

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.



Mass Schedule

MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK, March 26/18

12:10 pm - NO MASS

7:00 pm - Chrism Mass

TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK, March 27/18

12:10 pm - † Edgar Dellova/ Lita Dellova

WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK, March 28/18

12:10 pm - † Edgardo Mateo Sr./ Family

HOLY THURSDAY, March 29/18

12:10 pm - NO MASS

7:30 pm - Mass of the Lord's Supper

with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 10:30pm

Archbishop Gagnon Presiding

GOOD FRIDAY, March 30/18

12:10 pm - NO MASS

3:00 pm - Passion of the Lord

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HOLY SATURDAY, March 31/18

11:00 am - Blessing of the Easter Food

5:00 pm - NO MASS

8:00 pm - Easter Vigil in the Holy Night

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EASTER SUNDAY, April 1/18

9:30 am - The Resurrection of the Lord

11:30 am - The Resurrection of the Lord

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bleeds through today's Gospel passages in more ways than one. We see both elation and fall, hope in the midst of the



darker sides of our natures. If we allow it, these Gospels hold a mirror to our own fickle hearts. The crowds cry "Hosanna" and the Apostles profess allegiance unto death. In a manner of days – even hours – Jesus is betrayed, abandoned, denied, condemned, tortured, and executed. As God, he could have stopped this horrific narrative from unfolding, but he doesn't. He allows free will to play itself out.

There are nearly two millennia between this spectacle and us. We can stand safely removed, if we choose. But Lent invites us to return to this story. Lent invites us to find ourselves in the people we encounter there. Are we the repentant woman at Bethany? Are we naysayers of such lavish piety? Have we acted in a way that betrays those we love or denies what we know to be good and true? Have we fallen asleep in our faith? Have we unfairly accused others of a crime or immorality we imagine, though perhaps they didn't commit? Do we help others carry their burdens? Do we stand in solidarity with those who suffer? Do we care for the dying?

This week, take up today's Gospel again. Look carefully at the Passion narrative and sit with it in silence. Find yourself in the story and ponder its meaning for your own life. Journey with Jesus to the foot of the Cross so that you too may say, along with the faithful centurion, "truly this man was the Son of God!"

Lector's Schedule:
 March 31st and April 1st Group 5
 Lectors for Holy Week will be contacted.

Readings for the Week of March 25, 2018

Sunday: Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16/Is 50:4-7/Phil 2:6-11/
 Mk 14:1—15:47

Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9/Rv 1:5-8/Lk 4:16-21

Tuesday: Is 49:1-6/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a/Mt 26:14-25

Holy Thursday: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15

Good Friday: Is 52:13—53:12/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/
 Jn 18:1—19:42

Holy Saturday: Vigil: Gn 1:1—2:2/Gn 22:1-18/
 Ex 14:15-31—5:20 /Is 54:5-7/Is 55:1-11/
 Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/
 Rom 6:3-11/Mk 16:1-7

Easter Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/
 Jn 20:1-18 or Lk 24:13-35

This week we remember the following names on our

Tree of Life:

- March 26 - Edgar L. Dellova
 - Sylvia Nakielny
- March 27 - Mother Mary Angelica
- March 28 - Joe Kaskiw
 - Macairog C. Buenaventura
- March 30 - Josefina Madrigal Bayot
 - Ligaya C. Buenaventura
 - Charlito Viloso
- March 31 - Gabrielle Mayrie Reyes
 - Salvador Lim

"Eternal rest, grant unto them, O Lord..."

Liturgical Staff: Director of Music: Ian Campbell
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Affiliated Organizations: Catholic Women's League: Eileen Rieger
 Knights of Columbus: Art Lopuck
 Legion of Mary: Linda Delapena

Public Way of the Cross

"I am among you as one who serves;" - Luke 22:27
 Friday, March 30, 2018 at 9:30 am
 St. Vital Catholic Church, 1629 Pembina Hwy

SPAGHETTI NIGHT WITH OUR ST. MARY'S CWL

All are invited to join us for food, music and dancing!
 Saturday, April 21, 2018 at 6:00 pm in the Parish Hall.
 Purchase tickets from our CWL members or from our parish office.
 Tickets are \$15.00 per adult, \$25.00 for a couple, kids (ages 6 to 12) are \$5.00 and ages 5 and under are free!
 Hope to see you there!

St. Ignatius Adult Education Centre Preparation Days for the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius:

A 5 Week Commitment beginning May 1. The "Exercises" are a 'user-friendly' way to get a new sense of how God works in our lives, how to make wise choices, how to find God in the people and experiences that fill our days. If you are interested, please contact Valerie to register at 204-453-9243 or email adult.education@stignatius.ca

Holy Hour for Vocations

*Presented by Archbishop Richard Gagnon
 April 22nd, 7pm @ St. Mary's Cathedral*

All are invited for an evening of Eucharistic adoration presided by Archbishop Richard Gagnon. Come and pray that the Lord would choose from among us many priests and religious men and women who would serve Him with their whole heart and make Him know and loved by all. For more information contact the Office of Vocations at: Vocations@archwinnipeg.ca or 204-452-2227 ext 273

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK
Today some of the most poignant themes of human life come into clear central focus: the feeling of being praised and honored, fear, anxiety, betrayal, despair, doubt, uncertainty, trust, hope, sadness, separation, suffering, death, determination, and courage. These are the emotions and realities that every human being wrestles with often. Jesus, the Son of God, encounters them all. As we journey through life, we have to confront the existential meaning of each of these things. How do they fit into the bigger picture? Jesus shows us most clearly that even those things we fear the most lose their power when we discover that we are being led to new life. Suffering is redemptive. Sin and death give way to grace and life and God's unconditional love conquers all. May we see in Jesus' Way of the Cross the path of truth we all must follow.

Parish Offerings for the weekend of March 18.

Total offering for the week ended March 18, 2018:

Weekday Envelopes	\$ 409.90
Weekday and Weekend Loose	\$ 1,196.30
Weekend Envelopes	\$ 5,599.20
Votives	\$ 489.95
PAR/PAD Monthly Contributions	\$ —
Total	\$ <u>7,695.35</u>

Capital Reserve for March 11, 2018:

Actual Offering	\$ 391.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ —
2018 Goal per Week	\$ 1,000.00

Sharing God's Gifts March 11, 2018:

2018 Target	\$ 48,740.00
Excess from 2017	\$ 23,840.55
Target to meet in 2018	\$ 24,899.45
Donations Received to Date	\$ 9,067.12
Balance to meet by Dec 31	\$ <u>15,832.33</u>

Development and Peace—Caritas Canada

Thank you to all those who donated to development and peace: Share Lent Campaign. We were able to raise \$1,306.45.



ThinkFast

Our confirmation candidate took part in their our annual ThinkFast retreat at the church on March 16-17. Thanks to Nicole, Caelyn, Sandra and Dan for making this event a success. A good time was had by all!

TRIDUUM

This Latin term for "three days" highlights the most sacred time of the Church's year. It begins with Holy Thursday evening through Friday evening (day one), include Friday evening through Saturday evening (day two), and conclude with the Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday (day three). During these days, we commemorate the paschal mystery - the backbone of our Christian faith - recalling Jesus' Last Supper, betrayal, suffering, death and resurrection. In our busy lives, filled with distractions and tasks, let us take this opportunity to celebrate Easter well by attending the Triduum celebration.

Open House at Living Waters Columbarium

Join us Sunday, April 8th, from 12:00 to 2:30 pm for our annual Open House. Discover the unique ministry of the columbarium as a Catholic cemetery, and experience what it means to Honour Life in the Catholic Tradition.



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