

## St. Ignatius Catholic Parish

5th 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

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Facebook: www.facebook.com/St.IgnatiusCayman

Principal: Mr. Simon Testa



Building and Growing Together for our Future! Please see inside back cover for details on how to donate!

#### February 4th, 2024 - 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### **This Weekend's Readings**

#### **TODAY'S READINGS**

First Reading: Job 7:1-4, 6-7

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 147: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6 Second Reading: 1Corinthians 9: 16-19, 22-23

Gospel: Mark 1:29-39

#### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

'Christ took away our infirmities and bore our diseases." (Matthew 8:17)

## FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - WHAT DO YOU WANT?

Jesus was starting to become very popular, at least with the ordinary people. They had seen how he had cured the sick and cast out demons. The gospel has one unusual sentence about those demons: Jesus did not let them speak "because they knew who he was." (Mk 1:34) Apparently, the demons would have identified him as the Son of God. Jesus knew the people would not understand this and try to proclaim him as their king. Jesus had no intention of living as a worldly king, in comfort and riches. In fact, he came to free people from needing wealth and power.

Popularity and wealth do not interest St. Paul,

either. When he preaches the gospel, the good news of Christ's resurrection (and ours), he needs no other recompense. (1 Cor 9:18) All he wants is to share eternal life. He specifically refuses to be paid for his preaching, to show that he will be rewarded by Christ. So what do you hope for; what is your goal in life? Do you only feel secure when you have saved enough money and invested it wisely? Do you need other people to make you happy? Or at least a few hundred Facebook friends? Or are you like Job in the first reading: having no hope of escaping a life of drudgery? He eventually found that only by trusting God can anyone be happy, even when things go wrong.

We can follow Paul's example of love for all people no matter who they are. Paul's love was not to make others like him. He genuinely wanted to bring the good news to them: by his love for them, Paul showed that God loves them even more. He knew the gospel requires a change of heart, so his love for others helped them to be more open to change. Let us ask the Lord to fill us with his love, so that we can help each other to hear the good news.

Diocesan.com

#### THANK YOU BISHOP CEPEDA

Thank you to Bishop Cepeda for his visit to the Parish this weekend. We are always happy to have you celebrate with us and we are grateful for your pastoral love and care. Thank you Bishop!

#### SECOND COLLECTION FOR PALLOTTINES

Thank you for your generous support of our Pallottine Religious Community and our ministries, through the Second Collection taken up last weekend. Thank also to all of you for your loving support of Fr. Anthony and me as we minister to you.

#### PARISH RETREAT—EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

There will be a Parish Retreat next weekend on February 09 and 10. The Retreat will be led by Dominican Religious Sister, Sr. Joseph Andrew, OP. There will give a talk on Friday evening after the 6pm Mass and two talks on Saturday morning after the 8:30am Mass. Please come join us for the talks, reflections and moments of prayer.

#### WOLRD MARRIAGE DAY COUPLES DINNER

Next weekend we celebrate World Marriage Day. All Catholic Marriages will be blessed at all the weekend Masses, so please attend a Mass with your spouse. Also, we are inviting couples to register for the World Marriage Day Couples' Dinner at Pappagallo Restaurant. Contact the Parish office to sign up by Wednesday, February 07. More details on page 10 of this bulletin.

#### REGISTRATION FOR FORMATION PROGRAMS

Inside this bulletin is information for different formation programs that will be starting in two weeks. 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.

#### **GOLF SCRAMBLE**

The Annual Golf Scramble will be on March 01st. Registration for individual players and teams are now open. We also need volunteers on the day. Contact the Parish Office to register to play or sign up to volunteer.

Wishing you all a wonderful week - Fr. Naveen

#### STEWARDSHIP: TIME TALENT TREASURE

"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: \$10,323.46 Second Collection for the Missionary Work of Pallottine Religious Community: \$4,087.39

- 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: February 3rd St. Blaise 8:30 am Fr. Anthony

People of the Parish 6:00 pm People of the Parish Bishop Cepeda

Sunday: February 4th The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Times

8:00 am Fr. Naveen + Laida Maria Millo + Martha Maria Santana

+ Guillermina Santana

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

Monday: February 5th St. Agatha

Fr. Naveen 7:00 am Shannon Azavedo (Birthday) Tuesday: February 6th St. Paul Miki & Companions

