



MASSES OF THE WEEK

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time



MONDAY, Feb 01, 2010 - Ferial

12:10 pm - † Victor Stepanuik
- Family

**TUESDAY, Feb 02, 2010 - Feast
Presentation of the Lord**

12:10 pm - † Gallardo Sarcida
- Minda Isturis

WEDNESDAY, Feb 03, 2010 - Ferial

12:10 pm - † Martin Paolo
- Fr. Jose Marquez



- Francis Fideles Port

THURSDAY, Feb 04, 2010 - Ferial

12:10 pm - † Enrico Garcia
- Jun & Vickey Vargas

**FRIDAY, Feb 05, 2010 - Memorial
St. Agatha**

12:10 pm - † Myrt Thorburn
- Karen & Chris Smith & Family



- Nieves Bernardo

**SATURDAY, Feb 06, 2010 - Memorial
St. Paul Miki**

5:00 pm - † Pawel Wojtowicz
- Madeline Kohut & Christina Jachnowiec

SUNDAY, Feb 07, 2010

9:30 am & 11:30 am - Holy Mass



Remembered on the Tree of Life

He said to them, "Surely you will quote me this proverb, 'Physician, cure yourself,' and say, 'Do here in your native place the things that we heard were done in Capernaum.' "
Luke 4:23

Did you tune out the second reading from Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians today? If you have been to a lot of weddings, it is likely that you've heard this paean to love at most of them. It's a favorite that gets chosen again and again. And because of that, the very familiarity of the words can lose their meaning. "Love is patient, love is kind. It is not jealous, it is not rude, it does not seek its own interests, it is not quick-tempered, it does not brood over injury.' Oh, yeah, I know that one; I've heard it all before. No need to listen."

Because of the context in which so often we hear those words (a marriage celebration) we sometimes miss what Paul is really trying to convey. The Corinthians were disputing among themselves what the better gifts of the Spirit were and who had the greater ones. Paul takes them to task, rather harshly, by telling them that all the prophecies and sacrifices are nothing compared to love.

We can feel righteous about many things, and our sense of justice can breed high expectations about equitable treatment and our rights in the world. We expect our "fair share" all the way around. Sometimes our "gift" turns out to be one of self-justification.

Paul turns those expectations on their head. His proclamation that love is the way suddenly put us in a different position. Love does not seek its own interests and it does not brood over injuries. These are not easy things to put into practice, but it is what is asked of us as believers in Christ. Maybe that's really why we tune out these words sometimes, because they are not easy to put into practice. But love is the essence of our faith-love of God, and love for one another.

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Lectors - Group 2 will read next weekend
February 7, 2010.



**Readings for the Week
of Jan 31, 2010**

- Sunday:** Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19
1 Corinthians 12:31---13:31
Luke 4:21-30
- Monday:** 2 Samuel 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13a
Mark 5:1-20
- Tuesday:** Malachi 3:1-4 or Hebrew 2:14-18
Luke 2:22-40
- Wednesday:** 2 Samuel 24:2, 9-17/Mark 6:1-6
- Thursday:** 1 Kings 2:1-4, 10-12/Mark 6:7-13
- Friday:** Sirach 47:2-11/Mark 6:14-29
- Saturday:** 1 Kings 3:4-13/Mark 6:30-34
- Next Sunday:** Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8/1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Winnipeg League for Life is pleased to have guest speaker Michael Coren (Sun columnist and author) at our pro-life lunch and fund raiser on Saturday, Feb 13, 2010.
Topic is: Overpopulation: Fact or Myth?
Tickets are \$20.00 per person
available from Val: 224-1070 or the League office: 223-8047

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Sacrament of Baptism

The following dates and times are when the Sacrament of Baptism will be celebrated at the Cathedral:

Saturday, February 06 at 1:30pm
Sunday, February 07 at 1:30pm
Saturday, April 10 at 1:30pm
Sunday, April 18 at 1:30pm
Sunday, May 09 at 1:30pm
Saturday, May 29 at 1:30pm

Baptism Preparation

for the months of February, March, April and May, 2010 for those planning a baptism during these months or mothers expecting prior to the end of May, the preparation class will be held in the Parish Hall on:

Thursday, February 04, 2010 beginning at 7:00pm



St. Mary's Cathedral Catholic Women's League

Sunday, February 07, 2010
After 11:30am Mass in the Parish Hall



St. Mary's Cathedral Knights of Columbus

will hold their monthly Council meeting
on Tuesday February 16
at 7 pm in d'Youville hall

Pancake Breakfast - February 14, in the Parish Hall
After 9:30 and 11:30 am masses Adults \$4.00 Kids \$2.00



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What's New & Upcoming

Jan 31 RCIA at 11:00am in the RCIA classroom
Feb 02 Marriage Prep at 7:00 pm in the parish hall
Feb 07 CWL meeting after 11:30 am mass in parish hall
Feb 09 Marriage Prep at 7:00 pm in the parish hall
Feb 11 Fr. John Perry, S.J. 7:30 pm at St. Ignatius
Feb 14 K of C Pancake Breakfast after each Mass
Feb 16 Knights of Columbus at 7:00pm in d'Youville Hall
Feb 16 Marriage Prep at 7:00 pm in the parish hall
Feb 23 Marriage Prep at 7:00 pm in the parish hall
Feb 24 Little Rock Scripture Study 1:00pm & 7:30 pm
Mar 3 Little Rock Scripture Study 1:00pm & 7:30 pm
Mar 10 Little Rock Scripture Study 1:00pm & 7:30 pm
Mar 17 Little Rock Scripture Study 1:00pm & 7:30 pm

Stewardship....for Life!

Total offering for the week ending Jan 24, 2010:

Weekday Offerings	\$ 446.30
Sunday Envelopes	\$ 4,191.85
Sunday Loose	\$ 807.50
Votives	\$ 337.94
PAR Contributions	\$ 320.55
Total	\$ 6,104.14

Total Capital Campaign for Jan 24, 2010:

Actual Offering	\$ 860.00
PAR Contributions	\$ 62.03
Budget per week	\$ 2,000.00
Deficit	\$ 1,077.97

Stewardship - January 31 - 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Here we are... one month already gone in 2010! What did you resolve to change this year? Stewardship calls us to change the way we think about who we are, and what we possess. What changes in your life is God calling you to? Is it maybe to spend more time in prayer; are you feeling a need to share a more generous portion of your financial blessings; or maybe you sense a desire to respond to a particular call to use your gifts in the service of others.

Stewardship Office, The Archdiocese of Winnipeg, www.archwinnipeg.ca

AGAPE TABLE

The Item for February is: BLEACH
Items may be placed in the container in the sacristy.

LITTLE ROCK SCRIPTURE STUDY

Join fellow parishioners in discussion of

THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES

Five sessions in Lent

Feb. 24, Mar. 3, 10, 17, 24

Five session in the Easter Season

Apr. 14, 21, 28, May 5, 12

Wednesdays

Afternoons 1:00-2:30pm or Evenings 7:30-9:00pm

In St. Mary's Parish Hall



GIFT, adult faith formation of
the Archdiocese of Winnipeg, presents
Father John Perry, S. J.
Speaking on "*Caritas in Veritate*" (In Charity & Truth)
Pope Benedict XVI's first social encyclical.

Thursday, February 11, at 7:30 pm

St. Ignatius Education Centre
925 Jessie Avenue

This is an Archdiocesan event

ALL ARE WELCOME