

## St. Ignatius Catholic Parish

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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## **Weekend Mass times:**

Saturday 6:00 pm Sunday 8:00 am, 11:30 am, and 6:00 pm

## Weekday Mass times:

Monday-Friday 7:00 am Friday 6:00 pm Saturday 8:30 am Public Holidays 8:30 am

#### **Confessions:**

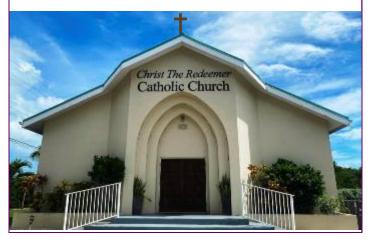
Saturday 5:00-5:45 pm

## Christ the Redeemer Catholic Church

Rev. Blackman Road, West Bay Phone: +1 (345) 949-6797

## Weekend Mass time:

Sunday 9:45 am



## Stella Maris Catholic Church

Alta Vista Drive, Cotton Tree Bay, Cayman Brac Phone: +1 (345) 926-5555 or +1 (345) 949-6797

## **Weekend Mass / Communion Service:**

See inside for latest updates



## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Ignatius Parish is a welcoming Roman Catholic Christian Communion. We worship God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, we celebrate Jesus Christ in the Word and in the Eucharist, we evangelise, we educate, and we serve as disciples of Jesus. PLEASE remember our Parish in your Will.

# WELCOME TO ST. IGNATIUS PARISH, AND A SPECIAL WELCOME TO ALL OF OUR VISITORS!





## **MEET OUR CLERGY (Left to Right)**

**Pastor:** Rev. Fr. Naveen D'Souza, SAC **Associate:** Rev. Fr. Anthony Fernandes, SAC

## **PARISH STAFF**

Religious Education Director and Youth Ministry Team Coordinator

Mr. O'Neil Miller

**Church Secretary** 

Mrs. May U. Ursua

#### OTHER CONTACTS

**Music Ministry** — Organists

Mrs. Sarah Bertran Mr. Albert Chin Mr. McAllister Fernandes Mrs. Rechel Latap

#### **Food Pantry**

Please contact the Parish Office

#### PRAYER MEETINGS AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

#### Rosary (St. Ignatius):

Monday through Friday in Adoration Chapel 7:30 - 8:00 am Saturday in Adoration Chapel after 8:30 am Mass

#### **Morning Prayers (St. Ignatius):**

Monday to Friday 6:40 am, Saturday 8:10 am

## **Prayer Meetings:**

St. Ignatius — Wednesdays 6:00 pm (English) and 7:00 pm (Spanish)

## **Missionary Families of Christ:**

Last Sunday of each Month 1:30 pm

#### **Faith Formation and First Communion:**

Sunday mornings, 10:15 am to 11:15 am (September to June) First Communion begins at 10:00 am. All children of the Parish are welcome.

#### Confirmation:

Classes are held on Sunday mornings, 9:45 am to 11:15 am (September to June) for students in Years 7-9 of High School and other High School aged students who have not been confirmed.

#### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Pastoral: Fr. Naveen, SAC; Fr. Anthony, SAC

Chairperson: Wil Pineau
Other elected members:

J.C. Calhoun, Blas Serrano, Blaise Ting,

Renee Caudeiron, Denise Delpesh-Morain, Ramon Rayos del Sol

#### **Commission Representatives:**

Worship: Angela J. Miller Evangelisation/Education: Tonja Wight

Stewardship: Elie Kozaily Christian Service: TBD

#### FINANCE COUNCIL

Facilitates the means for pastoral priorities and planning, Monitors and Maintains parish goods, and Communicates with the Pastoral Council on prioritizing resources. Members are:

Fr. Naveen D'Souza, SAC Frank Gallippi Angela Miller Jennison Nunez Deborah Kirkconnell Jasper Uy

Facilities Manager: Mr. Sambasivam Dhanasekar



## ST. IGNATIUS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Instaurare Omnia in Christo Phone: 949-9250

E-mail: general@st-ignatius.com Website: www.st-ignatius.com

Facebook: www.facebook.com/St.IgnatiusCayman

Principal: Mr. Simon Testa



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## January 28th, 2024 - 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## This Weekend's Readings

