

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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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:

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*You are just, O Lord, and your judgment is right; treat your servant in accord with your merciful love.
Psalm 119 (118):137, 124*

Offertory

August 27 & 28, 2016

Offertory.....	\$3978.61
Children's Offertory.....	\$33.71
Building Fund.....	\$43.00
Fr. Brady Fund for the Poor.....	\$20.00

LITURGICAL MINISTERS' 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.

JR. KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER: Meeting today at 11:45 at the playground tables.

JR. DAUGHTERS: Meeting today at 11:30 in Brady Hall.

LABOR DAY: Monday, September 5. Office is closed.

'CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME' MAGIS TEAM: Meeting Tuesday, September 6, 6:30 pm in the Family Center.

THOMAS MERTON BOOK CLUB: Wednesday, September 7, 7:30 pm in the Family Center.

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS: Saturday, September 10, 9 am in Brady Hall.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

The collection will be taken for The Catholic University of America, the national university of the Catholic Church. Funds will enable the university to expand its impact in preparing the next generation of leadership for our Church and nation.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

If you are interested in becoming Catholic or want to know more about the Catholic faith, the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) sessions begin on Tuesday, September 13 at 7 pm. Registrations will be accepted on the first night. We meet at the Cure d'Ars parish center-4701 MLK Blvd. Contact Anita Riley at anitaariley@gmail.com or Margaret Wright at margw8@aol.com.

BIBLE STUDY & SHARING Begins Monday, September 12

Fr. Joseph's New Testament Bible study and sharing will meet Mondays at 6:30 pm in the Family Center beginning September 12. All are welcome, and no bible study experience is necessary. For more information, contact Fr. Joseph at FrJoseph@loyoladenver.org.

Notes from Fr. Tom

Dear Loyola Parishioners and Visitors,

Slavery may seem a strange topic to address on Labor Day weekend when we honor workers and unions and the labor movement, but that is what is on my mind.

Georgetown University has announced it will give admissions preference to the descendants of the slaves held by the Maryland Province Jesuits from whose forced labor the University profited. It is a partial act towards seeking forgiveness and reconciliation. The University announced other initiatives as well that it will take to seek pardon and demonstrate contrition.

The 2016 Colorado ballot measure, Amendment T would remove an exception to the prohibition of slavery in the State constitution that allows individuals to be held in involuntary servitude if convicted of a crime.

Worldwide, men, women and children are recruited, trafficked and held in slavery or involuntary servitude as domestic workers, agricultural and "the trades" laborers, housekeepers at lodging and resort facilities, sex workers, and "brides for sale." The legal sanctioning of slavery in the United States and other nations of the world may have ended, but the institution persists. Trafficking in persons is the second most profitable international crime, following trafficking in illicit drugs. In 2011, it generated an estimated \$31.6 billion, with roughly 2.5 million people trafficked annually.

While St. Paul's letter to Philemon (today's second reading) reveals Paul's care, concern and love for the slave, Onesimus, it still reveals the attitude that one human being may own and possess another human being to serve him or her. It still reveals Paul's concern that Philemon act freely and consent to Onesimus serving, being slave to 'but more than a slave', one or the other of them. Slavery is not the only way in which some humans act out of their belief that they can possess and own another human being.

Fr. Tom

NEWS AND EVENTS

THE END OF MERCY?

Ignatian Retreat at Loyola

As we enter the final weeks of the Jubilee Year of Mercy, how am I turning my gaze to God, my merciful Father, and to others in need of God's mercy? How am I placing Jesus Christ, the merciful God, at the center of my life? Is this Jubilee Year coming to an end, or is it only beginning? Join others in a five-week Ignatian retreat grounded in the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius and focused on God's mercy. Retreatants commit to pray daily and share prayer experiences weekly. Retreat directors offer presentations and prayer exercises for each week. We will meet five Wednesdays: October 5, 12, 19, 26 & November 2 from 7:00-8:30 p.m. at St. Ignatius Loyola Church. For more information and to register, pick up a flyer at the entrances to the church, go to ignatianspiritualitydenver.org/retreats/calendar, or contact Paula Sapienza in the Ignatian Spirituality Program of Denver office: ignatianspiritualitydenver@hotmail.com or 303-320-9995. The deadline to register is September 30.

