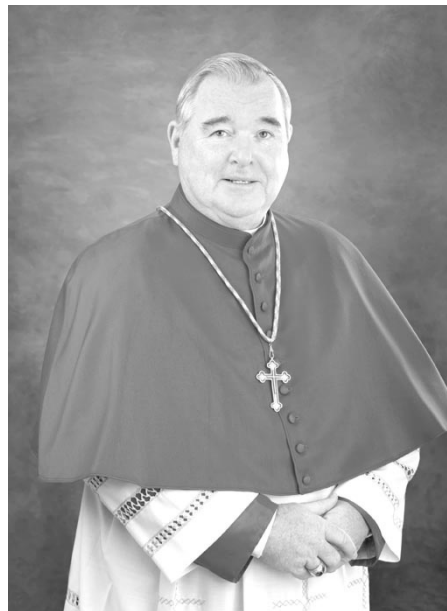


St. Mary's Roman Catholic Cathedral

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.





27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MONDAY, October 3/16 - Ferial - NO MASS

*Mass intention for † Norman Polintan/ Anastacia
will be offered at the Priest Study Days*

**TUESDAY, October 4/16 - Memorial, St. Francis of Assisi
- NO MASS**

*Mass intention for † Alan Bielaszka/ Auntie Pat &
Family will be offered at the Priest Study Days*

WEDNESDAY, October 5/16 - Ferial - NO MASS

*Mass intention for † Raquel Garcia Almazen/ Family
will be offered at the Priest Study Days*



*-Rolando Arbilo
-Anatalia Bravo*

THURSDAY, October 6/16 - Ferial - NO MAS

*Mass intention for † Rafael S. Campos/ Family
will be offered at the Priest Study Days*



*-Purita Barcelona
-Anne Hewko
-Rafael S. Campos*

**FRIDAY, October 7/16 - Memorial, Our Lady of the
Rosary**

12:10 pm - † Pedro Ramos Sr./ Remy Ramos



-Maria C. Tolentino

SATURDAY, October 8/16 - Ferial

5:00 pm - † Zanaido Macalos Abadier/ Rebenque Family
† Jaycob Acaya/ Mom, Dad and Brother



-Norman P. Polintan

SUNDAY, October 9/16

9:30 am & 11:30 am -for the Parishioners of St. Mary's



Remembered on the Tree of Life

“When you have done all you have been commanded, say, ‘We are unprofitable servants; we have done what we were obliged to do.’” What a humble attitude this would be! Jesus challenges us today not to boast, not to seek special praise, not to consider ourselves worthy of some great reward when we follow him. Rather, he honestly reminds us that it is simply our duty to do all we “have been commanded.”

God made us. Our lives are a result of his loving initiative. Giving ourselves back to him through “the obedience of faith” (as the Second Vatican Council called it), is truly the only appropriate response. Of course we are free not to practice this obedience. We are free to reject God, to ignore his commandments, even to make ourselves his enemies. But nonetheless it remains true that what we ought to do is to love God and follow his ways. And Jesus suggests today that this simple obedience should be a given in our lives. Following the commandments is merely what we are obligated to do.

But, let's not forget that we are also free to do more. Because of the nature of love, we can never really exhaust it. We can always love more, serve more devotedly, give more generously. Perhaps Jesus is calling us to focus less on meeting the bare-bones requirements of Christianity, and instead to shift our efforts farther in the direction of going above and beyond the call of duty. Instead of asking what is the least I have to do, we would do well to ask, what else can I do? What else can I do to show my gratitude to God for all he has given me? What else can I do to serve his people and nurture the world he has made? Let us aim to become truly profitable servants.



