

# The Community of **St Ignatius**

Winnipeg, MB

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## On-line Parish Bulletin for 2022-08-14 20<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME



*Cloud of Witnesses* (Hebrews 12) by Eria "Sane" Nsubuga

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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 are sick, you should refrain from attending in person.**

### READINGS: 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Jeremiah 38: 4-6, 8-10

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Hebrews 12: 1-4

Gospel: Luke 12: 49-53

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### Mass Intentions for the Week of August 15<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> (will be honoured during live-streamed Masses)

Mon	Aug 15 <sup>th</sup>	11:00am	+Francesco Notarianni
Tues	16 <sup>th</sup>	11:00am	+Frank Vergata
Wed	17 <sup>th</sup>	11:00am	+Guillermo Soldevilla
Thu	18 <sup>th</sup>	11:00am	+Janina Multan
Fri	19 <sup>th</sup>	11:00am	Spec Int: Stan Amaladas
Sat	20 <sup>th</sup>	11:00am	+Melanio Enero

Masses are normally live-streamed at 11am Monday through Saturday (and at 11:30 on Sunday) 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.

- **The Sacrament of Reconciliation** is available during the summer by appointment Wednesday through Friday, immediately before or after Mass. Please send requests by email to [reserve@stignatius.ca](mailto:reserve@stignatius.ca)

**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/>

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## OFFICE NEWS:

**Summer Office Hours through September 5<sup>th</sup>:** Mondays: closed; Tuesdays through Fridays: 10am to 2pm.

**During July and August, there will be no Sacrament of Reconciliation on Fridays or Saturdays.**

Reconciliation continues to be available by appointment Wednesday through Friday before or after Mass.

**All events scheduled for the church hall and basement are postponed** until September, due to flooding with resulting water and sewage damage.

**The sidewalk on Stafford Street in front of the church is temporarily unusable** due to construction work. Please enter and exit the church through the Jessie St or Corydon Ave entrances.

**2022 donation envelopes are available at the back of the church.** If you have not picked up yours, please do so, or check with the office.

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**Sunday School will resume on September 11<sup>th</sup>.**

**Volunteers Needed:** (If interested, please contact the Office, 204-474-2351 or email [office@stignatius.ca](mailto:office@stignatius.ca) )

- **Music Ministers for Sunday 9:30am Mass;** if interested contact Heather [heather.skublics@mail.mcgill.ca](mailto:heather.skublics@mail.mcgill.ca)
- **Assistants to Lee Mencik** to help coordinate Lectors and Communion Ministers
- **Sunday School Teachers for 2022-23,** for Kindergarten and Grades 3, 4, 5, & 8.

## Knights of Columbus Initiatives

- **Next Rosary Prayer: Sunday 28 August** immediately after 11:30am Mass. Bring your rosary.
- **Sobeys and Co-op Grocery Card Sales** after Saturday 5pm and Sunday morning Masses. Pay by cash or debit to earn donations to our Parish from these stores.
- **Housing Opportunity: Columbus Courts Inc, 253 Edgeland Blvd,** a not-for-profit affordable housing, independent-living, non-smoking facility for low-income seniors. Rent is geared to income. One-bedroom and studio suites available. On-site chapel with services throughout the week; events organized by the Resident Association. For info call Dennis, 204-982-2014.
- **“Coffee and Donuts” Time** is over for the summer and will resume in the fall.

**Festival of Friends, Sunday 18 September, after morning Mass.** Lunch, and games for the whole family. Mark your calendar.

**St Ignatius Refugee Committee still needs help for refugee families settling in Winnipeg.**

- **Afghan family:** We still need more funding for the family in peril for working with the Jesuits.
- **Ukrainian family:** the size of family we can sponsor depends on the funds we raise.

**Please send cheques payable to St Ignatius Parish** earmarked for “Ukrainian Refugee Fund” or/and “Afghan Refugee Fund.” For info, contact Saratha, 204-885-0551.

## REFLECTION

### Great Cloud of Witnesses

Greet the unexpected visitor  
As you would an invited guest or  
The return of a long-lost friend  
For in so doing, the Bible tells us  
We entertain angels unawares.

