

## BAPTISM OF CHILDREN

For the preparation program, phone four months before child's birth



## SUNDAY SCHOOL

**10:55am-12 Noon**

Program for 3- & 4- year-olds  
Grades K-8 Program  
for the children of registered parishioners



## CONFIRMATION

For Grades 8-12: Enquire at the Parish Office in September



## YOUTH EVENTS

Lynne, [youth@stignatius.ca](mailto:youth@stignatius.ca)



## CHRISTIAN INITIATION

**OF ADULTS (RCIA):** Enquire at the Adult Education Centre if interested in joining the Catholic Church.



## SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrange 12 months in advance.



## SICK CALLS:

Request through the Office. Someone will gladly visit the sick.



## PRAYER, REFLECTION, &

**LEARNING:** in the Chapel, Mon-Thurs 11:30am-4:00pm



## HEALING PRAYER

**MINISTRY:** for prayer, call Valerie, :204-453-9243



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

meet 1<sup>st</sup> Monday each month at 7:30pm

## Readings: Palm Sunday (B)

1 <sup>st</sup> Reading	2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading	Gospel
Isaiah 50: 4-7	Philippians 2: 6-11	Mark 14:1 - 15:47

## Palm Sunday and our Christian Commitment

The common belief during the historical Jesus' ministry was that the Messiah would begin his reign by throwing the Romans out of Palestine; he'd be a military figure, riding gloriously into Jerusalem astride a horse. Such a triumphant hero wouldn't be caught dead on a donkey. By mentioning Jesus' mode of transportation, the evangelist dashed the messianic hopes of many Jews. If anyone processing into Jerusalem that day actually regarded this carpenter from Capernaum as the Messiah, he was a Messiah unlike any messiah anyone had ever dreamt about. He was giving a brand-new definition to the title.

Mark, like every author of the Christian scriptures, meant to convey that any follower of Jesus of Nazareth is another Christ. We're expected to carry on his ministry in our day and age. That's why it is essential for us to know his frame of mind and understand how and why we are to suffer with him.

Our Christian sacred authors believed Jesus is alive today, sharing his love of all people through us. We're the ones who share his word and love with the weary, who empty ourselves for the sake of others, and are willing to suffer in whatever ways are necessary to convey that love.

The city was ruled by Herod, puppet king under the Roman occupation, with the complicity of the temple establishment. Jesus' symbolic ride fulfilled the prophecy of Zechariah (9:9) and mocked the triumphal entrance of all conquering generals on white horses. His action was provocative in the extreme, and its symbolism would not have been missed by the authorities. Jesus had no power and far less prestige than any pope in modern times, and such a stunt was the first act in a drama that ended with his crucifixion.

Our Palm Sunday liturgy is only theater if it has no effect on our Christian commitment to follow Jesus in our own world, so marked by violent threats to anyone foolish enough to speak truth to power.

– Celebration (excerpted/paraphrased)



ST IGNATIUS PARISH  
255 Stafford Street  
Winnipeg, MB R3M 2X2  
[www.stignatiusparish.ca](http://www.stignatiusparish.ca)

### Served by:

**Pastor:** Frank Obrigewitsch, SJ  
**Assoc Pastor:** Joe Newman, SJ  
and the Winnipeg Jesuit Community

### Office:

**Monday-Friday 9am-4:15pm**  
**Admin Asst:** Indira Rampersad  
204-474-2351  
[office@stignatius.ca](mailto:office@stignatius.ca)

**Controller:** Jan Hasiuk  
[controller@stignatius.ca](mailto:controller@stignatius.ca)

### ST IGNATIUS SCHOOL

Nursery-Grade 8: full curriculum  
in a Catholic environment for  
children of registered parishioners.

**Principal:** Jeannine Pistawka  
**Admin Asst:** Michele Lampertz  
204-475-1386  
[www.stignatius.mb.ca](http://www.stignatius.mb.ca)

**Adult Education Centre  
& Lending Library:** 204-453-9243  
**Co-ordinator:** Valerie Forrest  
[adult.education@stignatius.ca](mailto:adult.education@stignatius.ca)

**Buildings & Grounds  
Maintenance**  
**Manager:** Chris Janes  
[maintenance@stignatius.ca](mailto:maintenance@stignatius.ca)

### Please see TRIDUUM

### SCHEDULE INSIDE

### WEEKEND MASSES

<b>Saturday:</b>	5:00pm
<b>Sunday:</b>	8:00am
	9:30am
	11:00am
(Spanish)	3:40pm
	8:30pm

### WEEKDAY MASSES

<b>Mon:</b>	7:15am (& Communion Service 11am)
<b>Tues-Sat:</b>	11:00am

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Fri Mar 30th	4:00 - 5:00pm	<i>No Reconciliation</i>
Sat 31 <sup>st</sup>	9:00 - 5:00am	<i>No Reconciliation</i>
Fri Apr 6 <sup>th</sup>	4:00 - 5:00pm	Fr Obrigewitsch
Sat 7 <sup>th</sup>	9:45 - 10:45 am	Fr Newman

# The Community of St Ignatius



*Christ's Entry into Jerusalem* by Jean-Hippolyte Flandrin  
(1840s, Church of St-Germain-des-Prés, Paris)

## 25 March 2018 Palm (Passion) Sunday

25 March 2018 – Palm Sunday (B)

The Good Friday collection will be used for the Holy Land, Rossbrook House, and other local charities.

