



St. Ignatius Catholic Parish

Third Sunday of Easter

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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

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Phone: +1 (345) 949-6797

Weekend Mass time:

Sunday 9:45 am

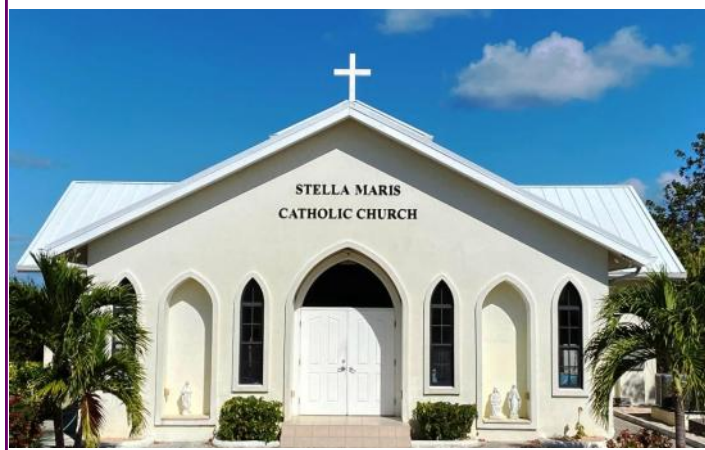
Stella Maris Catholic Church

Alta Vista Drive, Cotton Tree Bay, Cayman Brac

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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

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

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Facebook: www.facebook.com/St.IgnatiusCayman

Principal: Mr. Peter Embleton



*Building and Growing
Together for our Future!*

April 19, 2026 - Third Sunday of Easter**This Weekend's Readings****TODAY'S READINGS**

First Reading: Acts 2:14, 22-33

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11

Second Reading: 1 Peter 1:17-21

Gospel: Luke 24:13-35

Gospel Acclamation

“Lord Jesus, open the Scriptures to us; make our hearts burn while you speak to us. (Cf. Luke 24:32)

2nd COLLECTION - CAYMAN BRAC

Next weekend, April 25 & 26, there will be a monthly Second Collection to support Stella Maris Church on Cayman Brac. Thank you for your kindness.

FAITH FORMATION CLASSES

Classes will resume next week Sunday, April 19 at the regular times.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Mark your calendars for this year's Vacation Bible School, to be held from July 06-10. This year FOCUS Missionaries from Nebraska and Massachusetts will be taking the lead along with Parish teens. Details are on page 13 of today's bulletin. Register as soon as possible.

SPRING TEA PARTY

Our Annual Spring Tea Party will be held on May 09 this year. Ticket books are available with the \$5 tickets. Tickets are on sale after all this weekend's Masses. Cost is \$5 each. Drop by the Cabana after Mass to get a book of tickets and sell to your friends and families.

PRAYERS FOR 1ST COMMUNICANTS

Please keep our 1st Communicants in your prayers as the draw close to May 09, their 1st Confession Day and June 06, their 1st Holy Communion Day.

Wishing you all a blessed week - Fr. Anthony

**POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION
APRIL 2026****For priests in crisis**

Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

UPCOMING EVENTS - PARISH/SCHOOL

Day	
Apr 19	3rd Sunday of Easter
Apr 25	1st Communion - Jesus Day I
Apr 26	4th Sunday of Easter
	Baptisms Scheduled
May 03	5th Sunday of Easter
	May Procession & Crowning of Mary
May 04	Emancipation Day - Public Holiday
May 09	1st Reconciliation for 1st Communicants
May 09	Spring Tea Party
May 10	6th Sunday of Easter
	Mothers' Day
	Baptisms Scheduled
May 17	The Ascension of the Lord
May 18	Discovery Day - Public Holiday
May 23	1st Communion - Jesus Day II
May 24	Pentecost Sunday
	Baptisms Scheduled
May 31	The Most Holy Trinity
Jun 06	First Holy Communion Mass
Jun 07	Corpus Christi
Jun 14	11th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	Baptisms Scheduled
Jun 21	12th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	Fathers' Day
Jun 22	King's Birthday - Public Holiday
Jun 26	School Closes for Summer Break
Jun 28	13th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	Baptisms Scheduled
Jul 04-18	FOCUS Summer Mission Trip - Cayman Islands
Jul 6-10	Vacation Bible School
July 31	St. Ignatius of Loyola Feast Day
Aug 15	Solemnity - Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Sept 08	Birthday of the Blessed Mother
Nov 01	All Saints Day

**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS**

Weekdays from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm.

