

BAPTISM OF CHILDREN

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



SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:55am-12 Noon

This year: First Communion, Reconciliation and Confirmation only



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.



HEALING PRAYER

MINISTRY: call Office, 204-474-2351



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

normally meet 1st Monday each month at 7:30pm – **meetings temporarily suspended.**

Readings: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

1st Reading: Proverbs 31: 10-13, 16-18, 20, 26, 28-31

2nd Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5: 1-6

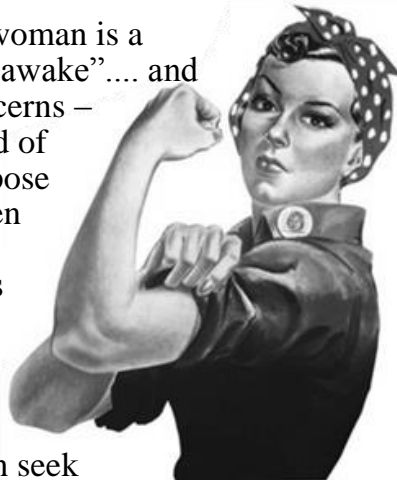
Gospel: Matthew 25: 14-30

USING OUR TALENTS... (Women included, of course!)

The three readings this week prepare us for the end of the liturgical year and challenge us to understand our life in terms of its ultimate purpose. We have all been given talents and time. Let's not bury them by watching the clock. One talent is estimated to be worth something like a million dollars in today's money, but demonstrating honest service need not be as dramatic as the task of managing millions.

Today's reading from Proverbs presents an ancient description of a model servant of God... a model we can imitate: a simple, honorable woman of industry and character... She simply fulfills the human vocation, transforming nature's bounty into goods for both her family and the poor for whom she cares as for her own. Her life and her works speak for her, encouraging those who know her to follow her example...

St Paul would say that valiant woman is a daughter of the day, a woman "awake".... and he wants us to reorient our concerns – [from our] own death or the end of the world – to the ultimate purpose of our lives. What happens when we identify love [rather than money] as God's most precious gift entrusted to each of us? God fills us to capacity with the gift of love, then sends us forth to invest it in every way possible. Rather than seek our own personal fortune, we multiply love by investing it in the community, inspiring others to do the same.



– Celebration (excerpted/paraphrased)

ST IGNATIUS PARISH
255 Stafford Street
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Served by:

Pastor: Frank Obrigewitsch, SJ
Assoc Pastor: Con Mulvihill, SJ and John Perry, SJ

Office: **CLOSED**

during current emergency
Admin Asst: Indira Rampersad
204-474-2351
office@stignatius.ca

Controller: Jan Hasiuk
controller@stignatius.ca

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

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Chris Janes
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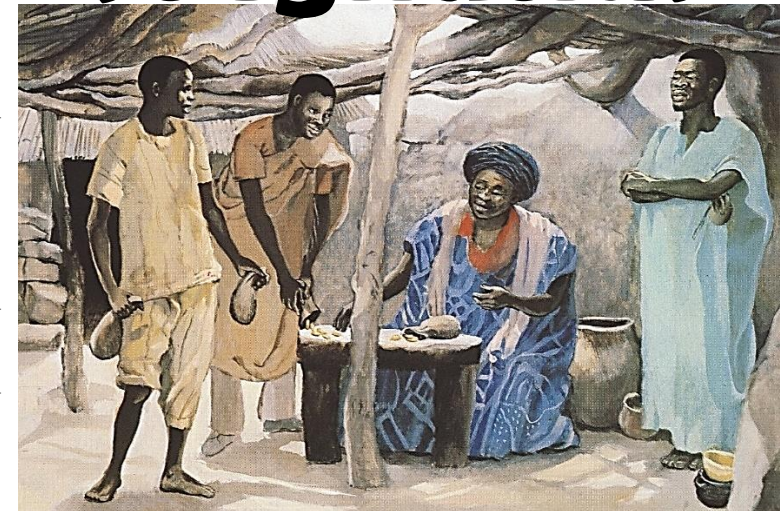
WEEKEND MASSES:

SUSPENDED during the Code Red condition of the pandemic
Masses streamed 11am Saturday & Sunday (Please see details inside bulletin).

WEEKDAY MASSES: LIVE-STREAMED at 11am daily
Temporarily closed to the public.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:
Temporarily unavailable.

