

The Community of **St Ignatius**

Winnipeg, MB

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On-line Parish Bulletin for 2023-06-25 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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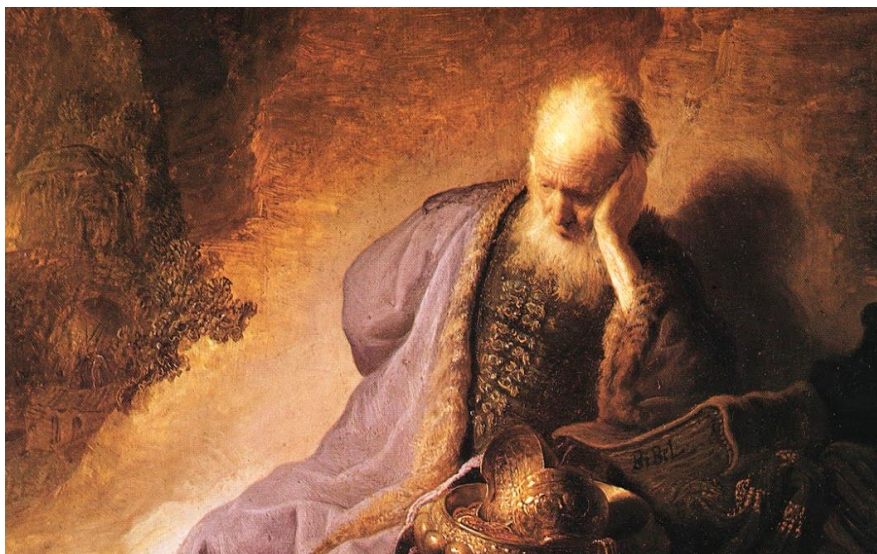
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Jeremiah lamenting the destruction of Jerusalem

(Lamentations 1-2: attributed to Jeremiah); painting (1630) by Rembrandt

Readings: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

First Reading Jeremiah 20: 10-13

Epistle: Romans 5: 12-15

Gospel: Matthew 10: 26-33

Mass Intentions for the Week of June 26th – July 1st (will be honoured during live-streamed Masses)

Mon	June	26 th	11:00am	Len & Carole Sitter (53 rd Wedd Anniv)
Tues		27 th	11:00am	+Serapion Arquillano
Wed		28 th	11:00am	+John Snitowski
Thu		29 th	11:00am	+Pedro & +Benita Elefante
Fri		30 th	11:00am	Spec Int: Bill Hrynkow
Sat	July	1 st	11:00am	Spec Int: David Carr

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.

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.**

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

**However, Friday and Saturday Reconciliations are cancelled during July and August,
as are First Friday Adoration and anointing of the sick.**

Reconciliation continues to be available by appointment Wednesday through Friday before or
after Mass; please send appointment requests to reserve@stignatius.ca

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/>

NEW Contributions to St Ignatius can be made via PayPal; you may scan this QR code: →



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The office will be closed at noon on Monday 3 July. Happy Canada Day to all parishioners.

Please give a warm welcome to Deacon Matthew Henzell, who will continue to assist during Masses this weekend, and possibly during weekdays for the coming week.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Msgr Louis McCloskey, who passed away last week in Charlottetown. Msgr McCloskey had served in many parishes in Winnipeg and Brandon.

There will be no First Friday Adoration and anointing of the sick during July and August. There will also be no Sacrament of Reconciliation on Fridays or Saturdays, until September. However, Reconciliation continues to be available by appointment Wednesday through Friday before or after Mass.

St Ignatius is looking for two new Trustees as part of a succession planning exercise for these positions: a CPA to chair Parish Finance Council, and a second person with business management skills and knowledge. Both are volunteer positions for St Ignatius parishioners working with the Pastor and reporting to the Canadian Jesuit Provincial. Should these opportunities be right for you, please contact Indira Rampersad in confidence at office@stignatius.ca -- Fr Frank Obrugewitsch, SJ, Pastor

St Ignatius Parish Finance Council needs volunteers to help steer the Parish's finances and resources. If interested, please email office@stignatius.ca

Technicians needed for Saturday 5pm Masses. Contact the Office, or David at techadmin@stignatius.ca

Please pray for those who lost their lives or were injured in the tragic accident on June 15th near Carberry, MB – and for their families and friends.

The Refugee Committee thanks you for your generous donation to help our Afghan family of three, for whom we now urgently need to find a two-bedroom home or apartment, as they will be arriving in Winnipeg in one week. If you know of any available accommodation, please contact Saratha, 204 885 0551. Any further donations you can spare are always welcome.