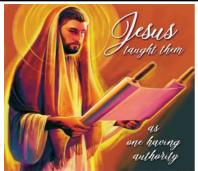
## **TODAY'S READINGS**

First Reading: Deuteronomy 18:15-20 Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:32-35

Gospel: Mark 1:21-28

#### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

"The People who sit in darkness have seen a great light; on those dwelling in a land overshadowed by death, light has risen." (Mark 1:15)



#### FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME- THUNDERBOLTS AND LIGHTNING

One of the most difficult duties of a disciple is to follow the command of Jesus to spread the gospel to all nations. (Lk 24:47, Mk 116:15, Mt 28:19) I think one reason may be that we don't feel we have the authority to tell someone else what to believe. Most of us don't think we know the gospel well enough to preach it. Or we are so afraid of offending atheists, that we use that fear as an excuse to say nothing. But being a disciple means following Jesus. The gospel this Sunday mentions twice that Jesus taught with more authority than any of religious leaders of Israel. So how can we get such authority?

First, Jesus didn't get his authority from winning a Messiah election. And he didn't threaten people with thunderbolts and lightning. He certainly didn't impress people by saying what they wanted to hear. He spoke the truth that he heard from his Father. His two main actions in his ministry were curing and forgiving people. Since the Jews thought sickness was a punishment for sins, by curing the sick and forgiving sins, Jesus showed that God loves even sinners. And those actions showed that Jesus got authority from his Father.

"But you still haven't answered the question: How do we get that authority?" We get it from the Holy Spirit, in Baptism and Confirmation. And like an athlete, who may be born with strength and abilities, yet has to work-out and practice to be any good, we still need to grow in that authority. One way is to read the scriptures and pray with them, so that we get to know God through his Word and begin to listen to him in our prayers. We can consciously decide to see God in other people, not just those we love, but everyone, even the ones who annoy us. (And especially the ones who challenge us to be more loving, patient and forgiving.) Most parishes have programs that encourage sharing your faith, such as RCIA, Christ Renews his Parish, etc. And of course, the Eucharist and other sacraments strengthen God's life in us. You'll know you have that authority

Christ Renews his Parish, etc. And of course, the Eucharist and other sacraments strengthen God's life in us. You'll know you have that authority when you can talk about your faith with confidence instead of hesitation, because you will be speaking from experience, not second hand knowledge.

Diocesan.com

#### SECOND COLLECTION FOR JANUARY

There will be a second collection taken up at all the weekend Masses January 27/28 to support the work and ministries of the Pallottine Community, the Religious Order of Frs. Naveen and Anthony. Parishioners are encouraged to give generously to support the community of Fathers that provide selfless spiritual leadership to our Parish. St. Vincent Pallotti, pray for us.

#### PARISH RETREAT—EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

There will be a Parish Retreat on February 09 and 10. The Retreat will be led by Dominican Religious Sister, Sr. Joseph Andrew, OP. Please come join us for the talks, reflections and moments of prayer.

#### REGISTRATION FOR FORMATION PROGRAMS

Inside this bulletin is information for different formation programs that will be starting in the next month or so. These include the **Beloved Marriage Prep Series**. Engaged couples are invited to contact the Parish office to register for the Marriage Prep Series if they're getting married between April and October this year. Also, registration for the **No Greater Love Bible Study Series** is now opened. It's a Lenten Bible Study, where we will reflect on the Scripture passages related to Jesus' suffering and death. There are limited resources available, so if you're interested, register early.

#### **BISHOP CEPEDA'S PASTORAL VISIT**

Bishop Cepeda will be visiting the Parish during next week. He will be carrying out a number of Pastoral duties, including the official installation of Fr. Naveen as our Pastor; the celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation and the Solemn Dedication of the Msgr. John A. Meaney Multipurpose Hall.

Wishing you all a wonderful week - Fr. Anthony

## <u>STEWARDSHIP: TIME TALENT TREASURE</u>

"How shall I make a return to the Lord for all the good He has done for me?"