Please phone 949-6797

or e-mail Ignatius@candw.ky.

**STEWARDSHIP: TIME TALENT TREASURE**

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

Offertory Collection for last weekend's Masses: \$9,595.80

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, PO Box 2638, Grand Cayman, KY1-1102.

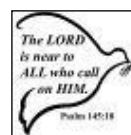
Thank you for your generosity and good stewardship for all that God has given you!

MASS SCHEDULE, INTENTIONS, AND PRAYER LIST**St. Ignatius Mass Schedule and Intentions**

Saturday:	April 18	St. Perfecto
Fr. Sama	8:30 am	+Lorna Trinidad Penaranda Lionela Penaranda Vito (Thanksgiving) +Thorsten Eickenhorst (Anniversary of Death)
Fr. Anthony	6:00 pm	Ma. Leticia Emmeline Pet-Agregado (Thanksgiving) Barry Sims (Healing) Gabrielle Elise Domingo (Birthday) Craig Waters (Healing)
Sunday:	April 19	Third Sunday of Easter
Fr. Sama	8:00 am	People of the Parish
Fr. Sama	11:30 am	+May Ursua +Francis Raymond Ramos & Carmencita Tita Duron
Fr. Anthony	6:00 pm	+Edilmira Jose Morcano & +Vernancio Alberto Carrillo +Lorna Trinidad Penaranda
Monday:	April 20	St. Agnes of Montepulciano
Fr. Anthony	7:00 am	+Lorna Trinidad Penaranda
Tuesday:	April 21	St. Anselm of Canterbury
Fr. Sama	7:00 am	Doris Pineau +Felly Antonio Vivar +Lorna Trinidad Penaranda
Fr. Anthony	1:30 pm	Intentions of High School Students and Staff
Wednesday:	April 22	St. Theodore of Sykeon
Fr. Sama	7:00 am	+Janette Wong +Lorna Trinidad Penaranda Gemmalene Trinidad (Birthday)
Thursday:	April 23	St. George
Fr. Sama	7:00 am	Neeta Azavedo (Birthday) +Elsamma Antony (2nd Death anniversary) +Lorna Trinidad Penaranda
Fr. Anthony	8:15 am	Intentions of High School Students and Staff
Friday:	April 24	St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen
Fr. Anthony	7:00 am	Fr. Anthony Fernandes (Ordination Anniversary) Delicia Fernandes (Birthday) Jason Ward (Birthday)
Fr. Sama	6:00pm	Paolo Andrea Pet (Birthday) +Lorna Trinidad Penaranda Analupe Hernandez (Healing)
Saturday:	April 25	St. Mark the Evangelist
Fr. Anthony	8:30 am	+Jose Araya Pet Jr. +Lorna Trinidad Penaranda
Fr. Sama	6:00 pm	Fr. Naveen D'Souza,SAC; Fr. Anthony Fernandes, SAC Fr. Moises Apostol
Sunday:	April 26	Third Sunday of Easter
Fr. Anthony	8:00 am	Barry Sims (Healing)
Fr. Anthony	11:30 am	+Francis Raymond Ramos & Carmencita Tita Duron
Fr. Sama	6:00 pm	+Derek Wight +Lorna Trinidad Penaranda Dan Elizabeth & Jesse Mirolli (Healing)

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
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
Athena Penaranda Granados
Rosa Cruz
Rev. Godfrey Meghoo
Kerriann Rivers
Purificacion Domingo
Leticia Maradiaga
Teresia Muthoni Muthui
Peter Domingo
Carmencita Tita Duron
Leonila Cuevo
Harvey Stephenson, Sr.

**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 NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

More than ‘Apostle to the Apostles’: Magdalene’s other Easter virtues



Mary Magdalene is the saint most often mentioned in the Easter Gospels, but there's more to her story than we sometimes consider.

We often hear that Mary Magdalene is “the apostle to the apostles” because she is the messenger to Jesus’ companions. But there is so much more.

