

# The Community of St Ignatius

Winnipeg, MB

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## On-line Parish Bulletin for 2022-05-15

5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Easter (Year C)

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**Sunday morning Mass Times  
now in effect: 9:30 and 11:30am**



*"And I saw the Holy City, the New Jerusalem..."* (Revelation 21)

St Ignatius is open for public Masses

✚ Wednesday through Friday: 11am\*

✚ Saturday 11am\* and 5pm

✚ Sunday 9:30am and 11:30am\*

\* livestreamed

**You are still required to wear a mask covering nose and mouth. If you are sick, you should refrain from attending in person.**

### READINGS: 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Easter (C)

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Acts 14: 21b-27

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Revelation 21: 1-5a

Gospel: John 13: 1, 31-33a, 34-35

### Mass Intentions for the Week of May 16<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> (will be honoured during live-streamed Masses)

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| Mon  | May 16 <sup>th</sup> | 11:00am | +Frank Vergata         |
| Tues | 17 <sup>th</sup>     | 11:00am | +Alfonso Alcuatas Sr   |
| Wed  | 18 <sup>th</sup>     | 11:00am | +Arlene Emboltura      |
| Thu  | 19 <sup>th</sup>     | 11:00am | +Janina Multan         |
| Fri  | 20 <sup>th</sup>     | 11:00am | +Tom Johnson           |
| Sat  | 21 <sup>st</sup>     | 11:00am | Spec Int: Kaylee Kozak |

- Masses are still live-streamed at 11am daily from St Ignatius at <http://stignatiusmass.from-ca.com> (and remain available on line until the next morning). All who cannot attend are invited to join us on line.
- When private prayer in the church is not available for you, family prayer at home is highly recommended. See the following websites for prayer suggestions:
  - <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/>
- The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available on Friday 4:15pm to 5pm, Saturday 10:00am to 10:45am or by appointment Wednesday through Friday. Please send request by email to [reserve@stignatius.ca](mailto:reserve@stignatius.ca)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

All events scheduled for the church hall and basement are postponed until September, due to flooding with resulting water and sewage damage.

**Volunteers Needed:** (If interested, please contact the Office, 204-474-2351 or email [office@stignatius.ca](mailto:office@stignatius.ca) )

- **Assistants to Lee Mencik** to help coordinate Lectors and Communion Ministers
- **Sunday School Teachers for 2022-23**, for all grade levels.

Please see Fr Frank's *Reflections of the Pastor* in your email inbox or on the Parish website.

### Knights of Columbus Initiatives

- **Next Rosary Prayer: Sunday 29 May** immediately after 11:30am Mass. Bring your rosary.
- **Sobeys and Co-op Grocery Card Sales** after Saturday 5pm and Sunday morning Masses. Pay by cash or debit to earn donations to our Parish from these stores.

**Waiting to Exhale: Ecological Justice for the Earth's Lungs. Webinar, Tuesday 17 May, 11am to 12:30pm CDT.** A discussion on climate change and the challenges faced by the people from the Amazon, Congo Basin and Boreal forest, ecosystems described as the planet's lungs. Sponsored by Canadian Jesuits International (CJI). [Register here](#) Speakers: Rigobert Minani, SJ (Ecclesial Network of the Congo Basin Forest); Laura Vicuña Pereira Manso, CF (Ecclesial Conference of the Amazon Region); Ron Thiessen (Canadian Park & Wilderness Society); Stephanie Thorassie (Seal River Watershed Alliance) For info, contact CJI at 416-465-1824 or [cji@jesuits.ca](mailto:cji@jesuits.ca).

**Ignatian Spirituality – One remaining introductory session Wednesday 18 May, 7pm on Zoom, followed by 3 Wednesdays 21 & 28 September and 5 October, 7pm in person.** The St Ignatius Ed Centre is sponsoring this series of sessions to lead participants into aspects of Ignatian spiritual practices, to help them grow closer to the Lord in scriptural prayer and become attentive to where the Lord is acting in one's daily life. If you'd like to consider the Spiritual Exercises in Daily Life for the fall, come to the introductory session this week, where we will cover attentive praying with the scriptures through Lectio Divina, the concepts of Consolation and Desolation, and the Daily Examen. For info, contact Liz Polakoff ( [lpolakoff@stignatius.ca](mailto:lpolakoff@stignatius.ca) ); Johnston Smith ( [jsmith@stignatius.ca](mailto:jsmith@stignatius.ca) ); or the Parish office, 204-474-2351 or ( [office@stignatius.ca](mailto:office@stignatius.ca) ).

**Rossbrook House Pow Wow, Thursday 19 May, 5:30pm**, 658 Ross Avenue, Freight House Field across from Rossbrook House. Rossbrook House children and youth have been practicing for weeks and learning cultural teachings from incoming Executive Director, Patricia Mainville and her son Matthew. All are invited.

**Helping Others Grow through Grieving starts Monday 6 June** – a four-week on-line course for people who are helping others find a way through their grief. Presenter: Jerome Herauf, MA, MDiv. Cost: four weeks \$80. For info go to [beadisciple.com/online-christian-courses/grief/ifd377-helping-others-grow-through-their-grieving/](https://beadisciple.com/online-christian-courses/grief/ifd377-helping-others-grow-through-their-grieving/)

**Sandwich-makers wanted** to enable our Parish to provide food for the Immaculate Conception Drop-In Centre on two more Sundays: 12 & 19 June. On each date, Knights and other volunteers will be providing 30-40 individually wrapped sandwiches and 30-40 bags, each with 2-3 cookies. To volunteer, and for details about required ingredients and pick-up or drop-off, please email Malcolm Bird at [birdman\\_bc@yahoo.com](mailto:birdman_bc@yahoo.com) or call 204-962-3320 (cell) or 204-421-0015 (home).

