

Greetings from Father Sam

Hopefully we all celebrated the thanksgiving week-end with lots of love. Gathering around our tables to enjoy a meal is such a special occasion in our lives today. Every day and night there are so many activities that require us to run from here to there grabbing a bit of food to stop from being too hungry so when we have a holiday to celebrate what a blessing we have.

Our thanksgiving table at Church brings us together to be nourished in word, bread and wine and with each other. As God nourishes us in word and sacrament, he also nourishes us with our community. We are signs of God's love and caring. I thank God for all of you and I pray that those who experience loneliness will come to us to be nourished, loved and healed.

Tomorrow, October 16 is world food day. This day was inaugurated in 1981 by the food and agriculture organization. As a universal and local Church we are always concerned with world hunger. Let us pray for all who don't have enough to eat and let's make a donation to Winnipeg Harvest or our own Oak Table ministry.

TABS FOR WINNIPEG HARVEST

UPDATE: Bob Malo reports he now has 273,731 tabs. Please keep collecting. Let's fill up that jar and reach 290,000 before Christmas
Thankyou so much

Catechism Update

Our New Church website is up and running. Please check it out and stay informed on events at www.holyrosarychurch.ca

Catechism news: Our Children's Faith formation is in full swing. If you have not yet registered, please do so soon as some classes are already at full capacity.

Volunteers needed: We have an urgent need for 2 adult volunteers to help in our Catechism program. No experience is needed and material is provided. Please contact Julia Stiller at julia.stillerhr@gmail.com if you are able to share your faith with our children.

Holy Roast Cafe is once again open for business every Sunday from 10:00 am to Noon. Come on down to the church hall for some coffee, tea or espresso. Combine it with a donut or special baking and visit with family, friends and others. All funds raised go to support our Children's faith formation program.

**Parish Financial Support
Weekend Oct. 8, 2017**

Envelopes	\$ 4,293.00
Loose Cash	\$ 1,009.00
SGG	\$ 240.00
Least Coin	\$ 429.00

**Annual Spaghetti Dinner
October 29, 2017**

Celebrating Father Sam's 70th Birthday
NOW- ADDING MATTINEE SHOW AT 1:30PM
NEW MATINEE PRICES - for children
ALMOST SOLD OUT!!!
VERY FEW TICKETS LEFT!!!

Tickets for the evening show – dinner beginning at 5:30 have been **SOLD OUT**. A Matinee show has been added at 1:30 pm – to accommodate people attending the 12:00 mass who can come directly to the Centro following mass. The price for children – ages 12 years of age and under has been reduced to \$15.00. People who have already bought tickets for children for the Matinee prior to this price adjustment will be refunded at the door.

Anyone wishing to exchange their evening tickets for the Matinee may do so by contacting members of the Women's Auxiliary or the church office.

**FATHER SAM WILL BE PRESENT AT BOTH
EVENTS – AFTERNOON AND EVENING!**

Come support the Women's Auxiliary, enjoy some fun entertainment and wish Father Sam A Happy Birthday!!!!

Call for Conscience Campaign

With the passing of euthanasia/assisted suicide legislation in Parliament in 2016, provinces are now implementing what is called "Medical Assistance in Dying" (MAID). The government of Manitoba has introduced Bill 34 to protect doctors, nurses and health professionals from having to provide or aid in the provision of MAID against their conscience. The legislature is in session in October. The time to contact your MLA is **NOW**.

Saluti da Padre Sam

Speriamo che tutti noi abbiamo celebrato il week-end del ringraziamento con un sacco di amore. Ci raccogliamo alle nostre tavole per goderr un pasto è un'occasione così speciale nella nostra vita di oggi. Ogni giorno e sera ci sono così tante attività che ci richiedono di correre da qui a lì, afferrare un po 'di cibo per smettere di essere troppo affamati, quindi quando abbiamo una festa per celebrare ciò e una benedizione che abbiamo.