People of the Parish Fr. Naveen 7:00 am

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

February 7th Wednesday: St. Moses

People of the Parish Fr. Anthony 7:00 am St. Josephine Bakhita Thursday: February 8th Fr. Naveen 7:00 am + Amelia Punzalan Fr. Anthony 8:15am Primary School Mass

Friday: February 9th St. Apollonia Fr. Naveen 7:00 am People of the Parish 6:00 pm People of the Parish Fr. Anthony February 10th Saturday: St. Scholastica Fr. Anthony 8:30 am People of the Parish

6:00 pm

Fr. Naveen

The Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time Sunday: February 11th

Fr. Anthony 8:00 am People of the Parish Fr. Anthony 11:30 am People of the Parish Fr. Naveen 6:00pm People of the Parish

#### **Christ the Redeemer Mass Intentions**

People of the Parish

Sunday: February 4th 5th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Fr. Anthony 9:45 am People of the Parish

Sunday: February 11th 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:45 am + Kathleen Sheehan Fr. Anthony

#### **Stella Maris Mass Intentions**

Sunday: February 4th 5th Sunday of Ordinary Time

> 11:00am Communion Service

Sunday: February 11th 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Fr. Anthony 6:15pm Mass

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

FOR THE TERMINALLY ILL

Let us pray that the sick who are in the final stages of life, and their families, receive the necessary medical and human care and accompaniment.

#### 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 John Michael Stafford Jesally Ebasan Rocamora Mike Carey Chris Jacaban Janet Pereira Trigger Black Jade Brown Afable **Burns Rutty** Megan Stewart Greene Mavis Hennings Jennifer Scott-O'Sullivan

Anne Rodriguez

Tony Wood Sarah Drebenstedt Annabella Seaga Zia Mian

Casey Gill Craig McCoy Walwin Clarke Damien Reidy Esther Tatum Steve Leftwich David Jarman James Carr



#### **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.

#### PARISH YEAR OF EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL





#### **Prayer is Eucharistic**

Fr. Peter John Cameron, OP -

The Eucharist is what is most real in the world. The mystery of the Eucharist contains a divine power making it the principle of new life within us

To the extent that all prayer is thanksgiving toward God, prayer is Eucharistic. For the word "Eucharist" means thanksgiving.

How good it is to pray often in the Presence of the Blessed Sacrament. If we are not sure what to do during Eucharistic Adoration, we might pray in words inspired by the beautiful apostolic exhortation <u>Sacramentum Caritatis</u>.

I believe that in the Eucharist, the Son of God comes to meet us, desiring to become one with us.

- Christ nourishes us by uniting us to himself; he draws us into himself.
- O Jesus, come and meet me and be my companion along the way.
- Our wounded nature would go astray were it not already able to experience something of future fulfillment. We find that in your Eucharist.
- The mystery of the Eucharist contains a divine power making it the principle of new life within us. Lord Jesus, let me experience that new life!
- The Eucharist makes possible, day by day, the constant transfiguration of those who believe. May my life more and more reflect the image of the Son of God.
- The radical newness brought by Jesus in the Eucharist touches every aspect of our existence. Lord Jesus, let the grace of the Eucharist reach my most trying challenges and struggles.
- Lord Jesus, may the Eucharist provide me with moral energy for sustaining a life of authentic freedom lived for God.
- The memorial of the Eucharist keeps me mindful that each of us, united with Jesus, is called to be bread broken for the life of the world.
- May the Gift of the Eucharist give new impulse to my life and commit me to becoming a witness of love.

May the sacrament of the Eucharist keep me committed to doing everything for God's glory. We can close our time of Eucharistic Adoration by meditating on these words of Catholic author François Mauriac: The Eucharist is what is most real in the world. The person who once pronounces this acceptance will no longer be able to keep away from Communion (whereas formerly they may have been unable to refrain from committing sin). When tormented by doubt, by anguish, by troubles of the soul and of the flesh, in the midst of the worst perturbations of mind and soul, they will be safe as long as they remain worthy to sit at the banquet — prepared to alleviate all miseries. It is not when everything seems to be lost that one must forsake the Host; on the contrary, it is when all seems lost and, if the state of grace is maintained or recovered, that one must feed on the Host and rely on the solemn and reiterated promises of the Lord. The Eucharist never deceived those who remained faithful to it through all vicissitudes; Christ is never the first to leave us.

