

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 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.



HEALING PRAYER

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



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

meet 1st Monday each month at 7:30pm

Readings: 5 th Sunday of Easter (C)		
1 st Reading	2 nd Reading	Gospel
Acts 14: 21b-27	Revelation 21: 1-5a	John 13: 1, 31-33a, 34-35

BUILDING THE NEW JERUSALEM

I saw a new heaven and a new earth... and... the new Jerusalem coming down out of heaven... the home of God among humans... -- John 11: 25

In the Second Readings of this week and the next, we hear about St John's eutopia as he describes it in Revelation. John is imagining God's dream for creation. He is trusting that God gave humanity the vocation to continue the work of creation. John's ideal is a city, the fruit of creation *and* the work of human hands.

In his vision, the new heaven and earth do not appear until the former have passed away. That suggests that John is talking about something like a resurrected creation on the model of the risen Christ: a product of its history and yet thoroughly transformed. A unique characteristic of John's new Jerusalem is that, contrary to any other form of governance, life here will be structured only by the fact that God dwells within creation and creation dwells in God. This is a vision of evolution reaching its pinnacle, the realization of the full potential of every person and every part of the universe. Yet it will be as real as the universe in which we now live and move.

Another dimension of this vision is its mysterious open-endedness: "What we shall be has not yet been revealed" (1 John 3:2). There is always more to be discovered. John tells us about it so that we can try to imagine it, so that our belief that this new Jerusalem is our destination will reorient our lives from now on. We move toward it with every grace-touched activity that creates more love, more unity within creation, more union among human beings and between humanity and God.

- Celebration (excerpted/paraphrased)

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Served by:

Pastor: Frank Obrigewitsch, SJ
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204-474-2351
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ST IGNATIUS SCHOOL

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

Principal: Jeannine Pistawka
Admin Asst: Michele Lampertz
204-475-1386
www.stignatius.mb.ca

Adult Education Centre & Lending Library: 204-453-9243
Co-ordinator: Valerie Forrest
adult.education@stignatius.ca

Buildings & Grounds

Maintenance

Manager: Chris Janes
maintenance@stignatius.ca

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	
	11:00am	Fri May 24 th	4:00 - 5:00pm Fr Newman
	3:40pm (Spanish)	Sat 25 th	9:45 - 10:45am Fr Newman
	8:30pm	Fri 31 st	4:00 - 5:00pm Fr Obrigewitsch
		Sat June 1 st	9:45 - 10:45am Fr Obrigewitsch

The Community of St Ignatius



19 May 2019 5th Sunday of Easter

19 May 2019 – 5th Sunday of Easter (C)

The office will be closed on Monday 20 May for the Victoria Day statutory holiday.

Sharing God's Gifts: There is a collection *this* weekend.

Please consider celebrating Pentecost by wearing red to Mass on Sunday 9 June.

Retreats at St Benedict's, 225 Masters Ave. For info or to register, call 204-339-1705.

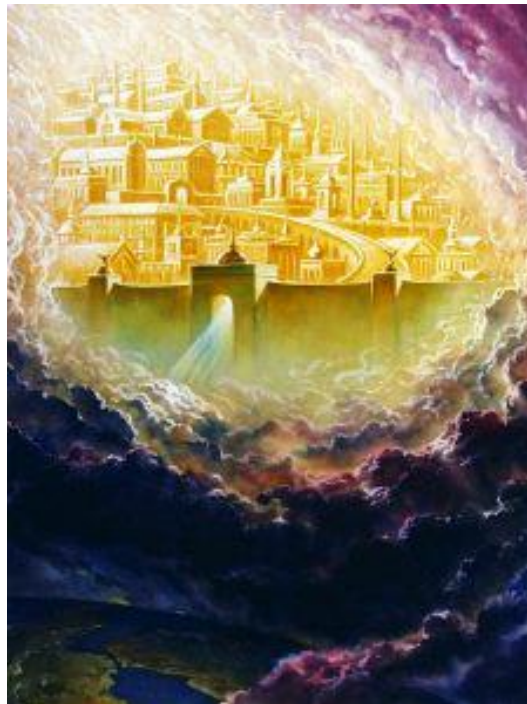
- **HeartSong Retreat for persons Living with HIV/AIDS, Tuesday 28 May 5pm to Thursday 30 May 6pm.** A time for rest, new friendship, and finding that you are not alone. New applicants fill in an application with your healthcare provider or at Nine Circles and send it to St Benedict's. Previous attendees must register with us but need not fill out another application. Free (subsidized by St Benedict's Foundation, Inc)
- **Thomas Merton Retreat, Friday 21 June 7pm to Sunday 23 June 1pm.** A guided retreat about the spiritual insights of Thomas Merton to help clarify our values and energize us to act in the world. Led by Bro Don Bisson, fms. Private room: \$260; Shared room: \$240; Commuter: \$150.
- **Jungian Spiritual Direction, Friday 21 June 9am - 4pm.** Introductory workshop for spiritual directors. Traditional Christian spiritual direction as related to Jungian psychology. Led by Bro Don Bisson, fms. \$80 includes lunch.

May Illuminate: Friday 24 May, 7:30pm, Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, 4588 Roblin Blvd. All invited to an evening of adoration, praise & worship, fellowship & reconciliation. For info go to www.illuminatemb.com

100th Anniversary Celebration of the Ursuline Sisters of Prelate, Saturday 1 June, Noon to 5pm. Cathedral of the Holy Family, Saskatoon. All invited. RSVP before 15 May by email to osu.associates@sasktel.net

Feast of St Ignatius Celebration Picnic, Sunday 9 June, in the school yard. Games for kids at 10:45am; and food served at noon. Please bring food items for the sharing table such as salads, desserts, snacks, etc. All are welcome.

"A new heaven and a new earth...
a new Jerusalem..."
(Revelation 21)



Financial Report

2019 Sharing God's Gifts Archdiocesan Collection (SGG): We take up our SGG collections every second week. Our Parish's assessment for 2019 is \$65,453; we still have to collect \$39,287. 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. Thank you for your generosity towards the various Archdiocesan ministries!

St Ignatius Statement for this week: To our regular Sunday collections you gave \$12,950, to the support of our Parish, including school and church expenses. To SGG you gave \$191. To Agape and the Poor Box you gave \$75. 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.**

Spiritual Milestones: Congratulations to the 44 students who were confirmed on Wednesday 15 May, by Archbishop Gagnon. Special thanks and appreciation go to their parents, teachers, and helpers who brought them to this important milestone. Please join us in praying for their continued spiritual development.

Important Notice for Groups and individuals using the Church Main Hall: For information about how to meet recycling requirements after events, please contact the Church Office, or Mary-Jane Eason of the Environment Committee, mjcookin@mymts.net

The handicapped washroom, located in the corridor to the Ed Centre is now available for use, and is only for handicapped persons.



Coin of St Paul's travels: Syrian Antioch, ca48AD

Mass Intentions for the Week of May 20 th – 25 th		
Mon	May 20 th	7:15am +Angelo De Grazia
Tues	21 st	11:00am +Antonio Chiappetta
Wed	22 nd	11:00am Spec Int Terry Cummings
Thu	23 rd	11:00am +Fred & +Eva Shirtliff
Fri	24 th	11:00am +Randy Koch
Sat	25 ^h	11:00am +Armenia Furtado