




## 3rd Sunday of Easter

**THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER, April 18, 2010****9:30 am - Holy Mass**† - Mr. & Mrs. Lucita & Manuel Lianos  
- Romeo**11:30 am - Holy Mass**

 - John Ruczak  
- Noreen Metcalfe
**MONDAY, Apr 19, 2010 - Ferial****12:10 pm** - † Lucy Bernardo  
- Family**TUESDAY, Apr 20, 2010 - Ferial****12:10 pm** - † Marciano Garcia  
- Jun & Vicky Vargas**WEDNESDAY, Apr 21, 2010 - Ferial****12:10 pm** - † Julieta Del Rosario  
- Del Rosario Family**THURSDAY, Apr 22, 2010 - Ferial****12:10 pm** - Gregorio Virtudazo  
- Mustila & Narace Dyal**FRIDAY, April 23, 2010 - Ferial****12:10 pm** - Special Intention  
- Michele Talatala**SATURDAY, April 24, 2010 - Ferial****5:00 pm** - † Kay Stepanuik  
- Madeline Kohut & Christina Jachnowiec**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, April 25, 2010****9:30 am - Holy Mass****11:30 am - Holy Mass**

The Book of Revelation uses highly symbolic language to communicate its message to the church in the first century as Christians were being persecuted. The author, who calls himself John (not the Gospel writer), wants to assure the community that Jesus lives, hope endures, and the final victory is theirs, if they are faithful to Christ. Turning away from him as a short-term expediency is not the solution, even though the allure of avoiding persecution may seem stronger than being true to Christ.

Some of the visions that John writes about, like the one we hear in today's second reading, are meant to reveal what is the final end for those who remain faithful and endure the trial. They surround the throne and cry out in praise of God. They live in blessedness. One of the great comforts of this vision is the way in which John describes the throng gathered around the throne of God: "They were countless in number" (Rev 5:11).

In the Gospel today, we hear of the miraculous catch of fish made by the disciples after Jesus' resurrection. Standing on the shore, he directs them to lower their nets one more time, even though they had been hard at it all night. The result is that they haul in an incredible catch. The underlying theme of this miracle, as well as the message revealed in the Book of Revelation, is that God's mercy is without end. Through the resurrection of Christ, God wills that all people be saved. While the visions of the second reading from Revelation reveal the final outcome, the story of the Gospel today reminds us that we disciples have to keep cooperating with God's grace to help bring others into the fold. Then the words of Revelation, "They were countless in number," will truly come to pass.

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*Remembered on the Tree of Life***AGAPE TABLE**

The item for April is: Powdered Milk  
Items may be placed in the container in the sacristy.

*Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon, son of John, do you love me more than these?" Simon Peter answered him, "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs."  
John 21:15*

**Lectors** - **Group 3** will read next weekend, April 25, 2010.  
Group lists are available in the Sacristy.

**Readings for the Week Of  
April 18, 2010**

**Sunday:** Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41  
Revelations 5:11-14  
John 21:1-19 or 21:1-14

**Monday:** Acts 6:8-15/John 6:22-29

**Tuesday:** Acts 7:51---8:1a/John 6:30-35

**Wednesday:** Acts 8:1b-8/John 6:35-40

**Thursday:** Acts 8:26-40/John 6:44-51

**Friday:** Acts 9:1-20/John 6:52-59

**Saturday:** Acts 9:31-42/John 6:60-69++

**Next Sunday:** Acts 13:14, 43-52  
Revelations 7:9, 14b-17/John 10:27-30

**PUBLIC WAY OF THE CROSS**

Next year, St. Mary's Cathedral will be hosting the Public Way of the Cross for the Archdiocese of Winnipeg. This is a major event requiring a lot of organization and participation from all parish committees and organizations, as well as interested parishioners who might want to get involved and assist in planning with the various committees who will be participating. This is also an opportunity for all of us to work together for the success of this event. Next year, Good Friday falls on April 22, 2011.

