

Special Bulletin

for Christmas - the Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ [25 December 2021]

ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISHES of
ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA (Hungarian) 371 Burnell St.
OUR LADY OF LOURDES (Slovenian) 95 MacDonald Ave.
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Faith-based gatherings, including the Celebration of Mass, are permitted for up to 25% of the capacity of the space or twenty-five (25) people, whichever is lower.

Parishes in the Archdiocese of Winnipeg will not require parishioners to present proof of double vaccination.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES: Website: www.ourladyoflourdeswinnipeg.com

Mailing Address: **P. O. Box 2015 Station Main, Winnipeg, Manitoba, R3C 3R3**

Thank you to all who sent their donations by mail. We are very grateful.

Thank you to parishioners who donated through Pre-Authorized Payment [PAP] Program.

You may also wish to consider registering for Pre-Authorized Payments (see information at our parish website).

Fri. Dec 24 - **The Nativity of the Lord [Christmas Eve]**

5:00 pm SA - RIP Leo & Felicidad Cruz, req. by Robert & Evelyn Thordarson

8:00 pm OL - RIP Josef & Maria Serfecz, req. by Parishioners

Sat. Dec 25- **The Nativity of the Lord [Christmas Day]**

9:30 am OL - RIP Mohor & Francisca Remic, req. by Frank & Ivanka Remic

11:00 am SA - RIP Gil & Mariana Botelho, req. by Luisa Farias

NO SATURDAY ANTICIPATED MASS.

Sun. Dec 26 - **The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph**

9:30 am OL - RIP Anton Recek, req. by Emma Recek

11:00 am SA - RIP Deceased family members, req. by Miklos & Ilona Popesnyak

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At St. Anthony's, the Christmas Eve 5:00pm Mass, Dec. 24th, and the Christmas Day 11:00am Mass, Dec. 25th, will be **FIRST COME FIRST SERVE BASIS ONLY**, for the 25 attendees, following the above **TIGHTENED RESTRICTIONS**. Apologies for the inconvenience.

Dispensation from Sunday Obligation to attend Mass is granted to the faithful through Sunday, 28 February 2022.

PRAYER FOR HEALING OVER RESIDENTIAL SCHOOLS

Our Father, we acknowledge all the gifts we have received from your hands, especially the gift of children which points to a future full of hope. In your great mercy we pray for all Indigenous Peoples who are experiencing pain and sorrow over the Residential School legacy. Give us all courage, humility and wisdom so that we can live in peace and walk the path of truth and reconciliation.

We ask this prayer in Jesus' name. Amen.

From Fr. Dado: I would like to wish you all a very peaceful and healthy Christmas Season as we celebrate the birth of our Lord Jesus Christ. And may God bless you now and through each day of the New Year 2021!



<https://charlestandiocese.org/event/holy-day-of-obligation-christmas/> ↑

Prayer: *Jesus, come again into our world. Bring the wonder of a newborn, the power of vulnerability, the strength of mercy, the heart of God. May we be willing to offer you all that is hurting and all that is healed. Amen.*

**Thank you for the flowers donated to beautify the sanctuary.
We appreciate your kindness in enhancing our church celebrations!**