



St. Ignatius Catholic Parish

Baptism of the Lord

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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:

Christ the Redeemer Catholic Church

Rev. Blackman Road, West Bay

Phone: +1 (345) 949-6797

Weekend Mass time:

Sunday 9:45 am

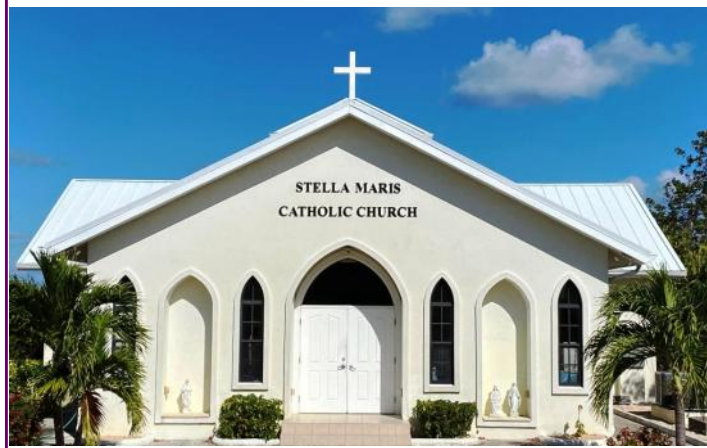
Stella Maris Catholic Church

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)

Parish Administrator: Rev. Fr. Anthony Fernandes, SAC

Associate Pastor: Rev. Fr. Avinash Mascarenhas, SAC

PARISH STAFF

**Religious Education Director and
Youth Ministry Team Coordinator**

Mr. O'Neil Miller

Administrative Officer

Mrs. Gladys Domingo

OTHER CONTACTS

Music Ministry — Organists

Mrs. Sarah Bertran

Mr. Albert Chin

Mr. McAllister Fernandes

Mr. Reymar Latap

Food Pantry

Ms. Suzanne Howden - Coordinator
Please contact the Parish Office for
assistance

PRAYER MEETINGS AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Rosary (St. Ignatius):

Monday through Friday in Adoration Chapel 7:30 to 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. Anthony, SAC; Fr. Avinash, SAC

Chairperson: Wil Pineau

Other elected members:

Blas Serrano, Blaise Ting, Renee Caudeiron, Denise Delpesh-Morain

Commission Representatives:

Worship: Angela J. Miller **Evangelisation/Education:** Michelle Haylock

Stewardship: Andrew Hulse **Christian Service:** TBD

Youth: Marcus Lagman

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. Anthony Fernandes, SAC

Frank Gallippi

Angela Miller

Jennison Nunez

Deborah Kirkconnell

Jasper Uy

Facilities Manager: Mr. Sambasivam Dhanasekar

St Ignatius
Catholic School



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. Peter Embleton



*Building and Growing
Together for our Future!*

January 11, 2026 - Feast of the Baptism of the Lord

This Weekend's Readings

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading: Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10

Second Reading: Acts 10:34-38

Gospel: Matthew 3:13-17

Gospel Acclamation

“The heavens were opened and the voice of the Father thundered: This is my beloved Son, listen to him. (Cf. Mark 9:7)

REBOOT—WITH CHRIS STEFANICK

Internationally renowned speaker Chris Stefanick will be visiting our Parish to do a speaking event. Cost is \$30. Scan the QR code on page 12 to take advantage of the discounted rate. Consider buying a ticket as a Christmas gift for a friend or family member.

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Our Bible Study Series will resume on Monday, January 12 at 6pm in the 6th Form Room in the Msgr. Meaney Multipurpose Hall. We will resume with Chapter 6 of the series, focusing on the “Jesus: The Way, the Truth, the Life.”

FAITH FORMATION CLASSES

Faith Formation Classes resume next Sunday, January 18 at the regular times.