**Readings for the Week of
October 2 - 9, 2016**

Sunday: Hab 1.2-3; 2.2-4/ 2 Tim 1.6-8, 13-14/
Lk 17.5-10
Monday: Gal 1.6-12/ Lk 10.25-37
Tuesday: Gal 1.13-24/ Lk 10.38-42
Wednesday: Gal 2.1-2, 7-14/ Lk 11.1-4
Thursday: Gal 3.1-5/ Lk 11.5-13
Friday: Gal 3.6-14+/ Lk 11.15-26
Saturday: Gal 3.22-29/ Lk 11.27-28
Sunday: 2 Kings 5.14-17/ 2 Tim 2.8-13/
Lk 17.11-19

Liturgical Staff:

Director of Music: Ian Campbell
Sacristan: Connie Nepomuceno

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Introductory Scripture Study

Beginning Sunday October 16th after the 11:30am Mass at 1:15pm, St. Mary's will be offering the "Great Adventure Bible Series" introductory course once again. This eight-session course is an overview of the Bible. Registration fee is \$25. (includes workbook, time line, etc.)

Please register through the office by calling 204-947-0294

An Invitation to "Listening Sessions" in preparation for the Archdiocese of Winnipeg Synod

At Pentecost Archbishop Gagnon announced our first Archdiocesan Synod will take place in stages over the next 2 years, 2016 - 2018. From September to November we enter the preparatory phase of the Synod called "Listening Sessions" - gatherings where people are invited to voice their views about present needs and future directions for the church in the Archdiocese of Winnipeg.

Our listening session is scheduled for:

Wednesday, October 19 – Central Winnipeg Deanery @ St. Paul the Apostle Parish, Winnipeg beginning at 7:00 p.m.

All are welcome to attend this event. See you there!

Lectors Schedule

Group 5, will read next Saturday, Oct 8, 2016

Group 6, will read next Sunday, Oct 9, 2016

Serra Club Fundraising Dinner

Supporting vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

Thursday, October 20th 2016

Guest speaker: Sr. Lesley Sacouman SNJM

6pm reception and silent auction, 7pm dinner

Centro Caboto Centre, 1055 Wilkes Ave

Tickets: \$90 per person

For tickets please call the office: 204-947-0294



House of Peace

12th Anniversary Welcome Home Dinner

RBC Convention Centre - York Ballroom

Monday, November 7, 2016

Tickets are \$50 each.

Guest Speaker: Albert El Tassi

50 years of Solidarity!

Patchwork Quilt Pilgrimage

In 2017, Development and Peace will be celebrating its 50th anniversary.

The Winnipeg Diocesan Council cordially invites you to celebrate Vespers with

Archbishop Gagnon as we launch the 50th anniversary celebrations in the Archdiocese of Winnipeg and reveal their piece of the patchwork quilt.

DATE: Sunday, October 2nd, 2016

TIME: 7pm, followed by a reception

LOCATION: St. Mary's Cathedral

Agape Table

The item for October is **Canned Vegetables**

Please place items in the container by the Hospitality Room

To volunteer: 204 783-6369 or volunteer@agapetable.ca

Parish Offerings

Total offering for the week ended September 25, 2016:

Weekday \$ 197.00

Loose \$ 1,585.82

Envelopes \$ 5,086.60

Votives \$ 561.90

PAR/PAD Contributions \$ 0,000.00

Total \$ 7,431.32

Capital Campaign for September 25, 2016:

Actual offering \$ 395.00

PAR/PAD Contributions \$ 000.00

Budget per week (\$ -2,000.00)

Deficit (1,605.00)

Let there Be Light Campaign for September 25, 2016

Offering this week \$ 536.00

Other Donations \$ 00

Total To Date \$ 64,770.33

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



The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith." The Lord replied, "If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you would say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you." — Lk 17:5-6

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Priest Study Days 2016

A friendly reminder that there will be no Masses scheduled at the cathedral from *Mon., Oct. 3rd until Thurs. Oct. 6th*. Regular schedule will resume on Friday, October 7th (First Friday) beginning with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 9:30am followed by Eucharistic Adoration and Mass at 12:10pm.

A Synod of the Archdiocese of Winnipeg 2016 - 2018

*Under the banner of; Disciples: **Established, Anointed, and Sent in Christ**, the Archdiocese of Winnipeg embarked upon the first synod in its 100-year history with solemn evening prayer May 15, Pentecost Sunday, at St. Mary's Cathedral. "We ask the Holy Spirit to guide and protect this local church over these next two years and beyond," -Archbishop Richard Gagnon.*

Informational booklets on the Synod can be found at the back of the Church.

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