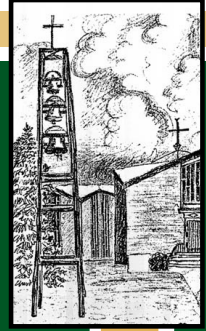


St. Alphonsus Parish Update

September 7, 2025



Catechism 2025-26

Dear young families,

Catechism begins Saturday September 27 at 10 a.m. in our school. This process includes the Sacraments of Reconciliation (usually grade 2); First Communion (usually grade 3); and Confirmation (usually grade 6). But the grades between the Sacraments are also considered essential preparation for the future reception of them. For example, even though grade 4 is not a "Sacrament year" it is essential that your children attend to be ready for Confirmation in 2 years time. Therefore, the grades of Catechism are: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6. And they are all a preparation for the Sacraments.

Please call or email Maria to begin the process of registration. contactstals@gmail.com or 204 667 9580

Thank you, Fr. Greg 204 782 3135

Adult Catholic Catechism

This process is for those who desire to be baptized and confirmed as Roman Catholic Christians. Or, if you are already baptized then this is a time of preparation for your Confirmation. Or, you may join the classes to grow in your faith.

Classes are Saturday afternoons beginning at 2 p.m. and concluding between 3 and 3:30 pm. The first class is September 20. Tom and Diane Murphy will be guiding you through this journey of faith. The classes will take place in the recreation room of the condominium where Tom and Diane live which is approximately at Gateway and Kimberly.

Pray, search your conscience, see if God is calling you in this direction. Then call me at 204 782 3135 or see me after Mass. Thank you, Fr. Greg

CWL News

The Catholic Women's League would like to invite you to our fall General meeting on September 9. Mass will be at 6:30pm in the Church followed by a meeting in the Hall. Please bring a light snack to share.

STAY - St Als Youth Group

The St Alphonsus Youth Group - **STAY usually** meets in the parish hall the first Wednesday of the month. But this month, due to the beginning of the school year the meeting will be on **Wednesday, September 10**. Meetings begin at 6.30 pm. The next meeting Hope to see you there !

CCRS OF MB Presents –

“Stand Firm in The Lord” Conference

with Ralph Martin Join us for a Holy Spirit filled conference on September 12 and 13, 2025! Our keynote speaker will be Ralph Martin from Renewal Ministries. Praise & Worship will be led by the "Nueva Jerusalem" charismatic Music Ministry. The closing Eucharistic Celebration will be presided by Archbishop of Winnipeg His Grace Murray Chatlain. Come and experience the power of the Holy Spirit thru anointed praise and worship, powerful teachings, Eucharistic Adoration, Holy Rosary, fellowship, Mass, and so much more! The event will take place at Saints Martyrs Canadiens Parish Hall. Visit our website www.catholicrenewalservices.com - to find more details/information.

We invite you to Grotto Theater Ministries

Our Lady's Legacy Weekend Event featuring Bilingual Mass and Latin Mass

Guest Speaker Tim Staples from Catholic Answers, and a return to our inaugural play, “Our Lady's Legacy”: the chaplet of the Seven Sorrows of Mary. Our play is brought to life with a cast of 50+, exquisite costumes, live music and live voice overs throughout, all set in the beautiful St Malo Grotto and Shrine, 45 minutes south of Winnipeg, off Hwy 59. September 13th & 14th, 2025. Please visit grottotheater.wixsite.com ministries for more information.

Saturday September 13th 2025:

- 4:30pm Guest Speaker, Tim Staples from Catholic Answers, Talk: “Behold Your Mother”
- 5 pm Concessions Open for Supper
- 6:30pm Eucharistic Adoration
- 7 pm Our Lady's Legacy Play

Sunday September 14th 2025:

- 10 am English / French Bilingual Mass
- 11:30am Latin Mass
- 12 pm Concessions Open for Lunch
- 1:30pm Guest Speaker, Tim Staples from Catholic Answers,
Talk: “New Eve, Mediatrix and Mother: Mary's Role in God's Plan of Salvation”
- 3 pm Our Lady's Legacy Play

Free Will Offering. Wheelchair Accessible. Family Friendly Event. Concessions on Site. All are Welcome!

Program for the Separated and Divorced – Wednesdays, September 17th - December 10th 7 to 9 pm at the Saint Boniface Archdiocesan Centre

This program is for the newly separated and divorced and those still struggling with issues many years later. It will help them find answers to their questions, restore their hope, and begin authentic healing. Find comfort and counsel consistent with Catholic Church teachings. Registration is required.

For information, please contact Marie Brunet at mfl@archsaintboniface.ca; 204-594-0274 or Daniel Bahuaud at communications@archsaintboniface.ca; 204-594-0277.

