



MONDAY, July 26, 2010
NO MASS

TUESDAY, July 27, 2010 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † Agustin Lacre
- Mustila & Nacre Dyal



- Angela Treger

WEDNESDAY, July 28, 2010 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † Arturo Tejada
- Wife Clemen Tejada



- Dr. Walter Nakielny
- Arturo V. Tejada

THURSDAY, July 29, 2010 - Memorial
St. Martha
12:10 pm - † Flora Ramos
- Ramos Family



- Jean Pierre LeMaître

FRIDAY, July 30, 2010 - Ferial
12:10 pm - † Vera Harrison
- Sonia & Denis Rochon

SATURDAY, July 31, 2010 - Memorial
St. Ignatius of Loyola
5:00 pm - † Ederlinda Carino
- Husband

SUNDAY, Aug 01, 2010
9:30 am - Holy Mass
11:30 am - Holy Mass



- Mark Hewko



Remembered on the Tree of Life

*"Lord, teach us to pray just as John taught his disciples."
He said to them, "When you pray, say:
Father, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come.
Give us each day our daily bread."
Luke 11:1b-3*

Lectors

Group 2 will read next weekend, Aug 01, 2010.
Group lists are available in the Sacristy.

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time



People have lots of prayers that they would like answered. Whether it is petitions written into the Book of Intercessions at church, requests made of a priest or a friend, entreaties offered to God before bed, or appeals made in the midst of a crisis, we are always looking for an answer. Sometimes we pray knowing what we want, like a child sitting on Santa's lap with a list of Christmas toys. And many times we pray with the expectation that God will see things our way and give us what we ask for.

In this week's Gospel, Jesus teaches his disciples about prayer. Luke's version of the Lord's Prayer is a little different from Matthew's, but it is essentially the same. In Jesus' methodology, prayer starts with praising God (hallowed be your name) and then asks God to do what God wants (your kingdom come). Only then does prayer move on to posing our requests for God's consideration (give us each day our daily bread). And finally we ask for God's help (forgive us our sins). The Lord's Prayer became so much a part of Christian praying that the Fathers of the Church (early Christian writers like St. Augustine, St. Gregory, and St. Leo the Great) recommended that if a person couldn't remember any other prayer (like a psalm) he or she should just pray the Lord's Prayer instead.

The method of prayer that Jesus lays out for his disciples includes one final aspect-one that we like to forget. Luke's version puts it this way, "for we ourselves forgive everyone in debt to us." More commonly we say, "as we forgive those who trespass against us." Are we ready to have God act that way toward us? Do we really want God to treat us the way we treat others? That is the challenge, if we continue to pray the Lord's Prayer day after day.

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Reminder to All Parishioners

there is **NO MASS** on Mondays
during the Summer Months
of July & August



Readings for the Week Of July 25, 2010

Sunday: Genesis 18:20-32/Colossians 2:12-14
Luke 11:1-13

Monday: Sirach 44:1, 8, 10-15/Matthew 13:16-17

Tuesday: Jeremiah 14:17-22/Matthew 13:36-43

Wednesday: Jeremiah 15:10, 16-21
Matthew 13:44-46

Thursday: Jeremiah 18:1-6/Luke 10:38-42

Friday: Jeremiah 26:1-9/Matthew 13:54-58

Saturday: Jeremiah 26:11-16, 24/Matthew 14:1-12

Next Sunday: Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23
Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11/Luke 12:13-21

Dear Parishioners of St. Mary's Cathedral

After six years of Pastoral Ministry here at the Cathedral I have been asked to move on. The normal stay for pastors in this Archdiocese is six years and so I must leave to assume other pastoral duties at St. Paul's College on the campus of the University of Manitoba. It goes without saying that I will miss the Cathedral and all of you. I have added to my "memory bank" countless celebrations at Christmas and Easter; many weddings and baptisms and encounters with so many faith filled and wonderful people. I have shared in your joys and sorrows and I will always be most thankful for being here when my mother died. Your prayers and support have meant so much to me. I have worked with so many devoted parishioners and enjoyed the many liturgies we have celebrated together. You have all become part of the fabric of my life and I will hold you in prayer and love in my heart. I will eventually be moving my residence as well. Fr. Sam at Holy Rosary has built a new rectory for the parish. Since it is a duplex, I will be moving in and taking the apartment on the main floor. I am looking forward to this and I hope my new landlord can put up with the aromas of Polish cooking!

From my heart I thank all of you for your love, your kindnesses and your many hugs. When in seminary, we use to say a special prayer every morning for our benefactors. I share this prayer with you with some changes and make it the prayer I will say for you every morning as well. God Bless you.

The Cathedral has been an exceptional experience for me and celebrating Sunday liturgies with you has been the greatest gift of all! Keep on singing and praying and being a community of love and hospitality.

Prayer for Benefactors

Lord,

We are constant debtors.

Our life, our faith, our learning,

All that is most precious

Comes from others.

Now that I move on, I find a new dependence,
A further indebtedness.

I have been able to minister as a priest
Because others have sacrificed for you,
And by their love and prayers
I will continue.

Bless my benefactors, Lord
May their hands outstretched in prayer
Be filled with your holy love.

Endow their hands with divine strength
To aid in all they do.

Free their hearts from sadness
And fill them with joy

Grant them a hundred fold reward
In this life.
At its close many they find themselves
In the hands of the living God,
Their reward exceedingly great.

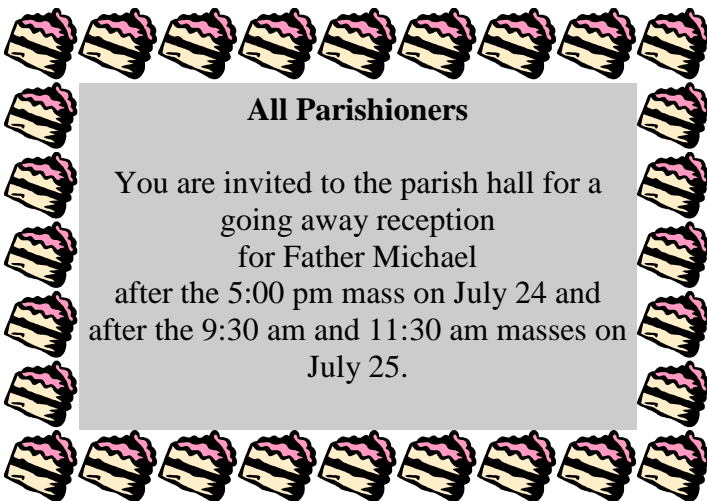
Amen.

Fr. Michael



AGAPE TABLE

The item for July is: Kidney Beans
Items may be placed in the container in the sacristy.



Stewardship....for Life!

Total offering for the week ended : July 18, 2010:

Weekday collections	\$ 546.50
Sunday Envelopes	\$ 4704.47
Loose	\$ 1017.40
Votives	\$ 337.95
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ <u>448.00</u>
Total	\$ 7,054.32

Capital Campaign for July 18, 2010:

Actual collection	\$ 717.00
PAR/PAD Contributions	\$ <u>48.00</u>
Budget per week	\$ <u>2,000.00</u>
Deficit	\$ 1,235.00

YTD Offerings as of June 30, 2010:

YTD Budgeted Revenue	\$ 269,023.00
YTD Actual Revenue	\$ 263,540.00
YTD Deficit	\$ <u>5,483.00</u>

(Offerings are the only funding the Cathedral receives)