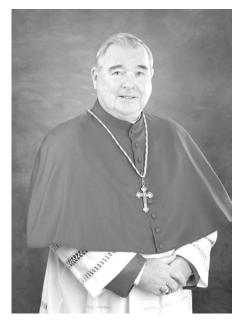
# St. Mary's Roman Catholic Cathedral

## **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:**

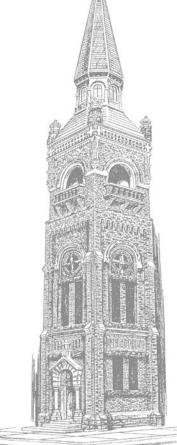
Rector: Very Reverend Geoffrey Angeles Deacon: Reverend Mr. Rudy Le Maître

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.





MONDAY, Mar 16/15 - Ferial

12:10 pm - † Gerry Laramee/Leo Laramee

TUESDAY, Mar 17/15 - Ferial

**12:10 pm -** Health & Blessings for Renata & David Cook - Nawrocki Family

WEDNESDAY, Mar 18/15 - Ferial

12:10 pm - † Victor Stepanuik/Family



- Paul Mathias Dubois

THURSDAY, Mar 19/15 - Solemnity

-St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

12:30 pm - † Gerald Onofrey

- Eileen Dermody & Olive Torchia



- A.M. (Tonie) MacDonald

FRIDAY, Mar 20/15 - Ferial

12:10 pm - † Serapion Arquillano/Pauline Arquillano

SATURDAY, Mar 21/15 - Ferial

5:00 pm - † -Aproniana Valle/Lilia Valle



- Conrado C. Madulara

SUNDAY, Mar 22/15 - 5th Sunday of Lent 9:30 am & 11:30 am - for St. Mary's parishioners



- Paulina Bangcoro Hernandez



Remembered on the Tree of Life

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

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**Support Staff:** 

Secretary: Pat Stepanuik

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Caretaker/ Building Maintenance: Rickey LaPointe

Business Manager: Bill Wachko

Pastoral Counsellor: Sr. Rose Mary Sander

**Affiliated Organizations:** 

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

#### 4th Sunday of Lent

"But whoever lives the truth comes to the light." Think about the sun for a moment. The light from this gigantic celestial orb provides so many things for us. Most



obviously, it provides brightness by which we see, by which we work, play, and navigate the world around us. It also provides the warmth necessary for our comfort and our survival. The sun sustains plant life, which in turn sustains our lives as well. It helps us mark the passing of time, the change of seasons, and the rhythm of every day. The sun is a tremendous gift from God, and our lives--just like our planet--quite literally revolve around it.

When Jesus uses the image of light in today's Gospel, it may help us to understand him if we think of the sun. Just as this magnificent star nourishes our physical existence, so too Jesus, "the light [who] came into the world," nourishes our spiritual existence. He gives us the "brightness" to see the right choices in front of us through his teaching and his example. He warms our hearts through his mercy and forgiveness, changing our coldhearted sinfulness into burning charity. He sustains our spiritual lives by offering us the gift of salvation: eternal life in heaven that never sees death. And he helps us mark the passing of time as we grow ever closer to him, entering more and more deeply into the knowledge and love of our Lord.

But of course, just as we are free to hide in a dark room with the shades drawn, so too we are free to "shade" ourselves from the light of Christ: "for everyone who does wicked things hates the light." To choose wickedness is to cut ourselves off not just from light, but from life. May we choose instead to stay always in the light of the Son.

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| Saturday:

# Readings for the Week of Mar 15, 2015

**Sunday:** 2 Chronicles 36:14-17a, 19-23++

Ephesians 2:4-10/John 3:14-21

Monday: Isaiah 65:17-21/John 4:43-54 Tuesday: Ezekiel47:1-9, 12/John 5:1-16

Wednesday: Isaiah 49:8-15/John 5:16-30
Thursday: 2 Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16

Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22 Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a

or Luke 2:41-51a Wisdom 2:1a, 12-22

**Friday:** Wisdom 2:1a, 12-22 John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Jeremiah 11:18-20/John 7:40-53

John 12:20-33

Next Sunday: Jeremiah 31:31-34/Hebrew 5:7-9

**Bible Study** 

Saturday, March 14 & Sunday, March 15

Sessions Cancelled

Saturday, March 21 - Session 4 (2 parts)

Egypt & Exodus: God Leads Israel out of Bondage

(read entire book of Exodus);

Desert Wanderings: Israel Must Learn to Trust God

(read entire book of Numbers) Sunday, March 22 - Session 3

Patriarchs: God's Everlasting Promise to Abraham

(read Genesis 12-50)

And this is the verdict, that the light came into the world, but people preferred darkness to light, because their works were evil. For everyone who does wicked things hates the light and does not come toward the light, so that his works might not be exposed.

