

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
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
Or Upon Request

Ordained Ministers:

Rector: Very Reverend Geoffrey Angeles
Parochial Vicar: Reverend Marcelino Bandico
Deacon: Reverend Mr. Rudy Le Maître
Sacramental Assistant: Reverend 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, March 20/17 - Solemnity,
St. Joseph, husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 12:10 pm - † Charlito Villosol/ Wife Teodora

TUESDAY, March 21/17 - Ferial
 12:10 pm - Thanksgiving/ Linda Flores and Family

 -Conrado C. Madalura

WEDNESDAY, March 22/17 - Ferial
 12:10 pm - † Ernestino Dunlao Jr./ Pat and Bill

 -Paulina Bangcoro Hernandez


THURSDAY, March 23/17 - Ferial
 12:10 pm - † Lamberto Flores/ Linda Flores and Family

FRIDAY, March 24/17 - Ferial
 12:10 pm - † Silvino Rosales/ Giselle Nazareno

 - Claire Cadieux
 - Leon Payment
 - John Pollock
 - Theresa Korzinski

SATURDAY, March 25/17
 5:00 pm - † Aproniana Valle/ Lilia Valle
 † Hepolita Madelo/ Mustila and Narace Dyal
 (Fr. Angeles presiding)

SUNDAY, March 26/17 - 3rd Sunday of Lent
 9:30 am - for the Parishioners of St. Mary's
 (Fr. Angeles presiding)
 11:30 am - *With Children's Liturgy of the Word*
 for the Parishioners of St. Mary's
 (Fr. Bandico presiding)

 - Edgar L. Dellova
 - Sylvia Nakielny

 *Remembered on the Tree of Life*

Liturgical Staff:

Director of Music: Ian Campbell
 Sacristan: Connie Nepomuceno

Support Staff:

Administrative Assistant: Nicholas Barker
 Caretaker/ Building Maintenance: Rickey LaPointe
 Operations Business Manager: Eva Dunlao

Faith Formation:

Children's Catechism: Nicholas Barker
 Young Adult Ministry: Bénédicte Le Maître

Parish Councils:

Finance: Bill Wachko

Affiliated Organizations:

Catholic Women's League: Eileen Rieger
 Knights of Columbus: Art Lopuck



But the hour is coming, and is now here, when true worshippers will worship the Father in Spirit and truth." Are

we true worshippers? Do we praise and honor God the Father in the way Jesus described to the Samaritan woman at the well?

It seems that this woman was caught up in logistics about *where* to worship more than *how* to worship. Her people worshiped in one place, the Jews in another. She was puzzled by this and, even though she could see that Jesus was a prophet, she challenged him because she thought perhaps he wasn't a true worshipper of God. The Lord's response to her was to shift the focus away from a particular physical location for honoring God. In essence, he told her that what mattered was that we worship God by being filled with his Spirit, "the Spirit of truth, [who] will guide you to all truth," as Jesus will say later in John's Gospel (16:13). This woman, whose life was marked by such a sad string of broken relationships, had been missing the point.

Worshipping God means more than merely practicing a community ritual or frequenting a sacred site. If we don't come to truly know God by welcoming his Spirit into our hearts, then our worship will be empty and our lives will always be missing something. The deep fulfillment that is meant to come from following the Lord is a fruit of being filled with his Spirit. Without drinking fully of this "living water" that is available to all of us through the waters of baptism, we will always be seeking something more, like this poor woman. Instead, may we be true worshippers, who drink with satisfaction from the Lord's own "spring of water welling up to eternal life."



