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 $\Diamond \quad \Diamond \quad \Diamond$

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 1st Monday each month at 7:30pm **Readings: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)**

1st Reading	2 nd Reading	Gospel
1 Kings 19: 4-8	Ephesians 4: 30 - 5: 2	John 6: 41-51

Unimaginable Abundance of Life

The Scriptures we hear this week try to awaken us to what God is offering us. Elijah is here to lead us in the kind of sincere prayer that makes us vulnerable to God's unlimited offers. The memory of the people who murmured against Jesus in the synagogue warns us against mortally diminished hopes and venial expectations. Together they urge us to allow our hearts' longing for God to lead us to receive the life God desires to share with us.

Elijah's story [in 1 Kings] seems to teach that God listens to the prayers of the beloved and answers by beckoning them toward all that life can offer. This is the message Jesus tried to convey to his companions as he described



himself [in John] as the bread that comes from heaven. According to Jesus, the bread from heaven was God's offer of life more abundant than they could imagine. The people who murmured, denigrating him as nothing more than the son of their neighbors, were prisoners of their own measly expectations. They wouldn't fathom the idea that God could work through one of them — much less that their small lives could ever be worth stretching into eternity. Their refusal to accept Jesus as coming from God betrayed their lack of faith in the value and potential of their own lives and consequently their lack of faith in the God who formed them as a people in the divine image.

Jesus told his people that no one could come to him unless drawn by the Father. He wanted them to realize that the only way to understand him was to allow themselves to be in touch with their deepest human longings, the dimension of themselves which yearns for and leads to God.... In effect he was saying, "Allow yourselves to be in touch with God's spirit within you and you will realize that I am offering you living bread, my very life which brings eternal life to the world." – *Celebration (excerpted)*

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Served by:

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

Office:

Monday 9am-Noon

Tuesday-Friday 9am-4:15pm Admin Asst: Indira Rampersad

204-474-2351 office@stignatius.ca

Controller: Jan Hasiuk *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

Adult Education Centre

& Lending Library: 204-453-9243 Co-ordinator: Valerie Forrest adult.education@stignatius.ca

Buildings & Grounds
Maintenance

Manager: Chris Janes maintenance@stignatius.ca

The Community of **St Ignatius**



"The bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh" (John 6)

12 August 2018 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

WEEKEND MA	ASSES	WEEKDAY M	1ASSES
Saturday:	5:00pm	Mon:	7:15am (& Communion Service 11am)
Sunday:	9:00am	Tues-Sat:	11:00am
	11:00am	SACRAMENT (OF RECONCILIATION
(Spanish)	3:40pm	Fri August	17 th 4:00 - 5:00pm <i>No Confessions</i>
	9:00pm		18 th 9:45 - 10:45am Fr Newman
		Fri	24 th 4:00 - 5:00pm <i>No Confessions</i>
		Sat	25 th 9:45 - 10:45am Fr Newman

12 August 2018 - 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

Access the bulletin on-line any time; go to www.stignatius.ca

An email scam impersonating Fr Frank is going the rounds. Please do not respond to any requests purporting to be from him without first checking in person with the Office.

Sharing God's Gifts: There is a collection this weekend (see Financial Report at right).

Booking for Parish Groups: Please email your group's schedules for Fall 2018 to the parish office via *office@stignatius.ca* as soon as possible so we can book your space.

SUMMER SCHEDULE REMINDERS

Summer Weekend Mass Schedule, now in effect, ends Sunday 30 September. Masses are: Saturday 5pm; Sunday: 9 & 11am, 3:40 & 9pm.

There is no Friday reconciliation during August and September.

The office and church will now close Mondays at noon through 30 September.

The Education Centre is closed and will reopen Tuesday 4 September.

There will be no Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until September.

Separated, Divorced Widowed? *Walk and Talk*, **continues Wednesdays throughout August** 7-9pm. Meet at the Norwood Hotel west parking lot door at 7pm, then walk to the Forks and back to the Hotel lounge. Join us for the walk, lounge time, or both. For info call 204-275-3090 or email *contact@beginningexperience.ca*

Festival of Friends / Feast of St Ignatius Picnic, Sunday 9 September after 11am Mass. Mark your calendar!

Grace Family Mission, Saturday 27 October, Petrus Hall, 2624 Inkster Blvd. Starts with Mass at 10:30am, Archbishop Gagnon presiding. Followed by Christian Agape at noon, and Family Festival at 1pm. To pre-register go to http://bit.ly/archwpgfamilyfest2018 or youth@archwinnipeg.ca

Knights of Columbus News

Grocery Gift Cards, which can be used at Co-op, Sobey's, Safeway, and IGA (\$25, \$50, & \$100 denominations) are on sale by our Knights each week after all Masses in the vestibule at the back of the church and in the hall. Cash or debit card only, please.

Financial Report

Sharing God's Gifts Update (Archdiocesan Collection): Our assessment for 2018 is \$58,380, of which we still have to collect \$17,018. We're more than 70% of the way there! 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 <u>clearly</u> on the Sharing God's Gifts envelope.

St Ignatius Statement for this week: To our regular Sunday collection you gave \$12,356 to support our Parish, including school and church expenses. To Sharing God's Gifts you gave \$755. To Agape and the Poor Box you gave \$117. 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.

Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministry, Full-time position available with the Archdiocese. Application deadline Monday 13August. Supports and coordinates youth and young adult ministry. Send résumé to Laura Cumming, HR Director, 1495 Pembina Highway, Winnipeg, MB R3T 4C6 or email *lcumming@archwinnipeg*

Youth Leader Training Program, Monday-Thursday 27-30 August, St Benedict's Monastery and Retreat Centre, 225 Masters Avenue. Registration and deposit deadline was Tuesday 31 July. Limited spots available. Catholic training experience for high-schoolers: personal development; leadership formation and spirituality. Cost: \$350. Sponsored by Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry (OYYAM). Register at bit.ly/YouthLeader2018



"Put away from you all bitterness and wrath ...be kind to one another..."
(Ephesians 4)

Mass Intentions for the Week of August 13th - 18th

Mon	Aug 13th	7:15am +Pasquale & Palmira Greco
Tues	14 th	11:00am +Barbara Fiorentino
Wed	15 th	11:00am +Francesco Notarianni
Thu	16 th	11:00am +Walter & Edna VanWalleghem
Fri	17^{th}	11:00am +Jack Klepis
Sat	18^{th}	11:00am +Angelo Degrazia