Wishing you all a blessed week - Fr. Anthony

UPCOMING EVENTS - PARISH/SCHOOL

Day	Event
Jan 11	Feast of the Baptism of the Lord 75th Anniversary Mass - 10:30am - Msgr. Meaney Hall
Jan 12	Bible Study Resumes
Jan 13	OCIA Class
Jan 18	2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Faith Formation Classes resume
Jan 20	OCIA Class
Jan 25	3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Baptisms Scheduled Faith Formation Classes
Jan. 26	National Heroes' Day - Public Holiday
Jan 27	OCIA Class
Jan 30-Feb 01	Weekend Retreat for Confirmandi Faith Formation Classes resume
Feb 07	World Marriage Day Dinner
Feb 08	Sacrament of Confirmation with Bishop Fisher No Faith Formation Classes
Feb 16-20	School Closed for Half Term
Feb 17	“Reboot” with Chris Stefanick
Feb 18	Ash Wednesday - Public Holiday
Feb 22	1st Sunday of Lent Rite of Election - OCIA



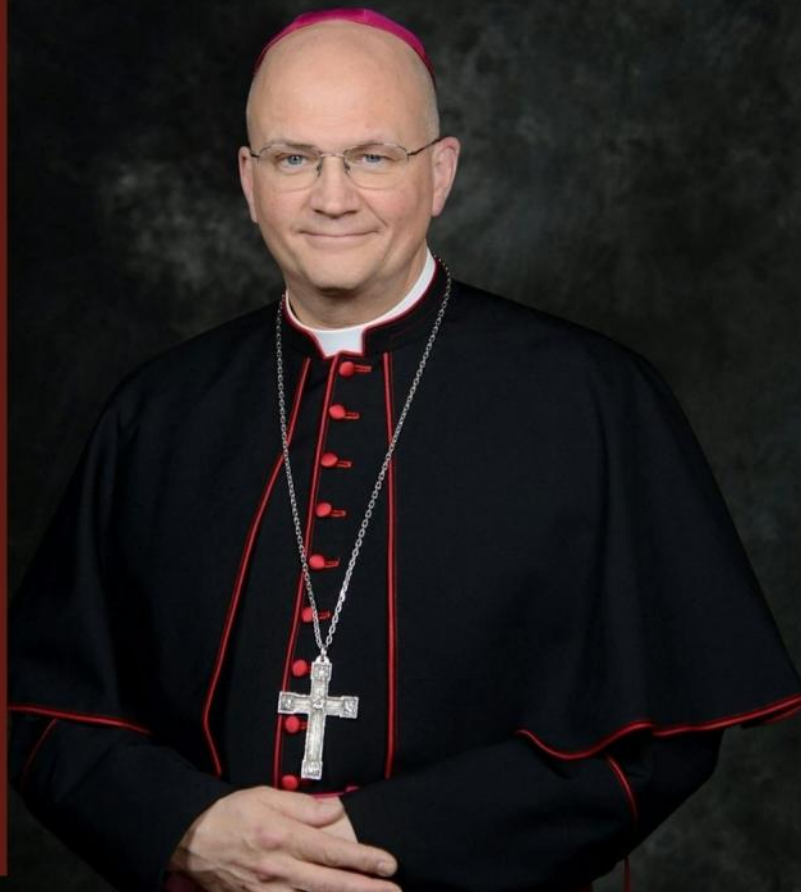
Welcome Archbishop Weisenburger!

The Catholic Community in the Cayman Islands extends a warm and prayerful welcome to

The Most Reverend Edward Weisenburger,
Archbishop of Detroit and Superior of the
Mission of the Cayman Islands,
on the occasion of his first pastoral visit to
the Cayman Islands.

We are honored that Archbishop Weisenburger will preside at the Holy Mass commemorating 75 years of Catholicism in the Cayman Islands and the founding of St. Ignatius Parish.

Your Grace, we express our sincere gratitude for your pastoral leadership, your steadfast support, and your continued prayers for our community. May God, our loving Father, abundantly bless you and your ministry.



