

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

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SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:55am-12 Noon
Program for 3- & 4- year-olds; Grades K-8 Program for the children of registered parishioners

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

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YOUTH EVENTS
Lynne, youth@stignatius.ca

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

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SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE
Arrange 12 months in advance.

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SICK CALLS: Request through the Office. Someone will gladly visit the sick.

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HEALING PRAYER MINISTRY: for prayer, call Valerie, :204-453-9243

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
meet 1st Monday each month at 7:30pm

Readings: 25 th Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)		
1 st Reading	2 nd Reading	Gospel
Wisdom 2: 12, 17-20	James 3: 16 – 4: 3	Mark 9: 30-37

Jesus and the Boys (Mark 9: 30-37)

Like seven-year-olds wearing black capes and flying through the green back yard

we spit and sputter in staccato speech, I'm the greatest... no I am... no really it's me

all while listening to our Jesus buddy ramble on about betrayal and death and a whisper about after that

but we raise our pecan stick swords way high over head and battle and pretend a beheaded victory

still the Nazareth dude nullifies our superhero powers reminding us of the one thing that deflates grandiosity:

someone has come to serve you and lift you up even you who imagine you alone lift yourself up

and so we crack the sticks on our knees, untie our capes and pray: help us redefine greatness through you

help the boys let go of grasping after fake powers help the boys become men with life to give away

– Rev Michael Coffey, *Mystery without Rhyme or Reason: Poetic Reflections on the Revised Common Lectionary*



Eager young Catholic pilgrims tussle with each other for the chance to be the first to touch the miraculous, life-sized Black Nazarene statue, 2015

ST IGNATIUS PARISH
255 Stafford Street
Winnipeg, MB R3M 2X2
www.stignatiusparish.ca

Served by:
Pastor: Frank Obrigewitsch, SJ
Assoc Pastor: Joe Newman, SJ and Winnipeg's Jesuit Community

Office:
Monday 9am-Noon
Tuesday-Friday 9am-4pm
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

WEEKEND MASSES		WEEKDAY MASSES			
Saturday:		Mon: 7:15am (& Communion Service 11am)			
Sunday:		Tues-Sat: 11:00am			
		SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION			
		Fri	Sept 28 th	4:00 - 5:00pm	<i>No Confessions</i>
		Sat	29 th	9:45 - 10:45am	Fr.Obrigewitsch
(Spanish)		Fri	Oct 5 th	4:00 - 5:00pm	Fr Newman
		Sat	6 th	9:45 - 10:45am	Fr Newman

The Community of St Ignatius



Christ Blessing the Children (Mark 9) Painting (1535-40) by Lucas Cranach [detail]

23 September 2018
25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

23 September 2018 – 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

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

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.

Sign up to serve on the ROAR TEAM, Sundays 23 or 30 September after any Mass; coordinators will be at the back of the church to answer questions and collect forms, or you may contact Tannis, tanlscott@shaw.ca ROAR TEAM means Reach Out And Respond – Together Everyone Achieves More; joining will enhance your life and serve God. Volunteer year runs from Monday 1 October through Sunday 30 June.

- **New Ministers:** Please fill out the form at the back of the church. Info on the forms tells you where to submit them.
- **Veteran Ministers,** please inform the Co-ordinator at your Mass about your availability.
- **Tech people are needed for each Mass.** For training, contact David Androvic, techadmin@stignatius.ca for training.

SUMMER SCHEDULE REMINDERS

Summer Weekend Mass Schedule, continues through next Sunday 30 September. Masses are: Saturday 5pm; Sunday: 9 & 11am, 3:40 & 9pm.

The office and church closes this coming Monday 24 September at noon.

There is no Friday Reconciliation during September.

Weekly Coffee, Donuts, and Toys Get-togethers have resumed every Sunday after morning Masses.

Toastmasters learning lab, Wednesday 26 September, 7-8:30 p.m. in Loyola Lounge. Build your confidence and learn to listen, speak and lead. For info, call Catriona, 204-269-0307 or email catyou@shaw.ca

Formations and Re-formations in Catholic Thought: Jesuit Centre Lunch-Hour Lecture Series, Wednesday 26 September, 12:10-12:40pm in Room 252, St Paul’s College, UofM. Presenter: Dr Chris Hrynkow; subject: *It is about more than just the environment: Pope Francis’ teachings and socio-ecological flourishing.* Free, open to the public. Bring your lunch; refreshments will be provided.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) starts Tuesday 2 October. Contact Val at the Education Centre, 204-453-9243 or adult.education@stignatius.ca

Financial Report

Sharing God’s Gifts Update (Archdiocesan Collection): Our assessment for 2018 is \$58,380, of which we still have to collect \$7,034. *We’re 88% 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 clearly on the Sharing God’s Gifts envelope.

St Ignatius Statement for this week: To our regular Sunday collection you gave \$11,042 to support our Parish, including school and church expenses. To Sharing God’s Gifts you gave \$993. To Agape and the Poor Box you gave \$122. 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.**

Ongoing Truth and Reconciliation Dialogue: A Call to Inclusion. You are warmly invited to attend two gatherings. Free admission. Please register at maithuongrndm@yahoo.com so we know how many are coming to each session.

- **Thursday 11 October, 7pm** at St Ignatius Parish Hall, led by persons from *Returning to Spirit*
- **Thursday 18 October, 7pm** at St Kateri Parish, Ellice at Home Street, An evening of dialogue through the *Playback Theatre*.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend, weekend of 12-14 October 2018. Contact Char & Edward Arreza, 204-583-0148 or wwme.wpg@gmail.com

Philippine Festival & Fundraising Dinner Saturday 20 October, 6pm in the Parish Hall. Tickets available at the front entrance of the church after Mass, and at the parish office. All proceeds and donations go to the church for elevator and ceiling fan replacement.



“Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes... the One who sent me” (Mark 9)

Mass Intentions for the Week of September 24 th – 29 th			
Mon	Sep 24 th	7:15am	+Theresa Ouellette
Tues	25 th	11:00am	+David Wood
Wed	26 th	11:00am	+Molly McLennan
Thu	27 th	11:00am	+Vincent McGavock
Fri	28 th	11:00am	+Marg Logee
Sat	29 th	11:00am	+Christine Chomyzyn