Urban Retreats Garden Tour, Saturday 24 June, 10:00am to 4:00pm. Self-guided tour of beautiful St Vital gardens, rain or shine. Tickets \$20. Proceeds to support 1JustCity's West-End Drop-in. Also Tea, Craft, & Plant sale 10:30am to 2:00pm, United Church in Meadowood, 1111 Dakota Street. \$5 at the door. For info, go to 1justcity.ca/garden-tour

Knights of Columbus Initiatives

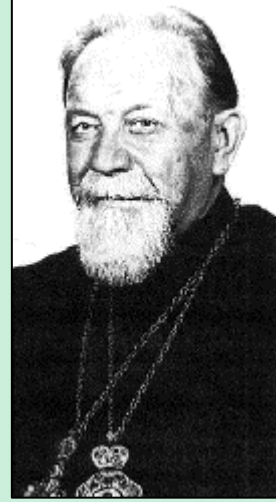
- **Rosary Prayer: this Sunday 25 June** immediately after 11am Mass. Bring your rosary.
- **Last Sunday 18 June was the last "Coffee & Donuts Time"** until September.
- **Sobey's cards are for sale** after Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses.

Christopher Pugh will be ordained to the Transitional Diaconate, Friday 30 June, 7:30pm, St Augustine of Canterbury Parish, Brandon.

REFLECTION

A Saint with a Winnipeg Connection: Blessed Vasyl Velychkovsky, 27 June.

Born in 1903 to a priestly family in Stanislaviv, Austria-Hungary (now Ivano-Frankivsk, Ukraine). Vasyl entered the Ukrainian Greek-Catholic major seminary in Lviv at age 17 and was ordained a Redemptorist priest-monk. He became a teacher and preacher of missions, and was Abbot of the Ternopil Monastery. He worked in the breach between Orthodox and Catholic Ukrainians, which was complicated by the conflict between Ukrainians and Poles in the region.



He survived the German occupation of Ukraine, but was arrested in 1945 by the Soviet Government. For refusing an “invitation” to leave the Catholic Church and serve instead as a Russian Orthodox priest, he was handed a death sentence, which was commuted at the very last moment to 10 years of hard labour in arctic coal mines. After his release in 1955, he served the “Underground Church” as a priest in Lviv, and was secretly ordained a bishop in 1963. In 1969 he was again imprisoned for sedition and religious proselytization.

By the time of his release in 1972, he was suffering severe health problems. He was exiled to Winnipeg, where he died in June 1973. Because his death had resulted from years of hard labour under harsh conditions, all due to his stalwart faith and service to the Church persecuted, he is considered a martyr.

On 27 June 2001 he was beatified (along with his older colleague, Blessed Martyr Nykyta Budka) by Pope John Paul II. In 2003, Blessed Vasyl’s body was found to be largely uncorrupted (which is taken as a sign of sainthood, especially among the Eastern churches). His intact remains are preserved at St Joseph’s Ukrainian Catholic Church and Shrine, 250 Jefferson Avenue, Winnipeg. Blessed Vasyl was recently proclaimed Patron of the Ukrainian Catholic prison ministry.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Sharing God's Gifts Archdiocesan Collection (SGG): Our assessment for 2022 is \$65,582, of which we still owe \$18,749. 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 June 12th to June 18th: To our combined regular Sunday collections in support of our Parish, including school and church expenses, you gave \$4, 832 For *Sharing God's Gifts* you gave \$1,140. For the Poor Box you gave \$12. Thank you for your generosity!

Contributions made through PAC and PayPal are monitored twice monthly. For the period June 1st to June 15th, PAC donations totaled \$9,215. No PayPal report is available at this time.

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

<p>ST IGNATIUS PARISH 255 Stafford Street Winnipeg, MB R3M 2X2 www.stignatius.ca</p>
<p>Served by: Pastor: Frank Obrigewitsch, SJ Assoc Pastor: Con Mulvihill, SJ and John Perry, SJ</p>
<p>Office: office@stignatius.ca, 204-474-2351 Walk-in hours limited. Admin Assistant: Indira Rampersad</p>
<p>Bookkeeper: Eva Dunlao, controller@stignatius.ca</p>
<p>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</p>
<p>Adult Education Centre & Lending Library: 204-453-9243 or adult.education@stignatius.ca Director: Carmela Castellano Sinclair</p>
<p>Operations Manager: Bob Pistawka operations@stignatius.ca</p>

SACRAMENTS, FORMATION, & ACTIVITIES

<p>BAPTISM OF CHILDREN For the preparation program, phone four months before child's birth</p>
<p>SUNDAY SCHOOL for ages 3 through Grade 8. 10:55am-12 Noon</p>
<p>CONFIRMATION for Grades 8-12: Enquire at Parish Office in September</p>
<p>CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA): Enquire at the Adult Education Centre if interested in joining the Catholic Church.</p>
<p>SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE Arrange 12 months in advance.</p>
<p>SICK CALLS: Request through the Office. Someone will gladly visit the sick.</p>
<p>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS normally meet 1st Monday each month at 7:30pm</p>
<p>PRAYER GROUPS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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.