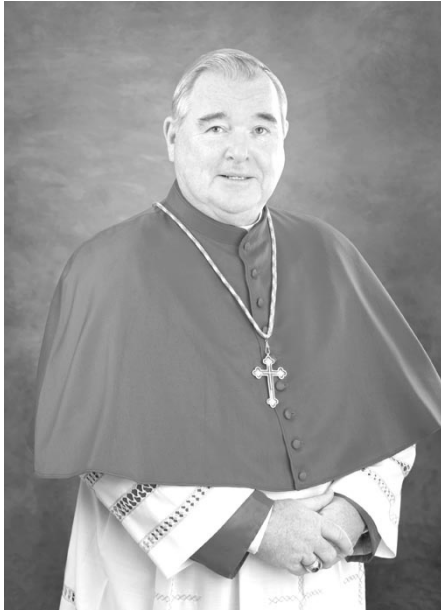


St. Mary's Roman Catholic Cathedral

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.






MASSES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY, Jan 26/15 - Memorial
 - St. Timothy and St. Titus, Bishops
12:10 pm - Health of Rose Onofrey/Sylvia Todashuk

TUESDAY, Jan 27/15 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † Gerald Onofrey/Rose Onofrey


WEDNESDAY, Jan 28/15 - Memorial
 - St. Thomas of Aquinas, Priest, Doctor
12:10 pm - † Christine Fogg/Sister



- Baby Simon J. Stepanuik

THURSDAY, Jan 29/15 - Ferial
12:30 pm - † William Lillies Sr./Stepanuik Family

FRIDAY, Jan 30/15 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † Baby Stepanuik/Family




- Teresita Regis
 - Carlos B. Malong

SATURDAY, Jan 31/15 - Memorial
 - St. John Bosco, Priest
5:00 pm - † Gerald Onofrey/Melvin & Maria Kaskiw



- William Ernest Lillies Sr.

SUNDAY, Feb 01/15 - 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 am & 11:30 am - for St. Mary's parishioners



Remembered on the Tree of Life

Lectors Schedule

Group 4 will read next Saturday, Jan 31, 2015.
Group 3 will read next Sunday, Feb 01, 2015.

Liturgical Staff:
 Director of Music: Ian Campbell
 Sacristan: Connie Nepomuceno

Faith Formation:
 Children: Don Schroeder
 Rite of Christian Initiation: Sr. Rose Mary Sander

Parish Councils:
 Finance: Bill Wachko
 Building & Grounds: Ky Mohammed
 Pastoral: Sr. Rose Mary Sander

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

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

January 25, 2015




"Repent, and believe in the gospel." What would happen if Jesus spoke these commanding words today? Would his listeners accuse him of shoving his religion down their throats? Would they give him a lecture on tolerance or insist that repentance is an outdated idea from a bygone era obsessed with guilt? How many of us would actually listen to him, take him at his word, and do what he said?

Our modern sensitivities have been programmed to respond with skepticism, if not anger, to any suggestion that there is a "right" way of doing things or a "true" religion. Much of our culture subtly preaches that right and wrong is all relative and that religions are all generally the same. But when Jesus tells us to repent, he implies that some of the choices we are making are wrong, that we need to change; to eliminate our sins, to turn toward God, and to become more loving, more generous, and more forgiving. And when he tells us to believe in the Gospel, he's not just making a recommendation or offering some sage advice. He is giving us directions for what we need to do to enter into "the kingdom of God."

The challenge we face in our day and age is to silence the societal messages that color our thoughts and instead listen to Jesus with an open mind. Are we willing to let his words affect us? Are we ready to examine our lives and repent of our sins? Are we prepared to believe the good news he preached of salvation and forgiveness? His message is more than a command. It's an invitation. He wants us to share in the glory of his heavenly kingdom, now and for all eternity. The question is only how we will respond to this divine invitation.