- Psalm 116:12

## Offertory Collection for last weekend's Masses: \$9,038.38

- Your offerings can also be transferred to the St. Ignatius Church Butterfield account 02 101 031 260.
- Alternatively, cheques can be mailed to St. Ignatius Church, PO Box 2638, Grand Cayman, KY1-1102.

Thank you for your generosity and good stewardship for all that God has given you!

## MASS SCHEDULE, INTENTIONS, AND PRAYER LIST

## St. Ignatius Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday: January 27th

Fr. Anthony 8:30 am Denison Miller Fr. Anthony 6:00 pm People of the Parish

Sunday: January 28th The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fr. Naveen 8:00 am Steve Leftwich (Healing)

+ Francisco Xavier Fernandes

Fr. Naveen 11:30 am People of the Parish
Fr. Anthony 6:00 pm People of the Parish
Monday: January 29th St. Aquilinus of Milan
Fr. Anthony 7:00 am Shannon Azavedo (Birthday)

Tuesday:January 30thSt. HippolytusFr. Anthony7:00 amPeople of the Parish

Fr. Naveen 8:05 am High School Staff and Students

Wednesday:January 31stSt. John BoscoFr. Anthony7:00 amPeople of the ParishThursday:February 1stSt. Brigid of Ireland

Fr. Anthony 7:00 am Alexander McLaughlin (Birthday)
Fr. Naveen 8:15am Primary School Staff and Students

Friday: February 2nd Presentation of the Lord

Fr. Anthony 7:00 am Nancy K. Barnard

Fr. Naveen 6:00 pm Julianne Aurelio (Birthday)

Saturday: February 3rd St. Blaise

Fr. Anthony 8:30 am People of the Parish Bishop Cepeda 6:00 pm People of the Parish

Sunday: February 4th The Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Fr. Naveen 8:00 am People of the Parish
Bishop Cepeda 9:30am Confirmation Candidates
Fr. Naveen 11:30 am People of the Parish
Fr. Anthony 6:00pm People of the Parish

## **Christ the Redeemer Mass Intentions**

Sunday: January 28th 4th Sunday of Ordinary Times

Fr. Anthony 9:45 am People of the Parish

Sunday: February 4th 5th Sunday of Ordinary Times

Fr. Anthony 9:45 am People of the Parish

## **Stella Maris Mass Intentions**

Sunday: January 28th 4th Sunday of Ordinary Times

Fr. Naveen 6:15pm + Thelma Galbraith

Sunday: February 4th 5th Sunday of Ordinary Times

11:00am Communion Service

#### POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTIONS - JANUARY 2024

FOR THE GIFT OF DIVERSITY IN THE CHURCH

We pray that the Holy Spirit may help us to recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian community and to discover the richness of different traditions and rituals in the Catholic Church.

## Our Prayer List for the Sick

Dr. Joseph Ostroski
Tom Dunbar
Antonio Soriano
Eva Wiggan
Francis De Vera
Owen Henry



Twila Escalante Linval Webb George Webb

Barbara Man-Song-Hing

Carole Rozick
Pat Lynch
Eileen Ewing
Barbara Rutan
Olive Bodden
Kelley Ayres
Donna Hurlston
Jean Denees Brown-Afable

Jean Denees Brown-Afable John Michael Stafford Jesally Ebasan Rocamora

> Mike Carey Chris Jacaban Janet Pereira Trigger Black Jade Brown Afable



The LORD

Burns Rutty
Megan Stewart Greene
Mavis Hennings
Jennifer Scott-O'Sullivan
Anne Rodriguez
Tony Wood

Sarah Drebenstedt
Annabella Seaga Zia Mian
Casey Gill

Casey Gill
Craig McCoy
Walwin Clarke
Damien Reidy
Esther Tatum
Steve Leftwich

#### **IMPORTANT UPDATE:**

Please note that our prayer list for the sick was growing very lengthy, and some names have been on the list for a significant amount of time. As a result, any names that have been on the list for more than a year have now been removed. If any families would like any of the names reinstated, please contact the Parish Office via phone or e-mail. Parishioners are kindly asked to help us keep this list up-to-date by notifying the Office in timely fashion if any names need to be added or removed.

