

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

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.





MONDAY Dec 03 2012 - Memorial
 - St. Francis Xavier, Priest
 12:10 pm - † Pedro & Isidra Badere - Divina

TUESDAY Dec 04, 2012 - Ferial
 12:10 pm - † Margaret Suski - Vivian Kolpak

WEDNESDAY Dec 05, 2012 - Ferial
 12:10 pm - † Mrs. Pacifica Baluca - Mustila & Narace Dyal



- Angelita Agtuca Auditor
 - Pacifica Diez Baluca


THURSDAY Dec 06, 2012 - Ferial
 12:10 pm - † Leonard Tomsic - Tomsic Family

FRIDAY Dec 07, 2012 - Memorial
 - St. Ambrose, Bishop & Doctor
 12:10 pm - † Mary Stangl - Jerry & Darlene Onofrey




- Leonard Tomsic

SATURDAY Dec 08, 2012 - Solemnity
 - Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 5:00 pm - Thanksgiving for Mr. & Mrs. Ansel Aquino
 - Maria Aquino



- Ed McEvoy
 - John Joseph Cope

SUNDAY Dec 09, 2012 - 2nd Sunday of Advent
 9:30 am - for St. Mary's parishioners
 11:30 am - for St. Mary's parishioners



Remembered on the Tree of Life

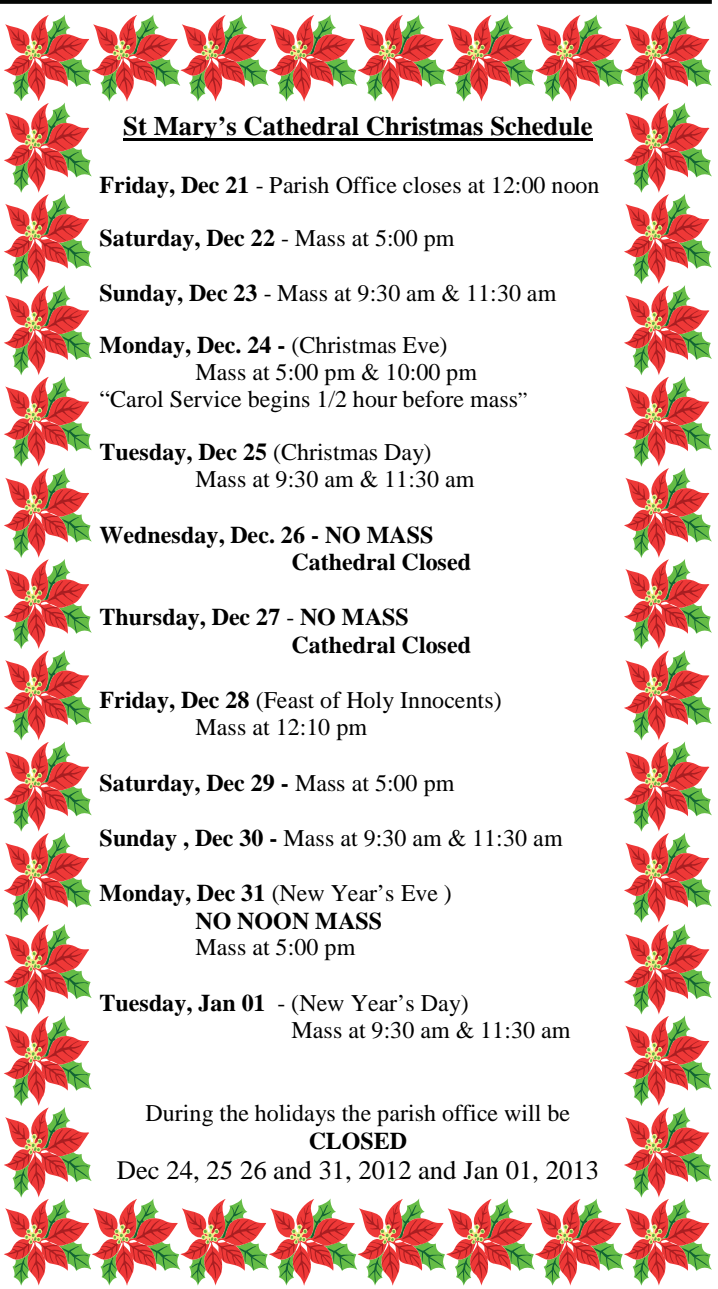
Liturgical Staff:
 Director of Music: Ian Campbell
 Sacristan: Connie Nepomuceno
 Lector Leader: Mary Le Maître

