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 to Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Friday 8:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Fr. Anthony Austin, Parochial Administrator

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June 4th, 2023 **Most Holy Trinity**

"Today's Gospel, on the Feast of the Most Holy Trinity, demonstrates - with the apostle John's succinct language the mystery of God's love for the world, His creation. In the brief dialogue with Nicodemus, Jesus presents Himself as He who brings to fulfilment the Father's plan of salvation for the world.

He affirms: "For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life". These words are to indicate that the action of the three divine Persons - Father, Son and Holy Spirit - is all a single plan of love that saves humanity and the world. It is a plan of salvation: for us.

The world God created was good, beautiful, but after sin, the world is marked by evil and corruption, and we men and women are sinners; therefore, God could intervene to judge the world, to destroy evil and castigate sinners.

Instead, He loves the world, despite its sins; God loves every one of us even when we make mistakes and distance ourselves from Him. God the Father loves the world so much that, to save it, He gives what is most precious to Him: His only-begotten Son, who gives His life for humanity, rises again, returns to the Father and together with Him sends the Holy Spirit.

The Trinity is therefore Love, all in the service of the world, which He wishes to save and recreate. And today, thinking of God, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, we think of God's love! And it would be beautiful if we felt that we were loved: "God loves me!". This is today's sentiment...

Dear brothers and sisters, today's feast day invites us to let ourselves once again be fascinated by the beauty of God; beauty, goodness and inexhaustible truth. But also beauty, goodness and humble truth, close, who became flesh in order to enter into our life, into our history, into my history, into the history of each one of us, so that every man and woman may encounter it and have eternal life.

And this is faith. This is faith: to welcome God-as-Love. To welcome God-as-Love who gives Himself in Christ, who moves us in the Holy Spirit; to let ourselves be encountered by Him and to trust in Him. This is Christian life. Love, to encounter God, to search for God, and He seeks us first. He encounters us first..."

Pope Francis Angelus, June 7, 2020

Archdiocese of St. Boniface Press Release Charges laid against Fr. Arul Savari, sdm, pastor of St. John the Evangelist R.C. Church in Little Grand Rapids

Winnipeg, Manitoba, May 30, 2023 - Upon learning from the Little Grand Rapids RCMP detachment that Fr. Arul Savari, pastor of St. John the Evangelist R.C. Church, had been arrested and charged with several criminal offenses on May 29, the Archdiocese of St. Boniface expresses its deep sorrow to the victim who has come forward as well as to that person's family, and the entire community of Little Grand Rapids who have been affected by the allegations.

The Archdiocese will do all it can to assist the victim who has come forward and any who may make known their suffering. Fr. Arul Savari was immediately suspended from all ministerial activity in the Archdiocese.

To read the complete Press Release please visit:

https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/media/Communique-depresse-Press-release/2023/Communique-ENG-Arul-Savari-May-30-2023.pdf

FORMED Update Parish Subscription Will Not Be Renewed After June 22, 2023

In 2021, the parish purchased a subscription to FORMED, an online resource for Catholic materials, available free to parishioners. Having a subscription to FORMED allowed parishioners access to online resources at a time when Covid restrictions were present and in person gatherings were limited in number.

Now that Covid restrictions are no more and for financial considerations, the parish will not be renewing its subscription to FORMED. Our parish's current subscription goes until June 22, 2023 and parishioners are welcome to continue using FORMED until then.

If you would like to continue having access to FORMED you may look into individual subscriptions at: https://formed.org/subscription

We thank everyone who has used FORMED and we hope it was beneficial.

June Parish Updates

Church Closed:

Please note that the church will be closed on Tuesday, June 6 from 11 am to 2 pm.

Parish Office Closed:

The parish office will be closed on Friday, June 16 and Friday, June 30.

Bulletin:

There will be no bulletin published on the weekend of June 17 & 18.

Congratulations Sacrament of Baptism

Congratulations as Laila, daughter of Christopher and Lesley was baptized on Saturday, May 27, 2023. May we welcome Laila into our Catholic family and keep her and her family in our prayers. May God bless and keep you Laila.

Thank You to Doreen Ness

Parishioner Doreen Ness has recently retired from all of her volunteer positions at the parish and we would like to thank her for all that she has done for the parish over the past number of years. Thank you Doreen for your generosity, hard work and dedication to the parish in so many capacities, including decorating, Altar Server, and collection counter to name just a few. God's Blessings to you Doreen.