Archdiocese of St Boniface, A Must-See Event !

Come & Discover the Saint of Our Youth, of Your Youth! Carlos Acutis & the Eucharistic Miracles

Dynamic Multimedia Presentation by Mrs. Louise Normandeau - Meet the first Saint who wears jeans & sneakers! Born in 1991, Carlo was known as a computer “geek” teenager who loved soccer & video games but was especially known for his great love for & devotion to the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. He passed away suddenly, in 2006. Carlo is canonized saint, patron to our youth, on Sunday, September 7, 2025, and he is coming to our Archdiocese! *(continued on next page)*

Each presentation includes: a short video & PowerPoint presentation (in English) about Carlo Acutis (his life, family, why he is canonized 'SAINT'; a guided visit of large photos of renown Eucharistic Miracles and of the 'intact body' of Carlo; VENERATION of a relic of Saint Carlo Acutis. After the presentation a variety of Saint Carlo Acutis religious objects and material will be available for purchase. For more information: Gabrielle Marion, gmarion3@mymts.net, 204-470-3792. All presentations are in French, except on Saturday, September 27. You are welcome to attend any presentation in any of the parishes hosting this event.

Season of Creation 2025 -

Each year from September 1 to October 4, the Christian family unites for this worldwide celebration of prayer and action to protect our common home. It is a special season where we celebrate God as Creator and acknowledge Creation as the divine continuing act that summons us as collaborators to love and care for the gift of all that is created. As followers of Christ from around the globe, we share a common call to care for Creation. We are co-creatures and part of all that God has made. Our well-being is interwoven with the well-being of the Earth. We rejoice in this opportunity to safeguard our common home and all beings who share it. This year, the theme for the season is "Peace with Creation." Please check out the website for lots of resources: <https://seasonofcreation.org/resources/>

Thank You for Your Contributions

August 30 & 31, 2025

Regular donations	\$ 4147.30
Online donations	\$ 940.00
Building fund donations	\$ 2050.00
Online building fund donations	\$ 215.00
Total to the Parish	\$ 7352.30

Parish of St Timothy & CCRS of MB

cordially invites you to the:



New Life in The Spirit Seminar



St. Timothy Parish Hall

Sept 20: 8:30am to 4:00pm

Sept 21: 8:30am to 5:00pm

All participants to attend the 4:00pm Saturday Mass
Snacks and Lunch included on the 2-day seminar

REGISTER AT:

www.catholicrenewalservices.com/events



Seminar Fee: \$25

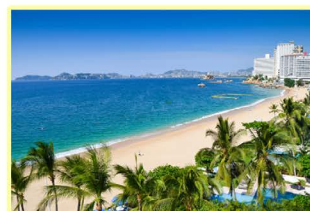
(to cover lunch, snacks, and materials)

"I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace, I leave with you; My peace I give to you." John 14: 25-27

For any question, kindly contact CCRS at 431-791-0111



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Mass Times

Mass Schedule

Saturday evening 5 pm
Sunday 9 am & 11 am
Tuesday to Friday 8 am
Saturday 9 am

Adoration

First Friday of the month
8.30 am to 3 pm

Divine Mercy at 3 pm
followed by Vespers

Reconciliation

Confession is available Saturdays
at 4.30 pm before the 5 pm mass
or by appointment. To arrange for
Confession, please call Father Greg
at 204-782-3135.

Baptism

Please see Father Greg after Mass
or contact the office.

Marriage

Please contact the office to make
an appointment with Fr. Greg.
Please contact us at least 6 months
prior to the wedding date.

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Bulletin submissions deadline
is Monday at 4 pm.

Office Hours:

Monday to Thursday:
8.30 am to 11.30
& 1 pm to 4.30 pm

The office is closed on Friday.

Staff:

Pastor: Fr Greg Mulligan
Parish Office: Maria Cox
Catechetics: Fr Greg Mulligan
Caretaker: Ernesto Samiana
Bookkeeper: Maria Leilani Dasco

Official Prayer to the Millennial Saint of our Youth Saint Carlo Acutis

O God our Father,
we thank you for giving us
Carlo, a model of life for
young people, and a
message of love for all.
You made him fall in love
with your son Jesus, making
the Eucharist his
“highway to heaven.”
You gave him Mary as a
beloved mother,
and you made him, through
the Rosary, a cantor
of her tenderness.
Receive his prayer for us.
Look above all upon the
poor, whom he loved and
assisted. Grant me too,
through his intercession,
the grace that I need
(mention your intention).
And make our joy full,
raising Carlo among the
saints of your Church,
so that his smile shines again
for us to the glory
of your name.
Amen.

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