

## Parish Life



*Parish Office Summer Hours: Tuesday - Friday from 9:00 am - 4:00 pm*

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The harvest is rich but the  
labourers are few

so ask the Lord of the  
harvest to send labourers to  
his harvest

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Jesus, Luke 10:2

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**Saturday, July 5:**  
5:00 pm +Edgar Romero

**FIRST READING**

**Sunday, July 6:**  
9:00 am +Marie Wai-Yu Ho  
10:30 am +Mary & + John Badowski  
12:15 pm For all parishioners

**SECOND READING**

**Tuesday, July 7**  
6:30 pm +Teresa Wojcieszowski

**Wednesday, July 8**  
9:30 am +Giuseppina Melizza

**GOSPEL READING**

**Thursday, July 9**  
9:30 am +William McAloon

**Friday, July 10**  
6:30 pm For Souls in Purgatory

**WEEKLY REFLECTION**

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**Confession available:**  
Thursday 10:30 - 11:00 am, Friday 6-6:30 pm, and Saturday 4:00-5:00 pm.

**Eucharistic Adoration Summer Hous::** Thursday from 10:00 - 11:00 am

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## **STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION:** July 6, 2025 - 14th Sunday of Ordinary Time

*He said to them, 'The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few...'*  
~Luke 10:2

As Catholics we are all called to Stewardship. Each of us has been given "charisms" otherwise known as gifts from the Holy Spirit to help build God's Church. Our charisms can only be used for good. We know that we are using them in the right ministry when we are filled with joy and we want to share stories about our charitable works. Discern how God is calling you to use your charisms. Say "yes" to what God is calling you to do and then do it! Share your joy and invite others to do the same.



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## **PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

If you would like your name listed in this section, asking for the prayers of fellow parishioners, please contact the parish office at 204-261-1579 or email [theresa@mmoc.ca](mailto:theresa@mmoc.ca). Thank you!

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## **Are you going to the Passion Play?**

### **We have a sold-out bus!**

We will be departing promptly at 4:00 pm. Please arrive at the church parking lot by 3:45 pm for loading. See the list of items to bring with you, and come prepared to enjoy a beautiful day!



**What do I bring?**

- ~Lawn chair
- ~Warm clothes for later in the evening
- ~blanket (optional)
- ~hat
- ~bug spray / sunscreen
- ~picnic lunch for yourself (food also available at concessions)
- ~cash (if you would like to purchase food or merchandise. No debit machine available)
- ~good footwear if you're planning to walk the meditation trail



On Sunday, June 29., we had the pleasure of having the newly ordained Fr. Peter Tran concelebrate Mass with Fr. JB. Some of you may remember Fr. Peter from his visits to our parish during his time as a seminarian. Fr. Peter will begin his term as Pastor of St. Gerard Parish on August 1st. May God bless your ministry!





**Pilgrimage is a fundamental element of every Jubilee event. A pilgrimage on foot is a great aid for rediscovering the value of silence, effort and simplicity of life.**  
*(Spes Non Confundit, 5)*



## **MARY MOTHER OF THE CHURCH PILGRIMAGE TO THE NATIONAL MARTYR'S SHRINE OF BLESSED VASYL VELYCHKOVSKY**

On June 14, 2025 27 parishioners of Mary Mother of the Church boarded a bus and set out on a pilgrimage to the shrine of Blessed Vasyl Velychkovsky...

[READ ABOUT OUR PILGRIMAGE](#)



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## APPLY NOW FOR A PARISH SCHOLARSHIP!!

There are **SIX** scholarships available this year.  
Please check out our [website](#) for information on criteria and how to apply.

**Offered by the parish (dealine July 31):**

- [Parish 25th Anniversary Award](#)

**Offered by Knights of Columbus (deadline Oct.1):**

- [Richard Benoit Scholarship](#)
- [Michael Bartmanovich Scholarship](#)
- [Simeon Yap Scholarship](#)
- [Gus Van Ginkel Scholarship](#)

**Offered by Catholic Women's League (deadline July 31):**

- [Zinny Deen CWL Scholarship](#)
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## MARRIAGE, FAMILY, AND LIFE

**Weekly Marriage Tip:** Make your spouse's favorite dinner tonight – just to celebrate how much they mean to you. Make your spouse's favorite dinner tonight – just to celebrate how much they mean to you.