**THERE WILL BE A MEETING HELD ON MONDAY MAY 10, 2010 AT 7:30 PM** in the parish hall. At that time, a power point presentation prepared by the Archdiocese will be shown, detailing what is involved in preparing for the Public Way of the Cross as well as the history of this event in the Archdiocese. There will be an opportunity to ask questions and begin forming a committee. All interested parishioners are invited.

**Baptisms**

the next baptisms are scheduled for  
May 9, 2010 @ 1:30 pm  
May 29, 2010 @ 1:30 pm

**Baptism Preparation**

Thursday, April 29 @ 7:00 pm  
Parents and God Parents must attend a baptismal preparation before a child can be baptized.

**St. Benedict's on Wed. April 21, 9:30-3:00pm.**

Want to experience the "Healing Power of Chant"?  
Session led by Joan Mormul, OSB.  
To register call 339-1705.  
Cost \$35 tuition, lunch and refreshments.

**Assumption Catholic Cemetery  
3990 Portage Avenue**

Mausoleum entombment has become a popular and affordable choice as a dignified alternative to traditional ground burial. Assumption Cemetery has a limited number of crypts available in both the Queen of Heaven Mausoleum and the Chapel Mausoleum. The crypts in the Chapel Mausoleum are all located in the lower level, chapel visitation area with casket space for two, and are reasonably priced.

**What's New & Upcoming**

**Apr 20** Knights of Columbus - 7:00 pm in d'Youville hall  
**Apr 21** Little Rock Scripture Study - 1:00 pm & 7:30 pm  
**Apr 24** Financial Presentation to Parish during mass  
**Apr 25** Financial Presentation to Parish during mass  
**Apr 25** Catholic Women's League after 11:30 am Mass  
**Apr 28** Little Rock Scripture Study - 1:00 pm & 7:30 pm  
**May 02** Catholic Women's League after 11:30 am mass  
**May 05** Little Rock Scripture Study - 1:00 pm & 7:30 pm  
**May 15** Guest Boy's Choir at 5:00 pm mass  
**Jun 13** CWL Potluck in parish hall after 11:30 am mass

**Stewardship.....for Life!****Total offering for the week ended : Apr 11, 2010:**

Weekday collections	\$	547.79
Sunday Envelopes	\$	5,643.24
Loose	\$	975.84
Votives	\$	425.12
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$	<u>253.63</u>
<b>Total</b>	\$	<b>7,845.62</b>

**Capital Campaign for Apr 11, 2010:**

Actual collection	\$	1,189.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$	<u>38.49</u>
Budget per week	\$	<u>2,000.00</u>
<b>Deficit</b>	\$	<b>772.51</b>

**Stewardship of God's Gifts  
Presentation to the Parish**

Members of the Finance Council will make the annual Stewardship of God's Gifts presentation for 2009 during the Saturday, April 24, 5:00 pm mass and Sunday, April 25, 9:30 am and 11:30 am masses.

**April 18 – 3rd Sunday of Easter Stewardship Message**

It has often been said that stewardship is 'what we do after we say we believe.' What are we to do with the resurrection? As good stewards of this incredible gift we are to share it. Jesus said to Peter, "Feed my lambs". We are called as disciples today to do the same. Peter reiterates what is central to our discipleship... *love*. To be a witness to the resurrection, but to not have love, is nothing.

Stewardship Office, The Archdiocese of Winnipeg, [www.archwinnipeg.ca](http://www.archwinnipeg.ca)

**St. Mary's Cathedral  
Catholic Women's League**

General Meeting  
Changed from April 11 to April 25  
after the 11:30 mass

**June 13/2010**

CWL Windup Potluck in Parish Hall after 11:30 Mass  
in honor of our spiritual advisor Fr. Michael  
in the Year of the Priest  
Contact CWL President  
Angelita at 947-5816 or leave her a message  
at the parish office



**Knights of Columbus**  
will hold their monthly Council meeting  
on Tuesday April 20, 2010  
at 7 pm in d'Youville hall