MASS SCHEDULE, INTENTIONS, AND PRAYER LIST

St. Ignatius Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday:	Jan. 10	St. Gregory of Nyssa
AB Wesienburger	8:30 am	Special Intention (Healing)
AB Wesienburger	6:00 pm	+Joss Alon
Sunday:	Jan. 11	The Baptism of the Lord
AB Wesienburger	10:30am	75th Anniversary Mass at St. Ignatius
Fr. Avinash	6:00 pm	Special Intention (Healing)
		+Mass Benedicto Clarito
		+Maria Cox Kildare
Monday:	Jan. 12	St. Marguerite Bourgeoys
Fr. Anthony	7:00 am	Special Intention (Healing)
		+Eugene Howden
		+Nelson Panahon
Tuesday:	Jan. 13	St. Hilary of Poitiers
Fr. Anthony	7:00 am	+Peter Balls
Fr. Avinash	8:05am	Intentions of High School Staff and Students
Wednesday:	Jan. 14	St. Macrina the Elder
Fr. Avinash	7:00 am	+Helen Rabino (Healing)
Thursday:	Jan. 15	St. Paul the Hermit
Fr. Anthony	7:00 am	People of the Parish
Fr. Avinash	8:15am	Intentions of Primary School Staff and Students
Friday:	Jan. 16	St. Berard
Fr. Avinash	7:00am	Lindsay Mische Uy Vito (Thanksgiving)
		Lizzie Margha Uy Vito (Thanksgiving)
		Helen Rabino (Healing)
Fr. Anthony	6:00pm	+Andy Collins
Saturday:	Jan. 17	St. Anthony the Abbot
Fr. Avinash	8:30 am	Merrell McCann (Birthday)
Fr. Anthony	6:00 pm	People of the Parish
Sunday:	Jan. 18	Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Fr. Anthony	8:00am	People of the Parish
Fr. Anthony	11:30am	People of the Parish
Fr. Avinash	6:00 pm	Norma Lizardo Gonzales

Christ the Redeemer Mass Intentions

Sunday:	Jan. 11	The Baptism of the Lord
		Mass at St. Ignatius
Sunday:	Jan. 18	Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Fr. Avinash	9:45am	People of the Parish

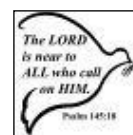
Stella Maris Mass Intentions

Sunday:	Jan. 11	The Baptism of the Lord
	11:00am	Communion Service
Sunday:	Jan. 18	Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Fr. Anthony	6:15pm	People of the Parish

Our Prayer List for the Sick



Tom Dunbar
 Antonio Soriano
 Eva Wiggan
 Owen Henry
 Linval Webb
 Barbara Man-Song-Hing
 Donna Hurlston
 Jean Denees Brown-Afable
 John Michael Stafford
 Jesally Ebasan Rocamora
 Mike Carey
 Jade Brown Afable
 Burns Rutty
 Megan Stewart Greene
 Jennifer Scott-O'Sullivan
 Anne Rodriguez
 Tony Wood
 Sarah Drebenstedt
 Damien Reidy
 Steve Leftwich
 James Carr
 Natalie Bueden
 Shelia Seigel
 Gerardo Rossano
 Laura Foster
 Ludmicia
 Winston Salmon
 Alexandra Nolan
 Charley Ebanks (Jr.)
 Agnes Ting
 Luciana Diaz
 Lucia Emmanuelle Noel Magana
 Angelito Laciste Jr.
 Mardiorie Lesiguez Posion
 Ana Bodden
 Jolene Castillo
 Athena Penaranda Granados
 Rosa Cruz
 Rev. Godfrey Meghoo
 Kerriann Rivers
 Purification Domingo



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.

POPE LEO'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR JAN. 2026

For Prayer With The Word Of God

Let us pray that praying with the Word of God be nourishment for our lives and a source of hope in our communities, helping us build a more fraternal and missionary Church.

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Attention Stella Maris Cayman Brac



- Sunday, January 11: 10:30am Rosary; 11:00am - Communion Service
- Sunday, January 18: 5:45pm Rosary; 6:15pm - Mass - Fr. Anthony
- Sunday, January 25: 10:30am Rosary; 11:00am - Communion Service
- Sunday, February 01: 5:45pm Rosary; 6:15pm - Mass - Fr. Avinash
- Sunday, February 08: 10:30am Rosary; 11:00am - Communion Service
- Sunday, February 15: 5:45pm Rosary; 6:15pm - Mass - Fr. Anthony

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/>

REBOOT
A LIFE-CHANGING EVENT

DON'T MISS OUT!
Chris Stefanick
St. Ignatius Catholic School
Monsignor Meaney Multipurpose Hall
597 Walkers Road, George Town
Cayman Islands

02-17-26
[HTTPS://BUYTICKETS.AT/REALLIFECATHOLIC/1883865](https://buytickets.at/reallifecatholic/1883865)

REGISTER NOW!

