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Welcome

Whether you and your family are new to the area, or here for a short visit, you are most welcome to worship with us. May you find God's peace, hospitality and friendship with us. No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, the doors of our Parishes and our hearts are open to you. Let us gather as a community to celebrate the blessings that surround us.

Mass Times

Saturday 4:00 pm - St. Mary, Huntsville

Sunday 9:00 am - St. Mary, Huntsville

11:00 am - St. Kateri, Baysville

WEEKDAY MASSES - St. Mary, Huntsville

Tuesday 9:00 am

Wednesday 12:00 pm

Thursday 9:00 am

Friday 12:00 pm

Confessions

Saturday 3:15 pm – 3:45 pm - St. Mary, Huntsville

Anytime by Appointment

Adoration

First Friday of the Month at 11 am, followed by Mass

Parish Liturgical Leaders

Parish Council - Jo Ann Giesler

Finance Committee - John Emsley

Music Ministry - Belinda Moretto, Rosie Vandenberg
- Cathy Vanclieaf (St. Kateri)

Counters - Please contact the office

Eucharistic Ministers - Please contact the office

Lectors - Judith Gottschalk

Parish Schools

St Mary Elementary School

Barbara Heeneman, Principal 705-789-6481

St. Dominic Catholic Secondary School

Joe Conway, Principal 705-646-8772

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St. Vincent de Paul Society

Hotline: 705-789-0008

Parish Office

Mary Helen Moes, Administrative Assistant

Office Hours:

Tuesday - Thursday

9:30 am - 2:30 pm

Catholic Funeral Rites

Please call the parish office to arrange funeral Masses. We work closely with the funeral homes and will assist you with the liturgical arrangement to honour the departed family member.

Rites of Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Classes begin in October for Adults seeking baptism or full communion into the Catholic Christian faith. Please contact the parish office to register.

Sacrament of Baptism (Infants)

Please contact the parish office for details. Baptisms are scheduled monthly. A pre-baptism meeting is required.

Catechism Classes (Oct - May)

First Communion and Confirmation classes are held at the parish. Registration takes place in September.

Sacrament of Marriage

Kindly contact the parish office at least six months prior to desired date of marriage. A Marriage Preparation Course is essential as are several meetings with the priest.

Anointing of the Sick

If you have a family member sick or know of someone near death please call the parish and request the sacrament of the sick.

Sick and Homebound

Please contact the parish office if you know someone confined to home or in hospital, so sacramental and pastoral care may be arranged.



Masses for the Week of June 23 - 29

Tuesday, June 24

9:00 a.m. † Thomas Collin Whitney Bath/ Elizabeth & Jan Sirek

Wednesday, June 25

12:00 p.m. † Johan Ertler/ Anna Maria Ertler

Thursday, June 26

9:00 a.m. † Barthold Weisner / Elizabeth Posma

Friday, June 27

12:00 p.m. † Margaret Smith / Eleanor Wolfle

Saturday, June 28

4:00 p.m. † Deloris Manderscheild / Mary Welsh

Sunday, June 29

9:00 a.m. SI For the People of the Parish

11:00 a.m. † Shirley Steel / Betty Hammond

Prayers for the Sick

Especially for Sam Muzzi, Jim Poling, Jaymie Ward, Phillip Tomkin, Robert Foley, Ruth Anne Foley, John Dunbar, Doris Lane, Connie Gregory, Ian Bruce, Sharon Boivin, Timothy Pelyk, Peter Poustie, Pam & Don Mackenzie, Esther Phillips, Carole Ruttan, Kevin Phillips, Stephanie Jarvis, Mabelle Claer, Janine Wright, Mike & Loretta Pearson, Doris Cristiano, Karl Richter, Dallas Clarke, Tcherina Zylstra, Brian & Diane O'Connor, Remi LeGros, Emily Warman, Terry Russell, Ed Quinn, Veronica Cotman, Kenn Jumayao, Marg Grant, Anna Maria Ertler, Mike Berardi, June Anne Crawford, Mike Kittl, Michelle Haskin

And in remembrance of the deceased

Peter Tracy, Sheila Bruce, Monsignor Mariano Polito, Gino Magistrale, Brian Haywood, Laurelle Robertson, Fr Clem Flaherty, Margaret Smith,

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

On the night before giving His life on the cross, Jesus instituted the Eucharist, the gift of his Body and Blood, in the form of bread and wine, as the perpetual Passover sacrifice for his followers. This was done in the context of what is traditionally called the Last Supper. The Solemnity we celebrate this Sunday centers on the gift of the Body and Blood of the Lord, which we partake in at Holy Mass (the Eucharist) until the Lord comes again in glory at the end of the ages.

Instituting the Eucharist at the time when the Jewish Passover lambs were being sacrificed, Jesus inaugurated the Christian Passover. As the ancient rite commemorated the freedom of God's people from slavery in Egypt, so the Christian ritual recalls freedom from sin and death and the gift of new life being offered in and through Christ, who rose from the dead to bring eternal life.

