

St. Mary's Roman Catholic Cathedral

Archdiocese of Winnipeg



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Mass Times:

Sunday Eucharist:
Saturday 5:00 p.m., Sunday 9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.
Weekday Eucharist:
Monday to Friday 12:10 noon
1st Friday - Adoration - 9:30 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Holy Names House of Peace located at
211 Edmonton Street
Tuesday – Friday: 9:00 am – Noon
Saturday : 10:00 am – Noon
Or Upon Request

Ordained Ministers:

Rector: Very Reverend Geoffrey Angeles
Parochial Vicar: Reverend Marcelino Bandico
Deacon: Reverend Mr. Rudy Le Maître
Sacramental Assistant: Reverend Ken Barclay (Retired)

Mission Statement

As the Cathedral parish of the Archdiocese of Winnipeg, we welcome and serve all people on their faith journey as we promote and celebrate the Catholic faith in the living Christ. Through excellent liturgy, we are inspired to embrace social justice and diversity, and foster personal growth. In an atmosphere of acceptance, we encourage hopefulness, love and transformation.



Mass Schedule

**MONDAY, April 9/18 Solemnity,
The Annunciation of the Lord**

12:10 pm - † Victor Stepanuik/ Stepanuik Family

TUESDAY, April 10/18 Ferial

12:10 pm - Oliver Campbell/ Murphy Family

WEDNESDAY, April 11/18

Memorial, St. Stanislaus

12:10 pm - † Deceased member of the
Murphy Family/ Anne Campbell

THURSDAY, April 12/18 Ferial

12:10 pm - † Georges Gamache/ Roger Gamache

FRIDAY, April 13/18 Ferial

12:10 pm - † Rodolfo Villaraza/ Lina Garcia

SATURDAY, April 14/18 3rd Sunday of Easter

5:00 pm - † Irene Sotto/ Lucy LeDressay
† Jose Palsis/ Raquel Palsis
Fr. Marcelino Presiding

SUNDAY, April 15/18 3rd Sunday of Easter

9:30 am - The Resurrection of the Lord
Fr. Geoffrey Presiding

11:30 am - The Resurrection of the Lord
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Should we be a little easier on Thomas? The last few days have been a whirlwind. On Thursday, a Passover celebration went horribly awry as Jesus was betrayed



and taken into custody for unstated crimes. Less than 24 hours later, the simple arrest has turned into a death sentence to be carried out that very afternoon. Most of the disciples fled, including Thomas. He would have heard of the events of Good Friday secondhand, in shock over the death of his Lord and Master. Then Sunday morning arrives with joy from a few disciples—Jesus is risen! But there is no persistent sight of him, only Mary Magdalene's quick moment in the garden and an empty tomb. Another day passes. The Apostles are gathered that Monday night, but Thomas is absent. He returns to a jubilant report of the risen Lord. Again, Thomas has seen nothing. The experience must have been surreal. Did Jesus really appear raised from the dead? Did he really suffer and die? Has all of this been some strange hoax? Desperate for an answer, Thomas insists, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands and put my finger into the nail marks and put my hand into his side, I will not believe."

After his resurrection, Jesus' body—mangled and bloody from the crucifixion—is restored. Did it need the scars? A perfected body would have taught us one lesson: everything is renewed as it once was, the past erased. Jesus chooses another lesson, however. He retains his scars that we might know him. In the whirlwind of our lives, we make our own mistakes, our own betrayals and compromises. In the resurrected Jesus, we see a God who does not forget his own sorrow. We are invited to meet him—wound for wound—and place our hand on his own nail-scarred palm, the eternal sign of his everlasting mercy.

*This week we remember the following names on our
Tree of Life:*

April 13 - Lucille Marie Gurr
April 14 - Bernice Scott
 - Rona Edward Courchene
April 15 - Casimir Federwich
 - Shirley Tomsic-Watt

"Eternal rest, grant unto them, O Lord..."

