

# The Community of St Ignatius

Winnipeg, MB +

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## Online Parish Bulletin for 2026-02-01

### 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

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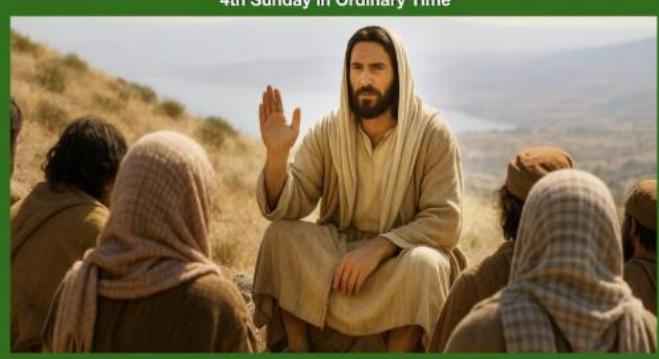
OUR FACILITIES,

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#### Regular Mass Schedule

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

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



#### Reading: 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**First Reading (Zephaniah 2.3;3.12-13)**

**Epistle (1 Corinthians 1.26-31)**

**Gospel (Matthew 5.1-12)**

#### Mass Intentions for the Week of February 2- February 7

(will be honored during live-streamed Masses)

Mon	02	11:00 am	(Spec. Intention) Gaspar Colombo (+ Purificacion Lomboy Casual
Tues	03	11:00 am	(+) Olivia, Francis & Ronald Mendes (+ Donna Masson
Wed	04	11:00 am	(+) Kevin Mc Garry
Thu	05	11:00 am	(+) Kim Gomez (+) Mateo Alegre
Fri	06	11:00 am	(+) Thiago Correa
Sat	07	11:00 am	(Spec. Intention) Bastian Jerez

Parish Offertory envelopes are available in the office. Pre-authorized chequing (PAC) is now the preferred alternative. However, if PAC is not for you, you may still request envelopes by calling the Parish Office, 204-474-2351 or by emailing [office@stignatius.ca](mailto:office@stignatius.ca).

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

**Reconciliation** on Saturdays will be from 10 am to 10:45 am and 4 pm to 4:45 pm.

**Reconciliation** is also available by appointment on Wednesday through Friday before or after Mass; please call 204 474-2351 or send an appointment request [office@stignatius.ca](mailto:office@stignatius.ca)

#### **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

There will be the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament every Friday in the Church from 9:45 am to 10:45 am followed by benediction. Please join us for a time of quiet reflection and meditation!

**Married Couples Valentine's Dinner - Saturday February 14 at 5 pm.** Limited seating available. \$60 per couple. Come enjoy a catered dinner, cash bar, and activities designed to grow your marriage from good to great!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Knights of Columbus Initiatives.

For all communications, please email [koc@stignatius.ca](mailto:koc@stignatius.ca)

- Grocery Cards - Sobeys (includes Safeway and Fresh Co) and Co-op gift cards are available for purchase after Mass. You get the full cash value of the card, and the store donates some of its proceeds to the church.
- Manitoba Inter Council Charities Drive Raffle - Buy tickets for your chance to win a \$30,000 Birchwood Auto Group voucher and thousands of dollars in cash prizes. \$5 each or 3 for \$10. **Draw date is April 11.**

### Spiritual Education Centre Hosted Activities: Carmela> [adult.education@stignatius.ca](mailto:adult.education@stignatius.ca) -204-453-9243

- **Jan 31**, 9-11 St. Ignatius Families join OGIIITA PIMATISWIN KINAMATAWIN in a Community Walk. Providing food and warm clothing to our brothers and sisters who are unsheltered. [jnormansinclair@gmail.com](mailto:jnormansinclair@gmail.com) to attend or make donations of items at the Spiritual Education Centre.
- **Feb 4th**. Building Bridges with Catholic LGBTQ+ Group Bi-Weekly Mtg on Zoom 3-445 pm.
- **Feb 11**, 6:30-8:30 Annotation 19 Spiritual Exercises Current Retreatants' Teaching and Spiritual Conversations.
- **Feb 21**, 10-3 Spiritual Directors Retreat Hosted by Fr. Peter. "Movements of Third Week".
- **Feb 24**, 7-9 pm Truth and Reconciliation Listening and Dialogue Series "Compassion as Action and Healer" by Mitch Bourbonniere . At St. Kateri Parish.

**Making Mass Matter – A Lenten Retreat** - Join us for a meaningful morning of reflection and renewal. Men and women are invited to a Lenten Retreat at St. Charles Parish, 320 St. Charles Street, on Saturday, **February 28, 2026**, from 9:00 am–12:30 pm. Led by Fr. Eric Giddins. Cost: \$20. Register by **February 25: phone Irene 204-837-3291 or Anna 204-895-2420** or email [annadesilets6@gmail.com](mailto:annadesilets6@gmail.com).

