

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 Parish Office in September



YOUTH EVENTS

Lynne, 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.



HEALING PRAYER

MINISTRY: call Office, 204-474-2351



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

meet 1st Monday each month at 7:30pm

Readings: 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

1st Reading: Isaiah 5: 1-7

2nd Reading: Philippians 4: 6-9

Gospel: Matthew 21: 33-43

Architecture

Jesus said to them, "Have you never read in the scriptures: 'The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; this was the Lord's doing, and it is amazing in our eyes'?" (Matt 21)

Was it Frank Lloyd Wright who said it was just as desirable to build a chicken house as it was a cathedral, and if so did he ever build a coop that changed the world like the churches of Falling Water or Robie House or the Guggenheim

my guess is no and so I'd say go for cathedrals but don't venerate or praise their immaculateness they are like the building up of your soul or your self if you could construct your temple self

and then no matter your effort or fortitude or refutation every stone you select for your self-anointed project will have a chip or be out of plumb or fissured and skew every door and archway and spine just hurting the eyeball enough that you will labour long days anguishing over the faults and the cracks

your heart will sorrow that you never got it right this blueprint and fabricating that is you and your cathedral of St. Perfection, until you are moved to kiss the stone you rejected, yours and God's, the mortal flaw and unfinished structural promises, and to call the chicken house of your ramshackle life a basilica of the divine, an architecture of the holy

– Rev Michael Coffey (Evangelical Lutheran Pastor),
*Mystery without Rhyme or Reason:
Poetic Reflections on the Revised Common Lectionary*

ST IGNATIUS PARISH
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Served by:

Pastor: Frank Obrigewitsch, SJ
Assoc Pastor: Con Mulvihill, SJ
and Winnipeg's Jesuit Community

Office: **CLOSED**

during current emergency
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

SUNDAY MASSES:

- 11am (Live-streamed)
 - 5pm
- Limited numbers may attend by reservation only**

(Please see details inside bulletin).

WEEKDAY MASSES: LIVE-STREAMED at 11am daily
Limited numbers may attend by reservation only on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, & Saturday.
Please see information sheet for how to reserve and follow mandatory safety protocols.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

10:30am Thurs & Friday and By appointment.

The Community of St Ignatius



The Parable of the wicked husbandmen:
Painting by Marten van Valckenborch, Flemish, ca. 1585

4 October 2020

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4 October 2020 – 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time – (A)

The physical Office has limited hours for the remainder of the pandemic emergency, but the Church is still here to serve you. Someone is in the office from 10 to 10:30am. We answer phone calls from noon to 2pm. Staff access emails and urgent voicemails from 10am to 2pm.

NEW A weekly Sunday Mass at 5pm has been added to the schedule. Please register if you would like to attend.

Sunday School resumed 13 September. Registration is underway; forms are available in the Office. Only 1st Communion, Reconciliation, and Confirmation classes will be taught in-house (in the Church Hall with masks, social distancing, screening, and sanitization). All other classes will be delivered via email or take-home lessons with family-centred activities.

Sunday School Students: 1st Communion: Sat 10 October. Reconciliation: Monday 26 October.

St Ignatius School Students: 1st Communion: Sat 17 October; Reconciliation: Mon 19 October.

NEW Adult Education Centre Events:

for info, contact Fr Con fr.mulvihill@stignatius.ca or the Parish Office (204-474-2351)

- **RCIA starting in mid-October:** Are you or a friend interested in baptism or confirmation in the Catholic Church? St Ignatius Parish will be offering a course in preparation for the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) at the Easter Vigil in 2021. Participants and their sponsors will meet with a team for weekly formation classes and fellowship.

MASSES at ST IGNATIUS

The Archbishop has extended through **1 January 2021** the dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass in person, and advises elderly and vulnerable persons to stay at home. For now, up to **90** parishioners may physically attend Masses or come for private prayer Wednesday through Sunday only from 10:30am to 1pm, subject to Covid protocols, including an advance sign-up list. Private masses continue to be said Mondays & Tuesdays with no congregation.

For information on how to sign up for physical attendance at Mass, Confession, or private prayer, and on social distancing protocols while in the church, please pick up an information sheet in the church or go to

https://www.stignatius.ca/assets/COVID19_Parish_Mass_Information_-_2020-07-19_-_v03-2.pdf

Sunday and daily Masses continue to be streamed live from St Ignatius daily at 11am at:

<http://stignatiusmass.from-ca.com>

Financial Report

2020 Sharing God's Gifts Archdiocesan Collection (SGG): Our assessment for 2020 is \$64,220, of which we still owe \$38,557. 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. Thank you for your generosity to our Archdiocese.

St Ignatius Statement for the period Sept 14th to 30th: To our combined regular Sunday collections you gave \$25,248 in support of our Parish, including school and church expenses. To SGG you gave \$1,034. Thank you for your generosity! (NB: For now, tallies are not always made weekly, but are updated as needed).

During the pandemic, despite reduced office hours and restricted Mass attendance, the Parish still provides the Sacraments and other urgent services for those in need. While we recognize that some parishioners will be in financial difficulty because of the crisis, we ask you, **if you are able, to please continue donating** by:

- **placing your envelope in the new box at the back of the church** if you have reserved a seat at Mass;
- **dropping off your envelope in the new mailbox outside the Admin Office door;**
- **mailing in your weekly donation**, including your SGG contribution, to 255 Stafford Street, Winnipeg, MB R3M 2X2;
- **donating to us through PayPal** at <https://www.paypal.com/cgi-bin/webscr...>; or
- **switching to 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 or on line.

National Catholic Health Care week, Sunday 4 October to Saturday 10 October:

Organized by the Catholic Health Alliance of Canada (CHAC) to build understanding, connection and trust about our mission and contribution as a Catholic health community to Canada's pandemic response. Look out for important messages about the inspiring work of Catholic health care organizations in our province and across Canada. At the heart of Catholic health care is a deep respect for the intrinsic value and dignity of every human being and an unwavering commitment to serving all people, from all backgrounds and faiths – especially society's most vulnerable. This year the COVID-19 pandemic transformed our health care landscape and society.

Mass Intentions for the Week of October 5th – 10th

(will be honoured during live-streamed Masses)

Mon	Oct	5 th	11:00am	Health of Barb Reed
Tues		6 th	11:00am	Pro Populo
Wed		7 th	11:00am	Spec Int Michele Synnott
Thu		8 th	11:00am	+Juliana Carandang
Fri		9 th	11:00am	+Elvira Magnifico
Sat		10 th	11:00am	First Communion Candidates