

# ST. IGNATIUS LOYOLA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Colorado's Only Jesuit Parish - Warm and Welcoming

*"Give me only your love and your grace, that is enough for me."*

*St. Ignatius of Loyola*



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*Give thanks to the Lord for He is good,  
His love is everlasting.*

Psalm 118:1



## MASS SCHEDULE

Monday—Friday 7:00 am

Saturday Evening 5:00 pm

Sundays 7:30 am and 10:00 am

Holy Days of Obligation 7:00 am and 6:00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturdays 4:15 pm

And by Appointment

Sacrament of Anointing First Sunday of the Month

After 7:30 am Mass

## OTHER MINISTRIES AND CONTACTS

### St. Vincent DePaul Society

Hotline for Assistance 303-955-2578

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### Young Adults Group: Kelly Hunt & Sarah Nardoizzi

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How can you help put our parish vision into action? Send your ideas to:

### Magis Leadership Team

[magis@loyoladenver.org](mailto:magis@loyoladenver.org)

*Cry out with joy to God, all the earth; O sing to the glory of his name. O render him glorious praise, alleluia.  
Psalm 66 (65):1-2*

### **Offertory**

April 2 & 3, 2016

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Offertory.....	\$6256.12
Children's Offertory.....	\$29.43
Building Fund.....	\$280.00
Fr. Brady Fund for the Poor.....	\$13.00

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### **LITURGICAL MINISTERS' & USHERS' SCHEDULE**

Please see bulletin board on North entrance wall. If you need a new schedule emailed to you, please contact the church office.

### **CALENDAR**

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH:** Today at 10 am in the Gesu Rm.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:** Class today at 11:30 in the school/convent/Family Center.

**KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER LADIES AUXILIARY:** Meeting today at 11:30 in the Gesu Rm.

**YOUTH CHOIR:** Practice today at 11:30 in the south sacristy.

**SPANISH MASS:** Today at 12:30 pm.

**JUST FAITH:** Today at 1 pm in the Family Center.

**RCIA:** Tuesday, April 12, 7 pm at Curé d' Ars Church.

**ISP EASTER RETREAT:** Wednesday, April 13, 7 pm to 8:30 pm in Brady Hall. Must have registered to attend.

**LITURGY COMMITTEE:** Meeting Thursday, April 14, 7 pm in the Family Center.

**'JUST FAITH' RETREAT:** Saturday, April 16, 8 am to 5 pm in the convent.

### **FR. CARLOS ON CATHOLIC RADIO**

**Thursday, April 27**

Please tune in to the Catholic Radio Network on 1060 AM to hear Fr. Carlos Esparza, SJ from 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm.

### **ACA VIDEO**

A video regarding the 2016 Archbishop's Catholic Appeal will be playing in Brady Hall after this Sunday's Masses. Brochures and pledge envelopes for the Appeal are available by the video area.

### **BULLETIN DEADLINE**

The submission deadline for weekly bulletin entries and pulpit announcements is the *Tuesday before publication*. If you have any questions, please contact Kathy in the church office.

### **Notes from the Office**

Dear Loyola Parishioners & Visitors,

The word or theme 'worthy' is repeated in this Sunday's readings. In the reading from Acts, the apostles rejoice because "they had been found *worthy* to suffer dishonor for the sake of the name." In the second reading from Revelation, John hears the countless voices cry out "*Worthy* is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches, wisdom and strength, honor and glory and blessing." Finally in the Gospel, we listen as Jesus finds Peter *worthy* of the task ahead and so tells Peter to "Feed my sheep."

Though we are currently rejoicing in the Resurrection, we likely questioned our own 'worthiness' not long ago during Lent and specifically during Holy Week. The discussion of our worthiness especially begins on Holy Thursday when Jesus tells his disciples (and us) that his body will be given up and that his blood will be poured out for the forgiveness of sins. That tells us clearly that we are worthy, and the very next day his body was given, and his blood was poured out. We are made worthy through his Passion.

But I think 'worthy' is a difficult word for us. How can we be worthy of all that Christ endured? (That really comes to my mind as I recall the brutal and vivid scenes from the movie "The Passion of the Christ.") Even though we hear Jesus' loving, saving words again at every celebration of the Eucharist, we prepare to receive His Body and Blood by praying "Lord, I am not worthy...." But He heals us anyway. And as tempting as it may be to question, we can just know that the Lord finds us worthy of Him, worthy of saving, worthy of dying for. It is simple, yet a mystery.

And there's more. If Christ finds us – all of us – worthy of Him and His sacrifice, then we need to do the same and do our best to find each other worthy of our love, of our forgiveness, of our compassion. Jesus' last words in today's Gospel are "Follow me." May we spend this Easter season of joy finding each other worthy and renewing our promise to follow Him.

God Bless,

Kathy Murzyn

## NEWS AND EVENTS

### IN THIS YEAR OF MERCY CARE OF OUR COMMON HOME

Let us also be merciful to Our Common Home, the Earth. A new Magis Innovation Team is forming to focus on ways to do this. To kick this off, a speaker from the City of Denver will be giving a talk on *Dos and Don'ts of RECYCLING* on Thursday April 28 in Brady Hall from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm. All parishioners and non-parishioners are invited. Please contact Romaine Taczosky at [romainetada@gmail.com](mailto:romainetada@gmail.com) or call/text 720-352-1363 to RSVP or just come.

