Holy Redeemer Roman Catholic Parish



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Sunday Eucharistic Liturgies: Saturday 5:00 p.m., Sunday 10:00 a.m. Weekday Eucharistic Liturgies: Tuesday to Friday 9:00 a.m.

Adoration: Wednesday after 9:00 a.m. Mass

Office Hours: Tuesday and Wednesday 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.,

Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Closed on Monday and Friday

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August 11th, 2024 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"In the Gospel for today's Liturgy, Jesus continues preaching to the people who had seen the prodigy of the multiplication of the loaves. He states clearly: "I am the bread of life" (Jn 6:48).

What does bread of life mean? We need bread to live. Those who are hungry do not ask for refined and expensive food, they ask for bread. Jesus reveals himself as bread, that is, the essential, what is necessary for everyday life; without Him it does not work. In other words, without him, rather than living, we get by: because he alone nourishes the soul; he alone forgives us from that evil that we cannot overcome on our own; he alone makes us feel loved even if everyone else disappoints us; he alone gives eternal life when life here on earth ends.

He could have offered a rationale, a demonstration, but — we know — Jesus speaks in parables, and in this expression: "I am the bread of life", he truly sums up his entire being and mission. This will be seen completely at the end, at the Last Supper. Jesus knows that the Father is asking him not only to give food to people, but to give himself, to break himself, his own life, his own flesh, his own heart so that we might have life. No one in this world, as much they might love another person, can make themselves become food for them. God did so, and does so, for us.

In the Gospel, however, rather than being amazed, the people are scandalized, they rend their clothing. Perhaps we too might be scandalized: it might make us more comfortable to have a God who stays in heaven without getting involved in our life, while we can manage matters here on earth. Instead, God became man to enter into the concrete reality of this world; to enter into our concrete reality, for me, for you, for all of us, in order to enter into our life. We can tell him about what we are feeling, our work, our day, our heartache, our anguish, so many things. We can tell Him everything because Jesus wants this intimacy with us. What does he not want? To be relegated to being considered a side dish — he who is Bread —, to be overlooked and set aside, or called on only when we need him.

I am the bread of life. At least once a day we find ourselves eating together; perhaps in the evening with our family, after a day of work or study. It would be lovely, before breaking bread, to invite Jesus, the bread of Life, to ask him simply to bless what we have done and what we have failed to do. Let us invite him into our home; let us pray in a "homey" style. Jesus will be at the table with us and we will be fed by a greater love."

Pope Francis Angelus July 25, 2021

August Parish Updates

Parish Office Hours:

<u>August 11 – August 31:</u> Monday and Friday : Closed

Tuesday to Wednesday: 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Thursday: 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Regular office hours resume Tuesday, September 3

Bulletins: Will be prepared bi-weekly rather than weekly for the remainder of August. The next bulletin will be the weekend of August 24 & 25, 2024.

Returning to Spirit - Roots of Reconciliation Workshops

Join us for Roots of Reconciliation, a four-day workshop essential to the RTS reconciliation model. The insights developed during the workshop create space for participants to discover how previously-held behaviors', judgments, assumptions or perceptions have kept them stuck in a disempowering story.

Indigenous Workshop: August 13-16, 2024. Non-Indigenous Workshop: August 26-29, 2024.

The registration fee is \$500 per person. We believe that financial constraints should not prevent anyone from attending this transformative experience. If the registration fee is an obstacle for you, or for more information, please contact us at info@returningtospirit.org, and we will be happy to assist

Stewardship August 4, 2024 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Each day the people are to go out and gather their daily portion; thus will I test them, to see whether they follow my instructions or not." - Exodus 16:4

When the Israelites gathered more than their daily portion of manna, the surplus became wormy and rotten. In the same way today, self-reliance, pride and ego leads to hoarding and excessive surplus of goods and money. Living a stewardship lifestyle helps us discern our "wants" from our "needs". Living a grateful and generous lifestyle reminds us that God will provide all that we need and that we have plenty to share.

Summer Chapels Now Open

For those of us who go to the cottage or the campground, we can still attend Mass to celebrate the Lord's Day. For information on the summer chapels in the Whiteshell and Lake Winnipeg areas, and to know the Mass times in parishes located near campgrounds, please visit

https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/main.php?p=236#gsc.tab =0

Come and Embrace Our Lady's Hope! Diocesan Pilgrimage in St. Malo August 18, 2024

All are invited to the Diocesan Pilgrimage at the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes in St. Malo, on August 18. This special Marian celebration will be an opportunity for praise, healing and joy. Come as a family! Bring grandparents and seniors! Tell your friends! Coordinate as a parish or as a Catholic organization to come by bus!

A French Mass will be celebrated at 9 am, followed by an English Mass at 11 am. At 1:30 pm, we invite you to Prayers for healing, the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, the Rosary and Songs of Praise. In case of rain, the celebrations will be held at the church in St. Malo. We remind you to bring you own lunch.

The Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes in St. Malo was a popular shrine even before the Archdiocese declared it a diocesan sanctuary and the site of its Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage. To find out more about the history of the Grotto, and the spiritual benefits of pilgrimages, we invite you to read A Time Set Aside for Christ and Our Lady, a conversation with Archbishop Albert LeGatt found on the new Grotto webpage at https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/main.php?p=1240#gsc.ta b=0

Church Events

August 18, 2024 to September 7, 2024

Food Bank

Friday, August 23 at 1:00 p.m.

