The Community of **St Ignatius**

Winnipeg, MB

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On-line Parish Bulletin for 2024-04-28 5th Sunday of Easter

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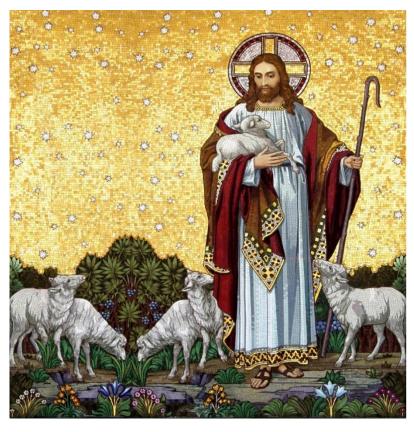
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Regular Mass Schedule

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

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

Masses are live-streamed at 11 am daily from St Ignatius at http://stignatiusmass.from-ca.com All who cannot attend are invited to join us on line.



Readings: 5th Sunday of Easter
First Reading (Acts 9.26-31)
Epistle (1 John 3.18-24)
Gospel (John 15.1-8)

Mass Intentions for the Week of April 28 th 27 th May 1 st -4 th					
(will be honored during live-streamed Masses)					
Mon	29^{th}	11:00 am	(+) Antonio Di Santo		
Tues	30^{th}	11:00am	(+) Angela Marino (yearly reoccuring)		
Wed	1st	11:00am	(Special Int) Lilli Ruschieder		
Thu	2^{nd}	11:00am	(+) Gerge Kitasz		
Fri	3^{rd}	11:00am	Pro populo		
Sat	4th	11:00am	(+) Werner Birkholz		

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

Reconciliation is also available by appointment Wednesday through Friday before or after Mass; please send appointment requests to oassist@stignatius.ca

- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament First Friday of each month: (10 am) along with anointing of the sick (during the 11 am Mass)
- Thursdays 11:30am to 2:00pm, in the Chapel; please sign up at the back of the church or email Carmela, adult.education@stignatius.ca

If you have cassette tapes recounting stories of the Saints, please drop them off at the Parish Office or contact Mary Hanson, *mehanson@shaw.ca*

Parish Offertory envelopes for 2024 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. Contributions can also be made through the website via PayPal or credit/debit cards.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFICE NOTICES

NEW There will be a training session held for prospective altar servers shortly following the 11:00 Mass on Saturday, May 4. Anyone who might be interested in altar serving at the parish is highly encouraged to attend. Parishioners of all ages are welcome. If you have any questions, please send an email altarservers@stignatius.ca, or feel free to contact Robin by email (robin.onoferson@stignatius.ca) or by phone (204-470-9301).

NEW St. Ignatius Refugee Committee - The young family from Afghanistan is doing well. We are looking for help in finding employment for the father of this family. He has a civil engineering background and is experienced in basic car maintenance but would follow up on any job leads. If you have a business, or know of a job opening, please call Monica Storozuk at 204-771-2453.

St Ignatius Parish Finance Council needs a candidate with a CPA to serve as Trustee for the Parish.

If you are able to serve your Parish in this way, please email office@stignatius.ca

Toastmasters Club: New - Calling all former St Ignatius Toastmasters! Please come and celebrate our Twentieth Anniversary of helping people grow, and learn to listen, speak and lead effectively - Wednesday May 1, 2024 at 7 p.m. We would love to share some cake and some stories!

RSVP to Catriona at catyou@shaw.ca or call 209-296-5734! See you then!

Knights of Columbus Initiatives: Farewell to Fr. Frank & Fr. Con Fundraising Dinner Saturday, June 8. Say "farewell" but most of all "thank you" to our parish priests in style! Tickets \$50, available from the Knights after Mass or through the parish office. Monthly rosary prayer Sunday, April 28, immediately after 11 am Mass. Bring your rosary. For all communications, please email *koc@stignatius.ca*

New Sandwich-makers wanted to enable our Knights to organize food for the Immaculate Conception Drop-In Centre for June 9th and June 23rd. Each Knight and other volunteer will be asked to provide 30-40 cut-in-half, individually wrapped, white-bread sandwiches with either ham & cheese; or turkey, egg or chicken salad (no peanut butter); plus 30-40 bags, each with 2-3 peanut-free cookies (store-bought or home-made). To volunteer, and for details about required ingredients and pick-up or drop-off, please email Malcolm Bird as soon as possible, at m.bird@uwinnipeg.ca or call 204-962-3320

Spiritual Ed Centre hosted activities: Handing on the Fire: Making Spiritual Direction Ignatian – Learning Circles for Spiritual Directors of 5 Wednesdays: 24 April, & 29 May. Via Zoom 7:00-8:30pm CST No charge. Attend one, or all of the series. Register with Carmela at spiritual.exercises@stignatius.ca

Spiritual Exercises "Come and See Event" Inviting all those interested in exploring the Spiritual Exercises: Spring Come and See Event, **May, 22, 2024, 7:00-9:00 PM at St Ignatius Spiritual Education Centre.** Participants will be invited to learn about the Spiritual Exercises and engage in prayer forms that will prepare them for the Fall program. Contact adult.education@stignatius.ca to register or call 204-452-9243.