PERFECT FOR AGES 12 & UP!

SAINTS AND FEASTS THIS WEEK

- Monday, Jan 12: St. Benedict Biscop
- Tuesday, Jan 13: St. Hilary of Poitiers
- Wednesday, Jan 14: St. Macrina the Elder
- Thursday, Jan. 15: St. Paul the Hermit
- Friday, Jan. 16: St. Berard
- Saturday, Jan. 17: St. Anthony the Abbot

MAGNIFICAT
December Issue

Available at the Parish office
\$8 for this month's issue

Saint Quote of the Week:

“The vision of the holy ones is not fraught with distraction: ‘For they will not strive, nor cry, nor shall anyone hear their voice’ (Matthew 12:19, Isaiah 42:2). But it comes quietly and gently that an immediate joy, gladness, and courage arise in the soul. For the Lord who is our joy is with them, and the power of God the Father.”

-Saint Anthony of the Desert (251-356)



THE GROTTA 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!
Be sure to thank our wonderful volunteers!

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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 Noon:

Moira Abbott - mporajmj@gmail.com

Noon to 6pm:

Fay Anne de Freitas - fayanne@defreitas.info

6:00pm to 9:00pm:

Lily McLaughlin : lilygcm0859@gmail.com.

List of Vacant Hours:

Monday: 9-10am

Tuesday: 3-4pm; 4-5pm

Wednesday: 10-11am

Thursday: 10-11am

Friday: 9-10am

Saturday: 7-8am; 10-11am; 3-4pm; 4-5pm

Sunday: 10-11am; Noon-1pm; 4-5pm; 5-6pm



Thank you to all those who faithfully attend!

Scripture Readings

January 12-18, 2026

- Mon: 1 Samuel 1:1-8
Mark 1:14-20
- Tues: 1 Samuel 1:9-20
Mark 1:21-28
- Wed: 1 Samuel 3:1-10, 19-20
Mark 1:29-39
- Thurs: 1 Samuel 4:1-11
Mark 1:40-45
- Fri: 1 Samuel 8:4-7, 10-22a
Mark 2:1-12
- Sat: 1 Samuel 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1
Mark 2:13-17
- Sun: Isaiah 49:3, 5-6
1 Corinthians 1:1-3
John 1:29-34

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

CONFESSIONS

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

75TH ANNIVERSARY PRAYER

Prayer

Gracious Father,

We praise and thank You for the joy of celebrating 75 years of the Roman Catholic Church in the Cayman Islands.

The seeds of faith that were planted in our Islands by the Jesuits of Jamaica have grown from a small mission of a handful of Catholics into a vibrant Roman Catholic Communion.

We thank You Lord for Your grace in calling us to be Your people, for Your love revealed to us in Christ Your Son, and for Your gift of the Holy Spirit and the joy of salvation.

We pray that Your Holy Spirit will continue to unite us in the bonds of love, and guide and direct us toward what lies ahead.

Bless all who have been generous stewards in building our faith community, and grant us the grace to be bold missionary disciples.

Bless our Parish in the Cayman Islands by raising up good and holy families, loving husbands, wives and devoted parents and children. Raise up dedicated and generous leaders from our families and friends who will serve Your people as Priests, Brothers, Deacons, Sisters, and Lay Ministers.

May this Anniversary yield greater impact and deeper purpose rooted in Christ, that all will be for the greater glory of God.

We entrust our Parish to you, Most Holy Lord, and pray for Your continued blessings on our Churches and School.

Amen.

