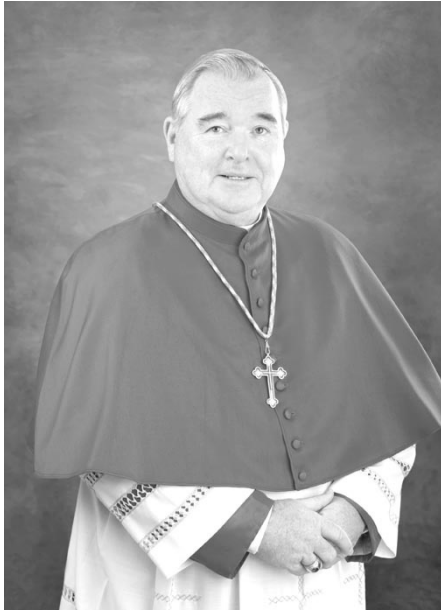


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Mass Times:

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 4/17 Ferial
 12:10 pm - † Salome Macasaet/ Naty Macasaet and family



-Gordon Wachko

TUESDAY, September 5/17 Ferial
 12:10 pm - † Zacarias Buenaventura/ Family

WEDNESDAY, September 6/17 Ferial
 12:10 pm - † Cruz Ladaga/ Mustila and Narace Dyal



-Felicidad Tan Cabayao

THURSDAY, September 7/17 Ferial
 12:10 pm - † Roop Dyal/ Mustil and Narace Dyal



-Gregorio Relucio

FRIDAY, September 8/17 Feast, The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

12:10 pm - † Felicidad Cabayao/ Trinidad Cabayao

SATURDAY, September 9/17
 5:00 pm - † Barbara McAllister/ Connie Nepumuceno
 - Belinda Bulaong and Family/ Our Lady of Victory -
 Legion of mary

Fr. Marcelino Presiding

SUNDAY, September 10/17
 23rd 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

“You are thinking not as God does, but as human beings do.”



Peter had expressed horror at the prophetic words announcing that Jesus' suffering and death were imminent. Peter didn't want his friend and teacher to undergo this terrible ordeal. He wanted "no such thing" ever to happen to his Lord. But Jesus sharply rebuked Peter's response, comparing it to that of the tempter, Satan. Just as temptation becomes an obstacle to our doing what is right, so Peter was presenting an obstacle to Christ's mission.

Suffering was part of it, like it or not. To deny this difficult element of Christ's work would be to deny the bigger plan of God. And so Jesus rightly told Peter that he wasn't thinking like God thinks. Of course, since we are human, it's only natural that we should think as human beings do. We, like Peter, tend to recoil at the idea of facing unpleasant or painful circumstances. But clearly God sometimes allows such situations to take place for a greater good. Jesus understood this; even as he prophesied about his death, he also mentioned his resurrection.

Today's Gospel challenges us to think "as God does" by holding both of these elements together. Unlike Peter who only focused on the sad part of the story, we are called to recognize the Resurrection on the other side of the cross, and to be willing to do whatever is necessary to get there. In fact, Jesus tells us later in this Gospel to take up our cross and follow him. That is not the "human" way of thinking. It's the Godly way. Our natural response is to reject and scorn the trials and tribulations that we face, but Jesus wants us to embrace them patiently and "come after" him on the (sometimes rough) road to eternal life.

Lector's Schedule: September 9th and 10th - Group 1

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 Maître

Parish Councils:

Finance: Bill Wachko

Affiliated Organizations:

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



Readings for the Week of September 3, 2017

Sunday: Jer 20:7-9/Rom 12:1-2/Mt 16:21-27
 Monday: 1 Thes 4:13-18/Lk 4:16-30
 Tuesday: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Lk 4:31-37
 Wednesday: Col 1:1-8/Lk 4:38-44
 Thursday: Col 1:9-14/Lk 5:1-11
 Friday: Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30/
 Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23
 Saturday: Col 1:21-23/Lk 6:1-5
 Next Sunday: Ez 33:7-9/Rom 13:8-10/Mt 18:15-20

Calendar of Events

- Sept 10 - Back to School BBQ and Blessing for Students and Teachers
- Sept 13 - Future Development Meeting
- Sept 17 - UNDRIP 10th Anniversary
- Sept 27 - Finance Council Meeting
- Sept 30 - First Day of Catechism
- Oct 10 - CWL First meeting for the Fall Season.
- Oct 15 - Holy Land Pilgrimage Meeting following 11:30am Mass at 1pm



Back to School BBQ

On Sunday, September 10th following the 11:30am Mass, everyone is invited to attend a back-to-school BBQ hosted by the KofC and CWL. A free will offering will be taken. Come celebrate this summer event before the cold season returns! In case of rain, the event will be moved to the following Sunday, the 17th.



Blessing for Students and Teachers

On Sunday, September 10th at the 11:30am Mass, a special blessing will be imparted on all students and teachers returning to school in the fall.



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.

On September 10, members are requested to assist with the K of C community barbecue.

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. There are only 22 spots available for this pilgrimage opportunity, therefore a \$500 deposit and a copy of your passport will be required at booking on **October 15th, 2017.**



Parish Offerings

Total offering for the week ended Aug 27, 2017:

Weekday Envelopes	\$ 174.00
Weekday and Weekend Loose	\$ 1,561.40
Weekend Envelopes	\$ 4,396.77
Votives	\$ 525.70
PAR/PAD Monthly Contributions	\$ —
Total	\$ 6,657.87

Capital Campaign for Aug 27, 2017:

Actual Offering	\$ 363.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ —
2017 Goal per Week	\$ 1,000.00

Sharing God's Gifts Aug 27, 2017:

2017 Target	\$ 49,440.00
Donations Received to Date	\$ 44,112.87
Balance to meet by Dec. 31	\$ 5,327.13

During these summer months, many people are away and our Sunday collection reflects this reality. Your financial commitment is important to the cathedral community's well-being and we ask that you remember us as you make your summer plans.

Pre-Authorized Debit is a convenient 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. Signing up with PAR ensures better financial stability and frees you from envelopes and paper money. For questions or to sign up, please contact the cathedral office.

UNDRIP 10th Anniversary



St. Mary's and KAIROS invites you to come celebrate the 10th anniversary of the United Nations Declaration of Rights of Indigenous Peoples Sunday Sept 17th at 1:15 p.m. in the parish hall! Prof. Leah Gazan of the University of Winnipeg will explain what difference adopting and implementing it here in Canada will make to our Indigenous brothers and sisters and our relationship together. Food will be served.

Retreat: "The Holy Spirit"

When: Sept. 15 at 7:30pm;
Sept. 16, 9:00am - 10:00pm with lunch and supper breaks.
Where: Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish
Speaker: Fr. Graham Keep

Topic: Parish Evangelization, Discernment of Charisms, Preaching with signs and wonders.

Breakfast on Saturday at 9:00am and a Healing Mass on Saturday evening at 7:00 pm with personal prayer.

Free will love offering. Call for breakfast tickets \$7.00 each.
tel:204-895-7544 or ccrs@catholicrenewalservices.com

REGISTER NOW for Catechism 2017-2018

Deadline for application is **September 3rd.**

Downloadable registration forms for catechism are available ONLINE on our website at

www.stmaryscathedralwpg.ca/catechism.

Payment can be made in person at the parish office or by cash or cheque in an envelope inserted together with registration form and placed with your Sunday offering at the offertory collection.

The first day of Catechism is September 30th.

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