

Holy Redeemer

Roman Catholic Parish

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Sunday Liturgies: Saturday 5:00 p.m. and Sunday 10:00 a.m.

24th Sunday in
Ordinary Time
September 17, 2017
Sir 27:30-28:7 Rom 14:7-9
Matt 18:21-35



**“The Lord is merciful and
gracious; slow to anger, and
abounding in steadfast love.”**
(Psalm 103)

Catechism

Information for parents and catechists



Catechism classes have begun! We started the year off with a family mass on Thursday, September 14th. We are looking forward to an exciting year. Thank you to the families who took part.

We are in the works of creating an exciting program for our youth. Please call or email Sandra and provide your contact information.

Are you interested in teaching Catechism in our church this year? Please consider joining our team. Call Sandra in the Catechetical office at 204-669-0501.

**PLEASE!!
NOTE**

Young Altar Server training session Wednesday, September 20 at 6:30 – 7:30 pm. Interested young people must have made their First Holy Communion and be willing and able to serve at Mass. Please complete an application form (next to the Catechetical Office) and submit it to the office. Experienced young altar servers are welcome to attend the session as well.

Children’s Mass will be held Sunday, September 24th at 10 am. All children are invited to attend music rehearsal on Thursday Sept. 21 at 6:30 pm.

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Stewardship Reflection

September 17, 2017 - 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"For if we live, we live for the Lord, and if we die, we die for the Lord; so then, whether we live or die, we are the Lord's".
Romans 14:8 This is the essence of stewardship – everything we have and everything we are is a gift from God. We aren't "owners" of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts that God has given us, especially our very own lives. Pray to God daily and ask Him how He wants you to use the gifts He has given you.

The New Testament from a Jewish Perspective

Tuesdays, September 19 and 26 at 7 pm

Winnipeg Bat Kol Tri-Diocesan Committee and the Manitoba Multifaith Council is presenting a series of talks by Dr. Ruth Ashrafi, a Judaic Studies Advisor at Gray Academy of Jewish Education in Winnipeg, on Tuesday, September 19 – "An Orthodox Rabbi Reads the New Testament;" Tuesday, September 26 – "Between Jerusalem and Athens: Jewish Theological Concepts in the New Testament." The series is held at Mary, Mother of the Church Parish, 85 Kirkbridge Drive. Admission is free. See our bulletin board for the poster.

Thank you for your contributions Sept.10, 2017

Sunday Offering	\$3541
Year-to-date	\$153,776
Contingency fund	\$85
Year-to-date	\$13,215



*Please pray for the sick,
their families, and caregivers*

Prayers please

Please call the office if you have any information regarding changes in status for the persons named above.

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land



On Thurs., Sept. 14th Br Janusz from St. Alphonsus addressed a group of interested parishioners regarding the potential of spiritual renewal and the value of the pilgrimage to Israel being planned for April, 2018.



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40 Days for Life

Plan to join others worldwide in our 40 Days for Life Campaign. From Sept. 27 to Nov. 5, 2017 we will pray, bear witness and vigil outside of Winnipeg's major abortion facility, the Women's Hospital at (HSC) 735 Notre Dame Ave. Please sign in on our calendar, for a weekly hour(s) at www.40daysforlife.com/winnipeg. Contact Maria/Carol at 204-452-2459 or by email: clcwpgmb@gmail.com
Opening Mass is offered by Fr. Dominic Yuen on Tues. Sept. 26 at 7:30pm at St Anthony of Padua Parish, 250 Burrin. Please note: Holy Redeemer parishioners are invited to commit to joining this vigil on Saturday, October 14th. Someone will speak following Mass on Sunday, Oct. 8th.

Campaign Life's Annual Pro-life Banquet

You are invited to a fundraising banquet Friday, Sept. 29 in Ambassador F, Canada Inns, 1824 Pembina Hwy. Raymond de Souza K.M., a delegate for International Missions of Human Life International HLI, will speak on "Discerning good from evil: life and death decisions." Tickets \$45, with an early bird \$40. RSVP to Maris Slykerman at 204-452-2459.

**Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast
Sunday, September 24th**



Everyone is welcome to attend a pancake breakfast (along with sausages, fruit and beverage) served by our Knights of Columbus following 10 am Mass on Sunday, September 24th. Tickets \$7.00 each. Children 5 and under free.

**Holy Redeemer Quiz Night
Friday, October 13, 2017
Doors open at 6:30 pm
Games begin at 7:00 pm sharp**



Come alone, come as a couple, come as a family or group of friends. But oh yes, **COME!!**

Pat and Lou van Ryssel along with the Ladies Auxiliary of Holy Redeemer Parish will host and run "**Quiz Night**"; informal trivia competitions where teams contend with one another by answering interesting, amusing and often challenging questions from many categories such as music, geography, people, places, science, sports etc. Answers are marked, points are tallied and the team with the most points at the end of the game wins! School age children (we recommend 12 and older) may very well help your team! For younger children ages 3 and older a movie will be provided in the large classroom.

