

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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*You shall love the Lord,
your God,
with all your heart,
with all your being,
with all your strength,
and with all your mind,
and your neighbor
as yourself.*
Luke 10:27

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

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

Magis Leadership Team

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*See, I have God for my help. The Lord sustains my soul. I will sacrifice to you with willing heart, and praise your name,
O Lord, for it is good.
Psalm 54 (53):6, 8*

Offertory

July 9 & 10, 2016

Offertory.....	\$4722.83
Children’s Offertory.....	\$15.22
Building Fund.....	\$154.00

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

ST. VINCENT DEPAUL SOCIETY: Meeting today at 11:30 in the Gesu Room.

AFRICAN MASS: Today at 1 pm.

PAX CHRISTI: Meeting Tuesday, July 19, 7 pm in the Family Center.

YOUNG ADULTS GATHERING: Thursday, July 21. See next page for details.

CATECHISTS NEEDED

If you are interested in sharing your faith with our youth by being a Catechist, please see Toni Armstead for more information. Catechists are required to complete *Safe Environment* training (or be compliant) and to submit a criminal background check. These are requirements to ensure the safety of our youth. Training for classroom instruction will be provided. We are expecting a larger number of students this year, so Catechists are needed for all ages.

Notes from the Office

Dear Loyola Parishioners & Visitors,

On the shelf across from my desk, the title of a book recently caught my eye: *Holy People Holy Place*. (Sounds good, doesn’t it?) It’s mainly about different rites in the church, but I skimmed through it a little bit to see. The author, Thomas G. Simons writes, “Though God can be worshiped anywhere, the local community builds a ‘house of the Church’ (*domus ecclesiae*) for the benefit and use of all the faithful.” I think that means Church is *where* we’re supposed to go (to worship, to celebrate, to mourn). And as a community is *how* we’re supposed to go. *For the benefit...of all the faithful* – we’ve seen that here this week. In just one week’s time at Loyola, we have had a baptism, a prayer service for victims of violence, a funeral reception, and a wedding. The light of Christ present in the same ‘holy place’ for these very different but very community-oriented gatherings of faith.

I’m not sure what makes a ‘holy place’ or a ‘holy people.’ In fact, we all probably have different definitions of what ‘holy’ is. It reminds me of a confession I had many years ago when I referred to Matthew 6:33 (*seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness*) and told the priest that I wasn’t sure how to do that. He just asked: are you trying? Maybe that’s all we need to do – simply *try* to be holy. Try in how we serve one another, in how we speak about one another, in how we handle disappointments or challenges that come our way. The Lord is likely to let us know if we are on the right track as we see in today’s Gospel with Martha and Mary.

Martha was probably trying to be holy in preparing for the Lord’s visit, and Mary was trying to be holy by sitting with and listening to the Lord as he spoke. Yet the Lord was clear when he told Martha, “There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part.” I don’t think that means we should stop working, preparing or serving (especially with caring hearts). But there are times to do those things, and there are times to be with the Lord completely. As we gather together in a holy place this weekend, may we choose the better part.

God bless,
Kathy Murzyn

NEWS AND EVENTS

YOUNG ADULTS HAPPY HOUR

This Thursday

Join us on Thursday, July 17 for our monthly happy hour at the Payer house! We will be having a special beer brewing class. The class costs \$10 and a 6 pack of beer. We will have several different beer tastings and mix-and-match our 6 packs to take home. Please contact Katie at katie.payer@gmail.com for the address and for more information.

EOC FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE

To learn more about receiving EOC funds for Public Service bills, please call the St. Vincent dePaul Society hotline at 303-955-2578.

WOMEN'S RETREAT

September 23-25, 2016

The women of Loyola are invited to join the Loyola Women's Club for a weekend of reflection, sharing and rejuvenation. Please pick up an information and registration packet at the north entrance of the church. For more information, please contact Louisa at coons.louisa@comcast.net or Deborah at 303-500-2740.

'CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME' MAGIS TEAM

**Let Us Be Merciful to Our Common Home, the Earth
RECYCLABLE BATTERY COLLECTION**

Boxes are at the church entrances to collect your batteries for recycling. Please bring in household, rechargeable and lead-acid batteries. Non-rechargeable batteries like Alkaline and Lithium are acceptable. Lithium Ion batteries and any battery over 9 volts MUST have clear tape over the terminals, i.e. laptop, hand held drill and camera batteries.

Please recycle this bulletin when you are done reading it.

FUND ASSISTANCE FOR CATHOLIC EDUCATION

Universal Education Supporters (UES) is a non-profit organization committed to helping make Catholic Education affordable. By volunteering to work at concession stands at area sporting facilities (Pepsi Center, Mile High Stadium, Coors Field, Dicks Sporting Goods Park), volunteers earn grants toward tuition and other Catholic educational purposes. Grants can be earned for Catholic K – 8 schools, high schools and colleges. For more information about volunteer opportunities and grant applications, see www.uesdenver.org.

SAVE THE DATE – LOYOLA DAY PICNIC

Sunday, July 31

Sunday, July 31 is the Feast Day of St. Ignatius Loyola. Save the date and join us for our annual picnic at the park. We will celebrate our Loyola Community and welcome Fr. Roy Joseph, SJ. The picnic will be from 11 am to 2 pm. Please see future bulletins for more details about what to bring. If you can give an hour or two to help, please contact Mary McEnany, 303-949-8889.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

The Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa supports pastoral projects that foster lasting peace reconciliation in a continent often marked by division and tension. The area faces challenges due to poverty, the high incidence of disease, food shortages, and migration. Projects through this fund include support for migrants, communication efforts, building new churches, and formation for priests and religious.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 07-17-16

7:30 am

People of the Parish

10:00 am

People of the Parish

Monday, 07-18-16

Marguerite Meyers & Family

Tuesday, 07-19-16

Intentions of the Celebrant

Wednesday, 07-20-16

Kelly O'Leary & Family

Thursday, 07-21-16

Royal & Carol Moffitt

Friday, 07-22-16

Hugh Joe Martin*

Saturday, 07-23-16

People of the Parish

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Angela Anderson, Tom Barwinski, Louis Burns, Marie Burns, Loretta Burrell, Neal Charles, Deborah Cottle, Baby Isaac Doll, Jossy Eyre, George and Barbara Franke, Matt Haberkorn, Hein Family, Becky Hudson, Brian Ipsen, Cynthia Ipsen, Lindsay Family, Marian McDowell, James McKinney, Oather Moore, Jennifer Roberts, Tonya Rufus-Jones, Carol Ryerson, Richard Ryerson, Fil Sapienza, Beatrice Scott, Katie Scott, Melvin Scott, Barb Sercely, Mary Sewing, Mary Sims, Stacie Stevenson, Randy and Donna Toth

Readings for the Week of July 17, 2016

Sunday:

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gn 18:1-10a/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42

Monday:

Mi 6:1-4, 6-8/Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday:

Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday:

Jer 1:1, 4-10/Mt 13:1-9

Thursday:

Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13/Mt 13:10-17

Friday:

Jer 3:14-17/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Saturday:

Jer 7:1-11/Mt 13:24-30

Next Sunday:

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gn 18:20-32/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13