John 3:19-20

#### **Attention all Singers!**

## **Centenary Choir Registration**

In preparation for the celebration of the 100th Anniversary of the Archdiocese of Winnipeg a 300 voice Centenary Choir and Youth Choir will be formed for the Eucharistic celebration on Sunday May 3 at the MTS Centre under the direction of Fr. Geoffrey Angeles. For those interested, registration forms are available on the Archdiocesan website at <a href="archwinnipeg.ca">archwinnipeg.ca</a> (under "News"), or through the Cathedral Music Director, Ian Campbell. Further details concerning the rehearsal times and locations (both city and rural) will be sent directly to each registered participant.

#### **Lectors Schedule**

**Group 1** will read next Saturday, Mar 21, 2015. **Group 4** will read next Sunday, Mar 22, 2015.

#### **Lenten Reconciliation Services**

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

Tuesday, March 17th at 7:00 PM 95 MacDonald Avenue - Winnipeg, MB

St. Paul the Apostle Parish

Wednesday, March 18th at 7:00 PM 2400 Portage Avenue - Winnipeg, MB

St. Edward Parish

Friday, March 20th at 6:30 PM - 836 Arlington Street Winnipeg, MB

St. John XXIII Parish

Tuesday, March 24th at 10:00 AM 3390 Portage Avenue - Winnipeg, MB

St. Mary's Cathedral

Tuesday, March 24th at 7:00 PM -

353 St. Mary Avenue - Winnipeg, MB

St. Anthony of Padua (Hungarian)

Wednesday, March 25th at 7:00 PM 365 Burnell Street - Winnipeg, MB

St. Charles Parish

Thursday, March 26th at 7:00 PM 320 St. Charles Street - Winnipeg, MB

#### **Parish Offerings**

#### Total offering for the week ended Mar 08, 2015:

Weekdays \$ 1,035.75 Envelopes \$ 5,027.50 Loose \$ 762.25 Votives \$ 572.85 Palms & Flowers \$ 913.00 PAR/PAD Contributions \$ 772.38

**Total** \$ 9,083.73

Capital Campaign for Mar 08, 2015:

Actual collection \$ 405.00 PAR/PAD Contributions \$ 155.77

Budget per week <u>\$ 2,000.00</u> **Deficit** (\$ 1,439.23)

(Offerings and Parking are the only revenue the Cathedral receives)

#### **AGAPE TABLE**

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

### **During the Lent and Easter Season**

On Tuesday and Friday during the lent and Easter season Novenas will not be recited.

Mondays to Thursdays before the 12:10 pm weekday Mass, the Rosary will be recited at 11:30 am. and on Fridays at 11:30 am. there will be

Stations of the Cross



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

will hold their monthly Council meeting on Tuesday, March 17 at 7 pm in d'Youville Hall

#### **HOLY WEEK**

Sunday, Mar 29 - 9:30 am & 11:30 am - Palm Sunday

Monday, Mar 30 - 7:30 pm - Chrism Mass NO NOON MASS

Thursday, Apr 02-7:30 pm - Mass of the Lord's Supper, with adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 10:30 pm NO NOON MASS

Friday, Apr 03 - 3:00 pm - Good Friday, The Passion of the Lord

NO NOON MASS

Saturday, Apr 04- 11:00 am - Blessing of the Easter Food NO 5:00 pm MASS

Saturday, Apr 04 - 8:00 pm - Easter Vigil

Sunday, Apr 05 - 9:30 am & 11:30 am - Easter Mass

Monday, Apr 06- Mass at 12.10 pm Parish Office Closed

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