Sing a New Song, Finding God Through Singing Workshop: Practice the art of unaccompanied singing in the community as an expression of faith and prayer. June 05, 2024. (7.00 - 8.30 pm) in the Chapel. Lead by Susan Bond, one of our cantors.

New Cinema Divina – viewing movies through the eyes of Scripture and Tradition. Sunday, June 2 at Holy Eucharist Parish Centre, 460 Munroe Ave. 6:00 pm – Potluck supper, 7:00 pm – Movie. This month's selection – For Greater Glory. Contact cinemadivinahe@gmail.com or 204-881-3150



Worldwide Marriage Encounter Non-Residential Weekend Experience. Friday October 18 - 20, 2024. St. Ignatius Spiritual Education Centre, 925 Jessie Ave. Winnipeg. Live Your Best Life in Love. Uncover the secrets to a lasting, supportive, transformational marriage! The Marriage Encounter experience helps you listen, share, and connect more deeply. There's no group discussion. It's just about the two of you learning Sto be the best, most loving, and thriving couple you can be. For more information doug.paulette.sutherland@wwme.or or stan.miriam.amaladas@wwme.og.

Marriage Tip: Sunday, May 05, 2024 "After the Ecstasy, the Laundry." Why am I doing the laundry every day? Share the load.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!!

2024 WINDOW REPLACEMENT

Phase 1 of the window replacement took place in the summer of 2023 when all of the upper windows in the church were replaced.

Phase 2 is scheduled for the summer of 2024. This is required window replacement to maintain our facility and control our energy costs. Project costs are \$33k and we need your help funding this critically needed work.

All donations are gratefully accepted. **Each window will bear a small plaque recognizing the Parishioners of St. Ignatius for their financial support in completing this project.** For donations of \$1000 or more, the plaque will recognize the name of the donor or be in memory of a parishioner(s) named by the donor. The names of all donors will be published in a special issue of our bulletin and listed on our website once the project is complete. And remember, all your donations are tax deductible! Donations can be made by cash, cheque, debit or credit card at the church office. Credit Card donations can also be taken over the phone. To inquire about this project or make your donation, please contact **Bob Pistawka** at operations@stignatius.ca or (431) 554-1504





Prayer for Peace in the Middle East

God of mercy and compassion, of grace and reconciliation, pour your power upon all your children in the Middle East: Jews, Muslims, and Christians; Palestinians and Israelis. Let hatred be turned into love, fear to trust, despair to hope, **oppression to freedom, occupation to liberation**, that violent encounters may be replaced by loving embraces, **and that peace and justice may be experienced by all.**

- Reverend Said, jesuitresource.org [emphasis added]

FINANCIAL REPORT												
Reporting Period	Envelopes		Loose		SGG		PAC		PayPal		TOTAL	
Week of April 8-14	\$	3,647	\$	470	\$	2,013	\$	8,979	\$	150	\$	15,259
Month of April 2024	\$	12,626	\$	1,734	\$	4,801	\$	18,374	\$	2,090	\$	39,625
Month of March 2024	\$	34,716	\$	4,007	\$	6,487	\$	19,191	\$	2,893	\$	67,294

Note: PAC and PayPal are reported on the 15th and the last day of the month.

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

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255 Stafford Street, Winnipeg, MB

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Served by:

Pastor: Frank Obrigewitsch, SJ **Assoc Pastors:** Con Mulvihill, SJ

Office: <u>office@stignatius.ca</u>, 204-474-2351 Hours: Mondays-Fridays 10 am-3 pm **Admin Assistant:** Abdullah Erfan

Bookkeeper: Eva Dunlao, <u>controller@stignatius.ca</u>

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

SPIRITUAL EDUCATION CENTRE (formerly Adult Ed

Centre) 204-453-9243 or adult.education@stignatius.ca lending library; meditation rooms & chapel available for daily retreats, quiet time, and spiritual direction.

Stignatiusparishwpg St.Ignatius Parish Winnipeg Director: Carmela Castellano Sinclair

Operations Manager: Bob Pistawka

operations@stignatius.ca or 431-554-1504 Phone for Hall and retreat space rentals or use

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.

10:55 am-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 7:30 pm

PRAYER GROUPS

- Healing Prayer Ministry: call the Office, 204-474-2351
- Monday Morning Prayer Group meets weekly at 11:30 am in the Education Centre.
- Mother's Prayer Group meets weekly, Tuesdays at 11:45 am in the Chapel.