Please pray that the Healing Hand of the Lord touches all our sick, bringing consolation to the aged, peace of soul to the terminally ill, and strength to those who are young and all those in our Parish and families who are suffering. May all of them know God's healing love. We pray for all the sick not listed and those in hospitals. Please contact the office to add/remove names.

## PARISH YEAR OF EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL





## Prayer is response. But if I can't hear him?

The one who has loved us into being wants to dialogue with us.

Where does prayer begin? Not in us. Prayer begins in God. "The living and true God tirelessly calls each person to that mysterious encounter known as

prayer. In prayer, the faithful God's initiative of love always comes first; our own first step is always a response" (Catechism2467).

The One who has loved us into being wants to dialogue with us. The One who created us continues that creative act of love through a gift of unceasing communication by which he woos us to deeper intimacy with him.

One outstanding contemporary master of prayer, Ruth Burrows (Carmelite Sister Rachel) has written: "Prayer is essentially what God does. And what God is doing for us is giving us the divine Self in love. Christian prayer is nothing other than being present to God so that God can give himself to us. The essence of prayer must always lie with God's Self-communication to us; our part is merely a response."

In this respect, all prayer is Eucharistic: It is a way of being given over to God so that God can give his very self to us. This is God's chief desire. And we thrive on this communion. Without such supernatural give-and-take, we begin to wither. Our life loses its lustre. As a friend of mine expresses it, every moment that I am not begging for the Infinite is in some way a moment of despair. That is how crucial the response to God known as prayer truly is.

We do well to heed the words of one of the most ancient spiritual treatises in the English language, The Cloud of Unknowing: "You must nourish in your heart the lively longing for God. This loving desire is certainly God's gift; it is up to you to nurture it." And we do so very simply. "I keep myself in the Lord's presence by simple attentiveness and a loving gaze upon God" (Brother Lawrence of the Resurrection).

Prayer is response. But if I can't hear him? (aleteia.org)



## WEDDING PICTURES

Married couples, share a picture of your wedding day with us.

- It doesn't matter how long you've been married
- Pictures can be emailed to the church office digitally
- Physical pictures can be brought to the Parish office and be scanned by Parish Staff
- Pictures will be used in a slideshow to celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage on February 10 and 11 at all weekend Masses

## **Attention Stella Maris Cayman Brac**

**UPCOMING SCHEDULE:** 

Sunday, January 28th:
 Sunday, February 04th:
 5:45pm Rosary; 6:15pm Mass - Fr. Naveen
 10:30am Rosary; 11:00am Communion Service

• Sunday, February 11th: 5:45pm Rosary; 6:15pm Mass - Fr. Anthony (TBC)

• Sunday, February 18th: 10:30am Rosary; 11:00am Communion Service

Please check out the Stella Maris Facebook page for weekly updates and/or any changes to schedule:

https://www.facebook.com/Stella-Maris-Catholic-Church-Cayman-Brac-441278865976433/



Anyone who resides in the Cayman Islands for more the 6 months and is requesting letters for the purposes listed below, must be registered, at St. Ignatius Parish, and be active Parishioners at either St. Ignatius, Christ the Redeemer, or Stella Maris (Cayman Brac):

- Infant Baptism overseas
- First Communion & Confirmation overseas
- · Godparents overseas
- Permanent Residence and Caymanian Status References (must be active volunteers in Parish Ministries for at least 2 years)
- Bank References
- General Parishioners Letter
- Marriage overseas
- School Admission overseas/locally
- Sacramental Preparations locally

If you require a letter, and meet the above criteria, please give plenty of notice, as last minute requests may not be possible.

Please provide all necessary evidence.

Please contact the Parish Office by phone or e-mail if you have any questions.