Firm belief in the Body and Blood of Christ and regular reception of the Blessed Sacrament or Holy Communion is fundamental to Catholic doctrine, spirituality and growth in holiness. This is our inheritance. Let us joyfully embrace the gift of "finest wheat" which God offers us regularly, even every day.

The unbroken teaching of the Catholic Church is that we behold and receive in the Eucharist the Real Presence of the Risen Lord, who promised to be with us until the end of time. It is a great mystery yet at the same time a simple truth: God-is-with-us in a very special and singular way in the Blessed Sacrament, both received at Holy Communion and adored in the tabernacle or exposed on the altar at Exposition and Benediction.

The Mass, Holy Eucharist, is the sacrifice or offering of the new covenant in the Blood of Christ. It is likewise the offering of the faithful, God's people, united to Jesus in praise of the One God.

Saint Paul the Apostle preached that the entire life of a Christian is a prolongation of the Eucharist, as a spiritual sacrifice offered to God in union with Christ. For this reason, Saint Paul exhorted his hearers to offer themselves as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God. This is the message for each of us today as well and the heart of our religion and worship, in spirit and in truth (Romans 12:1).

We should not come to Mass out of mere obligation, but because the Eucharistic celebration is an integral part of our life in Christ and our communion with others. The celebration and reception of the Eucharist should be our strength and joy, a commitment in faith and love that gives meaning to all our existence.

We aren't Christians because we go to Mass, but we go to Mass because we are Christians, to celebrate God's unbounded love for us and to participate in the action that followers of Christ have engaged in since the Lord walked among his own here on earth.

- Fr Dominick

Parish Groups

Altar Society

Property Committee

Friends of St. Kateri

Friends of St. Mary

Hot Lunch Program

Catholic Organizations

Catholic Women's League (CWL)

Knights of Columbus Council #7851

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Assoc. Missionaries of St. Paul (AMSP)

Next Weekend Ministry Schedule

June 28-29, 2025

	4:00 pm	9 am	11 am
Lectors	Ron Downey	Judith Gottschalk	Bert Vanderhulst
EMC	Linda Moore	Jo Ann Giesler	John MacInnis
Ushers	Marguerite Goodfellow Walter Gryns	Doug Neigel Lou Luvison Al Kudryk Mary Kudryk	Hugh Knox Bob Lacroix Linda Lacroix

Counters Tuesday, June 24, 2025 - Mary Kydryk & Linda Latour & Laila Etherington



ASSOCIATE MISSIONARIES OF ST. PAUL

KIDS SUMMER CAMP

Registration opens to Parishioners May 25th
(Registration open to non-parishioners July 25 if space is available)

August 11 -15, 2025
9:30 - 11:30 am
SK to Grade 5
 (Leaders in Training Grade 6 - Adult)
 Register online at
www.maryassumptionparish.com/youth-ministry

St. Patrick's Church, Kearney
Jubilee Mass
July 16, at 11:00 AM
St. Patrick's Church, Kearney



Confessions will be available from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM before the Mass for those who wish. Please use the sign-up sheet at the entrance of our parish, so they can estimate attendance. From July 1 to 15, Monday to Friday, pilgrims are welcome for 10:00 AM Adoration and Confessions, followed by 11:00 AM Mass.

Sunday Collection, June 15, 2025

Offertory	\$ 4,055.85
Priests Benefit Fund	\$ 1,140.00

Thank you for your continued generosity.

Congratulations!

To all our graduating Students of
St. Dominic CSS
 and
St. Mary CES

May our St. Mary of the Assumption parish community always be in your hearts and homes! We pray that God blesses you in every endeavor of this new chapter in your life.



JUBILEE 2025
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ASSUMPTION OF MARY

MARIAN SPIRITUAL CELEBRATION
JUBILEE MASS
August 15, 2025
10 AM
ST. MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION CHURCH
HUNTSVILLE

Reception to follow - All are welcome

St. Vincent de Paul Food Drive

Thank you to all who donated to the SVDP Monthly Food Drive. Through your generous donations we received 238 pounds of food. Thank you again for your generosity.



Parish Groups Meetings/ Events



Graduation Mass
St. Mary CES
 Tuesday, June 17
 9:30 a.m.
 St. Mary's School



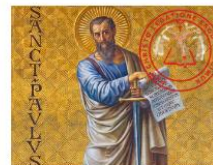
Graduation
St. Dominic CSS
 Thursday, June 26
 6:00 pm
 St. Dominic CSS



K of C Meeting
 Thursday, June 26
 7:00 pm
 Parish Hall



Closing of the Year of Sacred Heart
Jubilee Mass Sacred Heart Parish
 Friday, June 27
 11 am - 3:30 pm
 Trout Creek



Associate Missionaries of St. Paul
Feast of Sts. Peter & Paul Mass
 Sunday, June 29
 3:00 p.m.
 Church