

St. IGNATIUS THE MARTYR PARISH

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2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)



St. Ignatius was the Bishop of Antioch and was martyred in about 140 AD. He was condemned to death for his promotion of the Christian faith. On route to Rome from Antioch for his execution, he wrote seven letters to various Christian Churches to share his wisdom and guidance for those who would wish to follow Christ.

Feast Day October 17

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OFFICE HOURS:

Mon & Fri: 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Wed: 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM

Tues and Thurs: Closed

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 10:00 AM

Weekdays: 09:00 AM

Rosary: Monday to Friday 8:30 AM

Sunday 9:15 AM

Lectio Divina: following Monday Mass

Children's Liturgy during Sunday's Mass

Eucharistic Adoration: following Thursday Mass

Reconciliation: Saturday 3:45 PM to 4:15 PM

or by appointment

Masses Live Streamed on Facebook: [Ignatius Parish Ottawa](https://www.facebook.com/ignatiusparishottawa)

Masses on YouTube: St. Ignatius Martyr Parish, Ottawa ON

<https://www.youtube.com/@st.ignatiusmartyrparishott2211>



May the Lord's peace be upon you. Little did we know last Sunday that we would be saying goodbye to our beloved pope Francis. I, personally, loved him dearly for many reasons but ultimately it was for the great "divine" mercy that he revealed in his life. He treated each person with mercy, even when he chastised some, by calling them up to the "mark of love". He asked we priests to be so close to the flock as to "smell like the sheep". He asked us to welcome anyone who would turn to God's mercy. He treated the immigrant, the prisoner, the LGBTQ individual and the stranger with equal mercy. He even sought to protect mother earth with mercy. May he "requiem in pace" (rest in peace.)

Thank you Pope Francis

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Sat Apr 26 🙏	2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy) <i>(Anticipatory)</i> Mass intentions for the parishioners.
Sun Apr 27 †	2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy) For the repose of the soul of Carlos Medina requested by Aileen Dolan.
Mon Apr 28	Monday in the 2 nd Week of Easter. St. Louis Grignion de Montfort, Priest. St. Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr.
Tues Apr 29	Tuesday in the 2 nd Week of Easter. St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church.
Wed Apr 30	Wednesday in the 2 nd Week of Easter. St. Marie of the Incarnation, Religious.
Thur May 01	Thursday in the 2 nd Week of Easter. St. Joseph The Worker. St. Pius V, Pope.
Fri May 02	Friday in the 2 nd Week of Easter. St. Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church.
Sat May 03 † †	3rd Sunday of Easter <i>(Anticipatory)</i> St. Philip and St. James, Apostles. For the repose of the soul of Dan Morrissey requested by family. For the repose of the soul of Jennifer McConville requested by her parents.
Sun May 04 🙏	3rd Sunday of Easter Mass intentions for the parishioners.

Mass Intentions

Mon May 05 Available	Tues May 06 Available	Wed May 07 Available	Thur May 08 Available	Fri May 09 Available	Sat May 10 For the People (Taken)	Sun May 11 Available
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St. Ignatius Martyr Parish Financial Results 2024 (without special collections revenues or expenses)

January 2025	March 2025	Year-to-date March 2025
Revenues: 11,110.00	Revenues: 13,809.55	Revenues: 35,907.00
Expenditures: 16,086.73	Expenditures: 15,363.42	Expenditures: 54,955.38
Surplus / Deficit: -4,976.73	Surplus / Deficit: -1,553.87	Surplus / Deficit: -19,048.38

We warmly encourage you to make your weekly donations by e-transfer to
stignatiusottawa@gmail.com
Your generosity is deeply appreciated and helps support the parish.



ANNOUNCEMENTS



Requiem Mass for Holy Father Pope Francis

The Archbishop of Ottawa-Cornwall invites all the faithful to a solemn Requiem Mass in honor of Holy Father Pope Francis.

Date: Thursday, May 1st, 2025

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Location: Saint-François-d'Assise Parish, 20 Fairmont Avenue, Ottawa, ON K1Y 2K2

Important Notice: Parking at the parish is limited. Attendees are strongly encouraged to park on neighboring streets or carpool whenever possible.

For any questions, please feel free to reach out. Let us gather in prayer and unity to honor the life and legacy of Holy Father Pope Francis.

Support Rosa's Mission This Weekend!

This weekend, we have the joy of welcoming Rosa, a dedicated third-year Ottawa University student and member of Catholic Christian Outreach, as she shares her handmade trinkets at the back of the church.

Rosa is raising funds for a meaningful journey to Malta, where she and fellow university students from CCO will help restore an abandoned church. This initiative comes in response to a heartfelt request from the Diocese in Malta, which has reached out to Catholic Christian Outreach in Ottawa for support.

Your generosity can help make a difference! Stop by to browse her beautiful creations and be a part of this mission to bring faith, hope, and renewal to a community in need.

Thank you, and may God bless you!

Knights of Columbus Council 16983—Chase the Ace Raffle!

Congratulations! Envelope # 11, the 9 of Diamonds was Monday's lucky winner, taking home a thrilling \$49.00! Don't miss out on the excitement of our Chase the Ace Raffle - your chance to win big an support a great cause, the pot is now \$925.80! Remember, it's the chase that brings us closer to the grand prize Join in now and feel the rush of the chase! **The tickets are on sale at the back of the church.**

Ticket Prices: 1 for \$5 or 3 for \$10.

Next Draw Date: Monday, April 28th at 7:00 PM.

Proceeds raised till now is \$1,543.00, which will go to our church, St. Vincent de Paul, the Miriam Centre, and the Ottawa Mission.

St. Ignatius the Martyr Parish Pilgrimage 2025 – Important Update

Dear Parishioners and Pilgrims,

Join us on a spiritual journey from **September 19 – September 21, 2025**, as we visit:

(1) Our Lady of the Cape Shrine (Cap-de-la-Madeleine). (2) Ste. Anne de Beaupré. (3) Notre Dame Quebec City Basilica. (4) St. Joseph's Oratory at Mount Royal

Pilgrimage Cost (Includes Bus & Lodging- Meals not included):

Single Room: \$740.00 - Double Room (1 Queen Bed): \$475.00

This is an opportunity for reflection, prayer, and fellowship as we travel together to these sacred sites.

Stay tuned for further details! Blessings, St. Ignatius the Martyr Parish



Spring Cleaning at Our Church!

Let's come together to refresh and beautify our place of worship, inside and out! Join us on **May 3rd at 10:00 AM** for a day of fellowship. Sign-up sheets are available at the back-many hands make light work!

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