



BLESSED SACRAMENT

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WEEKEND MASSES: Saturday 5:00 pm, Sunday 9:30 am, and 11:30 am.
WEEKDAY MASSES : Tuesday - 9:30 am, Wednesday - 6:00 pm, Thursday - 9:30 am
OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 am to 3:00 pm, Monday to Friday
(closed from 12:00 to 1:00 for lunch)

April 21, 2024

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

SACRAMENTAL LIFE

Baptism:

Contact the office. Baptisms are celebrated during Saturday/Sunday Liturgies.

Reconciliation:

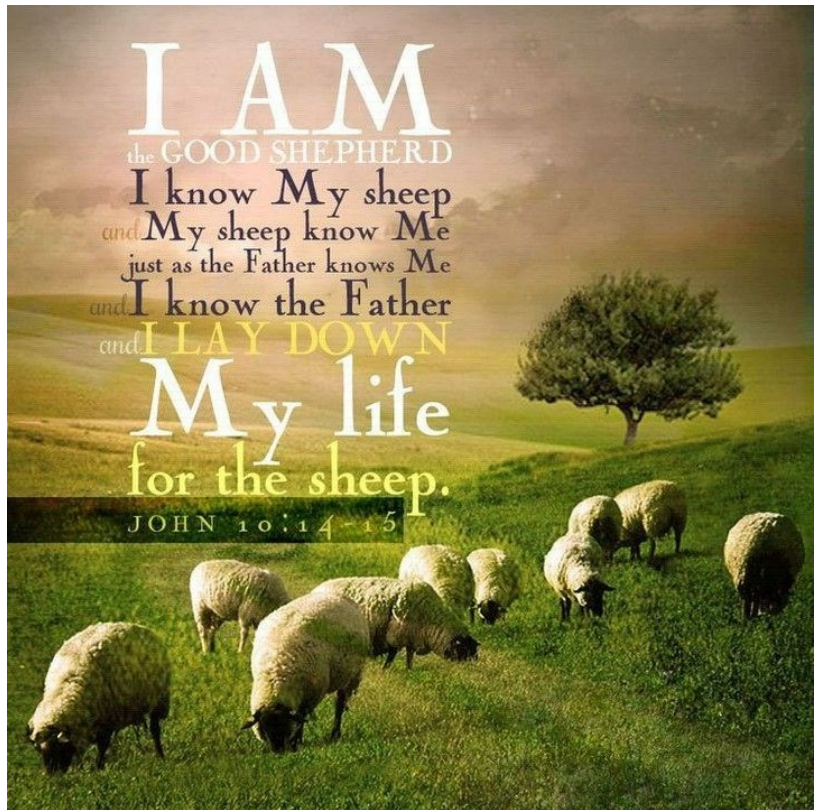
After weekend masses of Saturday 5:00pm, Sunday 11:30am, and after weekday morning masses of 9:30am or set up an appointment.

Marriage:

Please call to check for your particular date and to schedule an initial interview before confirming other bookings. In addition, you must be a registered member of the Blessed Sacrament Parish.

Anointing of the sick:

If you know somebody who is ill or in need of anointing at home or in hospital, please call the office.



If you would like to bring the Eucharist to a family member or friend who is homebound due to illness, immobility or advanced age, please notify the Parish Office. We will supply you with a Pyx and instructions.



Blessed Sacrament Parishioners,
please pray for peace in Ukraine.



We acknowledge that we are gathered on ancestral lands, Treaty 1 territory, the traditional territory of the Anishinaabe, Cree, Ojibwe-Cree, Dakota and Dene Peoples, and on the homeland of the Métis Nation.

Liturgical schedule for the forthcoming week (April 20-28, 2024):

Mass Intentions

Sat.	Apr 20	5:00pm	✠ Eternal repose of the soul of Marina Daleon by Zaballero family
Sun.	Apr 21	9:30am	✠ Eternal repose of the soul of Marina Daleon by Zaballero family
Sun.	Apr 21	11:30am	For the needs and intentions of our parishioners
Tue.	Apr 23		
Wed.	Apr 24		
Thu.	Apr 25	9:30am	✠ Eternal repose of the soul of Marina Daleon by Zaballero family
Sat.	Apr 27	5:00pm	✠ Eternal repose of the soul of Marina Daleon by Zaballero family
Sun.	Apr 28	9:30am	✠ Eternal repose of the soul of Marina Daleon by Zaballero family
Sun.	Apr 28	11:30am	For the needs and intentions of our parishioners

MASS INTENTIONS can be requested not only for someone who has died, but also in thanksgiving or celebration. The offering is \$10 with the money given to the priest for his charities. Please contact the office to make arrangements.



ADORATION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT

Come adore and join us every Wednesday
for the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

at 5:30 pm,

Mass at 6:00pm,

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help at 6:30 pm,
and

the airing of The Chosen at 7:00pm.



