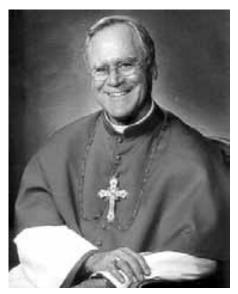
St. Mary's Roman Catholic Cathedral

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
July/August - Tuesday - Friday 12:10 noon
NO MASS on Mondays
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

Ordained Ministers:

Rector: Reverend Monsignor D. Ward Jamieson, V.G.

Pastoral Associate: Fr. Ken Barclay Deacon: Reverend Mr. Rudy Le Maître

Mission Statement

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.

As the Cathedral parish of the Archdiocese of



MONDAY Aug 20, 2012 - Memorial - St. Bernard, Abbot, Doctor 12:10 pm - NO MASS



- Stan Noval

TUESDAY Aug 21, 2012 - Memorial - St. Pius X, Pope

12:10 pm - † - Teresa Balicoco - Leonie Ramoso

WEDNESDAY Aug 22, 2012 - Memorial
- The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

12:10 pm - † - Ederlinda Carino - Renerio Carino

THURSDAY Aug 23, 2012 - Ferial 12:10 pm - † - Leopoldo & Macario Baja - Mustila & Narace Dyal



- Kathleen McEvoy

FRIDAY Aug 24, 2012 - Feast -St. Bartholomew, Apostle

12:10 pm - † - Grampa V. Stepanuik - Grandson Josef



Luis Talavera Matriano

SATURDAY Aug 25, 2012 - Ferial 5:00 pm - † - Victoria Buenaventura - Family



- Gregorio Talotta

SUNDAY, Aug 26, 2012 - 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am - for St. Mary's parishioners 11:30 am - for St. Mary's parishioners



Remembered on the Tree of Life

Jesus said to them, "Amen, amen, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you do not have life within you. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him on the last day. For my flesh is true food, and my blood is true drink."

John 6:53-55

Reminder to All Parishioners

there will be **NO MASS** on Mondays during the Summer Months of July & August

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Unless one would want to live exclusively on milk (cow, sheep, or goat), we humans kill what we eat. We pick living things off of plants and trees: green beans, cobs of corn, apples, peaches. We eat the plants themselves: lettuce, cabbage, herbs like parsley and basil. We even eat the seeds themselves, consuming that which could produce more: almonds, peas, wheat, which is crushed and ground to make bread. Our omnivore appetite does not stop there. We haul fish from the sea; we process poultry by the millions; and we slaughter livestock to nourish us and keep us healthy. But we should recognize that to provide for our well-being, we kill and consume what God has placed here for our use. That may seem like a pretty harsh description of how we live, but it is how we relate to food. What was once living sustains our lives.

In this weekend's Gospel Jesus is very direct about what gives us life. He says, "Unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you do not have life within you." Because Jesus sacrificed himself for our sake upon the cross, we humans can admit that we do indeed kill what we eat. Taking our sins upon himself, Jesus died for us, and as uncomfortable as it may be, we cannot avoid that reality. He died an agonizing death upon the cross, so that we might be freed from the power of sin and death. But he did not stay dead. He rose to life.

When we eat his flesh and drink his blood in the Communion that we share, we have life because of him. What looks and tastes like bread and wine is the body and blood of Christ, and we eat and drink to be nourished with his life. In our Communion, we trust in his promise that we will live forever.

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Before the 12:10 pm weekday Mass, the Rosary is recited at 11:30 am.

Readings for the Week of Aug 19, 2012

Sunday: Proverbs 9:1-6/Ephesians 5:15-20

John 6:51-58

 Monday:
 Ezekiel 24:15-24/Matthew 19:16-22

 Tuesday:
 Ezekiel 28:1-10/Matthew 19:23-30

 Wednesday:
 Ezekiel 34:1-11/Matthew 20:1-16

 Thursday:
 Ezekiel 36:23-28/Matthew 22:1-14

 Friday:
 Revelation 21:9b-14/John 1:45-51

 Saturday:
 Ezekiel 43:1-7b/Matthew 23:1-12

 Next Sunday:
 Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b

Ephesians 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32

John 6:60-69

Stewardship - August 19th - 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

What an awesome gift we receive in Holy Communion. As stewards of this great mystery our challenge is to go into the world and give joyful witness to what we believe! Sunday after Sunday we are sent to glorify our Lord by the example of our lives. It is in the little things we do with great love that good stewardship is demonstrated.

Stewardship Office, The Archdiocese of Winnipeg, www.archwinnipeg.ca

Religious Education

Registration starts: August 01, 2012 Weekdays: 8:30 am - 4:00 pm - Main Office Week-ends: before and after Masses at the Religious Ed Office

> Regular Classes start: September 22, 2011 Class Schedules 9:30 - 10:30 - Kinder Levels 1, 3 - 6 11:00 - 12:00 - Levels 2, 7, 8

(Confirmation Preparation Schedule - TBA)

Members of the St. Anthony Fraternity will be selling raffle tickets after mass for the secular Franciscan Order that meets at 211 Edmonton St. The Draw is in aid of Secular Franciscan Charities

Draw will be at 2:00 pm on Sept 8, 2012

1st Prize - \$150.00 2nd Prize - \$80.00 3rd Prize - \$60.00

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

The RCIA is a gradual process of education and formation. Whether baptized in another Christian denomination or not baptized at all, the RCIA program helps adults grow in their relationship with God. Classes focus both on the teachings and practises of the Catholic faith as well as the value and application of faith in our daily lives. The process of becoming a Catholic is a four step journey. This journey will take you through the various phases of discerning your call to become a Catholic and the living of that faith. A sponsor accompanies each person desiring to become a Catholic. You may choose your own sponsor or one can be provided. Your sponsor offers support and guidance throughout the RCIA process and is encouraged to attend the weekly classes. If you are interested in more information, please call the parish office at 204-947-0294 by August 31, 2012 to leave your name and where you can be contacted. You will be contacted in the fall for an interview.

Stewardship Prayer

Almighty God, I give thanks for all that I have and all that I am. Most of all, I give thanks for the great gift of Your Son, Jesus. I pray that through a personal relationship with the Risen Christ, my heart will be open to continued conversion in my life. I pray that I may be a good steward: that I will follow faithfully, serve joyfully, give generously, live responsibly, and possess sensibly. In gratitude for the abundant gifts You have so graciously given to me, I return to You the first fruits of these gifts, through acts of service and by generously sharing all that You have entrusted to me. Heavenly Father, by Your Holy Spirit, help me to be a gift to others, in Your name. Amen

AGAPE TABLE

The item for August is Tomato Paste (items may be placed in the container in the sacristy)

Baptisms

Baptisms will be held in the Cathedral on Sunday, Sept 23, 2012 at 1:00 pm and Sunday, Nov 18, 2012 at the 11:30 am mass

> Baptism preparation class for the parents and Godparents will be held the Thursday before the baptism date at 7:00 pm.

Anointing of the Sick

on 1st Friday, September 7, 2012 during the exposition at 10:45 am there will be anointing of the sick at the Cathedral

Lectors

Group 1 will read next weekend, Aug 25 & 26, 2012.

<u>Weekly Marriage Tip</u> (courtesy of your marriage prep team) Be careful how you express your most dearly held values to your children. Sometimes parents impose them rigidly and in an extreme way. Yes, share your faith, values, love of sports, music...but listen to what's in their hearts too.

http://foryourmarriage.org

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