Apart from Jesus and St. Peter, Mary Magdalene is the saint most often mentioned in the Easter Gospels. Don’t miss the other ways she is a model for Christians in the Easter accounts.

First: Mary Magdalene models the beatitudes and works of mercy.

Mary Magdalene was a faithful Jew who carefully observed the Saturday Sabbath day of rest that began when the sun went down on Friday, right after Jesus was buried, and lasted until dawn on Sunday.

But the Gospel of John tells us that, “On the first day of the week, Mary of Magdala came to the tomb early in the morning, while it was still dark.” That means she left her home in time to serve Jesus at the earliest possible moment she legally could. And the service she planned to do, anointing the body of Jesus, is of the essence of Christianity.

Service to the dead is both a corporal and spiritual work of mercy, and Jesus had said “Blessed are they who mourn.”

Second: Mary Magdalene covered a lot of ground on Easter morning.

Think of how many steps Mary put in at Easter: She walked in the dark to the tomb in the first place, with other women, and when she found the Tomb empty, the Gospel of John says “she ran” to tell the Peter and John.

Where did she run? After Peter and John inspected the tomb, John reports that “the disciples went back to their homes,” plural (in [most translations](#)).

So on her mad dash to tell these two Apostles, she had two stops — then she later [made another](#).

Third: She prays through her faith problems.

As I point out in my “This Sunday” [column](#), just seeing the burial cloths was enough for Peter and John to believe. But it wasn’t enough for Magdalene.

They left satisfied, “But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb.” The angels mentioned in all accounts of the Resurrection ask her, “Woman, why are you weeping?” and she says, “Because they have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.”

Then she turns around. I love what St. John Chrysostom says about that:

“Methinks that while she was speaking, Christ suddenly appearing behind her, struck the angels with awe; and that they having beheld their Ruler, showed immediately by their bearing, their look, their movements, that they saw the Lord.”

Angels don’t have bodies, but you can picture these figures suddenly coming to attention, like soldiers who see the sergeant approaching in a drill line — or, better, like pilgrims seeing the monstrance approaching in a procession.

Fourth: Mary makes a big mistake but gets the biggest things right.

When she turns and sees Jesus, though, she doesn’t recognize him. Anyone who has met someone in an unexpected context can understand why. But she mistakes him for a gardener.

That is significant, because in Holy Week, Jesus fulfills God’s desire to [restore Eden](#), the first Garden, inhabited by Adam, the first gardener — and here is the New Adam establishing a new Eden, and he looks like a gardener. He is the Divine Sower, and he looks like a human sower; he is the Son of the Vineyard owner, and he looks like a vinedresser.

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Christ the Redeemer Mass Intentions

Sunday:	April 19	Third Sunday of Easter
Fr. Anthony	9:45am	+Monica Pegnam +Edward Cox +Janet Roper
Sunday:	April 26	Fourth Sunday of Easter
Fr. Sama	9:45am	People of the Parish

Stella Maris Schedule & Mass Intentions

Sunday:	April 19	Third Sunday of Easter
Fr. Ray Bucon & Fr. Pat O’Connor	11:00am	Mass
Sunday:	April 26	Fourth Sunday of Easter
	11:00am	Communion Service

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Attention Stella Maris Cayman Brac

- Sunday, April 19: 10:30am Rosary; 11:00am - Mass with Frs. Ray Bucon and Pat O'Connor
- Sunday, April 26: 10:30am Rosary; 11:00am - Communion Service
- Sunday, May 03: 10:30am Rosary; 11:00am - Communion Service
- Sunday, May 10: 10:30am Rosary; 11:00am - Communion Service
- Sunday, May 17: 10:30am Rosary; 11:00am - Communion Service
- Sunday, May 24: 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/>

More than 'Apostle to the Apostles' (cont'd from page 5)

But then, Mary boldly tells this man, "Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away."

The theologian Father Bruce Vawter said, "Mary speaks the language of love, not even considering whether what she offers to do would be possible for her."

Fifth: Mary reveals the Good Shepherd.

It's when Jesus speaks her name — "Mary" — that she finally recognizes him and embraces him. This is a beautiful callback to earlier in the Gospel of John, when Jesus [calls](#) himself the Good Shepherd, who "calls his own sheep by name."