### THANK YOU Senior Supper Dinner

Thanks to our wonderful parishioners, we were able to feed over 80 homeless and low-income seniors on a cold snowy evening. Your generosity enabled us to give all of them a second helping. Loyola parishioners, we wish you could have seen the smiles on their faces.

### St. Vincent DePaul Society Fundraiser

Thank you for supporting our Loyola Conference fundraiser on March 12 and 13. Your generous donations totaling \$565 will be used to help especially those in our church boundaries as well as members of our parish family in need.

### MAGIS WELCOMING TEAM BEGINS!

The new Magis Team on Welcoming new parishioners has started its work! At its first meeting, the Team identified opportunities to enhance its profile of team membership. As a result, you may be approached by a Team member with an invitation to join us! Our next meeting is April 23. Don't hesitate to contact Cindy Prado-Gutierrez if you'd like to chat with a Team member ([prado-gutierrez@msn.com](mailto:prado-gutierrez@msn.com); 303-478-9824). Your curiosity is welcomed!

### CONGRESS PARK EARTH DAY FESTIVAL

This free event is open to the public and will be held on Saturday, April 23 at Capitol Heights Faith Communities, 1100 Fillmore Street, from 2:00 pm to 6:00 pm. The festival will feature art, music and hands-on activities. Learn about renewable energy, composting, recycling, pollinators, and gardening from Congress Park community organizations and experts. Presentations and discussions about regeneration, renewables, green business and what makes a sustainable neighborhood will be available. Further information: [www.CongressParkNeighbors.org/earth-day](http://www.CongressParkNeighbors.org/earth-day)

### HOW YOUR GIFTS CAN KEEP ON GIVING

Imagine a gift that gives forever. Your donations entrusted to the St. Ignatius Loyola Parish Fund through The Catholic Foundation can grow to provide multiplied support for a ministry that transforms lives, now and for eternity. Contact Jean Finegan at The Catholic Foundation, 303-867-0613, to learn how your gift can leave a lasting legacy of faith. *If you are interested in learning more about this program, please contact Fr. Tom first.*

## NEW WEBSITE

We thank the committee that has been putting together our social media. To see our new website, please visit [www.loyoladenver.org](http://www.loyoladenver.org). You can also follow us on Facebook at [facebook.com/LoyolaDenver](https://facebook.com/LoyolaDenver). Our Twitter and Instagram handle is @LoyolaDenver.

If you normally receive the weekly bulletin by email via the website, we hope to have this function restored very soon and apologize for the missing weeks. All recent bulletins are available on the website to review. If you would like to receive the bulletin by email and haven't already signed up, please go to the website and complete the "subscribe to bulletin" blanks at the bottom of the page.

## RICE BOWLS

We'll be collecting the Rice Bowls for Catholic Relief Services through the end of April. If you took one home during Lent, please bring it to church and place it in one of the collection boxes near the entrances. Your donations will help the poor all over the world and here in our Archdiocese.

## ARCHBISHOP'S CATHOLIC APPEAL

Since its inception in 1965, the Archbishop's Catholic Appeal has enriched countless lives and has drawn countless others to a life-changing encounter with our Lord. Your financial support of the 2016 Appeal will provide the means necessary for our Church to build upon her past successes. Archbishop Aquila asks that all members of our parish support the Appeal. Please visit [www.archden.org/donate](http://www.archden.org/donate) or call 303-715-3111.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 04-10-16	7:30 am	People of the Parish
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Monday, 04-11-16		Taylor Pearce & Family
Tuesday, 04-12-16		Fr. Leo Weber, SJ
Wednesday, 04-13-16		Intentions of the Celebrant
Thursday, 04-14-16		Ronald Woodruff <sup>†</sup>
Friday, 04-15-16		Ben Anzures
Saturday, 04-16-16		Martin Herbert <sup>†</sup>

### PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Angela Anderson, Marie Burns, Loretta Burrell, Neal Charles, Deborah Cottle, Baby Isaac Doll, Jossy Eyre, Matt Haberkorn, Hein Family, Becky Hudson, Brian Ipsen, Cynthia Ipsen, Marian McDowell, James McKinney, Oather Moore, Jennifer Roberts, Tonya Rufus-Jones, Carol Ryerson, Richard Ryerson, Fil Sapienza, Beatrice Scott, Katie Scott, Barb Sercely, Mary Sewing, Mary Sims, Stacie Stevenson, Sandy Wright

### Readings for the Week of April 10, 2016

Sunday:	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter</b> Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Rv 5:11-14/ Jn 21:1-19
Monday:	Acts 6:8-15/Jn 6:22-29
Tuesday:	Acts 7:51—8:1a/Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday:	Acts 8:1b-8/Jn 6:35-40
Thursday:	Acts 8:26-40/Jn 6:44-51
Friday:	Acts 9:1-20/Jn 6:52-59
Saturday:	Acts 9:31-42/Jn 6:60-69
Next Sunday:	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter</b> Acts 13:14, 43-52/Rv 7:9, 14b-17/ Jn 10:27-30