

St. Mary's Roman Catholic Cathedral

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*Give thanks to the Lord for
His many Blessings
On Thanksgiving*



MONDAY, Oct 14, 2013 - Thanksgiving
12:10 pm †- NO MASS

TUESDAY, Oct 15, 2013 - Memorial
 - St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin, Doctor
12:10 pm †- Thanksgiving / Leonarda Ramoso

WEDNESDAY, Oct 16, 2013 - Memorial
 - St. Marguerite D'Youville, Religious
12:10 pm - Elsie Mercado / Emily Mercado
 - Nicholas Sokulski
 - Fredeswinda C. Ramos
 - Flora Mae MacDonald

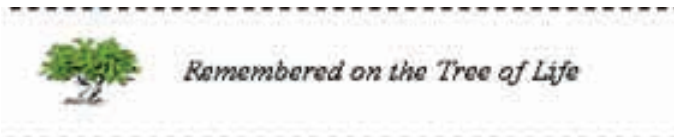
THURSDAY, Oct 17, 2013 - Memorial
 - St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr
12:10 pm † - Cynthia A. Enero - Pauline Arquillano

FRIDAY, Oct 18, 2013 - Feast
 - St. Luke, Evangelist
12:10 pm †- Cynthia Enero / Enero Family

 - Bill Pestaluky

SATURDAY, Oct 19, 2013 - Ferial
5:00 pm - †- Virgilio C. Abrenica / Family

SUNDAY, Oct 20, 2013 - 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 am - for St. Mary's parishioners
11:30 am - for St. Mary's parishioners



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

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

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

Support Staff:
 Secretary: Pat Stepanuik
 Administrative Assistant: Lori Gagnon
 Caretaker/ Building Maintenance: Rickey LaPointe
 Business Manager: Bill Wachko
 Pastoral Councilor: Sr. Rose Mary Sander

Affiliated Organizations:
 Catholic Women's League: Eleanor Ulasz
 Knights of Columbus: Ed Polkowski

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

It seems that there is always an exception. The rules for a game are to be observed, except when certain conditions arise that make for a new rule. While much of the game is the same, the rules in baseball or football have adapted to different situations over time. The NFL did not allow a two-point conversion after a touchdown while the AFL did. After the leagues merged, the two-point conversion was abandoned. It would return twenty-five years later when the NFL adopted the two-point conversion rule in 1994. The exception that the AFL had in its ten years of existence eventually became the rule in league play. For most fans this nearly twenty year-old play is just part of the game, although some purists still debate the wisdom of the move.




In the Gospel today, Jesus tells the ten lepers to go and show themselves to the priests who are the ones who can certify that the leprosy with which they were each afflicted has been cleansed. This was the statute prescribed in the law of Moses, and after an examination by the priests, a leper who was healed could then return to the community. Nine of these lepers follow the rules. One of them breaks away after he realizes that he has been cleansed and returns to thank Jesus.

The action of the leper who returned to give thanks has become the exception that proves the rule. The law of Moses required that anyone cleansed of leprosy would offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving to Lord for the divine intervention. When the Samaritan returned to thank Jesus, he was implicitly signaling that the Lord was present in our midst. Like the Samaritan leper, we can recognize that the Lord has been at work in our lives, and we can offer thanks. It's a good rule to put in place for our entire life, and not just an occasional exception

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Lectors
Group 1 will read next weekend, Oct 19 & Oct 20, 2013.

And one of them, realizing he had been healed, returned, glorifying God in a loud voice; and he fell at the feet of Jesus and thanked him. He was a Samaritan. Jesus said in reply, "Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?"
Luke 17:15-18

 **Readings for the Week of Oct 13, 2013**

Sunday: 2 Kings 5:14-17/2 Timothy 2:8-13
 Luke 17:11-19

Monday: Romans 1:1-7/Luke 11:29-32

Tuesday: Romans 1:16-25/Luke 11:37-41

Wednesday: Romans 2:1-11/Luke 11:42-46

Thursday: Romans 3:21-30/Luke 11:47-54

Friday: 2 Timothy 4:9-17a/Luke 10:1-9

Saturday: Romans 4:13, 16-18/Luke 12:8-12

Next Sunday: Exodus 17:8-13/2 Timothy 3:14--4:2
 Luke 18:1-8

Sunday October 13th - 28th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Happy Thanksgiving! We all have so much to be grateful for. In the face of the daily barrage of advertisements that promote the endless pursuit of more and more stuff as the path to the good life, it can sometimes be a challenge to remain grateful. Much of the advertising we are subjected to is directed at creating a feeling of dissatisfaction not gratitude. Every year at this time we are reminded of how important the virtue of gratitude is in our lives, and that is good. Let us pray that the spirit of gratitude we celebrate this weekend is a daily habit in our lives? Stewardship is rooted in our never ending gratitude to God.