## FAITH FORMATION CLASSES 2023-2024

Below is the **NEW** Faith Formation registration link for 2023-2024: https://forms.office.com/r/02AZZqEuxr

Faith Formation Classes will take place on the following Sundays:

January 28

No Classes on:

- February 04 Confirmation Mass
  - February 11 & 18 Half Term Break

## SAINTS AND FEASTS THIS WEEK

- Monday, January 29: St. Aquilinus of Milan
- Tuesday, January 30: St. Hippolytus
- Wednesday, January 31: St. John Bosco
- Thursday, February 1: St. Brigid of Ireland
- Friday, February 2: The Presentation of the Lord
- Saturday, January 3: St. Blaise

"The principle trap that the devil sets for young people is idleness."

St. John Bosco

## 'My Parish App' L

Download the St. Ignatius Parish app at <a href="https://myparishapp.com/">https://myparishapp.com/</a>, or by using the QR code.





# THE GROTTO GIFT SHOP

We are **OPEN** after weekend
Masses (right behind the
Adoration Chapel).
Rosaries, cards, gifts
and more in stock!
New items regularly arriving!
We look forward to seeing you!

## The Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel

**Dedicated on December 4th, 2016** 

"...could you not watch one hour with Me?" - St. Matthew

The Adoration Chapel is open daily from 6:00 am to 9:00 pm.

## We invite you to sign up for a Holy Hour!

If you have any questions please contact the coordinators, as listed below,

or via the Parish Office: 6:00 am to 12:00 noon:

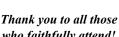
Moira Abbott: moirajmj@gmail.com.

12:00 noon to 6:00 pm:

Fay Anne de Freitas: fayanne@defreitas.info.

6:00 pm to 9:00 pm:

Lily Mc Laughlin: <u>lilygcm0859@gmail.com</u>.





## who faithfully attend!

## **List of Vacant Hours:**

Mondays: 2:00-3:00 pm and 5:00-6:00 pm.

Tuesdays: 3:00-4:00 pm. Thursdays: 12:00-1:00 pm.

Fridays: 9:00-10:00am, 12:00-1:00 pm, 2:00-3:00 pm.

Saturdays: 11:00 am-12:00 pm, 1:00-2:00 pm.

## **Scripture Readings for the Week January 29 - February 04, 2024**

Mon: 2 Samuel 15; 13-14, 30; 16:5-13;

Mark 5:1-20

Tues: 2 Samuel 18: 9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3;

Mark 5: 21-43

Wed: 2 Samuel 24: 2, 9-17;

Mark 6:1-6

Thurs: 1 Kings 2:1-4, 10-12;

Mark 6:7-13

Malachi 3: 1-4;

Hebrews 2: 14-18

Luke 2:22-40

1 Kings 3:4-13;

Mark 6:30-34

Sun: Job 7:1-4, 6-7;

1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23

Mark 1:29-39

See United in Christ Missal for alternate readings, or please visit www.usccb.org.

## **MASS ATTIRE**

Sacred Scripture — in Psalm 29, Psalm 96, and 1 Chronicles — calls us to "worship the Lord in holy attire and splendid in holiness", and all parishioners are asked to reflect on the way that we dress as we prepare to attend Mass.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS - PARISH/SCHOOL**

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Jan 28	Baptism after 11:30am Mass
Jan 28	Faith Formation Classes
Feb 02	Blessing of Candles after 7am Mass
Feb 03	Blessing of throats after 8:30am Mass
Feb 02	Dedication of Sports Hall - Bishop Cepeda
Feb 03	6pm Mass - Rite of Installation of Fr. Naveen -
	Pastor of St. Ignatius Parish by Bishop Cepeda
Feb 04	Confirmation Mass with Bishop Cepeda
Feb 06	OCIA Class in St. Ignatius Church
Feb 09-10	Parish Retreat: Eucharistic Revival
	with Sr. Joseph Andrew, OP
Feb 10	World Marriage Day Dinner @ Pappagallo
Feb 10/11	World Marriage Day Blessing of Marriages
Feb 14	Ash Wednesday
Feb 18	1st Sunday of Lent
Feb 19	Bible Study - No Greater Love Session 1
Feb 21	Beloved Marriage Prep - Week 1
Feb 25	2nd Sunday of Lent
Feb 26	Bible Study - No Greater Love Session 2
Feb 28	Beloved Marriage Prep - Week 2

## ALTAR FLOWERS

The Altar Flowers for this weekend, January 13/14, 2024, were donated by Neeta Azavedo & Angela Miller. Thank you!