As he [puts](#) it there, "My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me." When he calls your name, you both know who he is and you know *who you are* a little more, too.

Mary is so convinced now, Jesus has to say "Stop holding on to me, for I have not yet ascended to the Father."

She becomes a model for us of the moment we will hear him call our name, at the end of our life, and it *will* be time to hold on to him, forever.

[More than 'Apostle to the Apostles': Magdalene's other Easter virtues](#)

ST. IGNATIUS ALTAR FLOWERS

The Altar Flowers for this weekend, April 12, were donated by:

- Art & JJ Ursua
- Joseph & Gladys Domingo

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 sponsored today's flowers. Thank you!

Please sign up to sponsor flowers!

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

SAINTS AND FEASTS THIS WEEK

- Monday, April 20: St. Agnes of Montepulciano
- Tuesday, April 21: St. Anselm of Canterbury
- Wednesday, April 22: St. Anselm of Canterbury
- Thursday, April 23: St. George
- Friday, April 24: St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen
- Saturday, April 25: St. Mark the Evangelist

Saint Quote of the Week:

"In your mercy heal us, in your love and tenderness remake us. In your compassion bring grace and forgiveness, for the beauty of heaven may your love prepare us."

- Saint Anselm of Canterbury (1033-1109)



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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Encountering the Word

with Jeff Cavins

Third Sunday of Easter (A)

Acts 2:14, 22-33 • Psalm 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11
1 Peter 1:17-21 • Luke 24:13-35



Revealed in the Breaking of the Bread

On the road to Emmaus, two disciples walk away from Jerusalem, discouraged and without hope. Though the Resurrection has already taken place, they do not yet recognize it; and they do not recognize Jesus himself when he begins to walk beside them. Patiently, he opens the Scriptures for them, showing how passages from Moses and the prophets and all Scripture pointed to his suffering and glory. Later, at the table, their eyes are opened in the breaking of the bread; and they finally recognize him. Immediately, their despair is replaced with joy, and they run back to Jerusalem to share the good news!



This story is a model for the Mass. In the Liturgy of the Word, Christ himself opens the Scriptures for us, and our hearts burn within us as we hear his voice in the Word proclaimed. In the Liturgy of the Eucharist, he takes bread, blesses it, breaks it, and gives it to us, revealing himself in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. What happened on the road to Emmaus happens for us at every Mass: Christ walks with us, speaks to us, and feeds us, restoring hope and opening our eyes to his presence.

Like the disciples, many today have walked away from Jerusalem, away from the Church, weighed down by discouragement, confusion, or disappointment. Yet through Scripture, the Eucharist, and prayer, the Lord desires to restore their hope. Practices such as *lectio divina*, prayerful reading of Scripture, can help us experience our own Emmaus moments daily, letting God's Word set our hearts aflame. Above all, Christ invites us to meet him in the breaking of the bread, where despair is turned to joy and exile is turned into communion.

Living the Gospel

Christ longs to restore hope in your life just as he did for the disciples on the road to Emmaus. This week, commit to daily time with Scripture, even just a few verses read prayerfully, allowing your heart to burn with his Word. Make every effort to participate fully in the Eucharist, approaching the altar with expectant faith. And when you encounter people who have grown discouraged or walked away, share the hope you have found in Christ. Your words may help open their eyes to him once again.

Dive Deeper

Scan this code to watch:



Or go to

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B2zJFVrVJ2Q>

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Ponder and Pray

» The disciples on the road to Emmaus could not recognize Jesus at first. Where in your life are you tempted to think Christ is absent, when in fact he may already be walking beside you? How can you become more attentive to his presence in ordinary moments?

» Their hearts burned as he opened the Scriptures. Do you approach the Word of God with the expectation that Christ himself desires to speak to you? How could practices like *lectio divina* help you listen more deeply and allow the Scriptures to ignite your heart?

» The disciples, once restored, immediately ran back to Jerusalem to bear witness. Where is the Lord calling you to return, to share hope with others, or to help bring someone back to the Church through your testimony?

