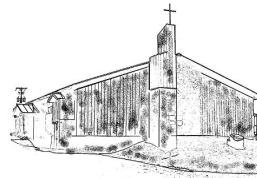


**Basilica of Our Lady of Perpetual Help
&
Our Lady of Assumption**



2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

NEXT WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS

Requested For

Requested By

December 7—7:00pm Mass

JEAN KELLY

BARB O'QUINN

December 9—9:00am Mass

MIKE & VERONICA SLANEY

TOM & THERESA HAWCO

December 10—7:00pm Mass

STEVEN CUSICK

AG & STEVE CUSICK

December 11—10:00am Mass

FOR THE PARISHIONERS

December 11—7:30pm Mass

JEROME GOVER

ROSEMARY GOVER

BISHOP'S PASTORAL VISIT

Bishop Bart is in town. He will be taking Masses at all the three places – Wabush, Labrador City and Churchill Falls. Hearty welcome, Bishop. We wish you a fruitful visit and an enjoyable stay with us.



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Melissa Pike

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9:00am to 12:00pm noon

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MASS SCHEDULE

The Basilica Parish:

- Sunday: 10:00am & 7:30pm
- Wednesday: 6:45pm Novena followed by the Holy Eucharist
- Friday: 9:00am at the Basilica Marian Chapel

The Assumption Parish:

- Saturday: 7:00pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHRISTMAS MASSES

At the Basilica, 24th : 4.00 pm. English Mass
8.00 pm. English Mass
10.00pm. French Mass

At the Assumption, Wabush, 24th: 6.00 pm English Mass

Christmas Day, 25th at the Basilica: 11.00 am English Mass

New year Eve – Assumption Wabush: 5.00 pm Mass
Basilica, Labrador City : 7.00 pm Mass

New Year Day – Basilica, Labrador City: 11.00 am Mass

A WARM WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to those who want to make their “faith-home” here with us. You may be new to Labrador City & Wabush or you may have been “away for a while”. Be assured that we love to have you among us.

We would appreciate it if you introduced yourself to one of our hospitality ministers or to Father Joy. It would also help if you could take the time to fill out a registration form which can be found at the entrance of the church. The next time you are with us, you can drop off the registration form in the collection basket or give it to one of the hospitality ministers. Once again, Welcome.

CWL

The Catholic Women’s League extends their sincere thanks to all those who donated and helped at the Bazar. The winner of the Quilt was Kaitlyn Pike and the ticket number: 1899. We appreciate your continued support and help. Once again “A Big Thank You”.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

At the Basilica, 28 of our children who are preparing for the First Holy Communion are celebrating “Called by name” this Sunday. Kindly remember them in your prayers as they continue in their faith journey to receive the Lord in the Holy Communion.

RECONCILIATION

Anyone who would like to do the sacramental reconciliation please contact Father.

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JOURNEY THROUGH ADVENT 2022

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops presents Journey through Advent with the Most Rev. Joseph Dabrowski, CSMA, Auxiliary Bishop of London, Ontario. It is a joint initiative of the National Liturgy Office, the Office national de liturgie and the Office for Evangelization and Catechesis.

The 2nd video Advent Reflection is up now. Let us continue our Advent Journey together...

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REFLECTION

Today's liturgy invites us to conversion. In the first reading, Prophet Isaiah prompts us to be converted and to live a life of righteousness and meekness. St. John the Baptist through his life and message, invites us to repent and to welcome Jesus Christ. Jesus came 2022 years ago as baby in Bethlehem. The same Jesus comes and keeps coming today, but we often fail to recognize him. Because we do not know how to perceive his presence in every event of our life. In fact, we are afraid to welcome Christ because we are worried if his message would upset us by demanding a radical transformation of our habits/lives. So, we rather prefer to keep our eyes and ears closed.

There is a great need for the coming of Jesus today! He needs to come into the lives of people who have closed the doors of love, compassion, and mercy. He needs to come to the families, and communities, whose members are envious, jealous, divided, speak ill of each other, do not help each other. He needs to come to the nations and countries where citizens kill each other, where there is war, violence, injustice, hate grudges and so on. However, he cannot come and will not come unless we remove the obstacles that prevent his coming. Barriers will have to be pulled down, valleys filled up and people must love one another, and they must remain united. Let God help us to live his commandment: "Love one another as I have loved you".

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