**St Ignatius Refugee Committee needs help for refugee families settling in Winnipeg.**

- **Afghan family:** We still need more funding for the family in peril for working with the Jesuits.
- **Ukrainian family:** the size of family we can sponsor depends on the funds we raise.

**Please send cheques payable to St Ignatius Parish** earmarked for "Ukrainian Refugee Fund" or/and "Afghan Refugee Fund." For info, contact Saratha, 204-885-0551.

**D&P Share Lent Campaign:** It's not too late to donate. Place your donation in the collection box.

## REFLECTION

### GLORY COMES IN LOVE

*When he had gone out, Jesus said,  
“Now the Son of Man has been glorified,  
and God has been glorified in him (John 13: 31)*

He drove the majestic boulevard  
his onyx black Mercedes shining  
his thoughts wandered from board room  
to stock rise and then to cabernets with legs  
  
his mind queried and raced and fumbled  
searching for something in him  
that could ascend and hover above the ground  
and find its way to the infinite light  
  
until his car stopped at the crash the death  
the injured child the woeful mother  
and he stooped and dabbed blood and tears  
took off his laundered shirt to bandage  
  
and swaddled the whole mess in his soul  
and sat and cried with those who cried  
and wiped the boy's filthy, naked feet  
and in a thin drip of light saw the glory

– Rev Michael Coffey (Pastor, First English Lutheran Church, Austin, TX),  
*Mystery without Rhyme or Reason:  
Poetic Reflections on the Revised Common Lectionary*

## FINANCIAL REPORT

**Sharing God's Gifts Archdiocesan Collection (SGG):** Our assessment for 2021 is \$52,515, of which we still owe \$7,740. 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. Thanks for supporting our Archdiocesan ministries.

**St Ignatius Statement for the period April 18<sup>th</sup> to May 1<sup>st</sup> :** To our combined regular Sunday collections in support of our Parish, including school and church expenses you gave \$13,222. To SGG you gave \$1,600. For the Refugee Fund you gave \$100 (Ukrainian), \$200 (Afghan). You gave \$350 to D&P. To Easter collections you gave \$2,345. To Agape you gave \$60. Thank you for your generosity! (NB: For now, tallies are made every two weeks.)

### OUR FACILITIES

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| <p><b>ST IGNATIUS PARISH</b><br/> <b>255 Stafford Street</b><br/> <b>Winnipeg, MB R3M 2X2</b><br/> <i>www.stignatius.ca</i></p>   |
| <p><b>Served by:</b><br/> <b>Pastor:</b> Frank Obrigewitsch, SJ<br/> <b>Assoc Pastor:</b> Con Mulvihill, SJ and John Perry, SJ</p>  |
| <p><b>Office:</b> <i>office@stignatius.ca</i> , 204-474-2351<br/>                 Walk-in hours limited.<br/> <b>Admin Asst:</b> Indira Rampersad</p>   |
| <p><b>Bookkeeper:</b> Eva Dunlao<br/> <i>controller@stignatius.ca</i></p>   |
| <p><b>ST IGNATIUS SCHOOL</b><br/> <i>Nursery-Grade 8: full curriculum in a Catholic environment for children of registered parishioners.</i><br/> <b>Principal:</b> Jeannine Pistawka<br/> <b>Admin Asst:</b> Joy Pollreis<br/>                 204-475-1386<br/> <i>www.stignatius.mb.ca</i></p> |
| <p><b>Adult Education Centre &amp; Lending Library:</b><br/>                 204-453-9243<br/> <b>Co-ordinator:</b> Fr Con<br/> <i>adult.education@stignatius.ca</i></p>  |
| <p><b>Buildings &amp; Grounds Maintenance Manager:</b><br/>                 Chris Janes,<br/> <i>maintenance@stignatius.ca</i></p>  |

### SACRAMENTS, FORMATION, & ACTIVITIES

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| <p><b>BAPTISM OF CHILDREN</b><br/>                 For the preparation program, phone four months before child's birth</p>                                    |
| <p><b>SUNDAY SCHOOL</b><br/> <b>10:55am-12 Noon</b><br/>                 This year: First Communion, Reconciliation and Confirmation only</p>                 |
| <p><b>CONFIRMATION</b><br/>                 For Grades 8-12: Enquire at Parish Office in September</p>  |
| <p><b>CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA):</b><br/>                 Enquire at the Adult Education Centre if interested in joining the Catholic Church.</p> |
| <p><b>SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE</b><br/>                 Arrange 12 months in advance.</p>  |
| <p><b>SICK CALLS:</b><br/>                 Request through the Office.<br/>                 Someone will gladly visit the sick.</p>                           |
| <p><b>HEALING PRAYER MINISTRY:</b><br/>                 call Office, 204-474-2351</p>   |
| <p><b>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS</b><br/>                 normally meet 1<sup>st</sup> Monday each month at 7:30pm</p>   |