The new sign up sheets are at the main entrance of the Church. All those who have signed up for flowers are reminded to please make the payment to the Parish Office at



least one week ahead of time. Cost is \$100. Thank you!

## CHRIST THE REDEEMER ALTAR FLOWERS

Eziethamae Bodden has sponsored today's flowers.

Thank you!

Please sign up to sponsor flowers!

The sheet is on the notice board. Cost is \$50 per week.

## **CONFESSIONS:**

SATURDAYS, 5:00-5:45 pm, St. Ignatius.



Website: https://ignatius.ky Phone: +1 (345) 949-6797 E-mail: Ignatius@candw.ky

## **SECOND** COLLECTION

A second collection will be taken at all Masses this weekend, January 27/28 to support the missionary works of the Pallotine Religious Order to which Frs. Naveen and Anthony belong. Thank you for your generosity.

## CONDOLENCES

We extend our sincerest condolences to our sister Magdalena Fernandes and her family on the passing of her brother

#### Francisco Xavier Fernandes

He died in Goa, India this past week.

May his souls and the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in eternal peace.

## **EDGE YOUTH MINISTRY**

Friday, February 09, 2024

Complimentary pizza and drinks!

All Youth in High School are welcomed!

Contact the Parish office for

## **BULLETIN DEADLINE**

Reminder that any announcements for the Parish Bulletin should be submitted electronically to Ignatius@candw.ky by Wednesdays, 12 noon each week. Mass requests must be made in person and paid for in the Parish Office by Wednesdays, 12 noon each week. A minimum \$10 stipend is acceptable, per Canon Law.

## PRE-MARRIAGE PREPARATIONS

Six months notice required and completion of pre-marital instruction.

Couples intending to get married are invited to contact the Parish Office well in advance and make an appointment to see the one of the priests and to register for the pre-Marital course.

Online Marriage Preparations have been discontinued.

Contact the Parish Office at Ignatius@candw.ky or 949-6797

to make an appointment, to register, and for further information.

## **WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!**



We welcome all those families and individuals who have recently joined our Parish! If you have not yet officially registered please visit our website at https://ignatius.ky/forms.

## SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

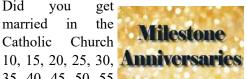
**Confirmation Interviews - January 30, 2024** Mass, Meeting with Bishop Cepeda and Rehearsal February 02 at 6pm Confirmation Mass - February 04, 2024 @ 9:30am

Keep our Confirmandi, their families and Catechists in your prayers as they journey toward their confirmation day. "Come Holy Spirit!"

## **MILESTONE WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES**

Did get married in the Catholic Church 35, 40, 45, 50, 55

or 60 years ago?



If you are celebrating a milestone Catholic wedding anniversary in 2024, we need to know who you are.

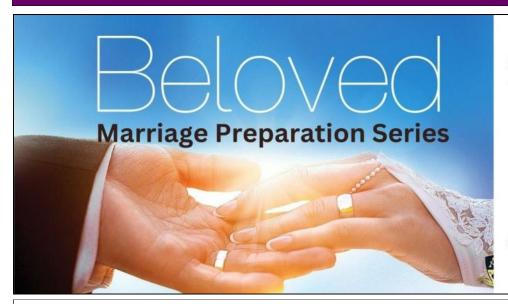
Contact the Parish office, so we can plan to recognize you and your spouse on February 10th at the 6pm Mass.

## **BAPTISMS**

Baptisms will now be scheduled on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month. Parents and Godparents MUST do the online course AND attend the Pre-Baptismal classes prior to the Baptism. The next Baptism is on February 11th after the 11:30 am Mass.

Baptisms normally take place on the second and fourth Sundays of each month after the 11:30 am Mass. **Baptisms ARE NOT scheduled during** Lent.

