# The Community of **St Ignatius**

Winnipeg, MB

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# On-line Parish Bulletin for 2023-04-30

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter World Day of Prayer for Vocations

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The Good Shepherd (John 10)

# **Regular Mass Schedule**

- Monday through Saturday: 11am\*
- **Saturday: 5pm** (meets Sunday obligation)
- Sunday: 9:30am and 11:00am\* \* live-streamed

Wearing a mask is strongly recommended at all regular Masses.

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

Readings: 4th	<b>Sunday of Easter (A</b>	4)
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First Reading Acts 2: 14a, 36b-41

**Epistle:** 1 Peter 2: 20b-25 **Gospel:** John 10: 1-10

# Mass Intentions for the Week of May 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> (will be honoured during live-streamed Masses)

Mon	May 1st	11:00am +David Carter
Tues	$2^{nd}$	11:00am +Balbino Gonzalez
Wed	$3^{rd}$	11:00am +Gert Harrison
Thu	$4^{th}$	11:00am +Sergio Panfilo
Fri	$5^{th}$	11:00am +Pedro &+Benita Elefante
Sat	6 <sup>th</sup>	11:00am +Francis &+Olive Mendes

Masses are live-streamed at 11am daily from St Ignatius at <a href="http://stignatiusmass.from-ca.com">http://stignatiusmass.from-ca.com</a> (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 regularly 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 <a href="mailto:reserve@stignatius.ca">reserve@stignatius.ca</a>

Where 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**

**NEW** A prayer novena to St Joseph, being offered for the financial needs of the Parish, started Saturday 22 April after each 11am Mass, live-streamed at:

www.stignatius.ca/our-ministries/view/31/novena-to-st-joseph-for-the-financial-needs-of-the-parish/

# **NEW** Upcoming First Communion Calendar:

Sunday School students: this Sunday 30 April at 9:30am Mass

St Ignatius School students: Sunday 7 May at 9:30am Mass

#### **OFFICE NEWS:**

**Donations to St Ignatius can be made using a credit card** on the Archdiocese website at <a href="https://www.archwinnipeg.ca/donate.html">https://www.archwinnipeg.ca/donate.html</a> . Scroll down to the green "Donation" bar, tick the round box at left for towards "Parish," select "St Ignatius" as recipient from the drop-down box at right, and then complete the donor information.

**Jocelyn House 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Supper/Fundraiser, this Sunday 23 April, 5pm,** Fort Gibraltar (Saint-Boniface). Jocelyn House Hospice is about living at end of life – with dignity, comfort, understanding and peace. For info call Jacqueline, 204-799-6130; to buy tickets or make a donation, go to <a href="https://www.jocelynhouse.ca">www.jocelynhouse.ca</a>

# **Knights of Columbus Initiatives**

- Next Regular Rosary Prayer: this Sunday 30 April immediately after 11am Mass. Bring your rosary.
- No Pancake Breakfast in May.

Eucharistic Holy Hour for Vocations, this Sunday 30 April (World Day of Prayer for Vocations – Good Shepherd Sunday), 7:00pm, St Anthony of Padua Church (WK), 250 Burrin Avenue. Join Archbishop Gagnon and Fr Peter Nemček in this devotion. For info, contact <a href="mailto:pnemcek@archwinnipeg.ca">pnemcek@archwinnipeg.ca</a>

# Education Centre Programming: for info, contact Carmela at adult.education@stignatius.ca

- NEW On-going St Kateri-St Ignatius Parish Dialogue Series, Tuesday 2 May, 7-9 pm. The Story of Rooster Town, a Métis settlement dating from 1861, some of whose children were educated by our School. The last residents' houses were bulldozed in 1961 to make way for Grant Park shopping centre. To register, contact Carmela, 204-453-9243, or Thomas Novak, 204-287-8583.
- Building Bridges Between the Catholic Faith and LGBTQ+ Communities: rescheduled to Wednesday 3May, 7pm CDT via Zoom. Presentation by Fr James Martin, SJ. Contact Carmela.

# **NEW** National Week for Life and the Family, 7-14 May: Theme: Grandparents and the Elderly: A Legacy to Cherish.

- Tridiocesan Liturgy, Tuesday 9 May, 7pm Mary, Mother of the Church Parish, 85 Kirkbridge Drive, Wpg. Presider: Archbishop Le Gatt. Sponsored by the Archdioceses of Winnipeg & Saint-Boniface, and the Ukrainian Archeparchy.
- Go to *lifeandthefamily.com* for a resource package & materials for families.

Cookbook for Sale by St Ignatius School Spirit Council: Recipes from school families with dishes from around the world, illustrated in full colour. Copies available from the School Office, Monday-Friday 8:30am-4:00pm. Minimum donation: \$15.

## **REFLECTION**

# **A Prayer for Vocations**

Father, we are your People, the work of your hands. Grateful for the historic sacrifices of the Jesuits and other early missionaries who helped build our Church and our country, we pray for those whom you continue to call to serve the Church in Canada. In your unfailing love, call forth from among us many more ordained priests and deacons, and also sisters, brothers, and lay ministers: women and men who will dedicate their lives to building your Kingdom. Inspire these, your servants, to respond to their vocations with generosity and courage; grant them the vision to inspire your People to respond, in our turn, to the presence of your Spirit among us. Faithful to the Gospel and the hope of Jesus Christ, may we then dry the tears of those who mourn, give hope to those in despair, and rejoice in your steadfast love – and so as a Church, announce glad tidings to the poor proclaim liberty to captives, set prisoners free, and help renew the face of the earth.

-- collected and adapted from source materials on the USCCB website.

# FINANCIAL REPORT

Sharing God's Gifts Archdiocesan Collection (SGG): Our assessment for 2022 is \$65,582, of which we still owe \$26,841. 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 April 17**<sup>th</sup> **to April 23**<sup>rd</sup>: To our combined regular Sunday collections in support of our Parish, including school and church expenses, you gave \$4,894. For *Sharing God's Gifts* you gave \$534. For the Poor Box you gave \$39. Thank you for your generosity!

Contributions made through PAC and PayPal are monitored separately by the bookkeeper, Eva ( *controller@stignatius.ca* ). For the period April 1<sup>st</sup> to April 15<sup>th</sup>, these totaled \$11,054.

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**

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

Served by:

Pastor: Frank Obrigewitsch, SJ

Assoc Pastor: Con Mulvihill, SJ and John Perry, SJ

Office: office@stignatius.ca, 204-474-2351

Walk-in hours limited.

Admin Assistant: Indira Rampersad

**Bookkeeper:** Eva Dunlao, controller@stignatius.ca

## ST IGNATIUS SCHOOL

Nursery-Grade 8: full curriculum in a Catholic environment for registered parishioners' children. 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

**Director:** 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.

#### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

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

#### **PRAYER GROUPS**

- Healing Prayer Ministry: call the Office, 204-474-2351
- 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.