

The Community of **St Ignatius**

Winnipeg, MB

On-line Parish Bulletin for 2022-03-13

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2nd Sunday in Lent (Year C)

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**Sunday morning Mass Times
now in effect: 9:30 and 11:30am**

St Ignatius is open for public Masses

✚ Wednesday through Friday: 11am*

✚ Saturday 11am* and 5pm

✚ Sunday 9:30am and 11:30am*

* livestreamed

You are still required to wear a mask
covering nose and mouth. If you have been
exposed to Covid19 or are sick, you should
refrain from attending in person.



Transfiguration Window -
Taizé Community Church of the Reconciliation, Saône-et-Loire, France

READINGS: 2nd Sunday in Lent (C)

1st Reading: Genesis 15: 5-12, 17-18

2nd Reading: Philippians 3: 17 – 4: 1

Gospel: Luke 9: 28b-36

Mass Intentions for the Week of Mar 14th – 19th (will be honoured during live-streamed Masses)

Mon	Mar 14 th	11:00am	+Dr Robert Lefebvre
Tues	15 th	11:00am	+Francesco Notarianni
Wed	16 th	11:00am	+Frank Vergata
Thu	17 th	11:00am	+Janina Multan
Fri	18 th	11:00am	+Renata & +Domenico Menei
Sat	19 th	11:00am	+Deceased Bieganowski Family

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME starts Sunday 13 March, 2am. Remember to set your clocks forward.

- Masses are still live-streamed at 11am daily from St Ignatius at <http://stignatiusmass.from-ca.com> (and remain available on line until the next morning). All who cannot attend are invited to join us on line.
- When private prayer in the church is not available for you, family prayer at home is highly recommended. See the following websites for prayer suggestions:
 - <https://www.xavier.edu/jesuitresource/online-resources/prayer-index/prayers-for-healing>
 - <https://www.catholic.org/prayers/>
 - <https://mycatholic.life/catholic-prayers/a-prayer-for-healing-and-hope/>
- The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available on Friday 4:15pm to 5pm, Saturday 10:00am to 10:45am or by appointment Wednesday through Friday. Please send request by email to reserve@stignatius.ca

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Sunday morning Mass Times now in effect: 9:30am (not streamed) and 11:30am (live-streamed).

Please see Fr Frank's *Reflections of the Pastor* in your email inbox or on the Parish website.

Needed: Sunday School Teachers for 2022-23, for all grade levels. If interested, email office@stignatius.ca

2021 tax receipts and 2022 envelopes are ready to be picked up from the office. If you would like your tax receipt emailed, please send a request to office@stignatius.ca stating your full name and email address.

D&P's People and Planet First Lenten Campaign celebrates what solidarity can achieve, even against impossible odds. In Madagascar, for instance, the Development Council of Andohatapenaka (CDA), a D&P partner, empowers people to manage and transform their neighbourhoods. The capital region is afflicted by flooding and poor waste management. A CDA project has helped residents of one vulnerable area there to turn their environs into a thriving eco-village. Today, each of the 50 households involved has a vegetable garden, a stove, and solar panels. This reflects a true ecological conversion to cope with climate change. Watch the video at devp.org/lent/act.

St Ignatius Refugee Committee asks you to help support an Afghan refugee family: Donations are needed to help a young family of three resettle in Winnipeg. The family worked for Jesuit Refugee Service and recently fled Afghanistan for Pakistan. Our target is \$10,000. Please send cheques payable to St Ignatius Parish earmarked to "Refugee Fund." New Refugee Committee members are welcome; for info phone Saratha, 204-885-0551.

Canadian Jesuits International (CJI) and the Jesuits of Canada stand in solidarity with the people of Ukraine. Jesuits and lay partners in Ukraine and nearby countries are accompanying forcibly displaced people. To donate, please send a cheque to CJI, 70 St Mary Street, Toronto, ON M5S 1J3, visit <https://www.canadianjesuitsinternational.ca/statement-of-solidarity-with-the-people-of-ukraine>, email cji@jesuits.ca, or contact CJI at 416-465-1824. Thank you.

Growing through Our Grieving, starts Monday 14 March – a four-week on-line course. For info and to register, go to <https://beadisciple.com/online-christian-course-schedule/> and search for "Growing through our grieving."

