

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

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November 3rd, 2024

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

"In today's liturgy, the Gospel presents a scribe who approaches Jesus and asks him: "Which commandment is the first of all?" (Mk 12:28). Jesus responds by citing Scripture and stating that the first commandment is to love God; from this one then derives the second, as a natural consequence: to love one's neighbour as oneself (cf. vv. 29-31).

We can ask ourselves, in giving his assent, why did that scribe feel the need to repeat Jesus' same words? This repetition is a teaching for all of us who are listening. For the Word of the Lord cannot be received as any other type of news. The Word of the Lord should be repeated, made one's own, safeguarded. The monastic tradition of the monks, uses an audacious but very concrete term. It goes like this: the Word of God must be "ruminated". We could say that it is so nutritious that it must reach every aspect of life: to involve, as Jesus says today, the entire heart, the entire soul, the entire mind, all of our strength (cf. v. 30). The Word of the Lord must resound, echo and re-echo within us. When there is this interior echo that repeats itself, it means that the Lord dwells in the heart. And he says to us, just as he did to that good scribe in the Gospel: "You are not far from the kingdom of God" (v. 34).

"Dear brothers and sisters, the Lord does not seek skilled commentators of the Scriptures, as much as he seeks docile hearts that, welcoming his Word, allow themselves to be changed within. Let us take for example today's Gospel: it is not enough to read it and understand that we should love God and our neighbour. So each one of us can become a living, different and original "translation", not a repetition but a living, different and original "translation" of the one Word of love that God gives us. This is what we see in the lives of the Saints for example. None of them is the same as another. They are all different, but with the same Word of God.

Today, therefore, let us take the example of this scribe. Let us repeat Jesus' words, making them resound in us: "To love God with all our heart, with all our soul, with all our mind and with all our strength and my neighbour as myself". And let us ask ourselves: does this commandment truly orient my life? Does this commandment resonate in my daily life? May every encounter bring about a little bit of good, a little bit of love that comes from this Word. May the Virgin Mary, in whom the Word of God was made flesh, teach us to welcome the living word of the Gospel in our hearts."

Pope Francis Angelus October 31, 2021

Yearly Casserole Ministry!

Once again we are providing hot casseroles to the Immaculate Conception Parish's outreach into the community... On Sunday, November 17th we will be supplying 20 of our famous 'Hamburger Noodle' offerings to feed over 300 people or families!

If not already contacted you can still volunteer your help today. Co-ordinator Myrna Kisil (204-229-4456) will be distributing the casserole pans with recipes & carry boxes in the foyer, following Mass. Thank you for your generous support!

Holy Eucharist Parish Annual Fall Supper

Holy Eucharist Parish will have their Annual Fall Supper on Sunday, November 24, 4-6 pm. This sit-down supper will have pork cutlet, perogies and sour cream, sauerkraut with Ukrainian sausage bits, meatballs and gravy, coleslaw, veggies, rolls with butter, dessert, coffee, tea, peach drink.

Tickets are \$25 per person, \$15 for 12 & under. Please call 204-667-8866 for tickets.

Recruiting Potential Sponsor Couples

So that we at Holy Redeemer can better assist couples prepare for Marriage, we are seeking the assistance of married couples of our church who are willing to be trained as sponsors for engaged couples. Fr. Anthony is asking couples who have been married at least 3 years and are in a canonically valid marriage to consider serving in this important ministry.

After the married volunteers have taken part in a one-afternoon and one-evening training course, they will be assigned to guide an engaged couple through a series of 6 meetings in their home. We plan to train enough married couples so that each sponsor couple will minister to no more than 2 engaged couples per year.

Please contact Fr. Anthony for more information: 204-669-0501 or email: office@hrwpg.ca.

Parking Lot Gate

Now that winter is approaching, the parking lot gate is to be left open at all times in case of parking lot snow removal. Thank you for your cooperation.

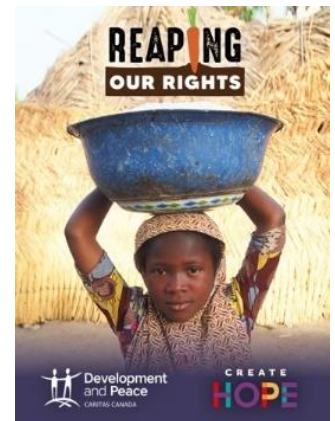
Good Shepherd Campaign 2024

This week, Archbishop LeGatt is launching the **2024 Good Shepherd Campaign For the Life of the Church!** in support of the formation of our seminarians, the costs of bringing in international priests and many pastoral initiatives that ensure the life of the Church in our parishes. We invite you to check out the Campaign poster where you will see the nine young priests who have been supported by your donations, as well as the five seminarians. We also invite you to visit the Archdiocesan website for more testimonials and information. Please note that the collection for the Good Shepherd Campaign will take place on the weekend of November 16 and 17.

