

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.



Mass Schedule

MONDAY, September 25/17 Ferial
 12:10 pm - † Ruben Macasaet / Naty & Family


TUESDAY, September 26/17 Feasts
 St. John De Brebeuf and
 St. Isaac Jogues & Companion
 12:10 pm - † Victor Stepanuik / Family

 - Ruben Macasaet
 - Rosario Arano

WEDNESDAY, September 27/17 Memorial
 St. Vincent de Paul
 12:10 pm - † Janina Wojciki / Daughter

THURSDAY, September 28/17 Ferial
 12:10 pm - Thanksgiving / Adelaida Martin

FRIDAY, September 29/17 Feasts
 St. Michael, St. Gabriel, St. Raphael
 12:10 pm - † Rosario Arano / Arano Family

 - Victor Stepanuik
 - Benjamin G. Canlapan
 - Nicolas Z. Fabricante

SATURDAY, September 30/17 Memorial
 St. Jerome
 5:00 pm - † Mr. & Mrs. Nemesio Moralida / Mustila
 & Narace Dyal
 - † Elisa Celestino / Marie Ordonez & Family
 Fr. Geoffrey Presiding

 - Elias Rosita David

SUNDAY, October 1/17
 26th Sunday of Ordinary Time
 9:30 am - For the Parishioners of St. Mary's
 Fr. Geoffrey Presiding
 11:30 am - For the Parishioners of St. Mary's
 Fr. Geoffrey Presiding

 Remembered on our Tree of Life

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

Support Staff:
 Administrative Assistant: Nicholas Barker
 Caretaker/ Building Maintenance: Rickey LaPointe
 Operations Business Manager: Eva Dunlao

Faith Formation:
 Children's Catechism: Nicholas Barker
 Young Adult Ministry: Bénédicte Le Maitre

Parish Councils:
 Finance: Bill Wachko

Affiliated Organizations:
 Catholic Women's League: Eileen Rieger
 Knights of Columbus: Art Lopuck
 Legion of Mary: Linda Delapena

"Are you
 envious
 because I am
 generous?"



The landowner in today's Gospel parable surprised everyone. Contrary to standard practice, he paid all of his laborers the same wage, regardless of how many hours they had worked! Of course this was a very pleasant surprise for those who had begun their job late in the day. And, understandably, it was something of a disappointment for those who had toiled since the morning. From their perspective, they should have gotten more than the others. But in fact the landowner was not cheating anyone; he was simply being especially generous with the latecomers.

This story would have had a special meaning for the Jewish audience listening to Jesus. They, the Chosen People, were the laborers who had started at 9:00 am. They belonged to the group with a long history of worshipping the true God. Non-Jewish Gentiles, on the other hand, had appeared late in the game. Jesus was making the point that just because he would offer the same salvation and mercy to everyone, there should be no reason for the Jews to complain. They had received their promised Messiah; so what if, in God's mercy, he allowed others who had not waited so long to be saved as well? Divine generosity is not meant to be a cause for jealousy.

Now, we may feel removed from the concerns of those Jews. But the basic lesson remains relevant: that we ought to appreciate God's generosity, even when it reaches to those whom we may not expect God to forgive. Those who have long been faithful, for example, might think they deserve more benefits than sinners who repent late in life. But instead, we should all rejoice to see God's mercy extended to everyone, no matter when they joined the fold.

Lector's Schedule: September 30th and October 1st - Group 4



Readings for the Week of September 24, 2017

Sunday: Is 55:6-9/Phil 1:20c-24, 27a/Mt 20:1-16a
 Monday: Ezr 1:1-6/Lk 8:16-18
 Tuesday: Rev 7:9-17/2 Cor 4:7-15/Luke 9:23-26
 Wednesday: Ezr 9:5-9/Lk 9:1-6
 Thursday: Hg 1:1-8/Lk 9:7-9
 Friday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a/Jn 1:47-51
 Saturday: Zec 2:1-5,10-11/Lk 9:43b-45
 Next Sunday: Ez 18:25-28/Phil 2:1-11 or 2:1-5/Mt 21:28-32

Calendar of Events

- Sept 24 - Everyone Can Sing! Workshop at 12:30pm
- Sept 27 - Finance Council meeting
- Sept 30 - First Day of Catechism
(9:30am - Levels k,1,3,4,5,6, and 10:45am - 2,7,8,9,SP)
- Oct 1 - CWL First meeting for the Fall Season
- Oct 2-5 - Priests' Study Days (NO Mass from Mon-Thu)
- Oct 15 - Holy Land Pilgrimage Meeting following
11:30am Mass at 1pm in parish hall

Archdiocese of Winnipeg—BILL 34

Please participate in our campaign to promote Bill 34, put forward by the Government of Manitoba, which protects the conscience right for doctors, nurses and other health care professionals. Details on Bill 34 and on how you can participate are found in this weekend's bulletin insert and on our website.

Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry

We would like to invite all young adults ages 18 and up to a World Youth Day 2019 Info Session to be held on Saturday, October 7, 2017, from 11:30am to 2pm at the Archdiocese of Winnipeg catholic centre, 1295 Pembina Highway. Please confirm your attendance or send any inquiries to youth@archwinnipeg.ca.



**A Pilgrimage of Faith to the Holy Land
October 14th-25th, 2018 with Fr. Geoffrey Angeles**

Total Pilgrimage price including hotel, air travel, tours, taxes and some meals will be approximately \$5,000 per person, **based on double occupancy**. Information and booking meeting: Sunday, **October 15th, 2017 at 1:00 pm** at St. Mary's Cathedral Hall, following the 11:30am Mass.

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Parish Offerings

Total offering for the week ended Sept 17, 2017:

Weekday Envelopes	\$ 193.00
Weekday and Weekend Loose	\$ 1,811.70
Weekend Envelopes	\$ 4,501.12
Votives	\$ 579.65
PAR/PAD Monthly Contributions	\$ —
Total	\$ <u>7,085.47</u>

Capital Campaign for Sept 17, 2017:

Actual Offering	\$ 295.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ —
2017 Goal per Week	\$ 1,000.00

Sharing God's Gifts Sept 17, 2017:

2017 Target	\$ 49,440.00
Donations Received to Date	\$ 49,172.55
Balance to meet by Dec. 31	\$ 267.45

Going paperless

A friendly reminder that Pre-Authorized Debit is both a convenient and paperless option for your Sunday offering at St. Mary's Cathedral. With Pre-Authorized Debit, contributions can be made monthly through your bank account or credit card. This option reduces paper and postage fees and, is a convenient way for you to faithfully support the financial wellbeing of our Cathedral mission and ministry.

For further inquiries about this option, contact Eva at the parish office at 204-947-0294.

Pre-Authorized credit and debit (PAD/PAR) contributions are received and recorded monthly.

St. Kateri Aboriginal Parish

On October 7th, 2017 St. Kateri aboriginal Parish (548 Home Street) will be hosting a folk art and craft sale. Bring your friends and family for some activities and goods such as crafts and baking, featuring fresh bannock.

Tables are offered to community vendors for \$10.

Please contact Beatrice at 204-783-7215 for inquiries or table reservations.



Catholic Women's League

We will hold our first meeting of the fall season on October 1 following the 11:30 Eucharist, in the Main Hall. As usual, members will be assigned to bring lunch. Visitors welcome.

Member Update Information (Please submit in offertory basket together with your Sunday offering)

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Address: _____ City: _____ Postal Code: _____

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