**Contact the Parish Office well** in advance for full details, to sign up for classes, and to book a date for the Baptism. Dates will only be confirmed after all documents are submitted.



for ENGAGED COUPLES getting married between April 2024 and October 2024 Dates:

#### Wednesdays:

February 21, 28 March 6, 13, 20 at 6:00 - 8:30pm

Saturday: March 23 at 8:30am - 1:00pm

contact the Parish office for more details: 949-6797 or ignatius@candw.ky

## **DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN ADS**

Don't Miss the Thank you to all those companies and individuals who have placed ads at the back of the Parish Bulletin over the past year! Any companies wishing to take out a new bulletin ad for the next year OR the next four months are urged to contact the Parish Office as soon as possible.

The annual price of ads is \$700 (for a 1" by 2.5" block) for the period from March 1st, 2024 through February 28th, 2025. Alternatively, the cost is \$250 for the four months March 1st -

June 30th. Any companies or organizations wishing to take out a bulletin ad next time we print the covers are urged to contact the Parish Office before Wednesday, February 7th.

## GOLF SCRAMBLE ON FRIDAY, MARCH 1st! REGISTRATION IS OPEN! Sponsors, Prizes, Volunteers Needed!

St. Ignatius Church and School will be hosting our GOLF SCRAMBLE on Friday, March 1st, 2024 at the beautiful North Sound Golf Club. This event has taken place since 2010.

## **REGISTRATION IS OPEN!**

It will be a four person scramble format, with a 12:30 pm shotgun start. Parishioners, parents, staff, students, and visitors are encouraged to play. The event will be limited to 88 participants. There will be lots of great prizes and food/beverages at the conclusion of the golf!

Cost is CI\$200 per player (or CI\$800 per team of four). The entry fee includes green fee, cart rental, buffet meal, awards presentations after the golf, as well as ALL EXTRAS (putting contest, raffle, mulligans, 50-50 contest, etc.). Registration is open now open! Send an e-mail to request a registration or sponsorship form! st.ignatius.golf.scramble@gmail.com.

## **SPONSORS** and **PRIZE DONORS!**

Please contact **Blaise Ting, Event Coordinator**, through the Parish office if you would like to donate any prizes OR if your business would like to be a sponsor for this event (sponsorships range from \$100 to \$5000).

#### **VOLUNTEERS!**

We need about 5 to 7 people to help out on the day! Please sign up using the above e-mail.

For further information, to register, to sponsor, or to volunteer, please send an e-mail or phone the Parish Office on weekdays.

All Parishioners are invited to the Formal Installation of Rev. Naveen D'Sonza, SAC as Pastor of St. Ignatius Parish

> Saturday, February 03, 2024 6:00pm Mass St. Ignatius Church



Celebrant: The Most Rev. Arturo Cepeda, Auxiliary Bishop - Archdiocese of Detroit



Monsignor John A. Meaney Multipurpose Hall

St. Ignatius Parish and School
cordially invite you to
the Dedication Ceremony of the
Monsignor John A. Meaney Multipurpose Hall
by The Most Reverend Arturo Cepeda,
Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Detroit
at 597 Walkers Road, George Town
on Friday, 2nd February 2024, at 9:30am

Kindly RSVP by Friday, 26th January 2024 rsvp@st-ignatius.com



Sacrament of Confirmation 7074

Sunday, February 04, 2024 9:30am St. Ignatius Church

Celebrant:

The Most Rev. Arturo Cepeda
Auxiliary Bishop
Archdiocese of Detroit



"Come Holy Spirit"

# EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL PARISH RETREAT



with Sr. Joseph Andrew, OP

February 09-10, 2024

TITLE: "Alive in Christ With Eucharistic Wonder"

## Friday, February 09

6pm: Mass @ St. Ignatius Church

6:45pm: TALK 1: "In Memoriam - The Wolf And The

Lamb Will Lie Down Together" (Is. 11:6)