Readings for the Week of March 19, 2017

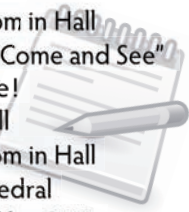
Sunday: Ex 17:3-7/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/
 Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42
Monday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/
 Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a
Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43/Mt 18:21-35
Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Mt 5:17-19
Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Lk 11:14-23
Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Mk 12:28-34
Saturday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38
Next Sunday: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Eph 5:8-14/
 Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

Lectors Schedule

March 25th- 5pm Group 2
 March 26th- 9am Group 2 and 11:30am Group 6

Calendar of Events

- Mar. 18 Marriage Prep Session #1 at 6:30pm in Hall
- Mar. 19 Nathanael Adult Faith Formation "Come and See" 1:30pm to 4:00pm in Hall - All are welcome!
- K of C meeting at 7:00pm in D'Youville Hall
- Mar. 25 Marriage Prep Session #2 at 6:30pm in Hall
- Mar. 29 Penance service at St. Mary's Cathedral
- April 2 *Laudato Si* presentation sponsored by CWL



CWL

CWL is pleased to sponsor a presentation on *Laudato Si* by Fred O'Brien on April 2, 2017 at St Mary's Cathedral. Refreshments to follow.

Knights of Columbus

Next K of C meeting will be on March 21st at 7:00pm in the D'Youville Hall.



Penance services in the Archdiocese of Winnipeg

- March 22nd, St. John XXIII Parish 10:00 am
- March 23rd, St. Patrick's Parish 7:00pm
- March 29th, St. Anthony's Hungarian 7:00pm
- March 29th, St. Mary's Cathedral 7:00 pm*****
- March 30th, St. Paul the Apostle Parish 7:00 pm
- March 31st, St. Edward's Parish 7:00pm
- April 4th, St. Eustache Parish 7:00pm
- April 4th, Our Lady of Lourdes 7:00pm
- April 5th, St. Charles Parish 7:00pm
- April 6th, Good Shepherd Parish, Portage La Prairie 7:00pm



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- Are you longing to know more about God?
- Are you desiring to discover something new about your relationship with Jesus?
- Are you seeking answers to lingering questions?
- Are you searching for a deeper meaning to your faith?
- Are you confident as a believer?
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For more information, visit the Nathanael website at:

www.nathanaelwpg.ca



Parish Offerings

Total offering for the week ended March 12, 2017:

Weekday	\$ 661.10
Loose	\$ 994.40
Envelopes	\$ 4,873.32
Votives	\$ 550.70
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ <u>00.00</u>
Total	\$ <u>7,079.52</u>

Capital Campaign for March 12, 2017:

Actual Offering	\$ 415.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ 00.00
2017 Goal per Week	\$ 1,000.00

Let there Be Light Campaign for March 12, 2017:

Offering this Week	\$ 178.00
Other Donations	\$ 00.00
Total To Date	\$ 74,719.33

Sharing God's Gifts March 12, 2017:

2017 Target	\$ TBA
Donations Received to Date	\$ 12,587.85
Balance to meet by Dec. 31	\$ TBA

Pre-Authorized credit and debit (PAD/PAR) contributions are received and recorded monthly.

Going paperless

A friendly reminder that Pre-Authorized Debit is both a convenient and paperless option for your Sunday offering at St. Mary's Cathedral. With Pre-Authorized Debit, contributions can be made monthly through your bank account or credit card. This option reduces paper and postage fees and, is a convenient way for you to faithfully support the financial wellbeing of our Cathedral mission and ministry.

For further inquiries about this option, contact Eva at the parish office at 204-947-0294.

Stations of the Cross

will be prayed every Friday during the season of Lent at 11:30AM

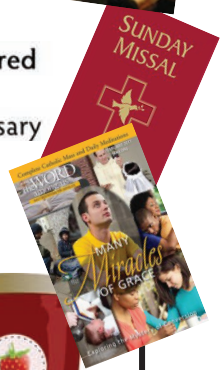


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(Located across our Hargrave St. entrance)

There, you will find:

- 2017 Sunday Offering Envelopes for registered parishioners
- St. Mary's Angels: In support of the Daily Rosary Program on CKJS
- 2017 Calendars: Stories of Saints
- Mass Guides and Scripture Meditations: *The Word Among Us*; Sunday Missal
- Drop items off for Agapé Table: the item for March is Strawberry Jam.
- And much, much more...



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