Saints' Lives and Historical Criticism: the Bollandist Enterprise, Virtual Online Lecture, Tuesday 15 March, 10am (CDT). Formation and Reformation in Catholic Thought series, Jesuit Centre for Catholic Studies. Presenter: Fr Robert Gooding, SJ. Access the lecture on Zoom at <https://umanitoba.zoom.us/j/68062440241>

Knights of Columbus Initiatives

- **Next Rosary Prayer, Sunday 27 March** immediately after 11:30am Mass.
- **Lenten Fish-fry, Friday 8 April** in the church hall. Save the date.
- **Sobeys and Co-op Grocery Card Sales** after Saturday 5pm and Sunday 11am Masses. Pay by cash or debit to earn these stores' donations to our Parish.

Universal Synod announced by Pope Francis: St Ignatius Parish Pastoral Council invites you to participate in either or both of two ways:

- **Complete the Archdiocese of Winnipeg's on-line survey before May 1st** by going to <https://www.archwinnipeg.ca/main.php?p=168> There find full info and click on "Participate in the Synod."
- **Attend one of two Parish listening sessions;** to sign up, email Fr Con Mulvihill at fr.mulvihill@stignatius.ca indicating which session you prefer:
 - ☐ **Wednesday 23 March, 7pm on Zoom OR**
 - ☐ **Sunday 10 April, 1:30pm in person in our Parish Hall.**

Virtual Conference on Ignatian Spirituality, Saturday & Sunday 2 & 3 April. Eight sessions on such topics as decision-making; hearing God's voice; the link between faith and justice. Hosted by the Jesuits of Canada, as part of the Ignatian Year. Presenters include: James Martin, SJ; Laurence Loubières, XMCJ; and Greg Kennedy, SJ. No charge to register at <https://crc-canada.org/en/activite/ignatian-spirituality-conference/> (registration button at bottom)

REFLECTION

TRANSFIGURATION

For that one moment, in and out of time,
On that one mountain where all moments meet,
the daily veil that covers the sublime
In darkling glass fell dazzled at his feet.
There were no angels full of eyes and wings,
Just living glory full of truth and grace.
The love that dances at the heart of things
Shone out upon us from a human face.
And to that light the light in us leaped up,
We felt it quicken somewhere deep within,
A sudden blaze of long-extinguished hope
Trembled and tingled through the tender skin.
Nor can this blackened sky, this darkened scar,
Eclipse that glimpse of how things really are.

– Rev Malcolm Guite, Chaplain, Girton College Cambridge,
Sounding the Seasons: 70 Sonnets for the Christian Year



LENTEN FAST & ABSTINENCE, ALMSGIVING, and PENANCE

Latin Church Catholics are to observe fasting and abstinence during Lent under the terms of Canons 1249-1253 of the 1983 *Code of Canon Law*, and as decreed in 2006 by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops.

- **ABSTINENCE:** Catholics aged 14+ are expected to abstain from meat **on all Fridays of Lent**¹ (and on Ash Wednesday). Eggs, fish, and plant-based substitutes don't count as meat.
- **FASTING:** Catholics aged 18-59 are expected to fast (taking at most one full meal and two small "snacks" that don't add up to a full meal) on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday – and where possible, on Holy Saturday. Drinks such as water or juice don't count as food, but liquids used as food – e.g., soups or smoothies – do count.
- When you have a medical condition or are pregnant, travelling, or under unusual stress, these requirements may be relaxed.

In addition to fasting and abstinence, giving alms or doing charitable work is expected.

¹ Fridays are days of abstinence all year round, not just during Lent. *Outside* of Lent, however, special acts of charity or piety may be substituted for abstinence on these days.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Sharing God's Gifts Archdiocesan Collection (SGG): Our assessment for 2021 is \$52,515, of which we still owe \$13,095. 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. Thanks for supporting our Archdiocesan ministries.

St Ignatius Statement for the period February 21st to March 6th: To our combined regular Sunday collections in support of our Parish, including school and church expenses you gave \$20,905. To SGG you gave \$1,684. For the Refugee Fund you gave \$870. You gave \$100 to D&P. For the Mission Fund you gave \$115. To Agape you gave \$120. Thank you for your generosity! (NB: For now, tallies are made every two weeks.)

OUR FACILITIES

ST IGNATIUS PARISH
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Pastor: Frank Obrigewitsch, SJ
Assoc Pastor: Con Mulvihill, SJ and John Perry, SJ

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Admin Asst: Indira Rampersad,

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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
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adult.education@stignatius.ca

Buildings & Grounds Maintenance Manager:
Chris Janes,
maintenance@stignatius.ca

SACRAMENTS, FORMATION, & ACTIVITIES

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

SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:55am-12 Noon
This year: First Communion, Reconciliation and Confirmation only

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

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
normally meet 1st Monday each month at 7:30pm