

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: Very Reverend Geoffrey Angeles

Deacon: Reverend Mr. Rudy Le Maître

Sacramental Assistant: Fr. 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.



Baptism of the Lord



MONDAY, Jan 13, 2014 - Ferial

12:10 pm † Thanksgiving for Erid Mendoza - Family



- Michael Sinnott

TUESDAY, Jan 14, 2014 - Ferial

12:10 pm †- Paulina Magnaye / Pat Stepanuik & Bill

WEDNESDAY, Jan 15, 2014 - Ferial

12:10 pm †- Bob Farebrother / Lori, Jeff, Corwin & Trinity



- Gino V. Gegeten
- Victoriana Relucio

THURSDAY, Jan 16, 2014 - Ferial

12:10 pm † - Stefan & Helena Kalisz / Daughter Elizabeth



- Lucia Mendoza Roque

FRIDAY, Jan 17, 2014 - Memorial

- St. Anthony, Abbot

12:10 pm † - Christine Fogg / Sister Elizabeth

SATURDAY, Jan 18, 2014 - Ferial

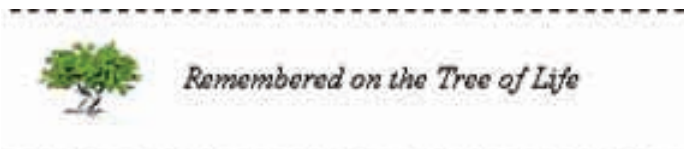
5:00 pm - Thanksgiving / Caylie Pragides

SUNDAY, Jan 19, 2014 - Baptism of the Lord

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



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Liturgical Staff:

Director of Music: Ian Campbell
Sacristan: Connie Nepomuceno
Lector Leaders: Mary Le Maître & Peter Johnston

Faith Formation:

Children: Armi Yang & Don Schroeder
Rite of Christian Initiation: Sr. Rose Mary Sander

Parish Councils:

Finance: Bill Wachko
Building & Grounds: Ky Mohammed

Support Staff:

Secretary: Pat Stepanuik
Administrative Assistant: Lori Gagnon
Caretaker/ Building Maintenance: Rickey LaPointe
Business Manager: Bill Wachko
Pastoral Councilor: Sr. Rose Mary Sander

Affiliated Organizations:

Catholic Women's League: Eleanor Ulasz
Knights of Columbus: Ed Polkowski

Baptism of the Lord



"I need to be baptized by you, and yet you are coming to me?" Jesus didn't need to be washed clean of any sin, and John the Baptist knew it. But nonetheless, Jesus was humble enough to be baptized like the rest of us. This humility is at the heart of Jesus' mission on earth. As Saint Paul says, Jesus "emptied himself...coming in human likeness...he humbled himself" (Phil 2:7-8). He did not need to become human, to be born of a woman into a poor family, or to suffer and die on the cross. Rather, Jesus freely chose to do all of these things out of love for us. And in the process, he gave us a model to follow.

By being baptized, Jesus emphasized the importance of participating in this sacred action. And later in his ministry, he confirmed the significance of baptism when he instructed his apostles to "make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit" (Mt 28:19).

Through baptism, we become disciples of Jesus. As baptized Christians, we are both called and equipped to be Christ's followers, his pupils, and his friends. Today, we might ask ourselves if we are embracing this calling wholeheartedly. Do we follow Jesus' example of love for God and neighbor? Do we study his word and live by his teaching? Do we nurture our relationship with him, as we would with any friend? Jesus humbled himself for our sake. Let us show our gratitude by being his faithful disciples today and every day.

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Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan to be baptized by him. John tried to prevent him, saying, "I need to be baptized by you, and yet you are coming to me?" Jesus said to him in reply, "Allow it now, for thus it is fitting for us to fulfill all righteousness." Then he allowed him.

Matthew 3:13-15

Can Your Tax Receipt Find You?

A kind reminder to all parishioners. If you have moved in the past year, and have not already done so, please update your information with the parish office at 204-947-0294, so that your income tax receipt can be delivered to you.



