

# Holy Redeemer Roman Catholic Parish

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

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

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## 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 3, 2021

### *Heart of a Child*

At the end of today's Gospel, Jesus proclaims that whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will never enter it.

When they are young, a child depends on its parents for everything. They trust their parents and are full of joy, love and innocence.

However, as one grows older we know that life is not always easy or fair and we lose our childlike innocence. We may find it harder to trust and depend on other people, and our hearts can become hardened.

Jesus is not asking us to ignore reality, but to not let the complexities and disappointments in this life caused by the reality of the human condition, take away our ability to have an open heart, to have faith and to love.

Just as a child loves, trusts and depends on their parents, we too are asked to love, trust and depend on God. Not out of blind obedience, but because as our loving father he wants what is best for us.

To encounter God we need to be open and trusting like a child. The child is fully receptive to love, and so we must be fully receptive of God's love and gift of salvation.



## Welcome Father Anthony Austin

It gives me great joy to announce to all of you the good news that Father Anthony Austin, our new parochial administrator for the next six years, has arrived safely in Winnipeg. He will start presiding at our Masses this coming Saturday at 5:00 p.m. and Sunday morning at 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

We welcome him warmly with open hearts and offer him our prayers and loving support. I will continue to serve the parish with Father Anthony until the end of 2021 at which time he will assume full responsibility.

- Sister Maria

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## Knights Of Columbus Clothing Drive

The Knights of Columbus are holding a clothing drive in conjunction with the Knights of Columbus of St. Timothy's Parish. The clothing collected will be going to "Our Place Chez-Nous Drop In center 676 Main Street Winnipeg".

We are looking for gently used women's and men's clothing and footwear. All donated items are to be dropped off in Holy Redeemer Parking lot on Saturday October 16, 2021 between 9:00 and 11:00 am.

Thanks again for your generosity.  
Holy Redeemer Knights of Columbus.

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## Knights of Columbus Grey Cup Raffle

We need help with our charitable efforts during these difficult times. The Knights are returning to our fundraising projects by conducting a GREY CUP RAFFLE.

Tickets will be available for \$2.00 from any Knight and will also be available at the office during office hours. Prizes range from \$50 to \$125.

Public events and personal contacts are limited. Please be a part of the solution by buying some tickets or better yet by selling some tickets.

For questions or to buy or distribute tickets call 204-414-3411 and I will help you out.

Thank you for your support.

Allan Jakilazek

Raffle Coordinator

## Our Archdiocesan Reconciliation Journey

We invite you to read the letter from Mireille Grenier, Director of Pastoral Services, outlining the initiatives of the Archdiocese in its reconciliation journey, including the formation of an advisory committee composed of Indigenous and non-Indigenous people, the use of the 4 Seasons of Reconciliation educational resource, as well as the formation of diocesan discussion groups using the Listening to Indigenous Voices resource. These efforts are only the beginning.

Let us walk humbly together in practicing just and equitable relationships in our daily lives. Finally, let us ask the Lord to continue to guide us on this journey.

To read the pastoral letter, please visit:

[https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/media/Nouvelles-hebdomadaires-Weekly-News-photos-docs/2021/Pastoral-Letter\\_Reconciliation\\_2021-09-27.pdf](https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/media/Nouvelles-hebdomadaires-Weekly-News-photos-docs/2021/Pastoral-Letter_Reconciliation_2021-09-27.pdf)

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## The Bishops of Canada Unequivocally Apologize to the Indigenous Peoples

The Catholic Bishops of Canada, gathered in Plenary this week, took the opportunity to affirm and acknowledge to the Indigenous Peoples the suffering experienced in Canada's Indian Residential Schools.

Many Catholic religious communities and dioceses participated in this system, which led to the suppression of Indigenous languages, culture and spirituality, failing to respect the rich history, traditions and wisdom of Indigenous Peoples.

Along with those Catholic entities which were directly involved in the operation of the schools and which have already offered their own heartfelt apologies, the Catholic Bishops of Canada expressed their profound remorse and apologized unequivocally.