## Saturday, February 10

8:30am: Mass @ St. Ignatius Church

9:30am: TALK 2: "Agnus Dei – Like a Gentle Lamb Led

To The Slaughter" (Jer. 11:19)

10:45am: TALK 3: "Mary – I Watched As The Lamb

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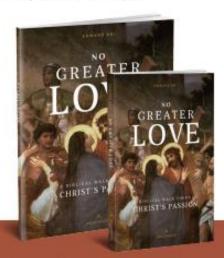
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February 14, 2024 Schedule of Masses

St. Ignatius 8am 10am

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Christ the Redeemer

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- 1. Donations of non-perishable food items or toiletries are welcome!
- 2. Supermarket gift cards are welcome (Foster's, Kirk Market, Hurley's, Cost-U-Less)!
- 3. Plastic and/or reusable shopping bags are always much appreciated!
- 4. If you prefer to make monetary donations our volunteers can purchase items needed! Food Pantry donations may be brought to the PARISH OFFICE or dropped off after weekend Masses. Please ensure that items have at least six months left before expiry

## **Items Needed!**

- Evaporated Milk
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"For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink." -Matthew 25:35

Together, as a community, let us continue making a difference in the lives of others!

## FEAST OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD - FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2

According to the Mosaic Law, the firstborn male child belonged to God, and the parents had to "buy him back" on the 40th day after his birth, by offering a sacrifice of "a pair of turtledoves, or two young pigeons" (Luke 2:24) in the temple (thus the "presentation" of the child). On that same day, the mother would be ritually purified (thus the "purification"). Mary and Joseph in obedience to the Jewish Laws brought the Infant Jesus to the Temple and redeemed him, and Mary, although she remained a virgin after Christ's birth, submitted herself for the ritual purification as dictated in the Book of Leviticus. While in Jerusalem, they encountered Simeon, "a righteous and devout man, awaiting the consolation of Israel", (Luke 2:25). He took the Infant Jesus in his arms, blessed God and prayed the Canticle of Simeon: "Now Master, you may let your servant go in peace, according to your word, for my eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in sight of all the peoples: a light for revelation to the Gentiles, and glory for your people Israel." (Luke 2:29-32). Inspired by the words of the Canticle of Simeon ("a light to for revelation to the Gentiles"), the tradition of blessing candles on the Feast of the Presentation was thus established.

Parishioners are invited to bring candles from home to be blessed after the Friday 7:00 am Mass for use for devotional purpose. Examples: candles for the family altar, during communion services for the sick, and during storms and times of trouble, etc.

## ST. BLAISE - THE BLESSING OF THROATS - SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3

The Feast of St. Blaise is associated with the custom of blessing throats. St. Blaise was the bishop of Sebaste in Armenia during the fourth century. Very little is known about his life, but the use of candles for the blessing of throats stems from the candles that St. Blaise used while in prison. After an old woman's pig had been miraculously rescued from a wolf by St. Blaise, she would visit him in prison, bringing him food and candles to bring him light in his dark cell.

The Blessing of Throats is a sacramental. The words of the blessing are:

"Through the intercession of Saint Blaise, bishop and martyr,

may God deliver you from every disease of the

throat and from every other illness;

in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit."

Blessing of throats will take place after the 8:30 am Mass this Saturday, February 3rd.

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## FOUNT OF LIFE PRAYER GROUP MEETS WEDNESDAYS AT 6:00 PM

"Let everything that has breath praise the Lord!" - Psalm 150:6 All are welcome to join in Fount of Life Prayer Group meetings at St. Ignatius Church, **Wednesdays at 6:00 pm**. We praise, worship, give thanks, petition, intercede, share, witness and fellowship at our prayer meetings. We look forward to seeing you!

## LIVING HOPE COMMUNITY

The Living Hope Community is currently meeting on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month at **3:00 PM** in the St. Ignatius Sixth Form Common Room. For further information and/or updates, please contact Bel Aurelio at belmd2001@yahoo.com.

## <u>NEW BULLETIN ADS!</u> ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS OR SERVICE!

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The price of ads is \$250 (for a 1" by 2.5" block) for 4 months... March 1st through June 30th, 2024.

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