Faith Formation:
 Children: Armi Yang & Catherine Suarez
 Baptismal Preparation: Msgr. Jamieson
 Rite of Christian Initiation: Sr. Rose Mary Sander

Parish Councils:
 Finance: Bill Wachko
 Pastoral:

Support Staff:
 Secretary: Pat Stepanuik
 Administrative Assistant: Lori Gagnon
 Caretaker/ Building Maintenance: Rickey LaPointe
 Archivist/Social Justice: Denise Terpstra

Affiliated organizations:
 Catholic Women's League: Angelita Maduro
 Knights of Columbus: Ky Mohammed
 Development & Peace: Denise Terpstra



St Mary's Cathedral Christmas Schedule

Friday, Dec 21 - Parish Office closes at 12:00 noon

Saturday, Dec 22 - Mass at 5:00 pm

Sunday, Dec 23 - Mass at 9:30 am & 11:30 am

Monday, Dec. 24 - (Christmas Eve)
 Mass at 5:00 pm & 10:00 pm
 "Carol Service begins 1/2 hour before mass"

Tuesday, Dec 25 (Christmas Day)
 Mass at 9:30 am & 11:30 am

Wednesday, Dec. 26 - NO MASS
Cathedral Closed

Thursday, Dec 27 - NO MASS
Cathedral Closed

Friday, Dec 28 (Feast of Holy Innocents)
 Mass at 12:10 pm

Saturday, Dec 29 - Mass at 5:00 pm

Sunday, Dec 30 - Mass at 9:30 am & 11:30 am

Monday, Dec 31 (New Year's Eve)
NO NOON MASS
 Mass at 5:00 pm

Tuesday, Jan 01 - (New Year's Day)
 Mass at 9:30 am & 11:30 am

During the holidays the parish office will be
CLOSED
 Dec 24, 25 26 and 31, 2012 and Jan 01, 2013



Readings for the Week of
Dec 02, 2012

Sunday: Jeremiah 33:14-16
 1 Thessalonians 3:12--4:2
 Luke 21:25-28, 34-36

Monday: Isaiah 2:1-5/Matthew 8:5-11

Tuesday: Isaiah 11:1-10/Luke 10:21-24

Wednesday: Isaiah 25:6-10a/Matthew 15:29-37

Thursday: Isaiah 26:1-6/Matthew 7:21, 24-27

Friday: Isaiah 29:17-24/Matthew 9:27-31

Saturday: Genesis 3:9-15, 20
 Ephesians 1:3-6, 11-12/Luke 1:26-38

Next Sunday: Baruch 5:1-9/Philippians 1:3-6, 8-11
 Luke 3:1-6

Stewardship - Dec 02, 1st Sunday of Advent

Advent comes from the Latin *adventus* meaning 'coming'. In today's 1st reading the prophet Jeremiah reminds us that *'The days are surely coming'*. Christmas day is surely coming and Advent is a time of expectant waiting and **preparation** for the day. However, all the glittery holiday advertising can blind us to our stewardship values. The season of Advent (a gift from the Church), provides an opportunity for us to balance our time and steward our financial resources so that we are well prepared to celebrate Christ's birth.

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

Weekly Marriage Tip (courtesy of your marriage prep team)
 Sometimes words are not necessary or even get in the way of a loving connection. Eyes can speak louder than words. Try different forms of eye contact today, such as a gaze across the room or a humorous wink.
<http://foryourmarriage.org>

In Honour of St. Pedro Calungsod

A Mass to honour the canonization of St. Pedro Calungsod will be celebrated on Friday, December 7, 2012 in St. Mary's Cathedral beginning at 7:30 pm. All are welcome to join in this celebration. A reception, in the parish hall, will follow.