PARKING SAFETY

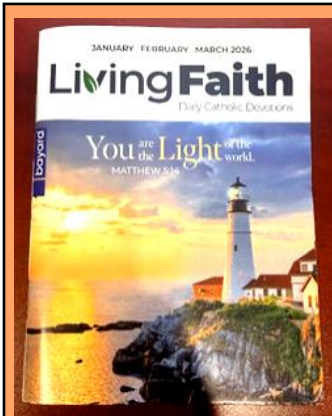
When you attend Mass on Sundays or visit the Church/Chapel or Parish offices during the week, be mindful of all parking lot safety precautions that you would take in other parking spaces on island.

- Be mindful of how you're parking your car, using the spaces as you should.
- Only park in designated parking spaces at all times.
- Do not block the areas that are coned off as they are for everyone's safety.
- Do not leave handbags, electronics and other valuables in your car. In case your car is broken into, your possessions will be securely with you.
- Lock all your car doors as you leave the car.

PLEASE KEEP OUR CHURCH TIDY!

Thank you for helping to keep our church tidy! Please take a moment after Mass to ensure that all hymnbooks and United in Christ Missals are neatly placed in the racks so that the church is ready for the next Mass.

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**Living Faith
Devotionals**

**January to March
Issue**

**Available at the
Parish office**

\$3 each

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. Contact the Parish Office at Ignatius@candw.ky or 949-6797 to make an appointment, to register, and for further information.

BAPTISMS

**Baptisms are 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 scheduled Baptisms are on January 25, 2026, after the 11:30 am Mass.

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.



**January 11, 2026
The Baptism of Our Lord**

Baptized Stewards

“John tried to prevent him, saying, “I need to be baptized by you, yet you are coming to me?” MATTHEW 3:14

The Catholic Catechism states that “Jesus’ immersion in the water is a sign for all human beings of the need to die to themselves to do God’s will.” In other words, as baptized Catholic **Stewards** there is only one gift that we need to give to Jesus – the gift of ourselves. Surrender yourself to God, place your trust in Him and allow the Holy Spirit to work through you for the greater glory of God.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.
Please notify the Parish Office of any births, deaths, weddings, milestone anniversaries, or baptisms.

JESUS
THE WAY, THE TRUTH, AND THE LIFE

Presented by MARCELLINO D'AMBROSIO, JEFF CAVINS, and EDWARD SRI

THE DEFINITIVE STUDY OF JESUS CHRIST

The marvelous treasures of the Catholic Faith—the Eucharist, Mary, the saints, and the Creed—are all centered on a single figure, Jesus Christ. Jesus is more than a historical or theological figure. He is our savior, our redeemer, our Lord, and our God. While many of us know a lot about him already, how well can we say that we really know him?

JESUS: THE WAY, THE TRUTH, AND THE LIFE is a new and fresh look at Jesus—who he is, what he is really like, what he taught, and what he did for our salvation. This encounter with Christ will inspire and empower you to center your entire life around him as you come to know and love him in an ever deeper and more intimate way.

DATES - TIMES - LOCATION	COST - REGISTRATION
September 22, 29 October 06, 13 and 20 - BREAK - January 12, 19 February 02, 09 and 16	\$45
	FOR MORE INFORMATION email: ignatius@candw.ky

ASCENSION Visit ascensionpress.com to learn more!

ST. IGNATIUS ALTAR FLOWERS

Donated by:

- Elisha Mascarenhas
- Chineme & Grace Ezema

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

**CHRIST THE REDEEMER
ALTAR FLOWERS**

The Parish has sponsored the flowers for this weekend.
Please sign up to sponsor flowers!
The sheet is on the notice board.
Cost is \$50 per week.



CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Weekdays from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm.
Please phone 949-6797
or e-mail Ignatius@candw.ky.

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GOSPEL REFLECTION

The Baptism of the Lord Well Pleased

The first reading from Isaiah is a pretty good description of Jesus. It begins by describing the servant “with whom I am well pleased” (Isaiah 42:1). These are the words of the voice from the heavens that was heard at Jesus’ baptism. The most significant difference is that the voice calls Jesus “beloved Son,” not just servant. And Isaiah gives us more hints about who Jesus is.