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

St. Gianna Beretta Molla Church is pleased to offer a fall bereavement process for those who are grieving the death of a loved one. **From History to Mystery – Encounter Christ in Your Grief** is an eight week process that supports participants in nurturing their relationship with Christ through the brokenness of grief. The sessions are held at St. Gianna's Parish Centre (1353 Kenaston Blvd) on Wednesday evenings starting October 16th. This journey of healing is open to all members of the Catholic community and their families.

From the Rector's desk

As announced previously, I am very pleased to welcome two new, though familiar, additions to our pastoral team. Sr. Rose Mary Sander, who has served the cathedral community in the past, will be officially working part-time in the areas of adult faith development and pastoral counseling. Mr. Bill Wachko is assuming the position of business manager, bringing with him many years of experience and expertise.

To echo what I said previously, I am confident that our cathedral community can only be strengthened in its future growth with the presence of these two gifted resources on our pastoral staff.

In Christ,
Fr. Geoffrey Angeles

St. Mary's Cathedral Choir

Our next choir rehearsal is on **Thursday Oct 16 from 7:00 to 8:45 p.m.** All are welcome! For any questions please email smcmusicministry@gmail.com, or phone Ian Campbell at 204-947-0294.

Westminster Concert Series

Presents the 1st Concert in their 25th Season
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Sunday, Oct 20, 2013 at 7:30 pm
Tickets - \$25.00 at the door or from McNally Robinson
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(supported by The Sir Thomas Cropp Foundation)

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS

The Cathedral and the Parish Office will be closed on Mon, Oct 14, 2013 for the Thanksgiving Stat holiday. There will be **NO MASS.**

Stewardship.....for Life!

Total offering for the week ended Oct 06, 2013:

Sunday Envelopes	\$	5,235.43
Loose	\$	1,305.24
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$	596.54
Total	\$	7,137.21

Capital Campaign for Oct 06, 2013:

Actual collection	\$	544.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$	70.38
Budget per week	\$	2,000.00
Deficit	\$	(1,385.62)

(Offerings and parking are the only funding the Cathedral receives)

Sharing God's Gifts 2013:

2013 Yearly commitment	\$	54,140.00
2013 Monthly Target	\$	4,511.67
YTD Total	\$	27,441.50
2013 YTD Deficit	\$	(13,163.53)

AGAPE TABLE

The item for October is Canned Vegetables (items may be placed in the container in the sacristy) to volunteer : 204-783-6369 or volunteer@agapetable.ca



St. Mary's Cathedral Knights of Columbus

will hold their monthly Council meeting on Tue. Oct 15, 2013 at 7 pm in d'Youville hall

**Holy Names House of Peace
1st Welcome Home Dinner and Silent Auction**

Tue. Oct. 22, 2013 at the Winnipeg Convention Centre
Doors open at 6 p.m., dinner at 7 p.m.
Tickets \$30, available at House of Peace
211 Edmonton St., phone (204) 942-5535
Guest speakers Gregg and Mary Hanson.

Learn about The House of Peace and support Neighbours, our safe, transitional home for newcomer women.

Tickets will go quickly! You can also reserve a table of 10 and enjoy an evening out with family and friends. Please join us!

NEW & UPCOMING

- Oct 13** - After 11:30am mass - RCIA class
- Oct 15** - 7:00 pm Knights of Columbus in d'Youville hall
- Oct 17** - 7:00pm - St. Mary's Choir Practice
- Oct 19** - 9:30am - noon, Catechism
- Oct 20** - 10:00am - Level 9 Catechism
- Oct 20** - After 11:30am mass - RCIA class
- Oct 24** - 7:00pm - St. Mary's Choir Practice
- Oct 26** - 9:30am - noon, Catechism
- Oct 27** - 10:00am - Level 9 Catechism
- Oct 27** - After 11:30am mass - RCIA class
- Oct 27** - 7:30 - Evening Vespers
- Oct 30** - 5:30 pm - Finance Council Meeting

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