques, Reg Beaudette, Phil Marinelli, Mike Plastino, Theresa Barsanti, Patty-Ann Bellerive, Jim Parniak, Stephanie Parniak, Connie Sampson, Lee DeMelo, Fr. Ivan Trush, Fr. Oleh Yuryk, Fr. John Barszczyk, Dorothy McIntyre, Pauline Baiocchi, Andrea Stone Pietramale, Lynn Dunne, Fr. Andrew Kormanik, Ray Robinson, Dennis Conrad, Hunter Stone, Gavin Stone, Gerard Dosko, Anderson Knight, Jennie Yuskiw, Ron Barsanti, Borden Shewchuk, Peter Harlow and Larisa Pochmursky.

*Lord, Jesus Christ, You Who travelled throughout Galilee healing the sick, enabling the blind to see and the lame to walk, bring healing to Your people who need it this day. Grant relief to the ones who suffer pain and physical torment. Give peace to those whose minds are tortured by mental illness and anxiety. Comfort those who are alone in their suffering; may Your people reach out to them and to all the needy this day. Send Your grace to the caregivers that they may be gentle and effective agents of Your loving mercy. May our sufferings be joined with Yours to bring healing throughout the world. Amen.*

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**Last Sunday's Offering:**            \$2,185.00 Thank you!

**Errors or Omissions? Please call the Parish Office at #705-942-1377.**  
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**“PEDAL”**

**At first I saw God as an observer, like my judge, keeping track of things did wrong. This way, God would know whether I merited heaven or hell when I died. He was always out there, sort of like the President. I recognized His picture when I saw it, but I didn't really know Him at all.**

**But later on, when I recognized my higher power better, it seemed as though life was rather like a bike ride, on a tandem bike, and I noticed God was in the back helping me pedal. I don't know when it was that He suggested we change places, but life has not been the same since...life with my higher power, that is, making life much more making life much more exciting.**

**When I had control, I knew the way. It was rather boring but predictable. It was always the shortest distance between the points. But when He took the lead, He knew delightful cuts, up mountains, and through rocky places and at breakneck speeds; it was all I could do to hang on!**

**Even though it looked like madness, He kept saying, "Pedal, pedal!"**

**I worried and became anxious, asking, "Where are you taking me?" He just laughed and didn't answer, and I found myself starting to trust. I soon forgot my boring life and entered into the adventure, and when I'd say, "I'm scared," He'd lean back and touch my hand. He took me to people with gifts that I needed; gifts of healing, acceptance, and joy. They gave me their gifts to take on my journey. Our journey, that is, God's and mine. And we were off again. HE said, "Give the gifts away, they're extra baggage, too much weight," So I did, to the people we met, and I found that in giving I received, and still our burden was light.**

**I did not trust Him at first, in control of my life. I thought He'd wreck it. But He knew BIKE secrets, knew how to make it bend to take sharp corners, jump to clear places filled with rocks, fly to shorten scary passages. And I'm learning to shut up and pedal in the strangest places, and I'm beginning to enjoy the view and the cool breeze on my face with my delightful constant companion, my higher power.**

**And when I'm sure I can't go on anymore, He just smiles and says, "Pedal..."            (Author Unknown)**

# Homeless Man Helping His Friend

By A Friend • September 4, 2020

Today I brought some hot dogs to this group of homeless guys that sit in the shade next to a gas station down the street from where I live.

I only had 5 buns so I could only bring 5 hot dogs and some sodas.

When I got there and told them I had some hot dogs for them i just saw a couple of their faces light up and that made me so happy.

But what this post is all about is after I had given out 4 of the hot dogs there was one more guy in line, but instead of asking for a hot dog for himself he just asked me to give the last one to an older man that was sitting 20 feet away and couldn't stand or really speak very much.

Keep in mind this guy was just as skinny, and I assume just as hungry as the rest of these guys, but instead of getting the last hot dog for himself he had me give it the man who couldn't walk.

That just taught me that no matter how little you have, you can still be a giving/loving/selfless person.

And in my opinion, being selfless is a whole lot harder when you hardly have anything to begin with.