“ So they set out at once and returned to Jerusalem where they found gathered together the eleven and those with them who were saying, ‘The Lord has truly been raised and has appeared to Simon!’ Then the two recounted what had taken place on the way and how he was made known to them in the breaking of bread. ”
— Luke 24: 33-35

Make It Your Own

You and others in your household may use this space to write about anything related to today’s Mass. It might be your view of Jeff Cavins’s reflection, your priest’s homily, your answers to the questions on this page—whatever will help you and your household get the most out of today’s celebration.

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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

April 20-26, 2026

- Mon: Acts 6:8-15
John 6:22-29
- Tues: Acts 7:51—8:1a
John 6:30-35
- Wed: Acts 8:1b-8
John 6:35-40
- Thurs: Acts 8:26-40
John 6:44-51
- Fri: Acts 9:1-20
John 6:52-59
- Sat: 1 Peter 5:5b-14
Mark 16:15-20
- Sun: Acts 2:14a, 36-41
1 Peter 2:20b-25
John 10:1-10

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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REQUESTS FOR LETTERS/ REFERENCES FROM ST. IGNATIUS PARISH OFFICE

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.



CONGRATULATIONS

to

Charmelle Georgia Perez Campaner
*(child of Charles Bren Campaner &
Melody Relloque Perez)*

Isaac Paredez De La Cruz
*(child of Rafael Paredez Aria &
Gelin De La Cruz Peralta)*

Caoimhe Agnes Delaney-Fox
&

Liadan Loma Delaney-Fox
*(children of Marcus Rachard Staff &
Isabelle Jade Waring)*

Anaya Go Comila
*(child of Jacker Guimpayan Comila &
Shrina Requiron Go)*

*Baptized on Sunday, April 11, 2026
by Rev. Anthony Fernandes, SAC*

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



...this Easter Season

Frs. Anthony & Sama will be available to
bless your homes.

Contact the Parish office to make
arrangements.

We will need your name and phone number
to arrange the visit.

Weekdays are preferred for homes to be
blessed.



Jesus Day #1
First
Communion
Retreat

Saturday, April 25
9am to Noon

Msgr. Meaney Hall

MOTHER'S DAY CARDS & SPIRITUAL BOUQUETS

Mother's Day cards or spiritual bouquets are available at the Parish Office during weekdays. They will be on sale until Wednesday, May 06. Cards will also be on sale after all Masses this weekend. The suggested donation is \$5 and all proceeds support the St. Ignatius-Dorothy Rice Memorial Scholarship Fund. Mother's Day is on May 11th and all mothers living and deceased will be remembered at Masses that weekend.

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ST. IGNATIUS SPRING TEA PARTY**Saturday, May 09th****2:30-5:00 pm****Msgr. Meaney Multipurpose Hall****Tickets only \$5**

Ticket includes afternoon tea (drink and finger foods), entertainment, and a chance to win some spectacular door prizes, plus lots of random giveaways! This is always a beautiful and affordable event for young people to enjoy with their mother, grandmother, godmother, aunt, etc., on Mother's Day weekend!

Over \$9,000 in prizes!**1st Prize:**

Roberto Coin Diamond Necklace in 18K Yellow Gold...\$4,900!

2nd Prize:

Raymond Weil Ladies Timepiece Steel with diamond case and Mother Pearl dial... \$2,750!

3rd Prize:

Raymond Weil Men's Timepiece Steel with Blue dial ... \$1450!

4th Prize:

Yellow Gold Cross with black enamel ... \$675!

Plus lots of random prizes and giveaways!

- Ticket holders need NOT be present to win.
- Please help us to sell a book of tickets! Earn a free ticket for each book!
- Tickets can be purchased from the St. Ignatius Church Office (949-6797)
- Please purchase tickets no later than Friday, May 08th!
- All proceeds to support Parish Evangelisation/Education programmes.

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Monday, July 06 - Friday, July 10

8:30 am to 12:30 pm

Loyola Hall at St. Ignatius Catholic School

*Join us for: * New Friends * Sing and Play Tune Lagoon * Sticky Scripture *
* Rooted Bible Adventures * Wild Games * Imagination Station *
* Treetop Treats * Canopy Closing * and more!*

Children entering Year 2 - Year 6 (or ages 5 - 12) are welcome!

Teens and young adults are encouraged to register as helpers!

COST: \$110 per child before May 01 (non-refundable)

Late Registration: \$120 per child after May 01 (non-refundable)

LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE!

