

The Community of **St Ignatius**

Winnipeg, MB

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On-line Parish Bulletin for 2022-10-30

31st SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

World Mission Sunday



Zacchaeus, perched in a tree, speaks with Jesus (Luke 19)

Artist unknown

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READINGS: 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

1st Reading: Wisdom 11: 22 – 12: 2

2nd Reading: 2 Thessalonians 1: 11 – 2: 2

Gospel: Luke 19: 1-10

Sunday morning Mass Times :
9:30 and 11:00am

St Ignatius is open for *public* Masses

✚ **Monday through Saturday: 11am***

✚ **Saturday: 5pm** (*meets Sunday obligation*)

✚ **Sunday: 9:30am and 11:00am***

* *livestreamed*

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

Mass Intentions for the Week of Oct 31st – Nov 5th (will be honoured during live-streamed Masses)

Mon	Oct 31 st	11:00am	+Pedro Cabaltea Romero
Tues	Nov 1 st	11:00am	+Deceased Elefante Family Members
Wed	2 nd	11:00am	+Maria & +Desiderio Marinelli
Thu	3 rd	11:00am	+Eugenio Marino
Fri	4 th	11:00am	+Armenia Furtado
Sat	5 th	11:00am	+Sr Christina Syrotynsky

Masses are 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.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available Fridays at 4pm, and Saturdays at 10am.

Reconciliation also continues to be available by appointment Wednesday through Friday before or after Mass; please send appointment requests to 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:

- **Parish parents are requested to register their children in Sunday School at appropriate levels.** Register on line via the Parish website, or obtain a form at the back of the church.
- **Technicians are needed for Saturday 5pm Mass.** If interested, contact the Office or David at techadmin@stignatius.ca

Annual Visit of Fr Erik Oland, SJ, Jesuit Provincial, Saturday 29 October through Wednesday 2 November. He will celebrate the 11am Mass on Sunday 30 October. A warm welcome to him!

Please pray for the repose of the souls of William Moore, (brother of Msgr Michael Moore) and **Roger Barnabe,** (father of Jeannine Pistawaka) who passed away last week. Condolences to their families.

Throughout November, we pray for all departed souls. You can write the name(s) of those you wish to remember, and place them in the urn or you can email reserve@stignatius.ca Write "Deceased Person" in the subject line. Names will be placed in the Remembrance urn and prayed for during November.

Sharing God's Gifts Appeal: Sunday 16 October through Sunday 27 November.

Theme: *With Generous Hearts.* Please pick up the brochure at the back of the church.

To view the appeal video, go to https://youtu.be/as_eHp24buM

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) program runs from 25 October through Easter Sunday. Meetings start Tuesdays at 7pm for 90 minutes in the Education Centre, and then move to Zoom for the winter months. You will be introduced to the major areas of the faith, the sacraments, moral theology, and the cultural practice of Catholicism. You may then decide to receive the sacraments at the Easter Vigil. For info, contact Fr Con, fr.mulvihill@stignatius.ca

Knights of Columbus Initiatives

- **Movie Night: *Father Stu*, Friday 18 November** in the Parish Hall; Snacks & refreshments at 6:30pm, movie at 7pm. Free (donations accepted); Adults only due to language content. Child care available.
- **Next Rosary Prayer: Sunday 27 November** immediately after 11:00am Mass. Bring your rosary.
- **"Coffee and Donuts" Time has resumed** after 9:30 and 11:00am Sunday Masses.
- **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.

St Ignatius Toastmasters resumes in-person meetings Wednesday 2 November, 7pm to 8:30pm in the Loyola Lounge. Theme: "Active Listening." Attendance free; guests welcome. Info: email sarah_gleon@yahoo.ca

Monday Morning Prayer Group meets weekly at 11:30am in the Education Centre.

Mother's Prayer Group meets weekly, Tuesdays at 11:45am in the Chapel. All are welcome.

HELP NEEDED

- **Development & Peace** seeks new members to help plan and carry out the Fall Campaign. Contact John Conci, [204-488-8474](tel:204-488-8474) or jconci@shaw.ca
- **The Ed Centre needs bookcases, and seeks a volunteer seamster** to sew slip covers for armchairs. Please contact Carmela, adult.education@stignatius.ca

REFLECTION

The Dead (All Saints Day)

*But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom
and possess the kingdom forever – forever and ever. (Daniel 7:18)*

The dead do not walk and ravage flesh and trample
do not haunt us into mimicking their traditions
and repeating their creeds until our numb tongues
stop tasting spice and heat and sour and now

The dead do not sit impatient judging us from next Thursday
or from some ill-calculated millennial crashing horizon
wondering if we will ever figure it out and solve the puzzle
as well as they did in their spurt of energized entropy on earth

The dead sing to us their layered madrigals of mettle
that we will listen to their small triumphs of concrete love
and sympathize with their incarnate suffering without verdict
welcoming what shards of their wisdom survived modernity

These holy ones draw us into the future with silk string tugs
urging us to feel the gentle pull even now in this still and stuck day
swamping our hearts with this one mystery that floods us all
the finite bears the infinite, even their and our wrecked finitudes

So on this point the Bible is surely wrong about the future
that there will be no more tears in the holy city
their eyes water the river of life with joy overflowing
as they sit with us already sipping wine on the downtown shore

– Rev Michael Coffey (Pastor, First English Lutheran Church, Austin, TX),
*Mystery without Rhyme or Reason:
Poetic Reflections on the Revised Common Lectionary*

FINANCIAL REPORT

Sharing God's Gifts Archdiocesan Collection (SGG): Our assessment for 2022 is \$65,582, of which we still owe \$53,101. 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 October 17th to October 23rd: To our combined regular Sunday collections in support of our Parish, including school and church expenses, you gave \$12,114. For Sharing God's Gifts you gave \$480. For Agape Table you gave \$20. For the Refugee Fund you gave \$35 (Ukrainian) plus \$15 (Afghan). 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

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Bookkeeper: Eva Dunlao, controller@stignatius.ca
ST IGNATIUS SCHOOL <i>Nursery-Grade 8: full curriculum in a Catholic environment for registered parishioners' children.</i> www.stignatius.mb.ca or 204-475-1386 Principal: Jeannine Pistawka, Admin Assistant: Joy Pollreis
Adult Education Centre & Lending Library: 204-453-9243 or adult.education@stignatius.ca Co-ordinator: Carmela Castellano Sinclair
Operations Manager: Bob Pistawka operations@stignatius.ca

SACRAMENTS, FORMATION, & ACTIVITIES

BAPTISM OF CHILDREN For the preparation program, phone four months before child's birth
SUNDAY SCHOOL for ages 3 through Grade 8. 10:55am-12 Noon
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 the Office, 204-474-2351
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS normally meet 1 st Monday each month at 7:30pm