VISITATION MINISTRY



The Visitation Ministry is a group of dedicated men and women who are here for you. When requested, they pray for you and keep your request confidential. They will visit and bring communion to shut-ins at home or in the hospital. If you would like to speak with someone from this ministry, please call the office at 204-224-1669 ext. 20

Gospel Verse for the Fourth Sunday of Easter (Year B)

Jesus is the Good Shepherd
Prepared to die for His sheep.
He focuses all His love on them
A love He will always keep.

He knows them and they know Him;
And we all are His sheep too!!!
We must listen to Him and do as He does.
With His help it is what we can do!!!

READINGS FOR THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

FIRST READING	ACTS 9.26-31
RESPONSORIAL PSALM	PS 22.25B-26, 27+29, 30-31, (R.25A)
SECOND READING	1 JOHN 3.18-24
GOSPEL	JOHN 15.1-8



"The Knights of Columbus are inviting you to a recruitment drive on **Saturday, April 27th starting at 3pm at the Parish Centre Hall.** Refreshments will be served. Come on down!"

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR APRIL 2024



For the role of women –

We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.



Annual Diocesan Multicultural Mass & Celebration – July 1st, 2024
All are invited to attend our Annual Diocesan Multicultural Mass &

Celebration happening on July 1st 2024. Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Albert LeGat at 10:30am at St. Boniface Cathedral, followed by a street-wide celebration outdoors with cultural displays, performances and activities for kids and the whole family! Come experience the world in our diocesan grounds! If you would like to represent your culture/religious organization/parish please reach out to ylisci@archsaintboniface.ca for more information. For poster, [click here](#).

PARISH FINANCIAL SUPPORT
(APRIL 13-15, 2024)

Sunday offerings

\$ 7,162.25



April 21, 2024 - 4th Sunday of Easter

"I am the good shepherd...and I lay down my life for the sheep... and they will heed my voice."

- JOHN 10:14-16

When you pray, do you only ask Jesus for the things that you want? Do you ever ask Jesus what He wants from his **Steward**? How do you listen for His response? Many times, Jesus responds in "quiet whispers" that are not so obvious. So, take time every day, in silence, to actively listen for His voice.



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

Mel Boutet
Shyrel Caron
Lorraine Compton
Diosdado De Guzman
Christina Floirendo
Mateo Gosselin
Braedan Johnston
Linda Lauze
Toni McCoy
Norma Richard
Brenda Sarmiento
Frank Torchia
Louie Torres
Wifred Trudeau
Richard Wadehul

Please call the office at 204-224-1669 ext.20
to add or remove people on our prayer list.



Marriage Tips

Perhaps your children are grown and it's just the two of you again. Has your attention to each other grown stale or routine? Take up a new hobby, sport, or volunteer effort together.

BLESSED SACRAMENT SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRY

socialjustice@blessedsacramentwpg.ca

Our local **Transcona Food Banks**, located at TMUC and the Plessis Community Family Resource Centre are struggling to meet the demands of the community. Donations of non-perishable food items are appreciated.

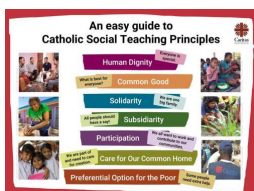
Sometimes Food Banks need more than food: Laundry Soap, Dish Soap, Shampoo, Conditioner, Toilet Paper, Sugar, Coffee, Tea, etc. **Food Bank Bins are now located at both entrances to the church.**



Donations of **new socks and underwear** will be given to the Main Street Project to give to the homeless of our community.

CHILDREN'S COLLECTION

During the Offertory, children are invited to come forward to place their donation in the basket in front of the altar. Children are encouraged to share some of their own money, perhaps from their allowance, earned by doing extra chores or received as a gift. **Money placed in the Children's Basket will be used by the Social Justice Ministry to support local charities.** Thank You!



Catholic Social Teaching is a body of thought on social issues that has been developed by the Church. It is based on Gospel values such as justice, peace, love compassion, reconciliation, service, and community. It has four main principles: Human dignity, the common good, subsidiarity, and solidarity. It also has seven themes that address specific aspects of social, economic, and ecological justice.



100k Flag Display on the Grounds of St. Boniface Cathedral - May 9, 2024

The Archdioceses of Saint Boniface & Winnipeg and the Ukrainian Catholic Archeparchy of Winnipeg are collaborating with Life Culture and We Need A Law (ARPA) to host an all-day

event that honours through prayers and 100,000 flags, the 100k pre-born children lost to abortion each year in Canada. Imagine, these flags – half pink and half blue – each representing one pre-born baby. The numbers are staggering - seeing is believing! Being there to help plant the flags is an experience you will never forget! The display is planned for Thursday, May 9, 2024. We need two teams of volunteers:

Team 1: arrive 8:00 am at the main entrance of the Cathedral. This team of 200 will plant the flags. This team should be free by 10:30 am.

Team 2: arrive at 6:00 pm at the main entrance of the Cathedral. This team of 100 will take down the flags and box them. This team should be free by 7:30 pm.