Lector's Schedule:

April 14th and April 15th Group 2

Readings for the Week of April 8, 2018

Sunday: Acts 4:32-35/1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-31
Monday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38
Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37/Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26/Jn 3:16-21
Thursday: Acts 5:27-33/Jn 3:31-36
Friday: Acts 5:34-42/Jn 6:1-15
Saturday: Acts 6:1-7/Jn 6:16-21
Next Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48

Liturgical Staff: Director of Music: Ian Campbell
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Affiliated Organizations: Catholic Women's League: Eileen Rieger
Knights of Columbus: Art Lopuck
Legion of Mary: Linda Delapena



Holy Hour for Vocations

Presented by Archbishop Richard Gagnon

April 22nd, 7 pm @ St. Mary's Cathedral

All are invited for an evening of Eucharistic adoration. Come and pray that the Lord would choose from among us many priests and religious men and women who would serve Him with their whole heart and make Him know and loved by all.

For more information contact the Office of Vocations at: Vocations@archwinnipeg.ca or 204-452-2227 ext 273



CWL Meeting

Sunday April 8 at 1:00 pm in the parish hall.

St. Ignatius Adult Education Centre Preparation Days for the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius:

A 5 Week Commitment beginning May 1. The "Exercises" are a 'user-friendly' way to get a new sense of how God works in our lives, how to make wise choices, how to find God in the people and experiences that fill our days. *If you are interested, please contact Valerie to register at 204-453- 9243 or adult.education@stignatius.ca*

Seeds of Friendships Concerts

Saturday April 21st 3:00 pm St John's College Chapel University of Manitoba campus

Sunday April 22nd 7:00 pm St John Brebeuf Church Lanark and St John Brebeuf Place

Joie de Vivre Choir, St John Brebeuf School Choir, and Plain Salt Celtic Ensemble will perform popular songs, folk songs, and spiritual and other Religious Music.

Free Will Offering: food, clothing, money
Proceeds to Our Place/Chez Nous Drop-In Centre
Reception to follow the concerts

SPAGHETTI NIGHT WITH OUR ST. MARY'S CWL

All are invited to join us for food, music, dancing and Zumba!
Saturday, April 21, 2018 at 6:00 pm in the Parish Hall.



Purchase tickets from our CWL members or from our parish office. Tickets are \$15.00 per adult, \$25.00 for a couple, kids (ages 6 to 12) are \$5.00 and ages 5 and under are free!



Advance tickets are required.
Hope to see you there!

Parish Offerings for the weekend of April 1.

Total offering for the week ended April 1, 2018:

Weekday Envelopes	\$ 149.45
Weekday and Weekend Loose	\$ 2,288.80
Weekend Envelopes	\$ 10,689.90
Holy Thursday	\$ 5,736.35
Good Friday	\$ 1,107.20
Votives	\$ 582.10
PAR/PAD Monthly Contributions	\$ —
Total	\$ 20,554.20

Capital Reserve for April 1, 2018:

Actual Offering	\$ 1,488.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ —
2018 Goal per Week	\$ 1,000.00

Sharing God's Gifts April 1, 2018:

2018 Target	\$ 48,740.00
Excess from 2017	\$ 23,840.55
Target to meet in 2018	\$ 24,899.45
Donations Received to Date	\$ 14,082.67
Balance to meet by Dec 31	\$ 10,816.78

The 1st hour of our weekly income for God

Christian Stewardship acknowledges that everything we have and hold comes from God. All is given to us for our good and the good of the world. A Stewardship response calls us to return to the Lord the first fruits of all that we have been given. Traditionally for many, this means the first hour of our weekly income.

At St. Mary's, we are asked to consider this measure of Stewardship as the beginning of our annual parish financial support. In Manitoba, the hourly minimum wage is currently \$11.15 per week. Therefore, the starting point for our financial offering should at least reflect this minimum. If the household is a dual income family, then the starting point of our gift would be \$22.30 per week. The goal of Christian Stewardship is to eventually grow toward true Christian Tithing, which means 10% of our total household income.

Membership Registration

A friendly reminder, if you regularly attend St. Mary's please register as a member. This will ensure a smoother process when requesting sacraments such as baptisms and marriage. Parish membership helps us build parish identity and family. Forms can be found online at www.stmaryscathedralwpg.ca/membership or at the office or in the Hospitality Centre.

Open House at Living Waters Columbarium

Join us Sunday, April 8th, from 12:00 to 2:30pm for our annual Open House. Discover the unique ministry of the columbarium as a Catholic cemetery, and experience what it means to Honour Life in the Catholic Tradition.

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