Deadline is important to order supplies and resources! First come, first served, so don't delay! Child is not registered until payment is made.

REGISTER NOW: <https://vbspro.events/p/549189>



For further information, please contact O'Neil Miller
(Director of Religious Education) at
o'neil.Miller@st-ignatius.com

We are grateful to the FOCUS Missions for collaborating with us this Summer. FOCUS Missionaries and Students will be joining our teen volunteers to lead this year's VBS.

*Any proceeds from VBS will benefit the St. Ignatius Religious Education/Youth Ministry Programmes.
Additional donations are always welcome!*

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

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- 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!

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 April 26, 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.



APRIL 19, 2026

3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER

Heartfelt Stewardship

"Did not our hearts burn within us while He talked to us on the road, while He opened to us the scriptures?" (LUKE 24:32)

How often do you take the time to discern what Jesus is calling you to do with your life? Are your prayers always petitions, asking Jesus to do things for you? If so, that's a one-sided relationship. Living our faith means developing stewardship in a personal relationship with Jesus. Just like any friendship, there is give and take, each side listening to each other and helping each other out. Take time, in silence, to listen to what Jesus is asking of you today.

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.

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>.

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.



This Week on Formed

Week of April 19, 2026



St. Mark the Evangelist

Just who is St. Mark, the author of this short but action-packed Gospel? Using outside sources, other books of the Bible, and the Gospel itself, Dr. Gray takes a closeup look at St. Mark, and his connection with St. Peter and the Christians of Rome.

no had diseases pressed upon him to touch him. "And spirits beheld him, they fell down before him and cried." "And he strictly ordered them not to make him in the mountain, and called to him those whom he did." "And he appointed twelve, to be with him, and had authority to cast out demons." "Simon whom he named the son of Zebedee and John the brother of James and Andrew, and Thomas, and James the son of Alphaeus, and Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, who

Lectio: Mark

Join Dr. Tim Gray in this powerful 14-part series to discover the Gospel of Mark like never before. Immerse yourself in this action-packed Gospel that offers Saint Peter's account of Christ's life and teaching



Via Lucis

Via Lucis, or the Stations of Light, is a devotional practice for reflecting on the joy and hope of the Resurrection during the Easter season. While the Stations of the Cross commemorate Jesus' journey to his crucifixion and death, the Stations of Light focus on the events that followed the Resurrection.

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

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Join our Church's Whatsapp Channel



**St. Ignatius Parish - Grand
Cayman**
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Scan this QR Code using the camera or
use the link below to view or follow the channel
<https://whatsapp.com/channel/0029Vb3lqNfF6smpvatIOD1n>

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.

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.

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!

- Cooking Oil
- Cup a Soup
- Soda Biscuits
- Canned Vegetable
- Flour
- Coffee
- Toothpaste
- Supermarket Gift Cards (\$25 or \$50)

**Special
Request**

When donating items, please bring smaller sizes (bottles, cans, packs) whenever possible! This gives us much more flexibility when distributing the items to individuals or families. For example, 6 small bags of Rice is much better than 1 large one! Thank you!

ST. IGNATIUS/DOROTHY RICE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

How you can help:

- Donation envelopes are available at the entrances to the Church.
- On-line transfers can be done through Butterfield Bank... please e-mail Ignatius@candw.ky for details.
- Donations can also be sent in by mail to PO Box 2638, Grand Cayman, KY1-1102. If paying by cheque, please make your donations payable to: ST. IGNATIUS, and in the memo, please indicate "Scholarship Fund".
- Perhaps your company would like to assist with regular contributions OR a one-off donation?

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 in the Parish Office or via e-mail: Ignatius@candw.ky

St. Ignatius Parish
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"...could you not watch one hour with Me?"

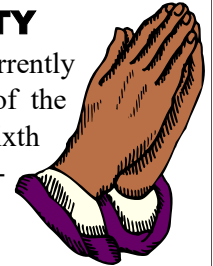


FOUNT OF LIFE PRAYER GROUP
MEETS WEDNESDAYS AT 6:00 PM

"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.



THE GROTTO GIFT SHOP

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

We look forward to seeing you!
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 in July and August.

Phone: 949-6797

or e-mail:

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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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