* Please visit www.lifeculture.ca/flags for more information and to register or 204.326.5433 or annabelle@lifeculture.ca

** Join us for an Ecumenical Prayer Service at 10:30am in the Cathedral.

*** There will also be a "Pastor's Lunch" in the lobby of the Cathedral at 11:30am that same day, followed by a presentation on "Life" issues by Susan Penner, Executive Director of Life Culture Canada, *designed for Pastors*. The presentation will be in the audio/visual room in the basement of the St. Boniface Cathedral. Pastors can register here for the lunch: www.lifeculture.ca/pastors. There are a limited number of seats, so please ask your pastors to register as early as possible. [Click here](#) for poster. [Click here](#) for other National Family and Life Week events!

THE CHOSEN: Watch ~ Reflect ~ Discuss ~ Rejoice!

SAVE THE DATES: *The Chosen* is the critically acclaimed, multi-season TV series about the life of Jesus as witnessed through the eyes of all those He encountered. Blessed Sacrament is pleased to present *The Chosen*, Wednesday evenings (7:00-8:30 p.m.), beginning January 10th. Join us each week in the church to watch and discuss. For more information on the series, view the trailer below! Hope to see you there.

[The Chosen | Official Trailer HD - YouTube](#)



Season/Episode	Wednesday
2-6	Apr 24
2-7	May 1
2-8	May 8



Mom & Teen/Young Adult NFP Class - May 4th, 2024

Serena Manitoba is offering its second Mom & Teen/Young Adult Natural Family Planning (NFP) Class on Saturday, May 4th from 1:45-5pm (arrival 1:30pm) in

the Salle Baudoux Hall of the Archdiocese of St. Boniface, 151 de la Cathédrale Avenue. Mothers and their daughters will have the opportunity to discuss in an integral way, along with like-minded Catholics, a woman's sexuality, and learn parts of Serena Manitoba's Symptothermal Method (STM) pertinent to their teen or young adult's life. Snacks will be provided, as well as a short period of mother-daughter bonding time. A donation of \$15 per Mother-Daughter(s) set is suggested, and STM materials will be available for purchase. [View poster](#) for more details, contact information, and to register. Or register at: bit.ly/serena-mom-teen Registration deadline is Monday, April 29th.



Sing A New Song: Finding God through Singing Workshop – June 5, 2024

This introductory workshop offers you an opportunity to discover – or build - your connection to God through the art of singing. Inspired by the spiritual practice of

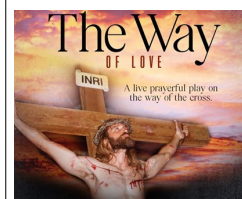
Taizé changing, in which short liturgical texts are sung over and over, we will blend our voices together and, through joyful repetition, sing meditations based on short songs from the Taizé tradition as well as the first verses of some simple or familiar hymns. Susan Bond, one of our cantors at St. Ignatius and a choral singer in Winnipeg, will lead the session. All are welcome, at no cost. Come and practice the art of unaccompanied singing in community as an expression of faith and prayer. June 5th, 7 PM - 8:30 PM, in the St. Ignatius Church Chapel, 255 Stafford Street. Contact Carmela adult.education@stignatius.ca to register. [See attached poster.](#)



Paroisse Saint Pierre Parish - Administrative Assistant/ Bookkeeper

Paroisse Saint Pierre Parish is hiring an

Administrative Assistant/ Bookkeeper. Candidate must be proficient in Quick Books and Microsoft Office, including Excel and Word. Part-time 20-hour week position with a flexible schedule for the right candidate. French Bilingual required. Please send cover letter and resumé to the following e-mail address: parstp@outlook.com. For a full job description, please contact Parish office at (204) 433-7438. **Application deadline: April 23, 2024**



The Way of Love – A Walk to the Cross – May 24 and May 26, 2024

Join us for the Live Play "The Way of Love - A Walk to the Cross," based on the Way of the Cross, at the Notre Dame de Lourdes Diocesan Pilgrimage site Grotto in St. Malo, Manitoba. Friday, May 24th at 7pm (Adoration at 6:30pm)

Sunday, May 26th at 2pm (Mass at 11am)
 All are welcome. Freewill offerings will be collected after each performance. Rush Seating in the pews. The venue is wheelchair accessible, and picnic tables are available for those who would like to bring a picnic lunch or dinner.

Website: www.grottotheater.wix.com/ministries

Our last play showed us that bringing our dioceses together at this Sacred Space is a truly blessed experience with abundant graces! Our cast and crew currently number 93 PEOPLE! We hope to see you there. All are welcome. Please invite friends and family!

For poster (8.5 x 11), [click here](#) For poster (11 x 17), [click here](#)

NEW PARISHIONERS:

Welcome to your new Church Community!

Please pick up a registration form from the Welcome Table at the back of the church or visit the parish website to register online <http://www.blessedsacramentwpg.ca/>.