The verses that say that he will not break the bruised reed or quench the smoldering wick (Isaiah 42:3) are descriptive of Jesus’ mercy toward sinners. The reed and the wick were disposed of because they were useless. But God, out of love for us, never sees sinners as useless. God is always ready to forgive them and give them another chance, so God sent Jesus to forgive sinners, not reject them. In the Gospel, John at first refuses to baptize Jesus, because John’s baptism was a sign of repentance for sin. He knew Jesus was not a sinner, so he had no need to repent. But Jesus identified himself with sinners and welcomed them back to God’s love. We can ask God to help us see our sinfulness and bring it to him for healing.

Isaiah also says that the servant is a “covenant of the people.” A covenant was an agreement between unequal partners, in which the stronger one agreed to protect or defend the weaker one, while the weaker agreed to pay taxes or obey laws required by the stronger. God is offering a new covenant through Jesus, not just for the Jews, but for all peoples. But we still have to live that covenant, by loving God and our neighbor. When we teach others about God’s love and mercy, “we open the eyes of the blind”, as Isaiah says. When we forgive each other, we are setting free prisoners of sin. When people see God’s love acted out in our lives, we are a light to the world. As we learn to do these things, we will find that God is also well pleased with us.

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FOCUS will be making two Mission Trips to the Cayman Islands in 2026, where they will be working in our Parish.

The first trip will be in the Spring during March for one week and the second trip will be during the summer for 2 weeks.

CONGRATULATIONS

to

Quinn Lincoln Flesch

Lyla Sage Flesch

Adam Wyatt Flesch

(child of Andrew & Stella Flesch)



*Baptized on Monday, January 05, 2026
by Rev. Joseph Kirkconnell*

We welcome them to God’s holy family and to His holy Church.

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>.

Offertory Collection for last weekend’s Masses:

\$9,575.93

Your offerings can also be transferred to the St. Ignatius Church Butterfield account 02 101 031260.

- Alternatively, cheques can be mailed to St. Ignatius Church, P.O. Box 2638, Grand Cayman, KY1-1102.

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

Beloved

Catholic? Engaged to be married?

Beloved Pre-Marriage Formation -

Wednesday evenings - February 25 to March 28, 2026 - 6:00pm to 8:30pm

& Saturday, March 28 8:30 am to Noon.

Contact the St. Ignatius Church Office for more information - 949-6797 or email ignatius@candw.ky

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.

PARISH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS



Watching great **CATHOLIC** content is really easy! This is a **FREE** service thanks to the generosity of our Parish Evangelization Commission!

What is FORMED?

- Access the truth, beauty, and meaning of the Catholic Faith anytime, anywhere...with FORMED.

- Use it on your computer, tablet, or smartphone.
- Multiple programs for all ages. TEENS, CHILDREN AND ADULTS. Movies, books, audios, & bible studies.
- Informative and inspiring teaching from renowned speakers Scott Hahn, Edward Sri, Fr. Robert Barron, Tim Gray, Chris Stefanick, Teresa Tomeo... and many more.
- Create your own personal account which allows you access anytime, anywhere!
- A resources from the St. Augustine Institute.

All Parishioners are encouraged to register! It's very simple!

1. Go to <https://formed.org> and click signup. Chrome works best!
2. Select option 3, "I belong to a parish or organization".
3. Type in **St. Ignatius Parish** and select **597 Walkers Road, George Town**
4. Register with your name and e-mail address.
5. Check your e-mail for a link to begin using FORMED!

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Through the centuries, artists and craftspeople have depicted Jesus' baptism in the Jordan River by John. At first in mosaics and frescoes,



and later in tapestries, stained glass, and paintings, the scene is familiar. Jesus is standing waist-high in flowing water. Above him, standing on dry land, John the Baptist pours water over Jesus. The first artists to depict this were sketching from memory. This is exactly how most people were baptized in the early days: as adults, standing or kneeling in the water, with water poured over their heads. This method of baptizing, called immersion, is the favored way today. An adult enters a font, or an infant is lowered a bit into the water supported by a parent's hand, and water is poured or splashed over them. The treasures of baptism art attest that submersion, or plunging beneath the water's surface, is not really in our tradition, and that "infusion," the mere pouring of a few drops of water, yields too narrow an understanding of what it means to be plunged into Christ's life. Jesus Christ has gone before us into the water, and waits for us there with abundant gifts. No wonder the tradition calls for abundant symbols!