Ladies Auxiliary Meeting Tuesday, September 3 at 1 p.m.

Knights of Columbus Camraderie Tuesday, September 3 at 6:30 p.m.

Spiritual Pilgrimage to Brazil in October 2024

We are delighted to invite you to join us on the wonderful pilgrimage planned as follows:

- Spiritual Pilgrimage to Brazil
- Dates: October 22 to November 03, 2024

Highlights: Celebrate the 40th anniversary of Comunidade Missionaria Providencia Santissima with an intense Bible study retreat (in English). Explore amazing places in Brazil including Moccoca, Sao Jose Dos Campos, Aparecida Do Norte, and Rio de Janeiro. Accompanied by Rev. Andre Lico.

Note: The August 10 deadline for this trip is fast approaching.

For flyer and booking form, visit the archdiocese website at: https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/media/Nouvelles-hebdomadaires-Weekly-News-photos-docs/2024-A/Brazil-Oct-2024-Flyer-and-Booking-Form.pdf

For more information: 204-895-7544 or email

ccrs@catholicrenewalservices.com

European Marians Sanctuaries in April 2025

We are delighted to invite you to join us on the wonderful pilgrimage planned as follows:

- Pilgrimage to Marian Sanctuaries of Portugal, Spain, and France
- Dates: April 23 to May 06, 2025

Highlights: Visit Our Lady of Fatima, Our Lady of Lourdes, Our Lady of Montserrat, Our Lady of the Pillar, Our Lady of Rocamadour, Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal, Sagrada Familia, St. Jerome's Monastery, the Jacobins Monastery, and Paris.

Special Feature: This trip is 14 days,12 nights long! Optional 33-day Marian Consecration Program, culminating in Lourdes. This will be an unforgettable event!

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All details are on the attached flyers and if you are interested, please fill out the appropriate booking form ASAP as there is limited space.

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Mass Ministries Schedule

Saturday, August 17 at 5 p.m.

Lectors: Marilyn Monterroyo & Leandro Cabrera
Altar Servers: Jean-Pierre Musafiri & Amely Musafiri
Music:

Sunday, August 18 at 10 a.m.

Greeters: Valentine & Linda Kallon Lectors: Vivian Amorganda & Diane Skalenda

Gift Bearers: Kallon Family
Altar Server: Grant Mandrick
Music: Remi & Diane Morissette

Saturday, August 24 at 5 p.m.

Lectors: Vera Taylor & Liz Patzer

Altar Servers: Jean-Pierre Musafiri & Amely Musafiri

Music:

Sunday, August 25 at 10 a.m.

Greeters: Chris & Donna Jacobson
Lectors: Erick & Merrydene Manipis
Gift Bearers: Mandrick Family
Altar Server: Paul Kosowan
Music: Adult Choir



Please pray for the sick, their families and their caregivers





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Pope Francis' Monthly Intention For August 2024 For political leaders

We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs.

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Available by appointment. Please call the office.

Baptism: Please email Father Anthony or call the office at least three months in advance.

Marriage: Please call the office one year in advance.

Anointing of the Sick: Available by appointment. Please call the office.

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 Parish Registration Form found on the counter in the gathering space. The form is also available on the parish website.

Once completed, the form can be placed in the Offering basket at Mass, dropped off or emailed to the office. We look forward to hearing from you and welcome to our parish.

Liturgy Schedule, Saints' Days and Intentions Saturday, August 10, 2024 to Sunday, August 25, 2024

Sat. Aug 10 at 5 pm Holy Redeemer Parishioners

Saint Lawrence

Sun. Aug 11 at 10 am †Ed Komadowski

(Wanda Komadowski)

Tues. Aug 13 at 9 am †Renee Wilson

(Her father Maurice Ritchot)

Wed. Aug 14 at 9 am Saint Maximilian Kolbe
Thur. Aug 15 at 9 am †Katherine Schwenk

(Robert Scwhenk)

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Fri. Aug 16 at 9 am

Sat. Aug 17 at 5 pm Holy Redeemer Parishioners
Sun. Aug 18 at 10 am †Joan Moses (Sr. Maria)

Tues. Aug 20 at 9 am Saint Bernard Wed. Aug 21 at 9 am †Renee Wilson

(Her father Maurice Ritchot)

Saint Pius X

Thur. Aug 22 at 9 am †Michael Maksymowicz (Wife)

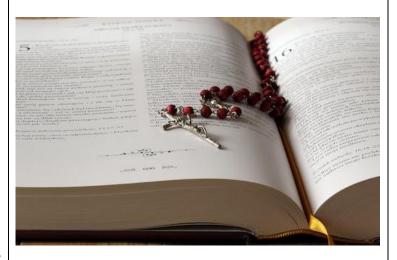
The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Fri. Aug 23 at 9 am †Gerry Chirichella (*Robert Schwenk*)

Sat. Aug 24 at 5 pm Holy Redeemer Parishioners

Saint Bartholomew

Sun. Aug 25 at 10 am Holy Redeemer Parishioners



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