To read the document Statement of Apology by the Catholic Bishops of Canada to the Indigenous Peoples of this Land, please visit:

[https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/media/Verite-et-Reconciliation-Truth-and-Reconciliation/Statement\\_from\\_CBC\\_to\\_Indigenous-EN.pdf](https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/media/Verite-et-Reconciliation-Truth-and-Reconciliation/Statement_from_CBC_to_Indigenous-EN.pdf)

Following up on the Apology, the Catholic Bishops of Canada have also pledged 30 million dollars to support healing and reconciliation initiatives. For more information, [https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/media/Verite-et-Reconciliation-Truth-and-Reconciliation/CCCB-News-Release\\_27-September-2021\\_EN\\_FINAL.pdf](https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/media/Verite-et-Reconciliation-Truth-and-Reconciliation/CCCB-News-Release_27-September-2021_EN_FINAL.pdf)

## Theology of the Body Conference for Young Adults October 8 & 9, 2021

Young Adults are invited to our Theology of the Body Conference at St. Boniface Cathedral. The theme of the conference is "Better Together" playing along the concept of GOOGLE MAPS as a modern and mainstream way of seeking for direction.

Three different workshops will address Theology of the Body topics such as pro-life apologetics, same – sex attraction, and intimacy and sex in a sensitive yet truthful manner.

Registration is now open and can be accessed at [www.lifesvision.ca/young-adults-tob](http://www.lifesvision.ca/young-adults-tob)

For more information, please visit:  
<https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/media/Nouvelles-hebdomadaires-Weekly-News-photos-docs/2021/Theology-of-the-Body-Conference-Invitation.pdf>



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

### Sacraments

**Reconciliation:** Available by appointment. Please call the office.

**Baptism:** Please email Sister Maria 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

Is life overwhelming right now? Take a deep breath, and remind yourself of your blessings, especially your faith and your marriage. This too shall pass.

### Reflections for the Separated/Divorced

Divorce is a terrible scourge to bear, but there are far too many people in this world who refuse to forgive those who have hurt them. They end up suffering the consequences, one of which is poor health and premature aging as they nurse their, disappointment, resentment and anger. Why be one of them? Make the choice to forgive today and start living your life in freedom and happiness.

### How to Donate to your Parish

1. Parishioners may drop off their donations during Mass.
2. We strongly encourage signing up for direct deposit, especially during this time of pandemic. To sign up for direct deposit please contact the office at 204-669-0501 or [finance@hrwpg.ca](mailto:finance@hrwpg.ca).
3. Donations may be dropped off at the parish office Tuesday to Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
4. Donations may be sent in by mail.
5. Donations may be dropped off in the mailbox Tuesday to Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. We recommend that donations not be dropped off in the mailbox evenings and weekends for security reasons.
6. Parishioners may donate through the Archdiocesan website using your credit card (not the preferred method as there is a 3% fee that our parish incurs).

Thank you for your continued generosity during this challenging time of pandemic.





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### Pope Francis' Monthly Intention For October 2021

**Missionary Disciples**

We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in  
evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses  
of a life that has the flavor of the Gospel.

### Liturgy Schedule, Saints' Days and Intentions

**Saturday, October 2 to Sunday, October 10, 2021**

- Sat. Oct 2 at 5 pm †Terri Lucyk (*Lou and Pat van Ryssel*)  
**The Holy Guardian Angels**
- Sun. Oct 3 at 9 am Holy Redeemer Parishioners
- Sun. Oct 3 at 10:30 am †Terri Lucyk (*Ladies Auxiliary*)
- Tues. Oct 5 at 9 am All of the souls in Purgatory,  
especially the deceased members of F.O.S.S. (*donor*)
- Wed. Oct 6 at 9 am
- Thur. Oct. 7 at 9 am All of the souls in Purgatory,  
especially the deceased members of F.O.S.S. (*donor*)  
**Our Lady of the Rosary**
- Fri. Oct 8 at 9 am
- Sat. Oct 9 at 5 pm Joanne McCluskey and †Bill  
(*Ron Steiner*)
- Sun. Oct 10 at 9 am Holy Redeemer Parishioners
- Sun. Oct 10 at 10:30 am †Theresie and †Colonel  
(*Winifred Vugampore and family*)

### Government of Manitoba Updated Pandemic Directives Effective October 5, 2021

Beginning Tuesday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, the new public orders will  
permit indoor sizes for faith-based gatherings to 25 people  
or 33 percent capacity, whichever is greater. This means  
that our maximum limit with physical distancing in church  
remains at approximately 80 people.

For funerals, weddings, and baptisms the number is reduced  
to 25 people.

Masks must be worn in all indoor public places, including  
places of worship and physical distancing of two metres for  
everyone not living in the same household must be  
maintained.

If you would like to attend a weekend Mass, please call or  
email the office the week prior to book a space. We still  
need to have a list of names and numbers of all those  
attending for the purpose of contact tracing.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.  
Let us continue to pray for one another...and to stay safe