Prayer is Eucharistic (aleteia.org)





## **Attention Stella Maris Cayman Brac**

**UPCOMING SCHEDULE:** 

Sunday, February 04th: 10:30am Rosary; 11:00am - Communion Service
 Sunday, February 11th: 5:45pm Rosary; 6:15pm - Mass - Fr. Anthony
 Sunday, February 18th: 10:30am Rosary; 11:00am - Communion Service

• Sunday, February 25th: 5:45pm Rosary; 6:15pm - Mass - Fr. Naveen

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

#### No Classes on:

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

Faith Formation Classes will take place on the following Sundays:

- February 25
- March 3, 10 & 17

#### **SAINTS AND FEASTS THIS WEEK**

- Monday, February 5: St. Agatha
- Tuesday, February 6: St. Paul Miki
- Wednesday, February 07: St. Moses
- Thursday, February 08: St. Josephine Bakhita
- Friday, February 09: St. Apollonia
- Saturday, January 3: St. Scholastica

"Jesus Christ, Lord of all things! You see my heart, You know my desires. Possess all that I am."

- St. Agatha

#### 'My Parish App'

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!

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Scripture Readings for the Week February 05th - 11th, 2024

1 Kings 8: 1-7, 9-13;

1 Kings 8:22-23, 27-30;

1 Kings 11:29-32;12:19;

Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46

1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1

See United in Christ Missal for alternate

readings, or please visit www.usccb.org.

**MASS ATTIRE** 

Psalm 96, and 1 Chronicles — calls us

to "worship the Lord in holy attire and

splendid in holiness", and all parish-

ioners are asked to reflect on the way

that we dress as we prepare to attend

1 Kings 12: 26-32; 13:33-34;

Mark 6: 53-56

Mark 7: 1-13

1 Kings 10: 1-10; Mark 7:14-23

1 Kings 11:4-13;

Mark 7:24-30

Mark 7:31-37

Mark 8: 1-10

Mark 1:40-45

#### PARISH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### 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:

**List of Vacant Hours:** 

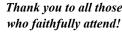
Tuesdays: 3:00-4:00 pm.

Thursdays: 12:00-1:00 pm.

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

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

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





## Thank you to all those



Mon:

Tues:

Wed:

Thurs:

Fri:

Sat:

## Sacred Scripture — in Psalm 29,

#### LIDCOMING EVENTS

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

UPCOMI	ING EVENTS - PARISH/SCHOOL
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 - Public Holiday
Feb 16	Fish Fry Friday; 5:00 - 7:30pm
Feb 18	1st Sunday of Lent
Feb 19	Bible Study - No Greater Love Session 1
Feb 21	Beloved Marriage Prep - Week 1
Feb 23	Fish Fry Friday; 5:00 - 7:30pm
Feb 25	2nd Sunday of Lent
Feb 26	Bible Study - No Greater Love Session 2
Feb 28	Beloved Marriage Prep - Week 2
Mar 1	Golf Scramble Fundraiser
Mar 01	Fish Fry Friday; 5:00 - 7:30pm
Mar 03	3rd Sunday of Lent

3rd Sunday of Lent

Mar 03

#### ALTAR FLOWERS

Mass.

The Altar Flowers for this weekend, January 13/14, 2024, were donated by African Community of St. Ignatius and an Anonymous Donor. 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

The Parish has sponsored today's flowers.

Thank you!

Please sign up to sponsor flowers!

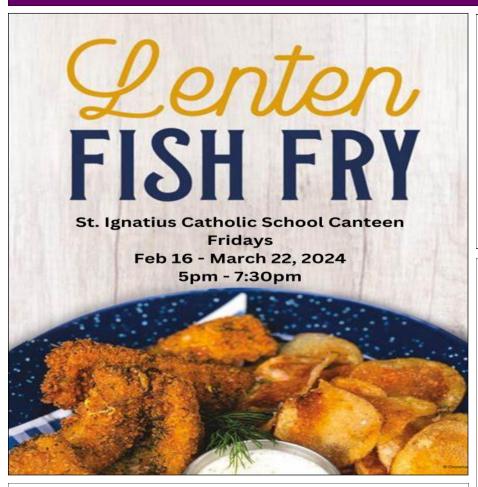
The sheet is on the notice board. Cost is \$50 per week.

