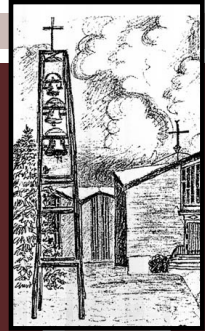


# St. Alphonsus Parish Update

## September 28, 2025



### Coffee Sunday

will be celebrated in the hall after the 9 am and 11 am Masses on Sunday, October 5.

### Archdiocese of St Boniface, Discover the Saint of Our Youth, of Your Youth! Carlos Acutis

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! For more information: Gabrielle Marion, gmarion3@mymts.net, 204-470-3792. All presentations are in French, except on Saturday, September 27 at 1.30 pm at St Boniface Cathedral.

### Diocesan Study Days – October 24 or 25, 2025

This year’s theme for Saint-Boniface’s Diocesan Study Days is Sexuality and Identity: Catholic Pastoral Accompaniment. Listen to presentations by:

- Fr. Kevin Belgrave, professor at St. Augustine Seminary in Toronto who teaches on bioethics, foundations of moral theology, human sexuality, and Catholic social teachings. He’ll be speaking to us about the Catholic anthropology of human sexuality.
  - Dr. Julia Sadusky, clinical psychiatrist from Colorado who offers individual, family, and couples therapy in addition to consultations for individuals and families around sexuality and gender, and author of Start Talking to Your Kids about Sex: A Practical Guide for Catholics and Talking with Your Teen about Sex: A Practical Guide for Catholics.
  - Deacon Gilles Urquhart, permanent deacon for the Archdiocese of SaintBoniface and chaplain for Courage, which offers pastoral support in the form of spiritual guidance, community prayer support, and fellowship for those who experience same-sex attraction. He is also chaplain for EnCourage, an apostolate that helps its members work together to understand the experiences of their loved ones, and to respond to them with compassion.
  - Bob Hall, a member of Courage since 1992, who will share his testimony of how Courage has helped him find faith, love, and community.
- The presentations will be in English, with French simultaneous translation available for those who need it.

There will be French and English small group discussions after each presentation, and

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### Save the Date ! Saturday, November 15

***The St. Alphonsus Parish Filipino Community  
invites you to A Fall Dinner - the Filipino Way !***

Saturday, November 15 from 6 to 9 pm  
in the parish hall

***We will be serving egg rolls, pansit, lechon,  
chopsuey & delicious Filipino desserts***

\$25 for Adults  
\$15 ages 4 - 12  
Free for 3 & under

*Hope to see you all there,  
to enjoy the meal & have fun!  
May God bless us all.*

*Tickets will be available soon !*





As a designated site for the Jubilee year the **Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine** is having their monthly

**Divine Liturgy with anointing for Healing**

**Wednesday, October 1 at 7 p.m.**  
**Feastday of the Protection of the Most Holy Mother of God**  
Confession available beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine at  
St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church  
250 Jefferson Ave.—Winnipeg, MB  
Ph# 204-338-7321  
Email: [info@bvmartyrshrine.com](mailto:info@bvmartyrshrine.com)  
Website: [bvmartyrshrine.com](http://bvmartyrshrine.com)



opportunities for Q&A with the various speakers. Come either Thursday Oct 23, or Saturday Oct 25, from 9:30 AM to 4:30 PM, at Saint-Boniface Cathedral Hall, 180 ave de la Cathédrale, Winnipeg. The same message will be shared each day. There is a \$70 admission fee. Registration is required. Visit this [link](#) for more information.

**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. For information, please contact Marie Brunet at [mfl@archsaintboniface.ca](mailto:mfl@archsaintboniface.ca); 204-594-0274 or Daniel Bahuaud at [communications@archsaintboniface.ca](mailto:communications@archsaintboniface.ca); 204-594-0277.

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### **Mass Intentions**

September 27 at 9 am - Tanya Stegne+  
September 27 at 5 pm - Walter Nierobisz+  
September 28 at 9 am - Jim Brechka+  
September 28 at 11 am - Rlcky & Jean Dela Cruz  
September 30 at 8 am - Parishioners of St Alphonsus  
October 1 at 8 am - Therese Mohr+  
October 2 at 8 am - Juanito Apablaza  
October 3 at 8 am - For the Priesthood  
October 4 at 9 am - Rogelio Deang+  
October 4 at 5 pm - Frank Wilk+ Angel Pili+  
October 5 at 9 am - Anna Cuc Vo+ & Van Pham+  
October 7 at 8 am - Souls in Purgatory  
October 8 at 8 am - Joselito S. Acab+  
October 9 at 8 am - Joselito Acab+  
October 10 at 8 am - Chase Dorrington

### **Thank You For Your Contributions September 20 & 21, 2025**

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| Regular donations              | \$ 4598.05        |
| Online donations               | \$ 1625.00        |
| Building fund donations        | \$ 1374.00        |
| Online building fund donations | \$ 1410.00        |
| <b>Total to the Parish</b>     | <b>\$ 9007.05</b> |

**Next STAY Meeting is on  
Wednesday, October 1 at 6.30 pm  
in the parish hall. Hope to see you there !**