

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: Very Reverend Geoffrey Angeles
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.





MONDAY, Sep 09, 2013 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † - Consuelo L. Martin / Dely & Tessie Martin

TUESDAY, Sep 10, 2013 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † - Cook and Leenders Family / Family

WEDNESDAY, Sep 11, , 2013 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † - Peter Wigorski / Ida Brown

THURSDAY, Sep 12, , 2013 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † - Luis Robles Sr. / Ted & Cory

FRIDAY, Sep 13, , 2013 - Memorial
- St. John Chrysostom, Bishop, Doctor
12:10 pm - † - Rodrigo Marcelino / Ted & Cory

SATURDAY, Sep 14, 2013 - Feast
- The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
5:00 pm - † Thanksgiving / Rosalie Dimayuga & Family

SUNDAY, Sep 15, 2013 - 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 am - for St. Mary's parishioners
11:30 am - for St. Mary's parishioners



Remembered on the Tree of Life

*Great crowds were traveling with Jesus, and he turned and addressed them, "If anyone comes to me without hating his father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters, and even his own life, he cannot be my disciple. Whoever does not carry his own cross and come after me cannot be my disciple."
 Luke 14:25-27*

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
 Archivist/Social Justice: Denise Terpstra

Affiliated Organizations:

Catholic Women's League: Eleanor Ulasz
 Knights of Columbus: Ed Polkowski
 Development & Peace: Denise Terpstra

23rd Sunday in Ordinary

In the midst of the Great Recession many construction plans were abandoned. Back in February, the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis released a report analyzing the effect of the restrained construction environment on the economy. From a peak of 400,000 housing starts per quarter to just over 100,000 in the final quarter of 2012, the total industry (construction and real estate), which once accounted for ten million jobs, lost 2.5 million of its workers over five years. Data used by the Fed showed that employment was on a growth trend if you excluded the construction industry. Add that industry into the picture, and employment in the past few years continues its downward march. The report also points to the fact that construction has a large indirect effect on the economy as well, since more building increases demand for things like furniture and banking and legal services.

In the Gospel this weekend, Jesus uses the example of calculating the cost to build a tower as a way of inviting those who heard him to consider what it means to become one of his followers. The life of the Gospel is more than just a quick acceptance of Jesus into one's life. There are costs associated with becoming a disciple. Jesus puts it rather bluntly at the end of this week's text when he states, "Anyone of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple."

The Great Recession certainly saw many people losing all of their possessions. Jobs were lost, retirement savings were used up, homes were foreclosed, and plans for college were abandoned. But this kind of imposed loss is not what Jesus is speaking of. He is inviting those who have-and there are still many of us that fall into that category-to not become overly attached to all of our possessions. Love of material things can keep us from seeing Christ, most especially from seeing Christ in our brothers and sisters in need.

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Lectors

Group 4 will read next weekend, Sep 14 & Sep 15, 2013.



Readings for the Week of Sep 08, 2013

- Sunday:** Wisdom 9:13-18b/Philemon 9-10, 12-17
 Luke 14:25-33
- Monday:** Colossians 1:24--2:3/Luke 6:6-11
- Tuesday:** Colossians 2:6-15/Luke 6:12-19
- Wednesday:** Colossians 3:1-11/Luke 6:20-26
- Thursday:** Colossians 3:12-17/Luke 6:27-38
- Friday:** 1 Timothy 1:1-2, 12-14/Luke 6:39-42
- Saturday:** Numbers 21:4-9/Philippians 2:6-11
 John 3:13-17
- Next Sunday:** Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14
 1 Timothy 1:12-17 / Luke 15:1-32

Sunday September 8th – 23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

“Whoever does not give up all their possessions cannot be my disciple”. These are challenging words from Jesus in today’s Gospel. We all have legitimate needs – particularly our need to possess. In our lives today, we can respond to Jesus’ directive by possessing sensibly. Good stewards do this by discerning between needs and wants. Ask yourself, “What do I own and what owns me?” (Archbishop Thomas Murphy)

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

Archdiocesan Choir

New singers are invited to join the Archdiocesan Choir as they begin regular monthly rehearsals. An informational meeting and rehearsal will take place Wednesday **September 18th at 7:00 p.m. at St. Mary’s Cathedral in Winnipeg** and Sunday **September 22nd at 5:00 p.m. at St. Augustine’s in Brandon**. For any questions please email archwpgmusicministry@gmail.com, or phone Fr. Geoffrey Angeles at 204-947-0294.

St. Mary's Cathedral Choir

Our choir will resume rehearsal **Thursday September 12th 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.

Reminder

Youth leaders team meeting
Wednesday, Sep 11th at 7:30 pm in d’Youville Hall.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

The RCIA program is a process designed for people who wish to become members of the Catholic Church. Candidates may be individuals who have not been baptized, or were baptized in another Christian church.

The RCIA program begins each year in September and continues until the Rites of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist) are received at the Easter Vigil, the Saturday evening Mass held before Easter Sunday. Weekly meetings are usually held on Sunday.

To Enroll for this program please leave your name, phone number and email at the Parish Office:204-947-0294, or fill out the form and drop it off at the Parish Office or in the Sunday Offering Basket.

You will be contacted for an interview early in September.

Please print

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email address: _____

Stewardship....for Life!

Total offering for the week ended Sep 01, 2013:

Weekly Offerings	\$ 518.44
Sunday Envelopes	\$ 5,461.68
Loose	\$ 1,145.67
Votives	\$ 479.28
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ <u>596.54</u>
Total	\$ <u>8,201.61</u>

Capital Campaign for Sep 01, 2013:

Actual collection	\$545.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$70.38
Budget per week	\$ <u>2,000.00</u>
Deficit	\$ (1,384.62)

(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	\$ 23,492.33
2013 YTD Deficit	\$ (12,601.03)

AGAPE TABLE

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

With grateful heart, we thank you!
Denise Terpstra has served the Cathedral community in many ways, but especially in the areas of coordinating our Hospitality Centre and our Parish Archives. As she moves to Thunder Bay, we wish to express our sincerest gratitude for the faithfulness, commitment and dedication she has shown towards the Cathedral community over the past number of years. May God continue to bless Denise in abundance as she ventures on this next chapter of her journey.

Life Hike 2013- WALK FOR THE UNBORN

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish
Junction of Grant Avenue & Roblin Blvd.
September 21, 2013
9:00 am registration 10:00 am start time

Life’s Vision is Manitoba’s educational non-profit resource centre on pro-life issues.

Join us in this 3.2 kilometer walk by filling in a PLEDGE FORM and WALKING FOR THE UNBORN.

With your help we will continue to be a voice for the unborn, elderly, infirm and handicapped.

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For more information contact:

204-233-8047 or go to Lifesvision.ca.

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