#### **CONFESSIONS:**

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



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#### **BULLETIN DEADLINE**

Reminder that any announcements for the Parish Bulletin should be submitted electronically to <u>Ignatius@candw.ky</u> 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.

#### **EDGE** YOUTH MINISTRY

Friday, February 09, 2024

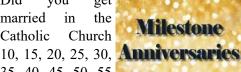
Complimentary pizza and drinks!

All Youth in High School are welcomed!

Contact the Parish office for more information.

#### **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. No Baptisms are also 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.

#### Meet our 2024 Confirmandi!

**Emery Augustine** Julio Aurelio Shane Azavedo Erick Baez-Caraballo Lance Ch'ng Ella Conen Ashton Cruz Aaron Delapenha Alessia Duca Leo Fantasia Serena Lord **Gabriel Mahomoc James Mhoshiwa** Terry Nathan'Davis Aaron Rajamohan **Patrick Roberts-Conte** Iulia Romano **Antonio Samson Justin Sy Taylor Thomas** Isabella Ting Nico Verano

servers. Some of the young ladies are readers at Mass, volunteers at Vacation Bible School and Fish Fry. Last Easter a group of these young people met up and took on the task of sorting and counting coins from the Rice Bowl Appeal. Thank you to their parents for being committed to this process of Confirmation preparation. Thank you also to their Catechists, Julius Aurelio and Blaise Ting who started out with them two and a half years ago

Day. Teens, "Be a Saint! What else is there?"

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O'Neil Miller - Director of Religious Education

#### **CONGRATULATIONS!**

"Jesus loves us and is always waiting for us...be witnesses to how beautiful it is to be with Jesus and how much He loves us." Pope Francis

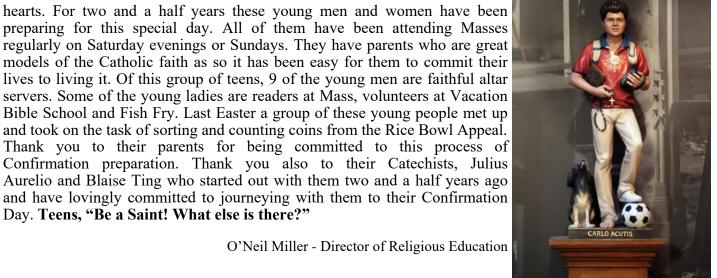
Heartfelt thanks to Bishop Cepeda for traveling down to confirm our teens. Our Parish and teens mean so much to him and we thank him for his leadership.

Last week Saturday, Pope Francis met with a group of children, about the age of our 22 Confirmandi. It was an opportunity for him to have a conversation with them as they drew close to their Confirmation day. First he asked them if they knew the date of their Baptism. Then he went on to encourage their parents and them to reflect on the important day of their Baptism and to celebrate it each year, just like they would celebrate their actual birthday. "Have a cake made with candles, too! An extra cake... not bad!", said the Pope. He went on to emphasize the relationship we enter into with God and the Church on the day of our Baptism. He shared that at Baptism the Holy Spirit came to make our hearts his home. He also spoke of our share in eternity through our Baptism.

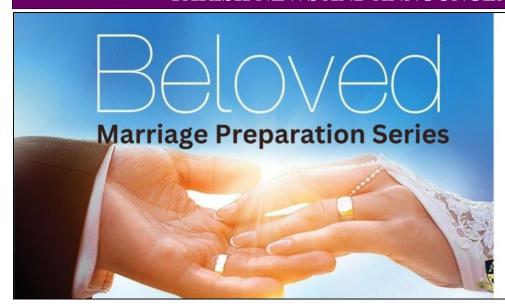
Reflecting on the Sacrament of Confirmation, the Holy Father explains that Confirmation serves to solidify and strengthen the commitments and promises we made at Baptism. He outlined the roles played by the Holy Spirit and the Church, saying that through Confirmation we "accept this mission as a personal commitment, as protagonists and not spectators". (Vatican News)

The Holy Father then held up a Saint of our times as a model for the teens, Blessed Carlo Acutis, whose statue is copied below.

This article felt like the Holy Father was speaking directly to our teens who are being Confirmed this weekend. We pray his words of wisdom will find room in their



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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! <a href="mailto:st.ignatius.golf.scramble@gmail.com">st.ignatius.golf.scramble@gmail.com</a>.