### Reflections for the Separated & Divorced:

#### A Prayer for Strength During Divorce

Gracious deliverer, help me believe you're close to my broken heart, and with me in this pain. Provider God, grant me reprieve from the burdensome task of explaining the details of

my pain to near-strangers, but bring close some burden bearing friends to walk lovingly with me through this time. Help me trust that you have good things in store for me, and that you will deliver me. Despite all that I've lost, I count on you to help me find new joy and hope for today. Amen. –*ReclaimToday (Our Daily Bread Ministries)*

### **Parenting Tip of the Week: Strengthening Family Bonds**

Summer is a great time to spend fun, relaxing time together as a family. Take this time to play games, share an ice cream cone, take a long walk, enjoy the beauty of nature. Time spent relaxing and sharing thoughts is a great way to strengthen those all important family ties.

*(From Diocese of Hamilton)*

## **E.R.I.K. Kits Available**

An Emergency Response Information Kit (**E.R.I.K**) can assist emergency responders in situations where a patient may not be able to communicate their conditions, medical history or allergies. It provides essential information so responders can provide the correct care in an emergency medical situation.



**The kit is ideal for seniors, chronically ill persons, those who live alone or have caregivers, and those living with speech or language difficulties.** Once completed, the kit should be placed on your fridge door, where emergency crews have been trained to look for it, ensuring it is readily available if needed.

The production of 100,000 copies of the **Emergency Response Information Kit (E.R.I.K)** was made possible by funding from the Government of Manitoba. The **Manitoba Association of Seniors Communities** coordinated the assembly of these kits by volunteers at the **55+ Program** at the **Centro Caboto Centre**.

If you would like one of these kits, please stop by the parish offer. There is no cost to you.

## **Sacraments**

### **FOR INFORMATION ON SACRAMENTS**

For infant baptisms, weddings, and funerals, please contact Theresa at [theresa@mmoc.ca](mailto:theresa@mmoc.ca).

For Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation for children & teens, please contact Audrey at [catechism@mmoc.ca](mailto:catechism@mmoc.ca).

For Baptism, First Communion, and Confirmation for adults, please contact David & Shirley at [rcia1@mmoc.ca](mailto:rcia1@mmoc.ca).

## **Parish Events**

### **GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP at MMOC**

**We will not meet during July and August, but will resume in September.**



## **Diocesan News & Events**

## DIOCESAN MULTICULTURAL MASS ON JULY 1st

The Archdiocese of Saint-Boniface was in full celebration on July 1 at the Diocesan Multicultural Mass held at the Cathedral of Saint-Boniface. The whole building was packed for this special Eucharistic celebration, which

showcased the cultural diversity of our archdiocese, not to mention Christian hope. In his homily, Archbishop LeGatt emphasised the importance of peace - in our families, our communities, our country and the world. To underline the beauty of this hope, the choir sang in Tagalog, Vietnamese, Nigerian, Spanish and our two official languages. The mass was followed by musical performances and a selection of delicious dishes representing the many cultures of our parishes. What a wonderful way to celebrate Canada Day!

To see the photo gallery of this wonderful celebration, [click here.](#)



## Community News & Events



## VISIT CATHEDRAL OF STS. VOLODYMYR AND OLHA - WINNIPEG

Discover the Beauty of the Eastern  
Catholic Tradition.

In this 2025 Jubilee Year of Hope we  
invite all to experience the richness of  
the Eastern Christian iconography,  
sacred art and spirituality.

Cathedral is designated Jubilee Year  
Pilgrimage Site in Manitoba.

Come to pray, and discover the unity  
and diversity of the Catholic Church.

All are welcome!

115 MCGREGOR STREET, WINNIPEG, MB.  
FOR BOOK A VISIT CONTACT [OFFICE@STVO.CA](mailto:OFFICE@STVO.CA)  
OR (204) 589 5025  
FOR MORE INFO VISIT [HTTPS://STVO.CA](https://stvo.ca)





SAINTS VOLODYMYR AND OLHA  
UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL  
115 MCGREGOR STREET

# JUBILEE YEAR PILGRIMAGE

On the occasion of the Parish Feast  
of Saints Volodymyr and Olha



**SATURDAY  
JULY 12**

## Program:

- 4:30 PM – Confessions;
- 5:00 PM – Divine Liturgy,
- Prayer of the Jubilee Year,
- Granting of the Plenary Indulgence;
- 6:30 PM – Celebration on the Backyard (Food, Performances)

**Pilgrimage Presided by  
Metropolitan Lawrence (Huculak)**



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