We do not run the race alone  
Nor go into exile by ourselves  
For we journey along the Way  
Made smooth by those who've gone before.

And though invisible to the eye  
They are with us still, forebears in faith,  
Whose example, wisdom and yes, prayers  
Inspire, encourage and guide us  
Through the valleys and mountains of life.

And in the silence of the night  
Listen for the soft whisper of  
Ancestors, relatives and friends  
Who, though gone, from the sidelines  
Still cheer us on and  
Whose love and countless kindnesses  
Brought us to this very day.

Alone no longer (as if we ever were)  
We are part of a vast, unending  
Procession of love and life  
Past, present and to come  
Where memory and meaning mingle  
To create an eternal, dynamic  
Community of souls and  
Communion of saints.

– Joseph R. Veneroso, M.M., at

<https://www.maryknollmagazine.org/reflections/great-cloud-of-witness/>

## FINANCIAL REPORT

**Sharing God's Gifts Archdiocesan Collection (SGG):** Our assessment for 2022 is \$65,582, of which we still owe \$59,892. 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 July 25<sup>th</sup> to August 7<sup>th</sup>:** To our combined regular Sunday collections in support of our Parish, including school and church expenses, you gave \$20,099. To SGG you gave \$1,144. For the Refugee Fund you gave \$100 (Ukraine), \$150 (Afghan). To D&P you gave \$10. To Agape Table you gave \$60. Thank you for your generosity!

St Ignatius Parish and School are located on Treaty 1 territory – the traditional land and waters of the Ininiw (Cree), Anishinábé (Ojibwé), Anishiniw (Ojibwé Cree), Dakota, and Dene People, as well as the Birthplace of the Métis Nation and the Heart of the Métis Homeland. We also acknowledge the Shoal Lake #40 First Nation and its territory for our life-giving water, which allows us to live, work, and serve God in Winnipeg.

We are grateful for this land and the hospitality of these nations.

### OUR FACILITIES

<b>ST IGNATIUS PARISH</b> 255 Stafford Street Winnipeg, MB R3M 2X2 <a href="http://www.stignatius.ca">www.stignatius.ca</a>
<b>Served by:</b> <b>Pastor:</b> Frank Obrigewitsch, SJ <b>Assoc Pastor:</b> Con Mulvihill, SJ and John Perry, SJ
<b>Office:</b> <a href="mailto:office@stignatius.ca">office@stignatius.ca</a> , 204-474-2351 Walk-in hours limited. <b>Admin Asst:</b> Indira Rampersad
<b>Bookkeeper:</b> Eva Dunlao <a href="mailto:controller@stignatius.ca">controller@stignatius.ca</a>
<b>ST IGNATIUS SCHOOL</b> <i>Nursery-Grade 8: full curriculum in a Catholic environment for children of registered parishioners.</i> <b>Principal:</b> Jeannine Pistawka <b>Admin Asst:</b> Joy Pollreis 204-475-1386 <a href="http://www.stignatius.mb.ca">www.stignatius.mb.ca</a>
<b>Adult Education Centre &amp; Lending Library:</b> 204-453-9243 <b>Co-ordinator:</b> Fr Con <a href="mailto:adult.education@stignatius.ca">adult.education@stignatius.ca</a>
<b>Buildings &amp; Grounds Maintenance Manager:</b> Chris Janes, <a href="mailto:maintenance@stignatius.ca">maintenance@stignatius.ca</a>

### SACRAMENTS, FORMATION, & ACTIVITIES

<b>BAPTISM OF CHILDREN</b> For the preparation program, phone four months before child's birth
<b>SUNDAY SCHOOL</b> <b>10:55am-12 Noon</b> This year: First Communion, Reconciliation and Confirmation only
<b>CONFIRMATION</b> For Grades 8-12: Enquire at Parish Office in September
<b>CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA):</b> Enquire at the Adult Education Centre if interested in joining the Catholic Church.
<b>SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE</b> Arrange 12 months in advance.
<b>SICK CALLS:</b> Request through the Office. Someone will gladly visit the sick.
<b>HEALING PRAYER MINISTRY:</b> call Office, 204-474-2351
<b>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS</b> normally meet 1 <sup>st</sup> Monday each month at 7:30pm