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS

The next baptism preparation class is this Saturday, September 10 at 9 am in Brady Hall. Parents and godparents are welcome.

JULIA GREELEY, SERVANT OF GOD

Julia Greeley is now a "Servant of God." This is the beginning of the opening process toward the next step. In November, when the United States Catholic Bishops meet, they will be asked to vote on the continuation of this process. Only then with a YES vote can a CAUSE be open. For additional information visit the website: www.juliagreeley.org or call Mary Leising at 303-715-3165.

TOGETHER COLORADO PUBLIC MEETING

In the world today, where fear continues to bombard us, sometimes it seems that violence and isolation are inevitable. As scripture teaches in Exodus 14:13 "Do not be afraid, stand firm, and see the deliverance that the LORD will accomplish for you today."

Gather with *Together Colorado* and 800 people motivated by their faith to dispel fear and put human dignity at the center of our public and political life in Colorado.

Tuesday, September 13- 6:30-8:00pm

Montview Presbyterian Church

(1980 Dahlia St Denver, CO 80220).

Childcare (Transportation) and Translation will be Provided.

For more information, contact Celesté Martinez at celeste@togetherco.org or 303-968-6580.

Together Colorado is a non-partisan multi-faith, multi-racial statewide community organization that works to unlock the power of people through faith based community organizing with more than 150 faith leaders, congregations and schools.

IGNATIAN VOLUNTEER CORPS

If you are interested in participating in a *feasibility study* for the formation of an Ignatian Volunteer Corps (IVC) in Denver, come to a meeting on Monday, September 12 at 7 pm in Brady Hall with Mary Baudouin, Asst. for Social Ministries for our Jesuit Province. The IVC provides men and women, most age 50 or better, with substantive work to serve individuals who have slipped through this country's safety net. Volunteers are strengthened in their Christian faith by IVC's unique spiritual reflection program rooted in the Jesuit tradition of Ignatian spirituality. The study will cover issues including: volunteer placements, volunteers, Ignatian reflectors and fundraising.

'CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME' MEETING

Due to the opportunity to meet with Ms. Baudouin (Asst. for Social Ministries for our Jesuit Province) the week of September 11, our next meeting will be Tuesday, September 6 from 6:30 to 8:00 pm in the Family Center. All are Welcome!

JESUIT EXCELLENCE TOUR

High school students and parents interested in learning more about Jesuit universities are invited to the *Jesuit Tour of Excellence* Thursday, September 8 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm at the Embassy Suites Denver Southeast. Representatives from Jesuit colleges and universities across the country will be available.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 09-04-16

7:30 am

Elizabeth Manfredi+

10:00 am

People of the Parish

Monday, 09-05-16

Elizabeth Manfredi+

Tuesday, 09-06-16

Frank+ & Chris+ Reuter

Wednesday, 09-07-16

Larry Razal+

Thursday, 09-08-16

Tom+ & Ralphie Lutrey

Friday, 09-09-16

Joseph Ryan+

Saturday, 09-10-16

People of the Parish

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Angela Anderson, Tom Barwinski, Louis Burns, Marie Burns, Loretta Burrell, Neal Charles, Deborah Cottle, Baby Isaac Doll, Healis Duplantis, 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, Stacie Stevenson, Randy and Donna Toth

Readings for the Week of September 4, 2016

Sunday:

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 9:13-18b/Phlm 9-10, 12-17/

Lk 14:25-33

Monday:

1 Cor 5:1-8/Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday:

1 Cor 6:1-11/Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday:

1 Cor 7:25-31/Lk 6:20-26

Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Thursday:

Mi 5:1-4a/Mt 1:1-16, 18-23

Friday:

1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27/Lk 6:39-42

Saturday:

1 Cor 10:14-22/Lk 6:43-49

Next Sunday:

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ex 32:7-11, 13-14/1 Tm 1:12-17/Lk 15:1-32