## Holy Redeemer Roman Catholic Parish



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

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

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

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### June 16<sup>th</sup>, 2024 Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

"The two parables, which the Liturgy presents us today, — the two parables — are inspired precisely by ordinary life and reveal the attentive and deep gaze of Jesus, who observes reality and, through small everyday images, opens the windows on the mystery of God and on human history. In this way, Jesus teaches us that even everyday things, which at times all seem the same and which we carry on with distraction or tiredness, are inhabited by God's hidden presence; that is, they have meaning. So, we too need attentive eyes, to be able "to seek and find God in all things."

Today Jesus compares the Kingdom of God, that is, his presence that dwells in the heart of things and of the world, to the mustard seed, that is, to the smallest seed there is: it is really tiny. Yet, cast upon the ground, it grows until becoming the tallest tree (cf. Mk 4:31-32). The Gospel assures us — God is at work, like a good little seed that silently and slowly germinates. And, little by little, it becomes a lush tree, which gives life and rest to everyone. The seed of our good works too can seem like a small thing, yet all that is good pertains to God, and thus it humbly, slowly bears fruit. Good, let us remember, always grows in a humble way, in a hidden, often invisible way.

Dear brothers and sisters, with this parable Jesus wants to instill us with confidence. In so many of life's situations, indeed, it may happen that we get discouraged, because we see the weakness of good as compared to the apparent power of evil. This is our confidence, this is what gives us the strength to go forward every day, patiently, sowing the good that will bear fruit.

To cultivate the confidence of being in God's hands and at the same time for all of us to commit ourselves to rebuilding and starting up again, with patience and perseverance.

In the Church too, weeds of doubt can take root, especially when we witness the crisis of faith and the failure of different projects and initiatives. But let us never forget that the results of sowing do not depend our abilities: they depend on the action of God. It is up to us to sow, and sow with love, with dedication and with patience. But the force of the seed is divine. Jesus explains it in today's other parable: the farmer sows the seed and then does not realize how it bears fruit, because it is the seed itself that grows spontaneously, day and night, when he least expects it (cf. vv. 26-29). With God in the most infertile soil there is always the hope of new sprouts."

### Happy Father's Day June 16, 2024

"St. Joseph is a model for every father.

I, therefore entrust to his protection
all who are fathers.

Thank you for all you do for your children.

Best wishes to you.

May St. Joseph bless you and accompany you."

Pope Francis



## Joyce Zarazun Celebration of Life

A Celebration of Life for Joyce Zarazun, one of Holy Redeemer's founding parishioners who passed away on May 27, 2024, will be held on Saturday, June 22, 2024 at 11 a.m. at Eternal Grace Funerals, Unit 10-1111 Logan Avenue. May we continue to pray for Joyce as well as for her family and friends.

# Catechism Registration - Thursday, June 20th, 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Registration for the Kindergarten - Grade 6 Catechism program, as well as for Sacramental Preparation classes will take place on Thursday, June 20th, from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Registration forms can be found in the gathering space to the left of the catechism office for those who would like to fill the forms out ahead of time.

Our K-6 Catechism program consists of weekly classes held on Thursday evenings. Children's Choir practice begins at 6:30 and Catechism Class takes place from 7:00–8:00 p.m.

#### **Condolences**

In faith and love, we extend our sympathy to the family and friends of Helen Sorobey, who was a parishioner of Holy Redeemer for a number of years, who passed away on June 9, 2024 at the age of 101. Funeral Mass will take place on Saturday, June 22, 2024 at 10 a.m. at Holy Redeemer Parish. Interment to follow in Holy Ghost Cemetery, 4387 Main Street.

We join with them in prayer during this time of loss.

To God, the dead do not die, and in death our life is changed, not ended. One day we shall all be joyfully re-united, when the love of Christ, which conquers all things, destroys even death itself. Then, "God will wipe away every tear from our eyes. Death will be no more; and mourning and crying and pain will be no more." (Rev. 21)

Confident in Mary, Mother of us all, we entrust to her the soul of our departed sister so that she may present her to Jesus. Eternal rest grant unto Helen, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace. Amen.

#### **Multicultural Diocesan Mass & Celebration**

Come and celebrate the beautiful multiculturalism in our Archdiocese this Canada Day, July 1st at the St. Boniface Cathedral. Gathering Songs will begin at 10:15 am, followed by a Mass at 10:30 am presided by Archbishop Albert Legatt.

Many ethnic groups will participate during this eucharistic celebration. From Noon to 3 pm, you'll be able to visit various booths and pavilions where you'll learn about various cultures and try some different ethnic foods. There will also be a Multicultural Concert and activities for kids, notably a bouncy castle and face painting. There'll be something for kids of all ages!

