Holy Redeemer Roman Catholic Parish



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Fifth Sunday of Easter May 15th, 2022

Love One Another

In today's Gospel, we hear Jesus at the Last Supper giving a new commandment: that we love one another. The disciples are to make known the Good News to the world and do it out of love. Jesus tells them *"everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."*

Love is about wanting what it best for one another. Just as God loves and wants what is best for us, we are called to do the same for others. For just as we are made in the image and likeness of God, so is everyone else we meet.

We are called to love everyone, not just those we get along with. We are called to love our enemies; those we disagree with; who are different than we are; who have different viewpoints; who hurt us. Loving one another as Jesus does is not easy, but it is the commandment Jesus calls us to.

How can we love someone who causes us pain, difficulties and hurt? We have to remember what love means. St. Thomas defines love as *"willing the good of the other"*. Loving someone does not mean we have to be friends with them, it means we desire the best for them and never forgetting they are a child of God. We may not be able to change someone, but we can choose how we respond. God can help heal and move us towards forgiveness for our own healing. As we pray in the Lord's Prayer: *"Forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us."* We are called not just to pray for ourselves, but for others as well.

Pope Francis stated that "to love is a gift of God, and we have to ask. And he gives it willingly, if we ask it. Showing love to others is not something that we do to shine a light on who or what we are, but to show better who God is, and what he freely gives to us. We need the Lord to continually renew this gift in our hearts, through the experience of his infinite mercy. God's love never fails and if we ask, he will give us the grace to love more perfectly."



New Music Hymnal Books

The parish has received new music hymnal books, JourneySongs, which are now in the pews. The books were donated to the parish by a very generous parishioner who has chosen to remain anonymous.

This gift is certainly most warmly appreciated and a very special thank you goes out from the parish.

Holy Redeemer Presents "Spring Sing"! Thursday, May 19, 2022 at 7 P.M. Last Weekend To Purchase Tickets

Come out and support your parish by attending a concert performed by Enharmony. They are a group of auditioned singers who are senior members of the Winnipeg Youth Chorus. They are talented young people who have an eclectic repertoire. Tickets will be available after all Masses until May 15.



Adults: \$15.00 Students: \$10.00 Children under 12: \$5.00 Hope to see you there!

Thank You From the Ladies Auxiliary

On behalf of the Ladies Auxiliary we want to extend our heartfelt "Thank You" to all the wonderful parishioners who donated a variety of baby items for the "Young Moms" in need. Our hearts are full with your generosity and answering our call.



Members of the Ladies Auxiliary with the donated baby items.

Please Pray for Our Confirmation Children

Please continue to pray for Albert, Andrew, Gabriel, Marisa, Merken, Nia, and Ryleigh as they prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation.

You are invited to be witness as these 7 young people receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. The celebration will be held on Wednesday, May 25 at 7:00 p.m. with Archbishop Albert LeGatt presiding.

Knights of Columbus- Pancake Breakfast Sunday, May 29, 2022

Come out and spend time with your fellow parishioners and support the Holy Redeemer Knights of Columbus as they bring back their pancake breakfast on Sunday, May 29, after the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

Please note that any tickets sold for the cancelled March 22, 2020 pancake breakfast will be honored.



\$8.00 per person Children 5 and under free Tickets will be available after Mass, at the parish office 204-669-0501 or from Doug Wazny 204-668-6156.

Lector Training Tuesday, May 24, 2022 at 7 P.M.

There will be a training session for all lectors on Tuesday, May 24 at 7 p.m. at the church.

Anyone who is not currently a lector, but would be interested in providing this ministry to their parish are most welcome to attend as well. We would love to see not just the adults, but the teenagers and young adults of our parish be lectors. Please note that we are in particular need for lectors for Saturday evening Mass.

Change in Sunday Mass Time Starting June 5, 2022

Due to the summer months approaching, we will move to one Mass on Sunday mornings, at 10 a.m., starting June 5, 2022. There will be no change to the Saturday Mass time. At a later date, we will evaluate if we will go back to two Masses on Sundays in September or keep it at one Mass.

Holy Redeemer Parish Youth and Young Adult Meet & Greet Friday, June 10, 2022 at 6:30 P.M

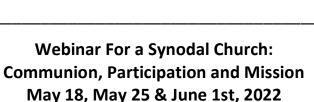
Attention All Young People! Holy Redeemer Parish is starting a Youth & Young Adult Ministry for ages 18 + and our first gathering is a Meet and Greet. It will be held in the parish hall on Friday, June 10 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

What to expect: An evening of fun faith-filled evening alongside other youths and young adults in our parish community. A listening session/brainstorming session to hear what you have to say and what you want to happen for Holy Redeemer's Youth Ministry.

What to bring: An open heart, a big smile and yourself. We hope to see you there.

SCAN OR CODE TO RSVP

Please scan the QR code to RSVP.



Beginning May 18 2022, the CCCB (Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops) Office for Evangelization and Catechesis will offer a webinar series, For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation, and Mission.

This threepart series will explore the Church's call to synodality and its themes. Keynote speakers include, His Eminence Gérald Cyprian Cardinal Lacroix (June 1), Dr. Moira McQueen (May 18), Mr. David Dayler (May 18), Sr. Chantal Desmarais, SCSM (May 25).

You can choose to attend one or more of the following webinars: May 18, 2022 1:00 p.m.; May 25, 2022 1:00 p.m. June 1, 2022 1:00 p.m. Time shows in Eastern Time.

For the registration link, click <u>https://cccb-ca.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_xYg1RDBCRueTvMI7Ga9</u> 16Q You must register by May 16, 2022.

Church Events Tuesday, May 17 to Monday, May 23, 2022

Knights of Columbus Meeting Tuesday, May 17, 6:30 p.m.

Confirmation Rehearsal Wednesday, May 18, 7:00 p.m.

Enharmony Concert Thursday, May 19, 7:00 p.m.



Please pray for the sick, their families and their caregivers

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.

Marriage Tips

Temper Taming Tip #1: Check your own temperature first. Maybe you're tired after a long day or feel stressed or worried. Try strengthening your resistance. Taking a short nap helps some. Others may listen to quiet music, take a bath or a walk. Experiment.





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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.

Pope Francis' Monthly Intention For May 2022

Faith-Filled Young People

We pray for all young people, called to live life to the fullest; may they see in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage that faith generates, and the dedication to service.

Liturgy Schedule, Saints' Days and Intentions

Saturday, May 14 to Sunday, May 22, 2022

Sun. May 15 at 9 am Sun. May 15 at 10:30 am

Sat. May 14 at 5 pm

Holy Redeemer Parishioners Saint Matthias Holy Redeemer Parishioners †Len Manahan (Friends)

Tues. May 17 at 9 amWed. May 18 at 9 amThur. May 19 at 9 amFri. May 20 at 9 amFri. May 20 at 9 amAnniversary for Joseph Bao and Theresa Van (Family)

Sat. May 21 at 5 pm Sun. May 22 at 9 am Sun. May 22 at 10:30 am Anni

Holy Redeemer Parishioners †Anne Zak (*The Mandrick family*)) am Thanksgiving for 40th Wedding Anniversary for Hue and Lien (*Family*)

Lector and Server Schedule

Saturday, May 21 at 5 p.m. Lector: Raya Recio Servers: Jean-Pierre Musafiri and Amely Musafiri

Sunday, May 22

<u>9 a.m. Mass</u> Lector: Lien Nguyen Server: Nga Nguyen

<u>10:30 a.m. Mass</u> Lectors: Erick Manipis and Merrydene Manipis Server: Brianne Ouellette