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

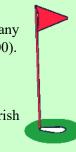
Please contact **Blaise Ting, Event Coordinator**, through the Parish office if you would like to donate any prizes OR if your business would like to be a sponsor for this event (sponsorships range from \$100 to \$5000).

#### **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.

Proceeds from the Golf Scramble will be shared between the School and the Parish.



## 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

Opened The First of Seven Seals" (Rev. 6:1)



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949-6797 OR EMAIL IGNATIUS@CANDW.KY

SATURDAY 10 "FEB 7:30pm

Guest Speaker: Sr. Joseph Andrew, OP

at Ristorante Pappagallo



Dates - Times - Location

February 19 & 26; March 4, 11 & 18

Loyola Hall

Mondays

at 6:15pm

#### Cost - Registration

\$35 per person
including resources
and snacks each week
Register here:
https://forms.office.com/r/FbNz3QXvQF

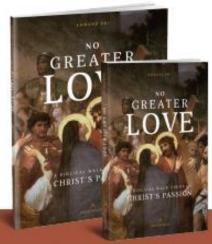
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#### WEDDING PICTURES

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

## THE BIBLE IN A YEAR (with Fr. Mike Schmitz)

In The Bible in a Year podcast, Fr. Mike Schmitz guides you through the **entire Bible** in 365 episodes. Using an exclusive reading plan rooted in The Bible Timeline (a ground-breaking approach to understanding salvation history developed by Biblical scholar Jeff Cavins) you won't just read the Bible ... you'll finally understand how all the pieces fit together to tell an amazing story that continues in your life today!

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#### THE ST. IGNATIUS FOOD PANTRY

There are many different ways that Parishioners may help!

- 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

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

#### **Items Needed!**

- Flour (2lb packs)
- Dry Kidney Beans
- Cooking Oil
- Spaghetti
- Can Vegetables
- Toothpaste
- Gift Cards

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

## Congratulations on Your Confirmation!



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#### **DO YOU FOLLOW OUR PARISH FACEBOOK PAGE?**

The intent of our Parish Facebook page is to keep parishioners abreast of the latest happenings and upcoming Masses and events within our Church community. To 'like' our Facebook page, please visit <a href="https://www.facebook.com/pages/St-Ignatius-Parish-Grand-Cayman/400740876744368?sk=timeline">https://www.facebook.com/pages/St-Ignatius-Parish-Grand-Cayman/400740876744368?sk=timeline</a> or alternatively you may conduct a Facebook search for: *St. Ignatius Parish - Grand Cayman*.

## 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!

Thank you to all those companies and individuals who have placed ads on these last two pages of the Parish Bulletin! We encourage ALL parishioners to support these fine businesses and tell them you saw them listed in the St. Ignatius Parish Bulletin!

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 mid-February!

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

Ads will appear in full COLOUR!

The Bulletins are uploaded to the Parish website also. We require electronic copy of ads/logos, etc.

For further information, please contact the Parish Office by phone or e-mail.



#### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Weekdays from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm and 2:00 to 4:00 pm.
Closed for lunch from 1:00 to 2:00 pm.
Please phone 949-6797 or e-mail <a href="mailto:Ignatius@candw.ky">Ignatius@candw.ky</a>.

Thank you for supporting the St. Ignatius Food Pantry!



Please support the St. Ignatius — Dorothy Rice Memorial Scholarship Fund. Envelopes at the Church entrance.

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- 2. Select option 3, "I belong to a parish or organization".
- 3. Type in St. Ignatius Parish and select 7801 NW 37th St Doral FL.
- 4. Register with your name and e-mail address.
- 5. Check your e-mail for a link to begin using FORMED!



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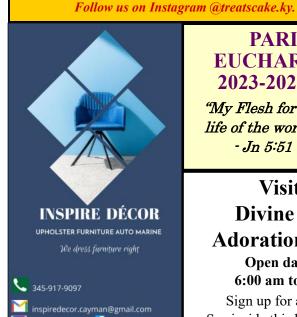
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"My Flesh for the life of the world." - Jn 5:51



#### Visit the **Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel.**

Open daily from 6:00 am to 9:00 pm.

Sign up for a holy hour! See inside this bulletin for complete details.



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