July and August 2023 Lector, Server and Gift Bearer Schedules Available

The July and August 2023 Lector, Server and Gift Bearer schedules have been emailed out. There are also a few paper copies available in the lector and server mailboxes in the Gathering Space.

Follow Us On Social Media

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





Employment Opportunity Holy Redeemer Parish Part Time Maintenance Worker

Holy Redeemer Parish is looking for someone to perform minor maintenance on a part time basis for 1 or 2 days during the week depending on need. This is a paid position at \$20.00 an hour. Mechanical, electrical and plumbing knowledge and experience is required. If interested please send your resume to: office@hrwpg.ca

Refugee Committee News

Our Refugee Committee continues to work hard to rescue a family from a refugee camp in Zambia. Since starting this project 5 years ago, we are finally expecting their arrival within the next few months. The family consists of the father, mother, daughters ages 19, 15, 9 and sons ages 17, 12 (twins) and 5.

We are now able to accept donations of new or gently used household items such as small appliances, dishes, cutlery + utensils, pot + pans, clean bedding + towels. Please no clothes or large furniture for now. Items can be brought to the church. For inquiries, call Chris 204-294-1422 or Marina 204-661-2932. Thank you for your continued generosity.

You're Invited! Development and Peace Manitoba Regional Assembly June 10, 2023

Development and Peace invites you to the Manitoba Regional Assembly on Saturday, June 10 at the Parish of St. Timothy (135 John Forysth Road) from 9:00 - 3:30 pm, followed by the celebration of the Holy Mass at 4 pm.

This year's theme is: *Creating hope for today and the future.* This gathering includes a presentation of the partners of Development and Peace within the Caritas Internationalis network. Learn how you can become more involved for the preferential option for the poor in the Global South by registering today, please *click here*

All are welcome. Children's activities on justice and charity will be offered and transportation and lodging will be covered for guests coming from rural communities and parishes. Register for more information. For any questions, please contact Jason Cegayle, Regional animator for Development and Peace – Manitoba and Thunder Bay at icegayle@devp.org or at (204) 231-2848.

Church Events June 4 to June 16, 2023

Food Bank

Friday, June 9, 10:00 a.m.

Finance Council Meeting Tuesday, June 13, 5:00 p.m.

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting Wednesday, June 14, 6:30 p.m.



Please pray for the sick, their families and their caregivers

Take a Year To Take Your Faith To The Next Level! Disciples Formation Program at the Catholic School of Evangelization

The Disciples Formation Program at the Catholic School for Evangelization is a chance to fall more deeply in love with Jesus Christ and to be inflamed with the passion and the tools for evangelization. It's an excellent choice for students coming out of high school before they plunge into post-secondary education, or for young adults needing a reset or a break from the path they're already on.

But this is more than just a Catholic-flavoured gap year. If you truly receive what the DFP offers you, it will propel and orient you in conformity to God's will throughout the rest of your life. The class of 2023-2024 starts with a committal Mass in St. Malo on September 10, 2023 and ends with closing ceremonies on April 27, 2024.

For more information please visit: https://www.catholicway.net/dfp





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Pope Francis' Monthly Intention For June 2023

For the abolition of torture

We pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families.

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 right side of the counter by the bulletin board 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 3 to Sunday, June 11, 2023

Sat. June 3 at 5 pm Marilyn Marion (*Rob Marion*)

Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions

Sun. June 4 at 10 am †Michelle Trach

(Fran and Len Trach) The Most Holy Trinity

Tues. June 6 at 9 am †Maria Hanh Nguyen (Family) Wed. June 7 at 9 am †Joseph Thuyen Nguyen (Family) **Thur. June 8** at 9 am †Joseph Tri Nguyen (Family)

Fri. June 9 at 9 am

Sat. June 10 at 5 pm †Frances Taylor *(Choir)*

Sun. June 11 at 10 am †Frances Taylor (Ladies Auxiliary)

Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Mass Ministries Schedule

Saturday, June 10 at 5 p.m.

Lectors: Raya Recio and Vera Taylor Altar Servers: Jean-Pierre Musafiri and Amely Musafiri Music: Adult Choir

Mass, June 11 at 10 a.m.

Greeters: Irene Shaw and Dave Pomarenski **Lectors:** Marge Kohut and Sarah Boyd Gift Bearers: Boulet Family Altar Server: Brianne Ouellette

> **Ushers:** Music: Bev Henry's Group