Il nostro tavolo di ringraziamento presso la Chiesa ci riunisce per essere nutriti in parole, pane e vino e tra di noi.. Come Dio ci nutre in parole e sacramenti, ci nutre anche con la nostra comunità. Siamo segni dell'amore e della cura di Dio. Ringrazio Dio per tutti voi e prego che coloro che sperimentino la solitudine verranno a noi per essere nutriti, amati e curati.

Domani, 16 ottobre è il giorno del cibo mondiale. Questa giornata è stata inaugurata nel 1981 dall'organizzazione agroalimentare. Come Chiesa universale e locale siamo sempre preoccupati della fame del mondo. Preghiamo per tutti coloro che non hanno abbastanza da mangiare e facciamo una donazione a Winnipeg Harvest o al nostro Oak Table Ministry.

Chemin Neuf community

Lord, Teach us to Pray, offered by the Chemin Neuf Community: In prayer we listen and speak to God and, wonder of wonders, God listens and speaks to us. We develop this relationship with God through many ways of prayer: with Scripture, with our own lives and in the Eucharist. The series will include time to practice these ways of prayer. This three part series will be held on three Thursday evenings, 7-9 (Oct. 26, Nov. 9, and Nov. 23) OR one Saturday, 10-4 (Nov. 25). It will be led by Ted & Nancy Wood. Location: **St. Charles Retreat Centre, 323 St. Charles Street, Winnipeg.** Cost: free-will offering. To register or for more information: 204-885-2260

Per tutti i parrocchiani con le buste numerate

Si prega di inserire il proprio nome e cognome, indirizzo, codice postale e numero di telefono sulla busta offerta. Questo renderà l'inserimento del vostro contributo più efficiente. La vostra collaborazione è molto apprezzata.

Catholic Singles Event

Catholic Singles Event: Games Night – Fri., Oct. 27, 7 p.m. Come on out for an evening of fellowship, games and fun for Catholic singles at **Mary, Mother of the Church** Parish, 85 Kirkbridge Drive. **Please bring a snack!** For more information: www.mmoc.ca.

ST BENEDICT'S MONASTERY

Part time Foundation Assistant Required

St. Benedict's Foundation Inc. supports St. Benedict's Monastery and its ministries including the formation of new members, ongoing education of Sisters, repair/renovation/ maintenance of the complex and grounds as well as the Retreat & Conference Centre by financially supporting some programs.

The Foundation is looking for a Foundation Assistant for 3 days/week:

RESPONSIBILITIES – manage the day to day operations of the Foundation Office- maintain donor database - compile mailing and donor lists and keep them updated – acknowledge all donations received – prepare annual memorial service

REQUIREMENTS – committed, responsible, honest, and enthusiastic, maintains confidentiality- strong background in computer and keyboarding skills- especially familiar with Publisher- organizational skills, public relations- strong interpersonal and communication skills, both written and verbal – good time management skills and attention to details. Hiring immediately. Send résumé to Sr. Joan Mormul 225 Masters Ave R4A 2A1 or email to joanmormulosb@gmail.com

**The New Press
Schedule for 2017**

The New Wine Press will publish four times in 2017 and will be distributed in churches on the weekends of March 4-5; June 3-4; Oct. 7-8 and Dec. 2-3. Deadlines for the issues are on or about Feb. 15; May 15; Sept. 15 and Nov. 15. Contributions of articles, pictures and news of upcoming events from across the Archdiocese of Winnipeg are welcome. Please contact the editor, James Buchok by email at jbuchok@archwinnipeg.ca or communications@archwinnipeg.ca, or phone (204) 452-2227 ext. 248.

Church Parking Lot

When you park in the backlane behind the Church, kindly try to park between the lines.
Please do no take up two spots.

For all parishioners with envelopes numbered

Please include your name, address, postal code and telephone number on the envelope bid. This will make the inclusion of your contribution more efficient. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

Chant in Worship

Vespers at St. **John Brebeuf Church**, 1707 John Brebeuf Place, Winnipeg. **When?** Sunday evenings: Oct. 1, 8, 15, and 22 at 7 p.m.