

Holy Redeemer Roman Catholic Parish

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Sunday Eucharistic Liturgies: Sat. 5:00 p.m., Sun. 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Eucharistic Liturgies: Tuesday to Friday at 9:00 a.m.

Office Hours: Tuesday to Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

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Fourth Sunday of Easter

May 8th, 2022

Hear My Voice and Follow Me

Every year the Gospel of Jesus being the Good Shepherd is read on the fourth Sunday of Easter, which is known as Good Shepherd Sunday.

A shepherd has the responsibility of leading his flock, caring and protecting them. As our shepherd, Jesus does all these. He nurtures us, protects us and feeds us through his body, the Eucharist. He loves us and laid down his life for us. He will not leave us.

In the Gospel, we also read that the sheep hear Jesus' voice and follow him. We live in a busy and secular society. How can we as followers of Jesus ensure that we hear Jesus' voice and keep on following him, when we are surrounded by a society that has so many different voices coming at us 24/7?

We must make an intentional effort to commit our life to Jesus and make time for him in our lives. This can include having a set time each to pray; attending Mass regularly; spending quiet time in front of the Blessed Sacrament; reading the Bible, the writings of the Saints and other spiritual works through books, podcasts or videos.

Jesus can also speak to us through other people. We do not journey in this life alone. It is important to spend time with others who are also seeking Jesus and living a life for him.

We must in humility, listen and learn what the teachings of Jesus are, and how he wants us to live our lives. These ways, at times will be at odds with what society is saying. We must pray for strength and fortitude as being a Christian is not always easy. It takes strength and courage to go against the flow.

What is our ultimate goal as we live this life? Will the ways of this world care, love and protect us and always be there for us as Jesus is? Do they want what is best for us; do they provide eternal happiness as our Lord desires for us? This does not mean we are to shun the world. We are called to be part of it, but we must not lose focus of what our priorities are and what brings ultimate meaning to our lives.



*Congratulations, Blessings, and Best Wishes
to all our Holy Redeemer
mothers, grandmothers, great-grandmothers,
and godmothers...
both here on earth and in the heavenly kingdom!*



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 Presents "Spring Sing" Thursday, May 19, 2022 at 7 P.M.

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, as well as the church office.



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

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.

Please Pray for Our First Holy Communion Children

Please continue to pray for Austin, Jack, Matthew, Sara, Tyson, and Zenric as they prepare for their First Eucharist (Communion). The celebration will take place on Sunday, May 15 at the 10:30 am Mass.

Spring Plant Fundraiser Orders Pick Up Saturday, May 14, 2022

Attention all gardeners who ordered plants from the Glenlea Greenhouse fundraiser. Plants will be available for pick up on Saturday, May 14 at 1:30-3:30 in the church parking lot.

The Refugee Committee wishes to thank all who participated in this shared fundraiser for the Parish and the Refugee Project. Happy planting!

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. Tickets will be available starting next weekend.

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
starting May 14 & 15,
at the parish office 204-669-0501 or
from Doug Wazny 204-668-6156.

The Parish Finance Council is Seeking New Members

The parish finance council is currently seeking new members. The parish finance council meets at the church on the second Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m., excluding July and August.

We are asking parishioners to pray and discern if being a member of the finance council is a ministry they can provide to their parish. If you feel called to this ministry or would like more information please contact the office.

Development and Peace Share Lent 2022 *People and Planet First*

Thank you for giving from the heart to Share Lent 2022! Development and Peace — Caritas Canada thanks you for supporting the People and Planet First campaign with your Share Lent donation. Thanks to your generosity, to date our parish collected \$1,525.00.

This sum will help support our sisters and brothers in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Middle East. If you have not had a chance to donate, there is still time to place your Share Lent envelope in the offertory or to donate online at devp.org/give. Thank you for continuing to pray for all those who are working to build a world of peace and justice.

100,000 Lives Flag Display Thursday, May 12, 2022

On May 12, from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the St. Boniface Cathedral, we will be remembering, honouring, and commemorating the 100,000 lives that are lost to abortion every year in Canada.

Take the opportunity to say a prayer for the preborn, name a child as you plant a flag, or simply give a moment of silence for the short lives taken too soon.

More information can be found at www.lifeculture.ca/flags or by contacting justony@lifeculture.ca.

The 22nd Annual Walk for Mary Sunday, May 22, 2022

The 22nd annual walk for Mary will be held on Sunday, May 22, 2022 at Holy Eucharist Parish, located at Watt and Munroe. Please join us in Walking and Praying together for peace and democracy in Ukraine.

Registration starts at 1:30 pm followed by the walk at 2:00 pm. Pledge forms are available at: archeparchy.ca (under events).

For more information call Joan Lewandowsky at 204 669 3666 or mobile 204 295 2276 or zenova@mymts.net

Church Events Tuesday, May 10 to Monday, May 16, 2022

Finance Council Meeting
Tuesday, May 10, 6:30 p.m.

Catechism
Thursday, May 12, 7:00 p.m.

Food Bank
Friday, May 13, 10:30 a.m.

First Holy Eucharist Retreat
Saturday, May 14, 10:00 a.m.

First Holy Eucharist Celebration
Sunday, May 15, 10:30 a.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.





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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 7 to Sunday, May 15, 2022

Sat. May 7 at 5 pm Blessings and well-being for
Maria and Marvin (*friends and family*)
Sun. May 8 at 9 am †Mom and Dad (*Lucy*)
Sun. May 8 at 10:30 am Holy Redeemer Parishioners

Tues. May 10 at 9 am
Wed. May 11 at 9 am
Thur. May 12 at 9 am
Fri. May 13 at 9 am

Sat. May 14 at 5 pm Holy Redeemer Parishioners
Saint Matthias
Sun. May 15 at 9 am Holy Redeemer Parishioners
Sun. May 15 at 10:30 am †Len Manahan (*Friends*)

Lector and Server Schedule

Saturday, May 14th at 5 p.m.

Lector: Judy Johnson

Servers: Jean-Pierre Musafiri and Amely Musafiri

Sunday, May 15th

9 a.m. Mass

Lector: Marge Kohut

Server: Nga Nguyen

10:30 a.m. Mass

Lector: Diane Skalenda

Server: Brianne Ouellette