### Special Invitation: Mass for All Healthcare Workers & World Day of the Sick

**On Wednesday, February 11, 2026, at 7:00 PM, the five Catholic Arch/dioceses of Manitoba** will come together at St. Gianna Beretta Molla Parish (15 Columbia Drive, Winnipeg) for a special Mass of Appreciation. Celebrated on the 34th World Day of the Sick, this Mass is dedicated to honouring and praying for all those who work within our healthcare system, including doctors, nurses, caregivers, chaplains, and support staff. Under the theme "The Samaritan's Compassion: Loving by Sharing the Pain of Others," we seek to offer spiritual renewal to those who carry the burden of healing. Who is invited? All healthcare workers, their families, and the faithful of Manitoba. Healthcare workers of all faiths and backgrounds are cordially invited to join us for this time of prayer and solidarity. **Concelebrants: Archbishop Murray Chatlain, Metropolitan Lawrence Hculak, Archbishop Albert LeGatt, Most Rev. Susai Jesu, OMI, and Bishop Andriy Rabiy.**

**Special Presentation:** During this event, the Bishops of Manitoba will present the new pastoral letter, "Finding Solace in Faith." This document serves as a guide for Catholics on end-of-life issues, providing essential information on how to navigate these moments with dignity and according to our Catholic faith.

A fellowship reception will follow the Mass.

Those wishing to attend the fellowship reception are kindly asked to pre-register, to assist with

hospitality planning. **Register here:** <https://www.eventcreate.com/e/hcwmass>

Please join us to honour those who serve and to seek God's blessing for the sick and their healers.

FINANCIAL REPORT						
January 26, 2026						
Reporting Period	Envelopes	Loose	SGG	PAC	PayPal	TOTAL
<b>Week of January 20 to January 26</b>	\$3,180.00	\$615.00	\$1,474.00	n/a	n/a	\$5,269.00
Month of January 2026	\$16,082.00	\$3,012.00	\$5,085.00	\$18,194.32	n/a	\$42,373.32
<b>Month of December 2025</b>	\$43,420.00	\$5,937.00	\$9,445.00	\$17,504.32	\$9,555.14	\$85,861.46

PAC is updated on the 1st and 15th. PayPal is updated at the end of the month.

# THE CHRISTIAN VOCATION

Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time: Called to Union, Imitation, and Reward

## GOD'S GRACE & OUR CALLING

It is GOD who calls us by HIS GRACE.

Our vocation is to be in UNION WITH HIM through His Son.

It is due to God that you are in Christ Jesus.

## NEW IDENTITY IN CHRIST

Baptized into Jesus' life, death, and resurrection.

Reborn into New Life in the Spirit.

Adopted as CHILDREN OF GOD, heirs to ETERNAL LIFE.

## IMITATING CHRIST

To live in Christ is to imitate Him:  
THINK as He thinks,  
ACT as He would act, and  
CARRY OUR CROSS  
for love of God and others.

## THE BEATITUDES: THE COUNTER-CULTURAL WAY

Jesus' way is contrary to the world's values. Be HUMBLE, POOR IN SPIRIT, MEEK, MERCIFUL, PURE OF HEART, PEACEMAKERS. Embrace persecution for living justly.

## THE ETERNAL REWARD: LIVING IN HIS GLORY

Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.  
Seek the Lord, our Wisdom, Righteousness, Sanctification, and Redemption.

## WEEKLY CHALLENGE

This week, seek the Lord and take refuge in Him.  
May God give you all the graces you need to serve Him in love.



## Lent 2026

**February 18th**  
**Ash Wednesday**  
11:00 am Mass  
7:00 pm Mass



**Stations of the Cross**  
Thursdays at 7:00 pm  
Saturdays at 11:45 after Mass



Contributions to St Ignatius can be accepted by VISA, MasterCard, or debit card in the vestibule before and after Sunday 9:30 & 11 am Masses.

Contributions can also be made via PayPal; you may scan this QR code: →



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 Website: <a href="http://www.stignatius.ca">www.stignatius.ca</a>
<b>Served by:</b> <b>Pastor:</b> Fr. Daryl J. Miranda, SJ <b>Assoc Pastor:</b> Fr. Peter Bisson, SJ
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## SACRAMENTS, FORMATION, & ACTIVITIES

<b>BAPTISM OF CHILDREN</b> <i>For the preparation program, phone four months before child's birth</i>
<b>SUNDAY SCHOOL</b> for ages 7 through Grade 7 <b>10:55 am-12 Noon</b> <i>Lucy Vogrig &gt; <a href="mailto:l.vogrig@shaw.ca">l.vogrig@shaw.ca</a></i>
<b>CONFIRMATION</b> for Grades 7-12: <i>Enquire at Parish Office in September</i>
<b>CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA):</b> <i>Contact: <a href="mailto:office@stignatius.ca">office@stignatius.ca</a> if interested in joining the Catholic Church.</i>
<b>SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE</b> <i>Arrange 12 months in advance.</i>
<b>SICK CALLS:</b> <i>Request through the Office. Someone will gladly visit the sick.</i>
<b>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS</b> <i>normally meet 1<sup>st</sup> Monday each month at 7:30 pm</i>
<b>SPIRITUAL EDUCATION CENTRE</b> 204-453-9243 or <a href="mailto:adult.education@stignatius.ca">adult.education@stignatius.ca</a> <i>The Centre for Spiritual Exercises in Manitoba, lending library, meditation rooms, chapel, day retreats and spiritual direction, Adoration, Truth and Reconciliation and Building Bridges.</i> <b>Director:</b> Carmela Castellano Sinclair
<b>PRAYER GROUPS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Healing Prayer Ministry:</b> <b>Contact:</b> Office. <a href="mailto:office@stignatius.ca">office@stignatius.ca</a></li></ul> <b>Monday Morning Prayer Group</b> meets weekly at 11:30 am in the Education Centre. <b>Mother's Prayer Group</b> meets weekly, <b>Tuesdays at 11:30 am</b> in the Chapel.