Lectors

Group 4 will read next weekend, Dec 08 & 09, 2012.

Anointing of the Sick

On First Friday Dec 7, 2012
 During the Exposition

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

NEW & UPCOMING

- Dec 02** - 10:00 am - Level 9 Catechism
- Dec 05** - Parish Office closes at 1:00 pm
- Dec 05** - 7:00 pm - Building and Grounds Committee
- Dec 06** - 7:00 pm Choir Practice
- Dec 07** - 7:30 pm - Mass for St. Pedro Calungsod
- Dec 08** - 9:30 am - noon, Catechism
- Dec 09** - 10:00 am - Level 9 Catechism
- Dec 09** - CWL after 11:30 mass in the Parish Hall
- Dec 13** - 7:00 pm Choir Practice
- Dec 15** - 9:30 am - Mass for Catechism classes
 in the Cathedral, reception in the hall to follow
- Dec 16** - 10:00 am - Level 9 Catechism
- Dec 18** - 7:00 pm Knights of Columbus in d'Youville hall
- Dec 21** - Parish Office closes at 12:00 noon
- Dec 24** - Mass at 5:00 pm & 10:00 pm
- Dec 25** - Mass at 9:30 am & 11:30 am
- Dec 26** - NO MASS - Cathedral closed
- Dec 27** - NO MASS - Cathedral closed
- Dec 31** - NO NOON MASS, Mass at 5:00 pm
- Jan 01** - Mass at 9:30 am & 11:30 am

Stewardship.....for Life!

Total offering for the week ended Nov 25, 2012:

Weekday Offerings	\$ 505.92
Sunday Envelopes	\$ 4,719.50
Loose	\$ 1,016.23
Votives	\$ 408.75
Bonus for the Cathedral:	\$ 405.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ <u>574.62</u>
Total	\$ <u>7,857.79</u>

Capital Campaign for Nov 25, 2012:

Actual collection	\$ 1,244.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ 330.00
Budget per week	\$ <u>2,000.00</u>
Deficit	(\$ <u>426.00</u>)

Sharing God's Gifts 2012:

2012 Yearly commitment	\$ 52,150.00
2012 Monthly Target	\$ 4,345.83
YTD as of Nov Target	\$ 47,804.13
YTD as of Nov Actual	\$ 38,663.85
YTD Deficit	\$ <u>(9,140.28)</u>

*** Before the end of Dec 2012 we need to raise
\$13,486.15 to meet our 2012 commitment to
 Sharing God's Gifts
 (Offerings and parking are the only funding the Cathedral receives)

AGAPE TABLE

The item for December is Non Dairy Creamer
 (items may be placed in the container in the sacristy)

We will again be offering **2013 Catholic Calendars** for \$2.00.
 The funds raised will be given to charity.

"People will die of fright in anticipation of what is coming upon the world, for the powers of the heavens will be shaken. And then they will see the Son of Man coming in a cloud with power and great glory. But when these signs begin to happen, stand erect and raise your heads because your redemption is at hand." - Luke 21:26-28



**St. Mary's Cathedral
 Knights of Columbus**

will hold their monthly Council meeting
 on Tue Dec 18, at 7 pm in d'Youville hall

Ushers, Ministry Leaders and Staff

As we announced in last weeks bulletin, the Cathedral is embarking on an education program to increase the personal safety of all staff and parishioners to ensure a safe and pleasant experience while at the Cathedral. The first phase of this program to be an information session for staff, ushers and ministry volunteers on Dec 1, 2012 at 1:00 pm in the parish hall. All staff, ushers and volunteers were encouraged to attend. For those staff, ushers and ministry volunteers who were unable to attend on Dec 1, we will be scheduling a second session. Please watch for the date here next weekend and make every effort to attend if you did not attend the first session.

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