

BAPTISM OF CHILDREN

For the preparation program, phone four months before child's birth



SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:55am-12 Noon

Program for 3- & 4- year-olds
Grades K-8 Program
for the children of registered parishioners



CONFIRMATION

For Grades 8-12: Enquire at the Parish Office in September



YOUTH EVENTS

Lynne, youth@stignatius.ca



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.



PRAYER, REFLECTION, &

LEARNING: in the Chapel, Mon-Thurs 11:30am-4:00pm



HEALING PRAYER

MINISTRY: for prayer, call Valerie, :204-453-9243



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

meet 1st Monday each month at 7:30pm

Readings: 3rd Sunday in Lent (B)

1st Reading	2nd Reading	Gospel
Exodus 20: 1-17	1 Corinthians 1: 18, 22- 25	John 2: 13-25

Love for God and Justice for Others

The Ten Commandments [as handed down in today's Exodus reading] are to be understood as the terms of the relationship between God and Israel, redeemer and redeemed.... Commandments One, Two and Three concern the proper attitude and conduct with regard to the believer's relationship with God. While the first statute is clearly monotheistic, strict monotheism did not prevail until the age of the classical prophets.... Evidently, the prohibition against images was taken seriously, because in all the archaeological digs done in Israel, not one likeness of God



Moses receives the Ten Commandments by Marc Chagall

was ever excavated. As for taking God's name in vain, this law was interpreted in the extreme.... Commandments Four through Ten legislate proper conduct in interpersonal relationships. In each precept, the values upon which a healthy and holy society is founded are safeguarded:... family (4); life (5), marriage and fidelity (6); property rights (7); truthfulness (8); home and hearth (9 and 10).

It is significant that these [last] seven commandments were on a par with the first three. [Jesus] summed up all the commandments succinctly: "Love God; love your neighbor as yourself." From what we read in the prophets, it seems they were of a similar mind. Amos (5:21-24) and Hosea (6:4-6) correlated Israel's love and respect for God with the justice that was due to others. Without social justice, they claimed, worship was a sham and God was ill-served. Jesus, too, would be heard berating those who dove through loopholes in the law to find an excuse for neglecting their social responsibilities (Mark 7:10-12). A similar aberration of basic values and an authentic religious spirit prompted the action of Jesus – [cleansing the temple of commercial activity] – that is portrayed in today's Gospel.

– Celebration (excerpted/paraphrased)

ST IGNATIUS PARISH

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Served by:

Pastor: Frank Obrigewitsch, SJ
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ST IGNATIUS SCHOOL

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

Principal: Jeannine Pistawka
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204-475-1386
www.stignatius.mb.ca

Adult Education Centre

& Lending Library: 204-453-9243

Co-ordinator: Valerie Forrest
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Buildings & Grounds

Maintenance

Manager: Chris Janes
maintenance@stignatius.ca

The Community of
St Ignatius



"Take these things out of here! Stop making my Father's house a marketplace." (John 2)
Painting by Boris Olshansky

4 March 2018
3rd Sunday in Lent

WEEKEND MASSES		WEEKDAY MASSES	
Saturday:	5:00pm	Mon:	7:15am (& Communion Service 11am)
Sunday:	8:00am	Tues-Sat:	11:00am
	9:30am	SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION	
(Spanish)	11:00am	Fri Mar 9 th	4:00 - 5:00pm Fr Newman
	3:40pm	Sat 10 th	9:45 - 10:45am Fr Obrigewitsch
	8:30pm	Fri 16 th	4:00 - 5:00pm Fr Obrigewitsch
		Sat 17 th	9:00 - 11:00 am Fr Boutilier

4 March 2018 – 3rd Sunday in Lent (B)

Reflections of the Pastor: Please read the Reflections of our Pastor, Father Frank, enclosed with this bulletin and available on the Parish website.

2017 Income Tax Receipts are available for pick-up at the back of the church after all Masses, or at the Office on weekdays. Please save the Parish the postage cost by picking up yours soon.

Development & Peace News



Development & Peace 2018 ShareLent Campaign: *Together for Peace.*

During this 3rd week, we meet Benjamin, a community leader who received training from the Social and Economic Rights Action Centre, a Development and Peace partner in Nigeria. He works to defend the rights of poor communities fractured by forced evictions that are carried out violently – without consultation, compensation, or replacement housing. He helps victims to resist – through peaceful dialogue – these violations of their rights. This year, we invite you to join D&P’s monthly giving program, Share Year-Round. You will find brochures about the program as you leave the church.

Stations of the Cross, Friday 23 March, 5:30pm, (just before each Knights of Columbus Fish Fry). Theme: *Together for Peace*. Everyone is welcome. If you would like to read or participate in the procession, contact John Conci 204-488-8474.

Youth Event: Thinkfast, a 25-hour Fast, Saturday 17 March, 10am through Sunday 18 March, 11am. All teenagers welcome. Donation forms available at the back of the church.

Liturgy Ministry Retreat: Three evenings, 7-8:30pm: Wednesday 14 March, Thursday 15 March, and Friday 16 March. We will be using Bishop Barron’s Video series. To register contact Val at the Education Centre, 204-453-9243 or online.

Knights of Columbus News



Grocery Gift Cards, which can be used at Co-op, Sobey’s, Safeway, and IGA (\$25, \$50, & \$100 denominations) are on sale by our Knights each week after all Masses in the vestibule at the back of the church and in the hall. Cash or debit card only, please.

Parish Fish Fry, Friday 23 March, 6-8pm in the Parish Hall. Tickets available at the office or from any Knight – Adults: \$10; Children 12 and under: no charge. Free child-care available.

Next pancake Breakfast: 18 March.

Financial Report

Sharing God’s Gifts Update (Archdiocesan Collection): Our assessment for 2018 is \$58,380, of which we still owe \$47,153. We have begun our series of second collections, which will continue on alternate Sundays. 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.

St Ignatius Statement for this week: To our regular Sunday, collection you gave \$12,005 in support of our Parish, including school and church expenses. To Sharing God’s Gifts you gave \$1,840. To Agape and the Poor Box you gave \$38. Thank you for your generosity.

Please consider using Pre-Authorized Payments (PAC) for your contributions to the church: an easy way to donate. **To start a new PAC or increase an existing one, please fill out a form available from the Office.**

Gardening Again in Garden Hill: Social Enterprises and Reconciliation: Community Health & Wellbeing Program, Wednesday 7 March 1:30pm, Temple Shalom, 1077 Grant Ave presented by Shaun Loney. All are welcome, especially those over 55. Admission & refreshments free.

Saturday March 17, 2018 – 9am to 5:00pm St Ignatius Parish Sacrament of Reconciliation Schedule:

TIME	PRIEST
9:00 am to 11:00am	Fr Boutilier, SJ
11am to 1:00pm	Fr Obrigewitsch, SJ
1:00pm to 3:00pm	Fr Newman, SJ
3:00pm to 4:00pm	Fr Obrigewitsch, SJ
4:00pm to 5:00pm	Fr Eduardo, SJ



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 1pm to 4:45 pm

Mass Intentions for the Week of Mar 5th – Mar 10th

Mon	Mar 5 th	7:15am + Fred & Eva Shirliff
Tues	6 th	11:00am Int Mothers’ Prayer Group
Wed	7 th	11:00am + John Mulhern
Thu	8 th	11:00am + Jose Macalinao
Fri	9 th	11:00am + Diane Prefontaine
Sat	10 th	11:00am + Tomislav Nikolic



“Destroy this Temple and in three days I will raise it up” (John 2)