Come travel the world and learn about different cultures! Don't forget to bring a picnic blanket/lawn chair and enjoy the various cultural performance showcase at our open stage in front of the Cathedral ruins!

Please note that the Avenue de la Cathédrale will be close to vehicles from Aulneau Street to Taché Street. We hope to see you there!

#### Follow Us On Social Media

Follow us for parish news, information, and communication on Facebook and Instagram @holyredeemerwpg

### Diocesan Pilgrimage in St. Malo

Everyone is invited to the diocesan pilgrimage to the Grotto of Notre Dame de Lourdes in St. Malo, on Sunday August 18.

Save the date and tell your family and friends. Mass in French will be celebrated at 9 am. Mass in English at 11 am.

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#### **Diocesan Multicultural Choir**

Come be part of our big Diocesan Multicultural Celebration on July 1st 2024 by being a part of the Multilingual Choir during our Mass!

Learn how to sing the Sanctus in Yoruba (Nigeria), the Lamb of God in Tagalog (Philippines), a song of thanksgiving in Vietnamese (Vietnam), and the psalm in French! Or if you want to offer to sing a part of Mass in your own native language, we are open to learning it as well!

Please contact Amber at youth@archsaintboniface.ca to register and receive more information! Please register by May 26th 2024.

### "Illuminate" at St. Joseph the Worker

All are invited to participate in a dynamic evening of adoration, praise & worship, reconciliation and fellowship on Friday, June 21 at 7:30 PM, at St. Joseph the Worker Parish, 505, Brewster Street in Winnipeg. Come and worship Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament as part of a vibrant Catholic community. All are welcome!

For more information, vist www.illuminatemb.com or facebook.com/illuminatemb. Illuminate is an evening of Eucharistic Adoration, Praise & Worship music, and fellowship, with the opportunity to take part in the sacrament of Reconciliation. See you there!

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### St Ignatius Spiritual Education Centre Youth Leadership Training

Open to all current grade 7/8 students from all Catholic Schools in Winnipeg. Come out and meet people your age, have fun developing leadership skills to better help your future and your community!

To register, visit stignatius.ca/registration.

## Church Events June 16, 2024 to June 29, 2024

#### **Knights of Columbus Meeting**

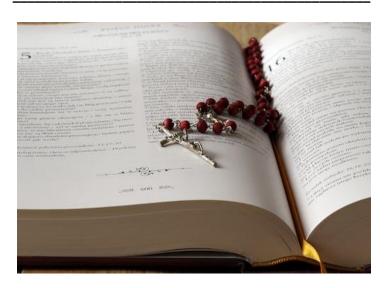
Tuesday, June 18 Mass 6:30 p.m. Meeting 7:00 p.m.

#### **Catechism Registration**

Thursday, June 20 at 6:30 p.m.



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



# Assumption University Graduate Diploma in Catholic Studies – Fall 2024 Admission

The Graduate Diploma in Catholic Studies provides an opportunity to study the Catholic intellectual tradition at one of Canada's most historic Roman Catholic institutes of higher learning. Students will begin by completing a foundational course on the Catholic intellectual tradition which outlines the major concepts of Catholic thought.

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# Pope Francis' Monthly Intention For June 2024

#### For migrants fleeing their homes

We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

#### **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, June 15, 2024 to Sunday, June 23, 2024

**Sat. June 15** at 5 pm †Maria Dang Nguyen *(Family)* 

**Sun. June 16** at 10 am †Daniel Mandrick

(Mandrick Family)

**Tues. June 18** at 9 am †Carrie and Joe Mroz

(Wanda Komadowski)

**Wed. June 19** at 9 am †Helen Sorobey

(Greg and Michelle)

Thur. June 20 at 9 am †Renee Wilson

(Her father Maurice Ritchot)

Fri. June 21 at 9 am Saint Aloysius Gonzaga

**Sat. June 22** at 5 pm <sup>†</sup>Evelyn Maycher

(Brenda & Gerry Holowka)

**Sun. June 23** at 10 am †Johanna Janzen (*Choir*)

#### **Mass Ministries Schedule**

#### Saturday, June 22 at 5 p.m.

Lectors: Raya Recio & Vera Taylor
Altar Servers: Jean-Pierre Musafiri & Amely Musafiri

Music: Couples for Christ

#### Sunday, June 23 at 10 a.m.

**Greeters:** Chris Bills & Winnie Vugampore **Lectors:** Merrydene Manipis & Erick Manipis

**Gift Bearers:** Kallon Family **Altar Server:** Grant Mandrick **Music:** Adult Group

