

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.



1st Sunday in Lent

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MONDAY, Mar 10, 2014 - Ferial

12:10 pm - † George Murphy/Mother Winnie

TUESDAY, Mar 11, 2014 - Ferial

12:10 pm - † Rev. Father Stephen Njoku/Emeka

WEDNESDAY, Mar 12, 2014 - Ferial

12:10 pm - † Mr. & Mrs. Da Silva/Natalia Silva

THURSDAY, Mar 13, 2014 - Ferial

12:10 pm - Thanksgiving for Lillian Mendoza/Family

- † Corazon Miranda/Violet Ramos



- Rose Kelly

FRIDAY, Mar 14, 2014 - Ferial

12:10 pm - † Elaine Bouchard/Niece Helena Charron



- Frances Treger

- Shirley Purganan

- Shirley D. Tan

SATURDAY, Mar 15, 2014 - Ferial

5:00 pm - Special Intentions & Thanksgiving/Anne Lim

SUNDAY, Mar 16, 2014 - 2nd Sunday in Lent

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



Remembered on the Tree of Life

Lectors

Group 2 will read next weekend, Mar 15 & 16, 2014.

Lector schedules can be picked up in the sacristy

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

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Secretary: Pat Stepanuik

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Pastoral Counsellor: Sr. Rose Mary Sander

Affiliated Organizations:

Catholic Women's League: Eleanor Ulasz

Knights of Columbus: Ed Polkowski

1st Sunday of Lent

Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert to be tempted by the devil. Today's Gospel brings us face-to-face with the reality of spiritual warfare. A battle is going on in the desert. The devil is out to win the allegiance of the Son of God. But Jesus fights back. Not with fists or knives, but with the word of God. For every temptation the devil proposes, Jesus arms himself with the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God (Ephesians 6:17). This strategy proves effective. Ultimately, the devil left him, and then Jesus was consoled by the presence of angels.



In our modern era, we face a new temptation: to deny the existence of spiritual beings. Angels appear to be little more than lawn ornaments or Christmas crafts, and too often the devil is reduced to an analogy for the vague presence of evil. Perhaps the greatest achievement of the father of lies, as Pope Francis has suggested, is to make us believe that he does not exist. But the word of God gives us a different idea: Be sober and vigilant. Your opponent the devil is prowling around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour (1 Peter 5:8). This is no fairy tale. Satan wants to win our allegiance too.

During Lent, we have the opportunity to fortify ourselves for this serious, if silent, combat. Just as Jesus fasted and prayed for forty days before that diabolical encounter, we take these forty days of Lent to conquer the weak spots where we are susceptible to attack. We fast to strengthen our self-control, we give alms to strengthen our generosity, and we pray to strengthen our faith in God's power and providence. A sincere effort now, in the desert of Lent, can lead us to victory as we engage in the ongoing spiritual battle for the allegiance of our souls.

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Rite of Election

Will be celebrated with all catechumens of the Archdiocese on **March 9 at 2:30 P.M.** in the Cathedral. Archbishop Gagnon will preside. Following, there will a reception in the parish hall



Readings for the Week of March 9, 2014

- Sunday:** Genesis 2:7-9, 16-18, 25;3:1-7++
Romans 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19
Matthew 4:1-11
- Monday:** Leviticus 19:1-2, 11-18
Matthew 25:31-46
- Tuesday:** Isaiah 55:10-11/Matthew 6:7-15
- Wednesday:** Jonah 3:1-10/Luke 11:29-32
- Thursday:** Esther 14:1, 3-5,12-14/Matthew 7:7-12
- Friday:** Ezekiel 18:21-28/Matthew 5:20-26
- Saturday:** Deuteronomy 26:16-19
Matthew 5:43-48
- Next Sunday:** Genesis 12:1-4a/2 Timothy 1:8b-10
Matthew 17:1-9

March 9 - — 1st Sunday of Lent

In today's Gospel Jesus was tempted to stray from the path the Father had set for him. What temptations lure you from the path of discipleship? There is so much in our materialistic society to tempt us. The beauty of stewardship as a way of life is that it enables the Christian steward to resist the enticement of excessive consumerism and materialism. Stewardship inspires us to discern between needs and wants and brings a measure of balance to our lives. Stewardship provides the necessary discipline needed to live in a consumer culture yet not be consumed by it. This Lenten season let us pray that we may live a lifestyle in which we possess sensibly.

