

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: Reverend Monsignor D. Ward Jamieson, V.G.
Pastoral Associate: Fr. Ken Barclay
Deacon: Reverend Mr. Rudy Le Maître

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.



Christ the King

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**Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe**



MONDAY Nov 26, 2012 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † Isidro Casumbal
 - Casumbal Family

TUESDAY Nov 27, 2012 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † All Souls In Purgatory
 - Connie Nepomuceno

WEDNESDAY Nov 28, 2012 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † Teofista Tallo
 - Caballero Family

 - *Marciano M. Matriano*

THURSDAY Nov 29, 2012 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † Stan Kaskiw
 Ed Kaskiw


FRIDAY Nov 30, 2012 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † Rita & Julian Cataniag
 - Divina

 - *Escolastica V. Benavidez*

SATURDAY Dec 01, 2012 - Memorial
- St. Andrew, Apostle
5:00 pm - † Reynaldo Velasco
 - Casumbal Family

 - *Domingo Naval*

SUNDAY Dec 02, 2012 - 1st Sunday of Advent
9:30 am - for St. Mary's parishioners
11:30 am - for St. Mary's parishioners

 *Remembered on the Tree of Life*

The HBO series Game of Thrones is a critical and ratings success. It has now completed two seasons and a third is on its way in the spring. The genre show has gained wide appeal, something that doesn't always happen in the convoluted world of fantasy genre. Since the beginning, fan sites have sprung up alongside the official HBO website to help new viewers keep track of the characters. The HBO site even includes a family tree so that viewers can remember who is connected to whom. The basic plot of the show involves the struggle to hold on to power in a kingdom that is threatened by internal strife and natural disaster. Various heirs and other nobles form and reform alliances in an attempt to stay alive. The court intrigue is shown in all its bloody detail.

The Gospel on this feast of Christ the King gives an entirely different picture of kingship. We only have a small snippet from John's Passion narrative, but it is enough to remind us of the entire story that we hear on Good Friday. In John's Gospel, Jesus is completely in charge. He is not a victim of the crowds. He willingly lays down his life and he takes it up again. Unlike the characters in Game of Thrones, the members of Christ's family are not scheming for power behind the back of the ruler, because his kingdom is not of this world. He reigns beyond the power of any foe to depose him.

Being an attendant of Christ (to use the word from the Gospel) is to listen to the voice of the King. As our prayers tell us today, he rules over "a kingdom of truth and life, a kingdom of holiness and grace, a kingdom of justice, love and peace." So many television viewers are enamored of Game of Thrones. Hopefully our example will invite others to be a part of the kingdom of Christ.

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*So Pilate said to him, "Then you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say I am a king. For this I was born and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."
 John 18:37*

Liturgical Staff:

Director of Music: Ian Campbell
 Sacristan: Connie Nepomuceno
 Lector Leader: Mary Le Maître

Faith Formation:

Children: Armi Yang & Catherine Suarez
 Baptismal Preparation: Msgr. Jamieson
 Rite of Christian Initiation: Sr. Rose Mary Sander

Parish Councils:

Finance: Bill Wachko
 Pastoral:

Support Staff:

Secretary: Pat Stepanuik
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 Archivist/Social Justice: Denise Terpstra

Affiliated organizations:

Catholic Women's League: Angelita Maduro
 Knights of Columbus: Ky Mohammed
 Development & Peace: Denise Terpstra



Readings for the Week of Nov 25, 2012

Sunday: Daniel 7:13-14/Revelation 1:5-8
 John 18:33b-37
Monday: Revelation 14:1-3, 4b-5/Luke 21:1-4
Tuesday: Revelation 14:14-19/Luke 21:5-11
Wednesday: Revelation 15:1-4/Luke 21:12-19
Thursday: Revelation 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a
 Luke 21:20-28
Friday: Romans 10:9-18/Matthew 4:18-22
Saturday: Revelation 22:1-7/Luke 21:34-36
Next Sunday: Jeremiah 33:14-16/
 1 Thessalonians 3:12---4:2
 Luke 21:25-28, 34-36

Stewardship - Nov 25th - Christ the King

In this final week of the Liturgical Year of the Church it is appropriate to reflect on what you have done this past year to make Christ our King known to others. It is by the example of your life that you take part in what Blessed John Paul II calls the 'new evangelization'. The Second Vatican Council re-emphasized the missionary aspect of the Church and in particular the role of all the baptized in responding to Christ's call to make disciples of all nations (Matthew 28:18).

