

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.






4th Sunday in Lent

MONDAY, - Mar 7/16 Ferial
12:10 pm - † Fern Turenne/ Bequest

TUESDAY, Mar 8/16 - Feast
12:10 pm - † Dante Buenaventura/Family

WEDNESDAY, Mar 9/16 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † Martin Macaltee/ Elizabeth


 - Kathleen Frederick
 - Carlos Gentugao Guerrero


THURSDAY, Mar 10/16 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † Beatriz Salmin Lobb/ Mustila & Narace Dyal

FRIDAY, Mar 11/16 - Memorial
12:10 pm - † Juanito Maranan/Connie Nepomuceno

SATURDAY, Mar 12/16 -Memorial
5:00 pm - Thanksgiving for Lillian M. Mendoza/Family

SUNDAY, Mar 13/16
9:30 am & 11:30 am - for the Parishioners of St. Mary's

 - Rose Kelly

 *Remembered on the Tree of Life*

"The Pharisees and scribes began to complain, saying, 'This man welcomes sinners and eats with them.'" Jesus crossed lines that weren't supposed to be crossed. He talked to women in public, touched the "unclean" to heal them, and chummed it up with tax collectors and sinners. This didn't make sense. It didn't fit into the standard categories. And so the religious leaders began to complain.

In response to this, Jesus told the parable of the prodigal son. Through this story, he illustrated that God loves all of his children even when they have not behaved perfectly. But more than this, the tale also deals with the resentment of the older son--the one who always followed the law. Like the self-righteous Pharisees and scribes, the older brother complained. "All these years I served you," the son said, "and not once did I disobey your orders; yet you never gave me even a young goat to feast on with my friends." But how does the father respond? "My son, you are here with me always; everything I have is yours." In other words, the older brother had no reason to complain or be angry. He already enjoyed all good gifts. The father simply wanted him to rejoice that his brother had returned home. "He was lost and has been found."

It's important for those of us who attend Mass regularly, participate in the sacraments, and serve in our parishes not to fall into the trap of being like the bitter older brother or the complaining Pharisees. We must welcome everyone in our midst with joy, not resentment or judgment. It can be easy to think that others don't deserve as much as we do, and to forget to be grateful for all that we have. But we are ALL called to "celebrate and rejoice" when the lost return home.

His son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you; I no longer deserve to be called your son.' But his father ordered his servants, 'let us celebrate with a feast because this son of mine was dead, and has come to life again.'" - Lk 15:21-22a, 23b-24a

Lectors Schedule

Group 5 will read next Saturday, March 12, 2016
 Group 1 will read next Sunday, March 13, 2016


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

Faith Formation:
 Children: Don Schroeder

Parish Councils:
 Finance: Bill Wachko
 Building & Grounds: Ky Mohammed

Support Staff:
 Secretary: Pat Stepanuik
 Caretaker/ Building Maintenance: Rickey LaPointe
 Business Manager: Bill Wachko

Affiliated Organizations:
 Catholic Women's League: Eleanor Ulasz
 Knights of Columbus: Art Lopuck

 Readings for the Week of
 March 6, 2016

Sunday: Jos 5:9a1-12/2 Cor 5:17-21/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
 Monday: Is 65:17-21/Jn 4:43-54
 Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12/Jn 5:1-16
 Wednesday: Is 49:8-15/Jn 5:16-30
 Thursday: Ex 32:7-14/Jn 5.18-47
 Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
 Saturday: Jer 11:18-20/Jn 7:40-53
 Next Sunday: Is 43:16-21/Phil 3:8-14/Jn 8:1-11

Central Winnipeg Deanery
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Lent 2016

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9TH

7:00 p.m. St. Paul the Apostle Church
 2400 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg

THURSDAY, MARCH 10TH

10:00 a.m. Saint John XXIII Church
 3390 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg

7:00 p.m. St. Patrick's Church
 172 Worth Street, Winnipeg

FRIDAY, MARCH 11TH

7:00 p.m. St. Anthony of Padua Church
 (Hungarian)
 365 Burnell Street, Winnipeg

TUESDAY, MARCH 15TH

10:15 a.m. St. Charles Catholic School
*N.B.: The Sacrament of Reconciliation
 will be celebrated for School Children at
 St. Charles Church
 320 St. Charles Street, Winnipeg*

7:00 p.m. St. Mary's Cathedral
 353 St. Mary Avenue, Winnipeg

7:00 p.m. Blessed Sacrament Church
 19 Elie Street West, Elie, Manitoba

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16TH 7:00 p.m.

St. Charles Church
 320 St. Charles Street, Winnipeg

THURSDAY, MARCH 17TH

7:00 p.m. Good Shepherd Church
 1125 Sask. Avenue East, Ptge la Prairie

7:00 p.m. Our Lady of Lourdes Church
 95 MacDonald Avenue, Winnipeg

FRIDAY, MARCH 18TH

6:30 p.m. St. Edward the Confessor Church
 836 Arlington Street, Winnipeg

Parish Offerings

Total offering for the week ended Feb 28/16:

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| Weekday \$ | 741.75 |
| Loose \$ | 1,205.05 |
| Envelopes \$ | 6,211.83 |
| Votives \$ | 526.80 |
| PAR/PAD Contributions \$ | 0000.00 |
| Total | \$ 8,685.43 |

Capital Campaign for Feb 28, 2015:

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| Actual offering \$ | 867.00 |
| PAR/PAD Contributions \$ | 000.00 |
| Budget per week \$ | 2,000.00 |

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Let there Be Light Campaign for Feb 28, 2015

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| Offering this week \$ | 622.00 |
| Other Donations \$ | 000.00 |
| Total To Date | \$ 47,834.01 |

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

AGAPE TABLE

The item for March is Strawberry Jam
 (please place items in the container by the Hospitality Room)
 to volunteer: 204-783-6369 or volunteer@agapetable.ca

Winnipeg Life's Vision Annual Brunch

On Saturday, March 12, 2016 at 11:00 am (doors open at 10:00 am) the Annual Pro-Life Brunch will be held at Holy Redeemer Parish Hall, 264 Donwood Drive, Winnipeg. Tickets \$20.00 each and can be reserved by contacting Winnipeg Life's Vision at 204 233-8047 or Email lifesvision@shaw.ca

Share Lent Pilgrimage—Building community in Indonesia

The 3rd week of our pilgrimage finds us in Indonesia. The word kampung has come to mean 'slum' in the local language, but its original definition is 'community.' Your support for Share Lent means that Try Mopurto, who lives in a kampong, has been able to renovate his home for his family, despite suffering from mental illness. The community is coming together to support him and his family. "My home is my heaven," he says, "because here we feel the meaning of brotherhood in the social life of the kampong."

Annual Public Way of the Cross

Join us on Good Friday, March 25, for the Archdiocese of Winnipeg's Annual Public Way of the Cross. It will be held at St. Peter's Church, 748 Keewatin Street, with the program beginning at 8:30 A.M. For any questions, please call the Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry at (204) 452-2227, ext. 273.

Women of the Parish

Please join CWL on March 13th after the 11:30 mass for a sharing time of Reflection on Mercy led by Hilda Toews.

Music Ministry - Choir rehearsal is every Thursday from 7pm to 9pm. All voices welcome.

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