



# Monday Memo

Diocese of Thunder Bay

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June 3, 2024

**Retirement on the Horizon: Retirement on the Horizon:** Bishop Colli will be 75 years old in June and will most likely be retired by the end of June. His last public Mass in Schreiber at Holy Angels Parish on **June 9, 2024** at 3:30 pm. and in Thunder Bay on **Sunday July 14, 2024** at St. Patrick's Cathedral on at the 10:30 am Mass. **A reception will be held at the Catholic Pastoral Centre on July 14 in the afternoon from 2 - 5 pm. EVERYONE IS WELCOME.** If you have any questions about my retirement, please contact Susan Nistico at the Catholic Pastoral Centre (807)343-9313

**Pilgrimage to the Sacred Heart of Jesus Chapel** - on the Feast Day of Sacred Heart of Jesus (**June 7th**), the parishioners of St. Mary's and Our Lady of Lourdes will go on a pilgrimage to the Sacred Heart Chapel at Bear Pass. The pilgrimage begins at St. Mary's Church. Rosary Procession begins at 6:30pm and the Feast Mass begins at 7:00pm.

**Feast of St. Anthony's Parish:** Sunday **June 9<sup>th</sup>** Mass Celebration 11:00am. Following the Mass there will be the Solemn Procession with the Statue of St. Anthony (in the parking lot) Blessing & distribution of Bread held after the procession. A special performance by Le Stelle Alpine Italian Dancers during the distribution of Bread. Everyone is invited to participate in this Annual Feast Day.

**St. Andrew's Parish** is holding a **PICKEREL DINNER** on Sunday, **June 9<sup>th</sup>** at 5:30 p.m. in Saunders Hall. The cost is \$25.00 and children under 5 eat for free. The meal includes: fresh pickerel, baked beans, potatoes, coleslaw and dessert. A take-out option is also available with pick up in Saunders Hall from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. Dine-in and Take-out tickets can be purchased at the parish office Tuesday through Thursday during office hours. For more information, please call (807) 345-5202. Be sure to get your tickets early so you don't miss out!

**Knights of Columbus Spaghetti & Meatballs Take-Out:** **June 13**, 2:00pm – 5:30pm, 301 May Street, 807-623-3252

**Ordinations to the Permanent Diaconate:** On Saturday, **June 15**, 2024 Bishop Colli will ordain three men to the Permanent Diaconate at St. Patrick's Cathedral in Thunder Bay at 2 pm. The men are: Rick Geurts of St. Patrick's parish in Atikokan, Dave Frank of St. Kateri Parish and Gull Bay Parish and Reino Pitkanen of Holy Family Parish in Thunder Bay. As well the Mandating to the Diocesan Order of Service: Debbie Esquega (St. Kateri Parish) and Linda Pitkanen (Holy Family) Everyone is welcome to attend.

**Ordination to the Priesthood:** One of our Diocesan Permanent Deacons, Rev. Mr. Larry Kurec (St. Casimir/Queen of Poland) will be Ordained to the Priesthood on Saturday **June 22, 2024** at 2:00 p.m. in the Church of Our Lady Queen of Poland. All are Welcome to attend the Celebration

**Holy Family Church – Children's Bible Camp:** We will be holding our Bible Camp this summer for children ages 4 to 9. Children will be learning about our Holy Mass, our Apostles and our many Traditions, using art and music. The weekly classes will start on **July 4 to August 29<sup>th</sup>**, from 9:00 am until Noon. The registration fee is \$50 per family. Please contact our office at 807 473 9722 or [holy.family@shaw.ca](mailto:holy.family@shaw.ca) and we will send you a registration package.