Evangelization is the responsibility of the entire people of God and it is good stewardship of our faith.

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

Weekly Marriage Tip (courtesy of your marriage prep team)
 "But of that day or hour, no one knows..." (Mark 13:32) Death is not something most people like to think about, but it is inevitable and indeed we don't know "the day or hour." Don't avoid talking about your deaths – even if you're young. Do you know each other's final wishes?

<http://foryourmarriage.org>

In Honour of St. Pedro Calungsod

A Mass to honour the canonization of St. Pedro Calungsod will be celebrated on Friday, December 7, 2012 in St. Mary's Cathedral beginning at 7:30 pm. All are welcome to join in this celebration. A reception, in the parish hall, will follow.

Lectors

Group 3 will read next weekend, Dec 01 & 02, 2012.



St. Mary's Cathedral
 Catholic Women's League
 Dec 09, 2012 General Meeting
 After 11:30 Mass - Parish Hall

Before the 12:10 pm weekday Mass,
 the Rosary is recited at 11:30 am.

NEW & UPCOMING

- Nov 24 - 9:30 am - noon, Catechism
- Nov 25 - 10:00 am - Level 9 Catechism
- Nov 29 - 7:00 pm Choir Practice
- Dec 01 - 9:30 am - noon, Catechism
- Dec 02 - 10:00 am - Level 9 Catechism
- Dec 05 - Parish Office closes at 1:00 pm
- Dec 05 - 7:00 pm - Building and Grounds Committee
- Dec 06 - 7:00 pm Choir Practice
- Dec 07 - 7:30 pm - Mass for St. Pedro Calungsod
- Dec 08 - 9:30 am - noon, Catechism
- Dec 09 - 10:00 am - Level 9 Catechism
- Dec 09 - CWL after 11:30 mass in the Parish Hall
- Dec 13 - 7:00 pm Choir Practice
- Dec 15 - 9:30 am - Mass for Catechism classes
 in the Cathedral, reception in the hall to follow
- Dec 16 - 10:00 am - Level 9 Catechism
- Dec 18 - 7:00 pm Knights of Columbus in d'Youville hall

Stewardship.....for Life!

Total offering for the week ended Nov 18, 2012:

Weekday Envelopes	\$ 304.79
Sunday Envelopes	\$ 3,319.62
Loose	\$ 994.25
Votives	\$ 450.25
Bonus for the Cathedral:	\$ 2,866.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ <u>574.62</u>
Total	\$ <u>8,509.53</u>

Capital Campaign for Nov 18, 2012:

Actual collection	\$ 430.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ 330.00
Budget per week	\$ <u>2,000.00</u>
Deficit	(\$ <u>1,240.00</u>)

Sharing God's Gifts 2012:

2012 Yearly commitment	\$ 52,150.00
2012 Monthly Target	\$ 4,345.83
YTD as of Nov Target	\$ 47,804.13
YTD as of Nov Actual	\$ 38,663.85
YTD Deficit	\$ <u>(9,140.28)</u>

*** Before the end of Dec 2012 we need to raise
\$13,486.15 to meet our 2012 commitment to
 Sharing God's Gifts
 (Offerings and parking are the only funding the Cathedral receives)

AGAPE TABLE

The item for November is bathroom tissue
 (items may be placed in the container in the sacristy)

Safety Awareness Campaign

We are pleased to announce that the Cathedral is embarking on an education program to increase the personal safety of all staff and parishioners to ensure a safe and pleasant experience while at the Cathedral.

The first phase of this program will be an information session for staff, ushers and ministry volunteers on Dec 1, 2012 at 1:00 pm in the parish hall. All staff, ushers and volunteers are encouraged to attend. Please let the office know if you will be attending or not.

Upcoming, look for helpful weekly bulletin tips on home, auto and personal safety and other areas of concern such as panhandlers and where best to focus our charity.

In the new year we will provide free information sessions along with printed safety materials to parishioners. These sessions will include the participation of the Winnipeg Police Service.

Congratulations
 to the parents and family of
Teo Luis Godinho Esteves
Isla Maraya Reyes
Godwil Kuol David Atem
 and
Xacchea Angelina Rapisarda
 who were baptized
 at the Cathedral on Nov 18, 2012



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