A light lunch will be provided as well as a cash bar. Cost is \$15.00 a game player. Tickets will go on sale beginning September 23 after Mass. They will also be available from the Parish office. All proceeds from this event will assist with the parish upgrades.



Perogy Making Announcement

We will be making perogies on Monday and Tuesday Sept.25 and 26. We will need a lot of help on both days---about 20 volunteers on Monday and 40-45 on Tuesday. Come out and help us even if you've never made perogies. There are other jobs that need to be done and someone will show you what to do.

IF we don't get enough help this will be the last time we make them and the church will lose a much needed source of revenue. Watch for sign-up sheets for volunteers and for placing orders.

What's Happening

**Sundays, Sept. 17 to Nov. 26
CFC Christian Life Program 1 to 6 pm**

**Tuesday, Sept.19, Oct.17, Nov.21
Prayer Shawl group meeting 1:00 pm
Knights of Columbus General meeting/Mass 7 pm**

Fridays, Sept.22 Oct.6,20 Food Bank

**Sunday, Sept. 24 following 10 am Mass
Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast**

**Perogy-Making
Monday/Tuesday Sept.25/26**

**Monday, October 2
Ladies Auxiliary Clean-up 4 pm; Meeting 7 pm**

**Tuesday, October 3
Knights of Columbus Executive meeting 7 pm**

**Wednesday, October 11
"Finding God in the Dark" movie at 1:30 pm
Pastoral Council meeting at 7 pm**

Card-playing resumes at Holy Redeemer Oct.4th



Winter days in Manitoba can make us feel quite dreary but there are positive ways to overcome this state. If you would like to have some fun and laughter, come out and join our card

playing group that meets the 1st and 3rd Wednesday afternoons of every month, beginning Oct.4 at 1:00 pm. Novice players are very welcome; we have plenty of "experts" to help you.

I was a reluctant card player but I can say that it has been so much fun learning to play Whist; I have laughed till I cried and my ribs were aching. I enjoy the community aspect and the opportunity for getting to know my fellow parishioners. I return home feeling more cheerful and able to contend with this difficult season, giving thanks to God for the joy of companionship and fun. (Jo Henry)

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Pope Francis' prayer intention for Sept 2017 Evangelization: Parishes

That our parishes, animated by a missionary spirit, may be places where faith is communicated and charity is seen.

Pope Francis:

"The media only writes about the sinners and the scandals but that's normal, because a tree that falls makes more noise than a forest that grows."



Mass Schedule

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday, Sept. 16 to Sunday, Sept. 24, 2017

Sat. Sept.16 at 5 pm	Sophie Owen† (Maria and Lena)
Sun. Sept.17 at 10 am	Edward Komadowski † (Wanda and family)
Mon. Sept.18	No Mass
Tues. Sept.19 at 7 pm	Henry Lennox† (Knights of Columbus)
Wed. Sept.20 at 9 am	Given intention (Adoration)
Thurs.Sept.21 at 9 am	Souls of Purgatory (Donor)
St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist	
Fri. Sept.22 at 9 am	Given intention
Sat. Sept.23 at 5 pm	Catherine Nizio† (Maria and Lena)
Sun. Sept.24 at 10 am	Mildred Ruml † (Virdean & Peggy Cameron)

Lectors / Servers and Extraordinary Ministers

Saturday, Sept.23 and Sunday, Sept.24, 2017
25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lectors

Sat. 5 pm...Erick Manipis, Merrydene Manipis
Sun. 10 am...Children's Mass (Youth are reading)

Extraordinary Ministers

Sat. 5 pm...Josette Caumartin, June Alexander
Sun. 10 am....Joan and Peter Daviduik, Joyce Loftson, Kathie Barnard

Servers

Sat. 5 pm... Don and Marguerite Grela
Sun. 10 am...Jeff Barnard, Rick Loftson

Young altar servers for Sunday, September 24 at 10 am:

Amy Johnson, Ella Russell, Alexa Andrusiak

October 2017 Schedule for Servers and Extraordinary Ministers is available in the white mail boxes in the Gathering space.

Welcome Home Catholics

Are you a Catholic who has been away from the church for some time? Many would like to return but are not sure how to go about it. To explore the possibility –call Deacon Lawrence at 204-661-4477.

Are you a new parishioner?

If you are new to our community or interested in joining us here at Holy Redeemer parish, please complete "The New Parishioner Registration Form" available in the Gathering space. Return the form in the Offering basket or drop off at the office; we would like to meet you.