Stewardship Office, The Archdiocese of Winnipeg,
www.archwinnipeg.ca

Development & Peace Share Lent Campaign

Did you have breakfast today? Many people did not. One out of every eight people in the world suffers from hunger. Join the campaign launched by Pope Francis "One Human Family, Food for All" for the right of all people to healthy food and the right to grow their own food. During this Lenten season, let us support Development & Peace partners in Africa, Latin America and Asia who are working to develop their own agricultural systems.

Fellowship

Join us for coffee, tea and goodies in the Parish Hall between the 9:30 am and 11:30 am Sunday Masses.



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

will hold their monthly Council meeting on Tue Mar 18, 2014, at 7 pm in d'Youville hall

NEW & UPCOMING

- Mar 8 - 9:30am - noon, Catechism
- Mar 8 - 3:30pm - St. Mary's Choir Practice
- Mar 9 - 10:00am - Level 9 Catechism
- Mar 9 - After 11:30am mass - RCIA class
- Mar 9 - 2:30 pm - Rite of Election
- Mar 13 - 7:00pm - St. Mary's Choir Practice
- Mar 15 - 9:30am - noon, Catechism
- Mar 15 - 3:30pm - St. Mary's Choir Practice
- Mar 16 - 10:00am - Level 9 Catechism
- Mar 16 - After 11:30am mass - RCIA class
- Mar 18 - 7:00pm - Knights of Columbus in d'Youville Hall
- Mar 20 - 7:00pm - St. Mary's Choir Practice
- Mar 22 - 9:30am - noon, Catechism
- Mar 22 - 3:30pm - St. Mary's Choir Practice
- Mar 23 - 10:00am - Level 9 Catechism
- Mar 23 - After 11:30am mass - RCIA class
- Mar 27 - 7:00pm - St. Mary's Choir Practice
- Mar 29 - 9:30am - noon, Catechism
- Mar 29 - 3:00pm - St. Mary's Choir Practice
- Mar 30 - 10:00am - Level 9 Catechism
- Mar 30 - After 11:30am mass - RCIA class

Stewardship.....for Life!

Total offering for the week ended Mar 2, 2014:

Weekly Offerings	\$ 704.84
Sunday Envelopes	\$ 5,509.88
Loose	\$ 828.62
Votive Candles	\$ 352.35
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ 586.86
Total	\$ 7,982.55

Capital Campaign for Mar 2, 2014:

Actual collection	\$ 1,018.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ 66.92
Budget per week	\$ 2,000.00
Deficit	(\$ 915.08)

(Offerings and parking are the only funding 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

**Caritas Award Dinner
April 30, 2014**

The Catholic Foundation of Manitoba is pleased to announce that Actionmarguerite, St. Joseph's Residence and Holy Family Home are the recipients of the 2014 Caritas Award. A dinner in their honour will be held on April 30, 2014 at the Winnipeg Convention Centre. Tickets are \$95.00 each and can be purchased through the Cathedral office. Deadline for tickets is Friday, April 18.

HOLY WEEK

- Apr 13 - Palm Sunday
- Apr 14 - 7:30pm - Chrism Mass
NO NOON MASS
- Apr 17- 7:30pm - Mass of the Lord's Supper
NO NOON MASS
- Apr 18 - 3:00pm - Good Friday, The Passion of the Lord
NO NOON MASS
- Apr 19- 11:00am - Blessing of the Easter Food
NO 5:00pm MASS
- Apr 19 - 8:00pm - Easter Vigil
- Apr 20 - 9:30am & 11:30am - Easter Mass
- Apr 21- Cathedral & Parish Office Closed
NO NOON MASS

Penitential Services for the Central Deanery, 2014

- Mar 28 - 7:00pm - St. Patrick's
- Apr 01 - 7:00pm - Our Lady of Lourdes
- Apr 02 - 7:00pm - St. Paul the Apostle
- Apr 04 - 6:30pm St. Edward's Church
- Apr 08 - 7:00pm - St. Mary's Cathedral
- Apr 09 - 7:00pm - Good Shepherd, Portage la Prairie
- Apr 10 - 10:00am - Blessed John XXIII
- Apr 10 - 7:00pm - St. Charles Church
- Apr 11 - 7:00pm - St. Anthony of Padua

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