

# 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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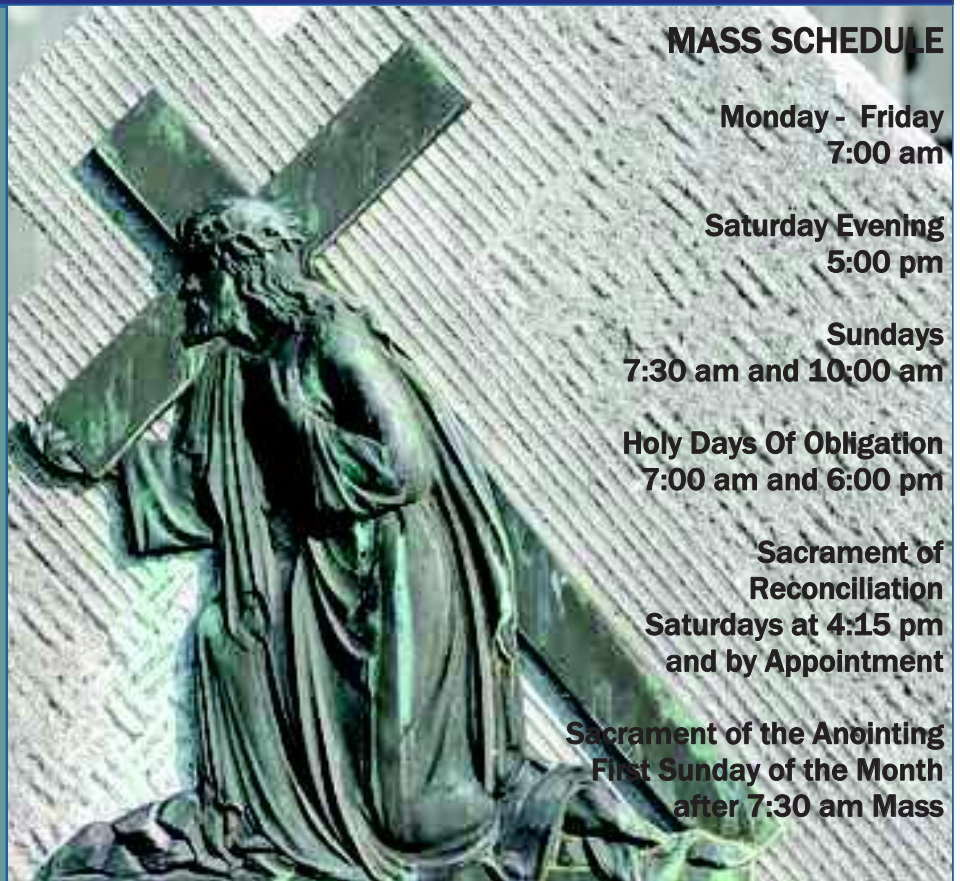
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## MASS SCHEDULE

**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 at 4:15 pm  
and by Appointment

**Sacrament of the 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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*My eyes are always on the Lord, for he rescues my feet from the snare. Turn to me and have mercy on me,  
for I am alone and poor.  
Psalm 25 (24):15-16*

**Offertory**

**March 11 & 12, 2017**

Offertory.....	\$3512.41
Children’s Offertory.....	\$49.18
Building Fund.....	\$25.00
Easter Flowers.....	\$35.00
Fr. Brady Fund for the Poor.....	\$39.10

**CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME:** Meeting today at 9 am in Brady Hall.

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

**RE CLASSES:** Today at 11:30 in the school/convent/Family Center.

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

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

**AFRICAN MASS:** Today at 1 pm.

**BIBLE STUDY/SHARING:** Monday, March 20, 6:30 pm in Brady Hall.

**RCIA:** Tuesday, March 21, 7 pm at Curé d’Ars Church.

**PAX CHRISTI:** Meeting Tuesday, March 21, 7 pm in the Family Center.

**LENTEN LECTURE SERIES:** Wednesday, March 22, 6:30 pm in Brady Hall.

**CASINO TRIP:** Thursday, March 23, bus departs at 11 am.

**ISP LENTEN RETREAT:** Thursday, March 23, 7 pm in Brady Hall. Must have registered to attend.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** Friday, March 24, 7 pm in the church.

**DOCUMENTARY:** *Rebels Remembered: Law Not Justice*, Saturday, March 25, 6 pm in Brady Hall.

**LOYOLA LENTEN SERIES  
Catholic Social Doctrine**

The Loyola Lenten Series is being held each Wednesday through April 5. Join us in Brady Hall from 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm. See the flier on the north and east bulletin boards for the full listing of speakers and topics. This Wednesday, March 22, Dr. Julia Brumbaugh from Regis University will present: *The Option for the Poor and Vulnerable, and Economic Development*.

**SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND**

Next weekend’s second collection is for Catholic Relief Services. These funds help provide food to the hungry, support to displaced refugees and Christ’s love and respect to all people here at home and abroad.

**Notes from Fr. Tom**

Dear Loyola Parishioners & Visitors:

In today’s gospel of the woman at the well, one of the questions Jesus’ behavior may raise for us is: how welcoming, how inclusive, are we towards those who we fear, those with whom we are uncomfortable or those towards whom we hold prejudicial views?

On Wednesday evening, Joshua Evans, who spoke at our Lenten Series on Catholic Social Doctrine, told the story of a black jazz musician who was invited over to the table of one of the patrons at the club where he was performing. The man revealed to the musician that he had never had a conversation with an African-American before and that he was a KKK member. Imagine all the emotions and thoughts that must have been felt and heard in the heads of the other patrons and these two men as they stayed with their discomfort and conversed together. That was the beginning of their relationship, which went on to impact their lives and others’ lives in that community.

