

The Community of **St Ignatius**

Winnipeg, MB

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On-line Parish Bulletin for 2023-10-01

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Parable of the Two Sons by Andrey Nikolaevich Mironov (b 1975)

Regular Mass Schedule

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

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

Masses are live-streamed at 11am daily from St Ignatius at <http://stignatiusmass.from-ca.com>
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 is also 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/>

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

Readings: 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

First Reading: Ezekiel 18: 25-28

Epistle: Philippians 2: 1-11

Gospel: Matthew 21: 28-32

Mass Intentions for the Week of October 2nd – 7th (will be honoured during live-streamed Masses)

Mon	Oct	2 nd	11:00am	Spec Int: Cleda Reeves
Tues		3 rd	11:00am	+Andre Goussaert
Wed		4 th	11:00am	Spec Int: Michele Synnott
Thu		5 th	11:00am	+Antoine Guertin
Fri		6 th	11:00am	+Sr Christina Syrotynsky
Sat		7 th	11:00am	+Amalia Lopez



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OFFICE NOTICES

Regular Office Hours, effective September 11th: Mondays through Fridays: 10am to 3pm.

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

The Adult Ed Centre has reopened, effective September 11th.

First Friday Adoration and anointing of the sick, as well as the regular Friday/Saturday invitation to the Sacrament of Reconciliation, has resumed.

IMPORTANT Registration is still open for Sunday School for all grades. Forms are available on line and at the Office. Classes started Sunday 10 September. All children from K-8 should register for instruction in the Faith. Students access the Sunday School via the St Ignatius School entrance on Harrow Street.

Please welcome Fr Jean-Francky Guerrier, Haitian Jesuit of the Canadian Province, who is visiting our Parish from Saturday 30 September through Sunday 1 October. He will preach at all Masses this Sunday 1 October, and will talk in the Ed Centre at 1pm Sunday about “*Building the Haiti of Tomorrow: A Country of Hope and Faith*” on the current situation and state of the Church there. Fr Guerrier is Coordinator of Jesuit Projects in Haiti and is responsible for fundraising for the Jesuits in Haiti. Accordingly, there will be a special collection on this weekend for the Jesuits in Haiti.



NEW National Day for Truth and Reconciliation celebration, Sunday 1 October, 11 am, at the invitation of St Kateri Tekakwitha Aboriginal Catholic Parish, now at 265 Flora Ave at King (parking available in the Carpathia Credit Union lot, between Main and King). Traditional Indigenous ceremonies and Eucharist. Presider: Archbishop Gagnon. (Note: Sunday is the day after the official holiday).

Mothers' Prayer Group starts meeting in person this Tuesday 3 October after 11am Mass.

Knights of Columbus Initiatives: for all communications, please email koc@stignatius.ca

- **NEW** Monthly pancake breakfast this Sunday 1 October after 9:30 & 11am Masses.
- Festival of Friends pancake breakfast Sunday 22 October, after the 9:30 and 11am Masses, featuring an open house of Parish ministries. If you are interested in having a booth, email the Knights
- **NEW** Upcoming Rosary Prayers: Sunday 29 October, immediately after 11am Mass. Bring your rosary. You may submit prayer intentions to the Knights by email.
- The Knights are looking for business or community sponsors for our 2023 Christmas fundraising dinner. Please email us with any sponsorship opportunities.
- Sobey's cards are for sale after Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses.
- Coffee & Donuts Time” has resumed after both Sunday morning Masses.

IMPORTANT RCIA Program (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults): Tuesday evenings from mid-October until Easter in the Education Centre. For those interested in Baptism or Confirmation in the Catholic Church, or in learning more about the Faith. Participants and their sponsors meet weekly to prepare for the Rite at the Easter Vigil. For info, contact Fr Con via fr.mulvihill@stignatius.ca or the Office, 204-474-2351.

St Ignatius Spiritual Centre (Adult Ed Centre) is available for daily retreats, quiet time, and spiritual direction; meditation rooms, chapel, and library. Follow us on  [stignatiusparishwpg](#),  St. Ignatius Parish, Winnipeg, or contact Carmela, adult.education@stignatius.ca

REFLECTION

Getting to the Roots of Our Sin

[Today's Gospel passage] highlights the repentance of a son who changed his mind and obeyed his father. This is the way of Jesus. He wants a total renovation of our lives. He wants us to get to the roots of our sin and dysfunction, addressing not just the symptoms but the deep causes.

Perhaps your relational life or sexual life are dysfunctional; Jesus wants to root out the problem, not just change the behavior. Perhaps your professional life has become tainted by sin; Jesus wants to cut to the roots of it, in your pride or your fear or your ambition. Perhaps there is a pattern of violence in your behavior; Christ wants to get to the envy or the greed that lies behind it. Change your heart and turn to God..

– from "Getting to the Roots of Our Sin" by Bishop Robert Barron, in *The Word on Fire Bible*, p130, Word on Fire Catholic Ministries, Park Ridge, IL, 2020

FINANCIAL REPORT

Sharing God's Gifts Archdiocesan Collection (SGG): Our assessment for 2022 is \$65,582, of which we still owe \$6,966. 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 September 18th to September 24th: To our combined regular Sunday collections in support of our Parish, including school and church expenses, you gave \$4,519.

For *Sharing God's Gifts* you gave \$288. For the Poor Box you gave \$26. Thank you for your generosity!

Contributions made through PAC and PayPal are monitored monthly. For the period July 1st to July 31st, PAC donations totaled \$15,808. PayPal donations during July totaled \$2,544. For the period of August 1st to 31st, PAC donations totaled \$15,833. PayPal donations during August totaled \$2,000.

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 Summer Hours: Tuesdays-Fridays 10am-2pm 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 or 431-554-1504 Phone for Hall and retreat space rentals or use</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.