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**Readings for the Week of
Jan 25, 2015**



Sunday: Jonah 3:1-5, 10
 1 Corinthians 7:29-31/Mark 1:14-20

Monday: 2 Timothy 1:1-8 or Titus 1:1-5
 Luke 10:1-9

Tuesday: Hebrews 10:1-10/Mark 3:31-35

Wednesday: Hebrews 10:11-18/Mark 4:1-20

Thursday: Hebrews 10:19-25/Mark 4:21-25

Friday: Hebrews 10:32-39/Mark 4:26-34

Saturday: Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19/Mark 4:35-41

Next Sunday: Deuteronomy 18:15-20
 1 Corinthians 7:32-35/Mark 1:21-28



As he passed by the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting their nets into the sea; they were fishermen. Jesus said to them, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." He walked along a little farther and saw James, the son of Zebedee, and his brother John. They too were in a boat mending their nets. Then he called them. So they left their father Zebedee in the boat along with the hired men and followed him.

Mark 1:16-20

**Chez Nous Fundraiser at St Charles Parish
Valentine Dinner and Dance**

320 St Charles Street in Winnipeg

Come and join us for an evening of fun, Fri., Feb. 13, and a chance to help Chez Nous, a drop-in center in downtown Winnipeg that has counted on St. Charles' support for many years. There will be a dinner and dance to a live band, meat draw and silent auction. Tickets are on sale at the back of the church, or from Angela Bowman, 204-804-8155.

If you can donate a prize for the silent auction, call Remi Van Achte, 204-837-1500.



Assisted Suicide, Euthanasia, Palliative Care

Winnipeg Life's Vision

Presents their 2015 Annual Luncheon

With Guest Speaker - Dr. Larry Rados, MD

MP Steven Fletcher has introduced two private members' bills that support physician-assisted suicide for all competent adults over the age of 18 years. This issue will be brought forward before the 2015 federal election. If you want to be better educated on this topic join us on: **Saturday, February 7, 2015 at Holy Eucharist Parish Centre 460 Munroe Ave.**

(corner of Munroe and Watt). Doors open at 11 am.

Tickets are \$20.00 each and can be purchased by contacting Life's Vision Manitoba at

204- 233-8047 or email livesvision@shaw.ca

Parish Offerings

Total offering for the week ended Jan 18, 2015:

Weekdays	\$ 516.45
Envelopes	\$ 4,489.27
Loose	\$ 964.62
Votives	\$ 448.90
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ 772.38
Total	\$ 7,191.62

Capital Campaign for Jan 18, 2015:

Actual collection	\$ 351.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ 155.77
Budget per week	\$ 2,000.00
Deficit	(\$ 1,493.23)

(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. Benedict's Retreat and Conference Centre Offerings

The Progoff Intensive Journal Workshops is a group experience with the protection of privacy during which participants learn journal writing techniques to discover more about themselves. *Feb.13-14 Part 1 Feb.15-16 Part 2*

Cost for each Part

Private room - \$210.00

Shared room - \$200.00

Commuter - \$155.00

Register at 204-339-1705 or go online at www.stbens.ca/events

Fermata Retreats—Come away with me, and rest awhile.

Fermata means 'pause'. During the **Fermata Weekend Retreat** participants experience ways to pause, through prayer practices like spiritual direction, lectio divina, through silence and group prayer.

Retreat takes place Feb.6 at 7 pm until Feb.8 at 1:00 pm

Private Rooms Only \$ 160.00

Register at 204-339-1705 or go online at www.stbens.ca/events

CHOIR

New members always welcome!

Rehearsals: Thursdays at 7 PM

Mass: Sunday at 11:30 AM

Any questions, please contact music director Ian Campbell.

Please return all unused hymn books or music that belong to the cathedral. Please see Ian, the cantor or drop them at the office during regular hours.

Catholic Women's League

Thank you, parishioners, for your donations to our Advent "Fill the Crib" project. Villa Rosa is most grateful for our support. We delivered \$555.00 worth of infant's and mother's supplies and cash donations to Villa Rosa.

Fundraiser Coming UP!

Another fundraiser is planned for a Sunday in March. If you have household goods and accessory items (no clothing or furniture) you wish to donate, you may drop them off at the parish office or in the hall on a Sunday.

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