Readings for the Week of January 12, 2014

Sunday: Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7/Acts 10:34-38
Matthew 3:13-17
Monday: 1 Samuel 1:1-8/Mark 1:14-20
Tuesday: 1 Samuel 1:9-20/Mark 1:21-28
Wednesday: 1 Samuel 3:1-10, 19-20/Mark 1:29-39
Thursday: 1 Samuel 4:1-11/Mark 1:40-45
Friday: 1 Samuel 8:4-7, 10-22a/Mark 2:1-12
Saturday: 1 Samuel 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a
Mark 2:13-17
Next Sunday: Isaiah 49:3, 5-6/1 Corinthians 1:1-3
John 1:29-34

January 12th – Baptism of the Lord

Jesus humbled himself and accepted baptism even though he was without sin. In today's Gospel, Jesus tells St. John that it was proper that He be baptized as a sign of solidarity with humanity. Jesus recognized that His life was not His own - it was not about Him. As disciples of Jesus we are called to model Christ's humility in all that we do. The humble person recognizes that their gifts are not of their own making. Everything comes from and belongs to God. Good Stewardship declares that my gifts are not mine and they are not about me. The Christian steward responds to their baptism by using and sharing their gifts in a manner that gives glory to God.

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

Sharing God's Gifts - 2013 Diocesan Appeal

Final Results

Our Target for 2013	\$54, 140.00
Parishioners Contributions (Actual)	\$47, 815.00
Shortfall	(\$ 6,325.00)

We were short in meeting our financial target in 2013, and this shortfall will need to be funded from the Cathedral's operating account. Indeed, we faced challenges in meeting our target in this area together, but in the midst of those challenges there is much for which to be grateful. We appealed to you in September and expressed our concern that the parish would fall significantly short of its target by the end of the year without your full support. You responded in a magnificent fashion. In the last three months (October, November, December) your contributions averaged \$6,790 / month; they doubled from the previous nine months. Thanks be to God as well for the faithfulness and generosity of the congregation of this parish. As the new-year begins, we are confident that your support will continue for which we are grateful.

Thank you again for all that you do.

Parish Finance Council

NEW & UPCOMING

- Jan 11-** 9:30am - noon, Catechism
- Jan 12-** 10:00am - Level 9 Catechism
- Jan 12 -** After 11:30am mass - RCIA class
- Jan 16 -** 7:00pm - St. Mary's Choir Practice
- Jan 18 -** 9:30am - noon, Catechism
- Jan 19-** 10:00am - Level 9 Catechism
- Jan 19 -** After 11:30am mass - RCIA class
- Jan 21 -** 7:00 pm - Knights of Columbus in d'Youville hall
- Jan 23 -** 7:00pm - St. Mary's Choir Practice
- Jan 25 -** 9:30am - noon, Catechism
- Jan 26-** 10:00am - Level 9 Catechism
- Jan 26 -** After 11:30am mass - RCIA class
- Jan 29 -** 5:30 pm - Finance Council Meeting
- Jan 30 -** 7:00pm - St. Mary's Choir Practice

Stewardship.....for Life!

Christmas Envelopes	\$ 11,558.77
Christmas Loose	\$ 3,096.00
Total	\$ <u>14,654.77</u>

Total offering for the week ended Dec 29, 2013:

Weekday Offerings	\$ 288.85
Sunday Envelopes	\$ 9,817.72
Loose	\$ 829.35
Votives	\$ 547.30
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ <u>582.69</u>
Total	\$ <u>12,065.91</u>

Capital Campaign for Dec 29, 2013:

Actual collection	\$ 690.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ 66.92
Budget per week	\$ <u>2,000.00</u>
Deficit	(\$ <u>1,243.08</u>)

New Years Envelopes \$ 3,238.25

New Years Loose \$ 1,045.85

Total \$ 4,284.10

Total offering for the week ended Jan 05, 2014:

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 4,370.03
Loose	\$ 928.00
Votives	\$ 459.70
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ <u>582.69</u>
Total	\$ <u>6,340.42</u>

Capital Campaign for Jan 05, 2014:

Actual collection	\$ 532.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ 66.92
Budget per week	\$ <u>2,000.00</u>
Deficit	(\$ <u>1,401.08</u>)

(Offerings and parking are the only funding the Cathedral receives)

AGAPE TABLE

The item for January is peanut butter.
 (items may be placed in the container in the sacristy)
 to volunteer : 204-783-6369 or volunteer@agapetable.ca



St. Mary's Cathedral
 Catholic Women's League
 Jan 12, 2014 General Meeting
 After 11:30 Mass - Parish Hall

Marriage Preparation

Mondays, Feb 3, 10, 17, 24 and Mar 3, 10 from 7 - 9 pm
 Please register at the Parish Office, 204-947-0294



**St. Mary's Cathedral
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 will hold their monthly Council meeting
 on Tue Jan 21, 2014, at 7 pm in d'Youville hall

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