

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.



17th Sunday in Ordinary Time



MONDAY, July 28/14 - NO MASS

 - Dr. Walter Nakielny
- Arturo V. Tejada

TUESDAY, July 29/14 - Memorial

- St. Martha, Disciple of the Lord
12:10 pm - † Arturo Monica Tejada/Clemencia Tejada

 - Jean Pierre LeMaître

WEDNESDAY, July 30/14 - Ferial

12:10 pm - Thanksgiving Joel & Erneida De Guzman/Family

THURSDAY, July 31/14 - Memorial

- St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest
12:10 pm - † In memory of Polish Scouts
& Guides of Canada/Leaders

FRIDAY, Aug 01/14 - Memorial

- St. Alphonsus Liguoria, Bishop, Doctor
12:10 pm - † Teresa Bolicoco/Leonie & Family


 - Mark Hewko

SATURDAY, Aug 02/14 - Ferial

5:00 pm - Thanksgiving for Polish Scouts
& Guides of Canada/Leaders

SUNDAY, Aug 03/14 - 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

 - Elias Dimalanta Roque

Attention All Lectors

Group 3 will read next Saturday, Aug 2, 2014.

Group 2 will read next Sunday, Aug 3, 2014.

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 Stepanuk
Administrative Assistant: Lori Gagnon
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Pastoral Counsellor: Sr. Rose Mary Sander

Affiliated Organizations:

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

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"When he finds a pearl of great price, he goes and sells all that he has and buys it." How many of us think of our faith as "a pearl of great price"? How many of us really recognize the precious treasure we already possess? As baptized Christians, we have been welcomed into God's family. We are royalty in his kingdom! No matter what our status may be on earth, no matter what treasures we may or may not own right now, we are heirs of God's heavenly kingdom.

It is easy to take this for granted, however. On this side of eternity, it's even a temptation to forget that we have been adopted into God's family. Right now, for us, "the kingdom of heaven is like a treasure buried in a field." That is to say, the treasure isn't always so obvious. But that doesn't mean it isn't there. It just means that we have to dig a little bit to find it. We have to remove whatever layers of dirt or sand may be obscuring the priceless package and bring it back into the daylight.

So where is our treasure buried? What, if anything, is obscuring the full flourishing of our faith? Is it buried by the demands of work or school? Is our faith hidden beneath the weight of sickness or sorrow? Have we covered it over with false "treasures" that only give us fleeting joy? Or have we never even given our faith the chance to come into the sunlight at all?

Whatever it is for each one of us, we should resolve to recover the treasure that lies beneath our feet. By giving ourselves to Christ, encountering him regularly through prayer, Scripture study, and the sacraments, we too can experience the joy of that blessed merchant who, by selling all he had, truly became rich.

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*"Thus it will be at the end of the age. The angels will go out and separate the wicked from the righteous and throw them into the fiery furnace, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth. Do you understand all these things?" They answered, "Yes."
Matthew 13:49-51*



Readings for the Week of July 27, 2014

Sunday: 1 Kings 3:5, 7-12/Romans 8:28-30
Matthew 13:44-52 or 13:44-46

Monday: Jerimiah 13:1-11/Matthew 13:31-35

Tuesday: Jerimiah 14:17-22/John 11:19-27 or
Luke 10:38-42

Wednesday: Jerimiah 15:10, 16-21
Matthew 13:44-46

Thursday: Jerimiah 18:1-6/Matthew 13:47-53

Friday: Jerimiah 26:1-9/Matthew 13:54-58

Saturday: Jerimiah 26:11-16, 24
Matthew 14:1-12

Next Sunday: Isaiah 55:1-3/Romans 8:35, 37-39
Matthew 14:13-21



Sharing God's Gifts

Update As At June 27, 2014

The Goal for 2014 \$53,710.00
 Actual donations collected to May 31/14 \$21,811.00
 Amount needed to meet our Goal \$31,899.00
 or \$5,316.00 per month for the next 6 months until
 December 31/14. Our year to date contributions are behind
 budget, but there is still time to increase the level of
 contributions to meet our goal at year end. We wish to
 express our gratitude for your continued support.

The Archdiocese of Winnipeg's Family Day

**August 22, 2014 from 6:00pm to 10:00pm
 Scotiabank Stage and Festival Park at the Forks**

There will be games and activities for kids and families, booths for various organizations and a variety of presentations to be brought by our Praise and Worship Band and Dance Team! We will also take part in a Celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 6:30 PM. Please bring your own lawn chair.

Children's Faith Formation Program

The program provides formation in the Catholic faith for children and youth from kindergarten to grade nine. Application forms and schedules are available in the church at the St. Mary and Hargrave entrances, and in the parish office. The application deadline is September 7, 2014.

Fee:
 Parents with a single child: \$35.00
 Parents with two children: \$65.00
 Each additional child: \$20.00
 Books \$19.00

Our Condolences
 to the Family and Friends of
Gerald Jack Onofrey

Whose Funeral Mass was celebrated at the Cathedral
 On Wednesday, July 23, 2014 at 10:00 am.

Stewardship.....for Life!

Total offering for the week ended July 20, 2014:

Weekday \$ 684.46
 Envelopes \$ 5,313.77
 Loose \$ 1,030.22
 Votives \$ 501.27
 PAR/PAD Contributions \$ 718.85
Total \$ 8,248.57

Capital Campaign for July 20, 2014:

Actual collection \$ 413.00
 PAR/PAD Contributions \$ 130.38
 Budget per week \$ 2,000.00
Deficit (\$ 2,543.38)

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

AGAPE TABLE

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

Pre Authorized Remittance Forms (PAR)

Forms are available in the Hospitality Room or the Office. If you have any questions or need a form mailed to you, please call the office at 204-947-0294.

Music Ministry Update

Our Music Director, Ian Campbell, will be studying in Paris again this summer. Megan Dufurat, our organist Daniel Clark, and Renate Rossol will be substituting for him at the piano. Ian will be back for mass on the weekend of August 9/10. More information on choir and music ministry activity will follow in August.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

The RCIA program is a process designed for people who wish to become members of the Catholic Church. Candidates may be individuals who have not been baptized, or were baptized in another Christian church.

The RCIA program begins in each year in September and continues until the Rites of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist) are received at the Easter Vigil, the Saturday evening Mass held before Easter Sunday. Weekly meetings are usually held on Sunday.

To Enroll for this program please leave your name, phone number and email at the Parish Office:204-947-0294, or fill out the form and drop it off at the Parish Office or in the Sunday Offering Basket.

You will be contacted for an interview early in September.

Please print

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email address: _____

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