When I was in Kansas City, a topic of discussion that came up with inter-faith clergy was how do we pastor when both the perpetrator and victim of domestic violence are members of our communities. It was not a hypothetical in our parish. One of our parishioners was on trial for the murder of his estranged wife, and parishioners were vocal and outraged on both sides at his trial. A few members of the parish staff had publicly vilified the man at his trial, while I visited the man in jail and tried to reach out to both families. The pastor viewed and treated all as his parishioners alike, making no distinction, assessing no fault, seeing only the effects of sin in our world.

As you look around the parish or imagine it at home, who makes you feel uncomfortable? Are they present in our Church? Why not? Would they be welcomed and included? Would they *feel* welcomed and included? We all need to ask ourselves these questions, admit our biases (at least to ourselves and God) and work against them—presiders included.

Fr. Tom

## NEWS AND EVENTS

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

**This Friday, March 24**

All are invited to join as a parish community to journey with the Stations of the Cross this Friday, March 24 at 7 pm in the church.

### REFLECTING ON YOUR LENTEN JOURNEY

Come share and reflect on your journey this Lent on Sunday, March 26 after the 10 am Mass. All are welcome to attend, create community, and grow together in faith. We will gather on the 3rd floor of the school during religious education. Contact Erin Benson at [erindbenson@gmail.com](mailto:erindbenson@gmail.com) or 303-351-3152 if you have any questions.

### CONTINUING THE CONVERSATION

Thank you again to everyone who attended and contributed food for the Melting Pot Potluck on Sunday, March 5! There was also meaningful conversation around immigration and refugees in our city, and we are grateful to those who participated. We hope to continue the conversation and explore additional events and opportunities for dialogue. The Magis Leadership Team will help facilitate next steps. If you have an idea or would like to help with the development of this conversation, please fill out an *Idea Card*, which can be found at the church entrances or at [www.loyoladenvr.org](http://www.loyoladenvr.org).

### CASINO TRIP

**This Thursday, March 23**

The Brady Hall Committee is sponsoring a trip to the Mardi Gras Casino in Blackhawk this Thursday, March 23. The bus will leave the church parking lot at 11 am and return at 6 pm. The cost is \$10. Contact Bonnie at 303-355-8948 or Celestine at 303-333-8484 for more details and to reserve your seat on the bus.

### EASTER BASKETS

#### Volunteers Needed

The Loyola Conference of the St. Vincent DePaul Society will be taking Easter food baskets to Loyola parishioners on Sunday, April 2. Help is needed to load and unload baskets and deliver them to parishioners. If you are able to help, please call Charlotte at 303-861-7433.

### MARDI GRAS MASQUERADE BALL THANK YOU

We would like to thank the Mardi Gras Masquerade Ball Committee, DJ Marvin Minor, photographers Brother Gary Sawyer and Ron Cox; Fr. Tom Cwik, SJ for his continued support and the parishioners who gave donations, bought and sold tickets. Your support was greatly appreciated. The gross amount of funds raised from this event is \$5650.

*-Mary and Donald Sims, Sr*

### 40 DAYS OF FAITHFUL ACTION

#### Final Segment of Documentary

**This Saturday, March 25**

Join fellow Loyola parishioners participating in the 40 Days of Faithful Action supported by Together Colorado this Saturday, March 25 for the final segment of the *Rebels Remembered* documentary series with "Law not Justice." We hope this series will inspire our Lenten reflection on how we can learn from history to respond to the reality we currently face by putting our faith into action. There will be coffee and light snacks. All are welcome! We hope to see you Saturday evening after the 5 pm Mass.

### SENIOR SUPPORT DINNER

We will be providing and serving dinner to over 70 homeless seniors on Thursday, March 30. The menu is: fried chicken potato salad or pasta salad, green beans and cake. If you can help by providing food or serving, please contact Charlotte at 303-861-7433 or Delores at 720-937-2924. Please bring prepared food to Senior Support Services at 846 E. 18th Ave. (18th and Emerson) by 5 pm.

### WOMEN'S TEA APRIL 2

All women of Loyola are invited to a spring tea social on Sunday, April 2. This fun annual event will be held in the convent (23rd and Vine St.) after the 10:00 am Mass. Come for a cup of tea, great food, laughter and fellowship! Hats encouraged but optional. Child Care will also be provided. Please see Angelita Sims, Louisa Coons, Heidi Fritz or any Women's Club member with questions.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 03-19-17	7:30 am	Joseph Louis Meyers & Family
	10:00 am	People of the Parish
Monday, 03-20-17		Phillip Buell & Family
Tuesday, 03-21-17		Taylor Pearce & Family
Wednesday, 03-22-17		Intentions of the Celebrant
Thursday, 03-23-17		Mary Pasquier & Family
Friday, 03-24-17		Helen Pearce & Family
Saturday, 03-25-17		Martin Herbert* & Victoria Estrella

### PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Loretta Burrell, Deborah Cottle, Baby Isaac Doll, Healis Duplantis, Jose Raul Esquibel, Jossy Eyre, George and Barbara Franke, Healis Howard, Lindsay Family, Cordell Robinson, Carol Ryerson, Fil Sapienza, Katie Scott, Melvin Scott, Barb Sercely

### Readings for the Week of March 19, 2017

Sunday:	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent</b> Ex 17:3-7/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42
Monday:	2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/ Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a
Tuesday:	Dn 3:25, 34-43/Mt 18:21-35
Wednesday:	Dt 4:1, 5-9/Mt 5:17-19
Thursday:	Jer 7:23-28/Lk 11:14-23
Friday:	Hos 14:2-10/Mt 12:28-34
Saturday:	<b>The Annunciation of the Lord</b> Is 7:10-14, 8:10/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38
Next Sunday:	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent</b> 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41