Create Hope: Reaping Our Rights

Development and Peace — Caritas Canada invites you to join the **Create Hope: Reaping our Rights** fall action campaign. Across the Global South, peasant and rural communities have fought hard to assert their rights to land, water, seeds, food sovereignty, a healthy environment and more. But how can they protect these rights when powerful foreign corporations (including Canadian corporations) show up in their region, extract resources, and pollute their environment?

Let's ensure that no Canadian company tramples on their rights by asking Canada to adopt mandatory human rights and environmental due diligence legislation. We urge you to show your support of this campaign by signing the post card **Defending Peasants' Rights** addressed to the Government of Canada found on the counter in the gathering space and placing it in the black box to be forwarded to Development and Peace by the parish. Thank you.



Travel Planner Information

Are you single, married or a family looking to travel to your dream destination, and have no idea of where to begin and would love your own personal travel planner and escort? While this is your opportunity to learn how to make it happen. If you are looking for information please call me at 204-297-3970. Thank you, Brenda Holowka.

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!

For flyer and booking form, visit the archdiocese website at: [Marian Shrines 2025 \(archsaintboniface.ca\)](http://MarianShrines2025.archsaintboniface.ca)

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.

For more information: 204-895-7544 or email ccrs@catholicrenewalservices.com

Cinema Divina

On Sunday, November 10th there will be a viewing of the movie 'Count of Monte Cristo (1975)' at Holy Eucharist Parish Centre, 460 Munroe Ave. The night will begin with a Potluck supper at 5:00 pm, followed by the movie at 6:00 pm.

Contact cinemadivinahe@gmail.com or 204-881-3150.

Stewardship November 3, 2024 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

"And 'to love him with all your heart, with all your understanding, with all your strength, and to love your neighbor as yourself' is worth more than all the burnt offerings and sacrifices." – Mark 12:33

Of all the gifts that God gives us, the one He wants the most is our heart. He wants us to share out of our love for Him, not out of obligation. Using our talent in parish ministry and contributing money to support our parish mission is important, but it's more important to spend time in prayer with God daily and discern how He is calling us to be generous with all of our gifts. Not just the visible ones, but the invisible ones like love, mercy and forgiveness.

Church Events

November 3, 2024 to November 16, 2024

Ladies Auxiliary Meeting

Tuesday, November 5 at 1:00 p.m.

Catechism Classes

Thursday, November 7 & 14
(Grade K-1) Catechism Class at 5:30 p.m.
Children's Choir Practice at 6:30 p.m.
(Grade 2-6) Catechism Class to follow

Finance Council Meeting

Tuesday, November 12 at 5:00 p.m.

Food Bank

Friday, November 15 at 1:00 p.m.



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

Peer Evangelization Workshop

How to have effective faith building conversations with friends, co-workers, acquaintances, and random people! Presented by the Catholic School of Evangelization, Catholic Christian Outreach, CCRS of Manitoba. Saturday November 23, 9 am - 12 noon. St. Timothy's Church Hall. 135 John Forsyth Rd, Winnipeg. Free. No registration required. See you there!

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Pope Francis' Monthly Intention For November 2024

For anyone who has lost a child

We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or
daughter find support in their community and receive peace
and consolation from the Holy Spirit.

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, November 2, 2024 to Sunday, November 10, 2024

Sat. Nov 2 at 5 pm **All Souls' Day**
Sun. Nov 3 at 10 am †Gregory Zak (*Mandrick Family*)

Mon. Nov 4 **Saint Charles Borromeo**
Tues. Nov 5 at 9 am For all the souls in Purgatory,
especially the deceased members
of F.O.S.S (*Donor*)

Wed. Nov 6 at 9 am †Blondi Poshwate (*Anastasza*)

Thur. Nov 7 at 9 am †Antonio Marino (*Family*)

Fri. Nov 8 at 9 am All Souls in Purgatory (*Anastasza*)

Sat. Nov 9 at 5 pm †Ernesto Lanaca & Adelaida Lanaca
(*Family*)

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Sun. Nov 10 at 10 am †Ian & Anna (*Anastasza*)

Mass Ministries Schedule

Saturday, November 9 at 5 p.m.

Lectors: Liz Patzer & Judy Johnson

Altar Servers: Jean-Pierre Musafiri & Amely Musafiri

Music: John Vis

Sunday, November 10 at 10 a.m.

Greeters: Winnie Vugampore & Chris Bills

Lectors: Doug Wazny & Diane Skalenda

Gift Bearers: Davedow Family

Altar Server: Grant Mandrick

Music: Adult Choir