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This Week on Formed
Week of January 11, 2026



Reborn

Reborn explores the deeply personal power of Baptism, bringing to light the spiritual reality for parents and godparents and, most importantly, the child being baptized. Rendered with a cinematic beauty that's become the hallmark of the Augustine Institute's film productions, Reborn presents the foundation of the Church's teaching on Baptism, with a step-by-step explanation of the rite itself, including its profound place in Scripture and Tradition.



The Desert Fathers (Part 1) | Littlest Saints

In this special two-part episode, we follow the stories of three famous desert fathers—St. Anthony the Great, St. Macarius, and St. John the Dwarf—as they navigate the perils of the desert in search of its great spiritual riches.



The Desert Fathers (Part 2) | Littlest Saints

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Our parish has a Formed subscription. Visit signup.formed.org and select our parish name.

An offering from the AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE

PRAYER FOR LIFE

Lord Jesus Christ,
You are the Author of Life,
Who died and now lives forevermore.
May we who work and pray
That children in the womb may be protected
Always draw strength, confidence, and joy
From Your victory over death,
For you are Lord forever and ever.
Amen.

CHRISTMAS OFFERTORY COLLECTION

The Christmas offertory collection is part of our annual Parish budget. The entire Christmas collection stays right here in the Parish. All other collections and donations during the year are assessed 7% by the Archdiocese, whereas the Christmas collection is exempt from such assessment. You can make your Christmas donation to the Parish anytime over the month of December and into January, just so long as you indicate in the cheques, envelopes, or online deposits that it is your "Christmas 2025 Offering". If you are going away during the holidays, please consider making your Christmas offering to St. Ignatius Parish before you leave. Thank you!

PARISH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE NEW ALPHA YOUTH SERIES

Join the conversations on life, faith and purpose!

For High School students in Years 7-13

Friday Evenings
Resuming January 16, 2026
7-9pm

Msgr. Meaney Sports Hall

Complimentary Dinner Provided

Eucharistic Adoration each week



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ST. IGNATIUS/DOROTHY RICE SCHOLARSHIP FUND — ASSISTING FAMILIES WITH SCHOOL TUITION! *Give the gift of EDUCATION!*

The St. Ignatius/Dorothy Rice Memorial Scholarship Fund assists families who are not able to afford the full tuition at St. Ignatius School. Each year we help to keep children in our school who otherwise couldn't afford a Catholic Education.

The average child in this programme receives about \$200-\$300 per month off the fees, paid by the scholarship fund (directly to the school bursar), while the child's family pays the rest.

In return for the help, the families actively contribute to the school and parish in a variety of ways (helping out with fundraisers, chaperoning school trips, cleaning the grounds, assisting at sports days, serving on committees, etc.). Please consider the Scholarship Fund from time to time when doing your charitable work throughout the year! Many thanks to all those who have contributed to the fund during recent months and during the past several years!

For further information, please contact Fr. Anthony at the Parish Office.

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 date!**

*"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!

Items Needed!

- Can Vegetable
- Condensed Milk
- Spaghetti
- Mac & Cheese
- Supermarket Shopping Bags
- Supermarket Gift Cards

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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!

Visit the Divine Mercy
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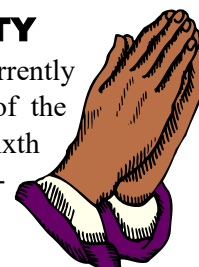
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 See inside this bulletin for complete details.
"...could you not watch one hour with Me?"



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.



THE GROTTO GIFT SHOP

The Gift Shop is open after weekend Masses. Gifts, Cards, Rosaries, Books and much more!

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NEW BULLETIN ADS!

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 **Wednesday, December 03, 2025!**

The price of ads is \$250 (for a 1" by 2.5" block)

for 4 months... January 01 through April 30, 2026

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.



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