The Community of St Ignatius



"After a long time, the master came and settled accounts with them" (Matt 25)
Painting by Jesus MAFA

15 November 2020
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

15 November 2020 – 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – (A)

NEW PRIVATE MASSES SUSPENDED throughout the Archdiocese

During the current Code Red condition of the pandemic, our entire schedule of public masses and church activities is suspended. The Archbishop has extended through [1 January 2021](#) the dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass in person. Private Masses continue to be celebrated daily without a congregation, and parishioners' intentions are honoured at each Mass. **Sunday and daily Masses continue to be streamed live from St Ignatius daily at 11am at:** <http://stignatiussmass.from-ca.com>

The physical Office is closed for the remainder of the pandemic emergency, but the Church is still here to serve you. Someone is in the office from 10 to 10:30am. We answer phone calls from noon to 2pm. Staff access emails and urgent voicemails from 10am to 2pm.

Throughout November, we pray for all departed souls. You can submit the name(s) of anyone you wish to remember by emailing reserve@stignatius.ca. Please clearly indicate in the subject line that it is for a deceased person. Names will be placed in the Remembrance Urn and those names will be prayed for during the month of November.

“Recovering Together,” the Development & Peace / Caritas Canada education and action campaign addresses the global crisis exacerbated by the pandemic. Please donate this month. Your generosity supports over 100 D&P projects in 35 countries in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Middle East. Make cheques out to St Ignatius Church, earmarked “D&P 2020.” Place your donation (in your own envelope) into the collection box outside the Administration Centre doors on Stafford St. Or go online at www.devp.org where PayPal is also one option.

St Ignatius Knights’ “PAC Challenge” deadline extended to 31 December. The Knights of Columbus challenge all St Ignatius parishioners to sign up for pre-authorized contributions (PACs). The Knights will match, dollar-for-dollar, the first two months of every new PAC and every increase over existing contributions from July 1 through December 31, 2020 up to a total of \$10,000! Now is the time to start or increase your PAC to help the Parish collect an extra benefit! To sign up, email the Parish office (office@stignatius.ca), leave a phone message at 204-474-2351, or visit the Parish website (www.stignatius.ca)

Canadian Jesuits International (CJI) Webinar Series. For more info, email cji@jesuits.ca or go to www.canadianjesuitsinternational.ca

- **Tuesday 17 November**, Noon to 1:00 p.m. (CST): Juana Potes, Programs Officer, Jesuit Refugee Service Colombia speaks about their work on behalf of forcibly displaced people there. Register via https://zoom.us/webinar/register/6616053003727/WN_mO_YFPm7Txik45cSIwczBQ
- **Tuesday 24 November**, 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. (CST): Fr Xavier Jeyaraj SJ of the Social Justice & Ecology Secretariat, Jesuit Curia, Rome speaks on *A Just Future for All: Resisting a democracy recession*. Register via https://zoom.us/webinar/register/3516053005835/WN_kEMnRpwZQsqYWJjbM0mSzg

Financial Report

2020 Sharing God’s Gifts Archdiocesan Collection (SGG): Our assessment for 2020 is \$64,220, of which we still owe \$33,520. 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 to our Archdiocese.

St Ignatius Statement for the period October 26th to November 8th: To our combined regular Sunday collections you gave \$20,478 in support of our Parish, including school and church expenses. To Agape you gave \$60. To SGG you gave \$1,389. Thank you for your generosity! (NB: For now, tallies are made every two weeks.)

During the pandemic, despite reduced office hours and restricted Mass attendance, the Parish still provides the Sacraments and other urgent services for those in need. While we recognize that some parishioners will be in financial difficulty because of the crisis, we ask you, **if you are able, to please continue donating** by:

- **placing your envelope in the new box at the back of the church** if you have reserved a seat at Mass;
- **dropping off your envelope in the new mailbox outside the Admin Office door;**
- **mailing in your weekly donation**, including your SGG contribution, to 255 Stafford Street, Winnipeg, MB R3M 2X2;
- **donating to us through PayPal** at <https://www.paypal.com/cgi-bin/webscr...>; or
- **switching to 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 or on line.

While the physical church building is temporarily closed to the public by order of the Archbishop, in line with provincial government health restrictions, private prayer in the church is no longer possible. Family prayer at home is recommended. The following websites, among many others, have prayer suggestions you may find helpful:

- <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/>

Mass Intentions for the Week of November 16th – 21st

(will be honoured during live-streamed Masses)

Mon	Nov 16 th	11:00am	+Agatha &+Guiseppe Cosco
Tues	17 th	11:00am	+Peter Knoedier
Wed	18 th	11:00am	+Angelo De Grazia
Thu	19 th	11:00am	+Kulikowsky Family
Fri	20 th	11:00am	Spec Int: Amanda Proctor
Sat	21 st	11:00am	+Janis Nix-Holmes