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Diocese of Thunder Bay

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February 10, 2020

"Walking in the Footsteps of the Carpenter" Retreat for Men Renewal, regeneration or restart, it is time to retreat! This Men's retreat is for any man 18 years or older, if a Knight or not. Join us in a reflection on How we might imitate Joseph who is a model for every father and man. Led by Deacon Michael McBride Spiritual Advisor to Council 7332. Saturday February 15, 2020 1:00pm-4:30pm, St. Elizabeth's Parish Hall 766 Sprague Street. Cost \$1.00. Bring a Bible with you, but not necessary.

Knights of Columbus Council 1447. Spaghetti and Meatballs Take Out,

Thursday Feb 20 Take out 3:00pm-6:00pm (Roasted Chicken and Perogies also available) 301 South May Street. Call to confirm date 623-3252 (please bring your own containers for take out)

<u>NEW MEN'S BIBLE STUDY</u> about The Gospel of Mark. Following a vivid and dynamic DVD series we will focus on the miracles and divine Sonship of Jesus. Begins Saturday, February 22, 8:30-10:00am, at Corpus Christi Church (downstairs). We will continue every 2nd and 4th Saturday. Contact: Deacon Dennis McDermott, 807-633-2720.

Holy Family Church Annual Chili Cook Off 2020: To be held Saturday February 22nd following 5:00pm Mass in the Church Hall. Tickets are only \$5.00 each and children under 6 are free. Come join us as we sample all the different competitors chili recipes and decide for yourself which one you want to vote for. Then sit back and enjoy a bowl of your favourite chilli & refreshments. Bring your appetite and join us for some fun and competition! If a team would like to enter their favourite chili recipe, you are more than welcome. Just call the office at #473-9722 and register. Then you just bring your slow cooker with your favourite chili & let the competition begin.

<u>Divine Mercy Lenten</u> Retreat starts Monday, February 24th, 7:00 pm at St. Patrick's Cathedral. A 10-part weekly retreat revealing GOD'S MERCIFUL LOVE FOR YOU. Register with Doug at 807-708-4143.

<u>A Journey to the Empty Tomb</u> Beginning February 26, 2020 and continuing every Wednesday of Lent, there will be video presentations and reflection in St. Anthony's Hall, of St. Anthony's Parish, at 7:30 p.m. Everybody is welcome to this Spiritual Journey to Easter. Free Admission.

<u>Rite of Election</u> will take place on Saturday Feb 29 at the Cathedral at the 5:00 mass with Bishop Colli. Any adult that will be baptized or confirmed at the Easter Vigil in any parish should attend this mass. Names of these people and their sponsors should be submitted to Judy Stankus at <u>istankus@tbaytel.net</u> by the 14th of February.

<u>"Journey With Jesus" Silent Lenten Retreat</u>, Facilitator: Elizabeth Peters, Assisted by C.L.C., Anemki-Wadj Retreat Centre, 785 Grande Pt. Rd., F.W.F.N. February 29, 2020, Gathering 9:30 – 4p.m., FREE WILL OFFERING. Space is limited so please contact 631-7467 or 343-9313 ext# 244 to register

<u>A Lenten retreat entitled "THE LEGACY OF ST. FRANCIS, As Unfolded by Pope Francis"</u> will be offered at St. Peter's Church in the evening (6:30 p.m. -7:30 p.m.) from Monday, March 9th to Wednesday, March 11th. Together, we will explore the dynamic and rich spirituality of prayer and action of this 12th and 13th Century Mystic as unfolded by Pope Francis—" I believe that St. Francis is the example par excellence of care for the vulnerable and of an integral ecology lived out joyfully and authentically." (#10, Laudato Si') The evening will provide time for prayer, input and social interaction

Retreat Facilitator: Evelyn M. Marcon, M.A., (Retreat Director & Spiritual Director).

<u>A Lenten Evening of Reflection</u> on March 9, 2020. Hosted by the Our Lady of Mount Carmel Community at Corpus Christi Parish. The evening begins with Mass at 7:00 celebrated by Fr. Terry Sawchuk, followed by a spiritual talk and an opportunity for confession. All are welcome!