2017 Income Tax Receipts are in the mail. Watch out for yours.

### HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

DATE	EVENT	TIME
Sun 25 March	PALM SUNDAY	Regular weekend Masses
Mon 26 March	CHRISM MASS – Cathedral	7:30pm
Thurs 29 March	HOLY THURSDAY	(No 11am morning Mass)
	• Mass of the Lord’s Supper	7:30pm
	• Solemn Adoration (Chapel)	9pm to 11pm
Fri 30 March	GOOD FRIDAY	
	• Children’s Way of the Cross	9:30am
	• Spanish Way of the Cross	11:00am
	• The Passion of our Lord	3:00pm
Sat 31 March	HOLY SATURDAY	
	• Solemn Easter Vigil	8:00pm
	• Easter reception in the main hall	After Easter Vigil
Sun 1 April	EASTER SUNDAY	Regular Sunday Mass times

Chrism Mass, Monday 26 March, 7:30pm at St Mary’s Cathedral, with a reception following in the parish hall. All parishioners are invited.

You are invited to bring Easter lilies for the altar. These may be left at the parish office any time during Holy Week, but no earlier than Monday 26 March.

Archdiocese of Winnipeg’s 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Public Way of the Cross, Good Friday, 30 March starting at 9:30am from St Vital Parish, 1629 Pembina Highway.

Children’s Way of the Cross, Good Friday 30 March, 9:30am in the church.

Condolences to the family of Imma Cantafio, who passed away last week.

#### Development & Peace News

D&P – Caritas Canada thanks you for your ShareLent donation. Your generosity will help support the actions of our sisters and brothers in Africa, Asia, Latin America, and the Middle East. If you have not had a chance to donate, there is still time to place your ShareLent envelope in the Offertory basket. Thank you for continuing to pray for all those who are working to build a world of peace and justice.



### Financial Report

**Sharing God’s Gifts Update (Archdiocesan Collection):** Our assessment for 2018 is \$58,380, of which we still owe \$42,894. We continue our series of second collections on alternate Sundays. Please make cheques payable to the Parish, earmarked “Sharing God’s Gifts” – and print your name and envelope number *clearly* on the Sharing God’s Gifts envelope.

**St Ignatius Statement for this week:** To our regular Sunday collection you gave \$13,490 in support of our Parish, including school and church expenses. To Sharing God’s Gifts you gave \$1,260. To Agape and the Poor Box you gave \$183. For Share Lent you gave \$4,871. Thank you for your generosity.

**Please consider using Pre-Authorized Payments (PAC)** for your contributions to the church: an easy way to donate. **To start a new PAC or increase an existing one, please fill out a form available from the Office.**

**Parish Wine & Cheese Reception after Easter Vigil 8pm Mass, Saturday 31 March** in the Parish hall. Donations of: dessert squares, sweet bread loaves (Paska), and cheese balls gratefully accepted. Donations to be dropped off to the hall in the afternoon, or before Mass.

**Easter Basket Blessing, Sunday 1 April**, during 9:30 am Mass. Bring your baskets up to the altar during the offertory procession, and place them around the baptismal font. They may then be picked up after Mass.

**Shingles Infection – What You Need to Know: Community Health & Wellbeing Program, Wednesday 4 April** 1:30pm, Temple Shalom, 1077 Grant Ave. Presenter: Judy Westdal. All are welcome, especially those over 55. Free admission & refreshments.

**Catholic Singles Bingo Bowling Night, Friday 6 April**, 7:30pm Dakota Bowling Lanes, followed by meal at TAPS restaurant. \$10/per person. Guests welcome. Hosted by Parish of Mary Mother of the Church. RSVP by Wednesday 28 March to [erinpa.mcmullan@gmail.com](mailto:erinpa.mcmullan@gmail.com)



#### Mass Intentions for the Week of Mar 26<sup>th</sup> – Mar 31<sup>st</sup>

Mon	Mar 26 <sup>th</sup>	7:15am	+Beryl Gribben
Tues	27 <sup>th</sup>	11:00am	+Phyllis & Fred Mac Donald Holder
Wed	28 <sup>th</sup>	11:00am	+Mrs W. Newman
Thu	29 <sup>th</sup>	11:00am	Holy Thursday
Fri	30 <sup>th</sup>	11:00am	Good Friday-General distribution
Sat	31 <sup>st</sup>	11:00am	Holy Saturday