

# 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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*All things are possible for God.*

Mark 10:27b



## 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 7:00 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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### Young Adults Group: Sarah Moss & Sydney Stulock

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**Offertory**

October 13 &amp; 14, 2018

Offertory.....	\$3736.17
Children's Offertory.....	\$23.02
Building Fund.....	\$235.00
Fr. Brady Fund for the Poor.....	\$50.00
2 <sup>nd</sup> Coll./Disaster Relief.....	\$784.00

**CALENDAR**

**MARDI GRAS MASQUERADE BALL TICKETS:** On sale after all Masses.

**CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME:** Meeting today at 8:45 in Brady Hall.

**ROSARY:** Today at 9 am at Mary's Altar.

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH:** No class today.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:** No class today.

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

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

**BIBLE STUDY:** October dates are the 15<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>.

**IGNATIAN SPIRITUALITY RETREAT:** Tuesday, October 23, 7 pm in Brady Hall. (Need to have registered.)

**RCIA:** Tuesday, October 23, 7 pm at Curé d' Ars Church.

**LOYOLA LECTURE SERIES:** Thursday, October 25, 6:30 pm in Brady Hall.

**FALL FESTIVAL:** Saturday, Oct. 27, 6:00 pm, Brady Hall.

**ANNUAL FALL FESTIVAL NEXT SATURDAY**

Please join us for the Annual Fall Festival on Saturday, October 27 from 6 pm-8:30 pm. This is an ALL AGES event with games, music, dancing, food and costume contests. This is sponsored by the Knights, Ladies, Junior Knights and Junior Daughters of Council and Court 397. There is no fee to attend!

**Notes from Fr. Dirk**

Items of note:

- Last Saturday evening we held our annual Volunteer Appreciation Event. This year our caterers served what are called Heavy Hors d'oeuvres (the stuffed mushroom caps weighed 50 pounds each) together with a carefully-curated selection of wines. Instead of parking themselves at tables our happy volunteers mingled and chatted in soft light with soft music in the background. Rave reviews. Here's how to get past the bouncer at next year's event: Volunteer!
- Vote! You decide – thoughtfully and prayerfully – for ~~who~~ whom (thank you, Sister) and for what. But vote. Please don't throw away something our ancestors fought and died for.
- SAVE THE DATE: Mass with the Spirituals Project! November 11 at 4 pm.

You Can't Handle the Truth. At least I can't.

Truth, never popular, is on the outs these days. As such, I thought it might be helpful to review the concept of truth. If you can't handle this, join the club.

Holy Mother Church favors the idea that reality includes things that can be known by the five senses and things that cannot ~~make sense~~ be known by the five senses. (Pop Quiz: Do you see dead people? Discuss.) In other words, reality is *objective*, which means it's not something we dream up. True = real. Moral norms are objective as well. A moral norm is not a really good guy named Norm but a kind of moral or ethical standard. One of the basic norms is "Do good and avoid evil." Moral norms are objectively real. They exist. The Catholic position is that moral norms come from God and are written on the human heart (in magic marker no less). In fact anyone – Catholic or not – can discover these norms by means of experience and reason.

*Falsehoods* are untruths. They do not match up with reality. Falsehoods aren't necessarily lies, because it's possible to say something that isn't true by mistake. But if I deliberately tell an untruth in hopes of deceiving someone, I've told a *lie*. I also lie if I say whatever I think might help me in the moment, without caring whether or not it's true. The law calls that a reckless disregard for the truth. It's a form of lying.

Telling – or hearing – a lie over and over makes it easier to believe. That's what propaganda is about. That's what scapegoating is about. And we're much more likely to believe a negative (and untrue) story about someone we don't like. It's tricky. Happily, there are fact-checking sites out there that help us figure out what's true and what's not.

Satan is sometimes called the Father of Lies. The term comes from John 8:44:

"You are from your father the devil, and you choose to do your father's desires. He was a murderer from the beginning and does not stand in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he lies, he speaks according to his own nature, for he is a liar and the father of lies." Satan invented (but did not patent) lying.

Is there a single lie that we could call the basic lie or maybe the mother of all lies? I think so. Here it is: God does not love you. That's a colossal reality-shattering lie that can shake us to our foundations. If you are not loved, what's the point of Jesus Christ? If you are not loved, what good is redemption? In fact, how is redemption even possible? For that matter, if you are not loved, what is the point of love at all?

Things that are true are true whether or not anyone thinks they're true. That's because reality is objective. I suppose we all have times when we toy with the idea that God does not love us. It's normal to feel that way, but it's a lie. Here's the truth: You are beloved. The grumpy neighbor next door is beloved. Skunks are beloved. Lima beans are beloved (Oh yeah? Prove it!). God is love. You are beloved. And that's the truth.

## NEWS AND EVENTS

### MANDATION WORKSHOP

#### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

If you missed Loyola's EMHC Workshop on Sept. 22, another workshop is scheduled for Saturday, October 27 at the Archdiocese of Denver, 1300 South Steele, 9 to 11 am. Call the Office of Liturgy at 303-715-3156 with questions.

### ST. MARTIN DE PORRES MASS AT LOYOLA

Auxiliary Bishop Jorge Rodriguez will be the main celebrant for the St. Martin de Porres Mass on Saturday, November 3 at 5:00 pm. Fr. Dirk and Fr. Joseph will concelebrate. All are welcome! Light refreshments in Brady Hall after Mass. Julia Greeley Guild members, please wear white to honor St. Martin de Porres. Call Mary Leisring, 303-321-6817 for details.

### IGNATIUS SPIRITUALITY DAY OF PRAYER

#### "To Everything There is a Season" – Save the Date!

Join us Saturday, November 17, 9:30 am to 2:30 pm here at St. Ignatius Loyola Church. We will explore the changes in our lives through prayer. In addition to presentations, silent prayer and reflection, there will be opportunities for prayerful movement. We will celebrate Mass; lunch is provided. Suggested offering is \$50; scholarships are available. To register, pick up a registration form at the church entrances, visit [ignatianspiritualitydenver.org/retreats/calendar](http://ignatianspiritualitydenver.org/retreats/calendar), or contact the Ignatian Spirituality Program of Denver office: 303-320-9995; [ignatianspiritualitydenver@hotmail.com](mailto:ignatianspiritualitydenver@hotmail.com). Deadline to register is November 9.

### EVANGELIZE THIS HALLOWEEN

*I would like to share with you the best treat I have ever received! His name is Jesus Christ!* Here is an easy way to evangelize on Halloween: Hand out our free bookmarks, which will be at the church entrances next weekend October 27 & 28, inviting visitors to come to our Church to receive the real treat... Jesus Christ! The Mass schedule is included. Please take a few home and hand one out to everyone who knocks on your door on Halloween. Also take the bookmarks to work and share some with your neighbors.

### ITEMS NEEDED

During the month of October, the Knights of Peter Claver, Ladies Auxiliary will be collecting new or gently used backpacks and winter coats for *Casa de Paz* which offers housing, meals, visits and transportation to families torn apart by immigrant detention. Look for the box in Brady Hall.

### CANDLES AND PHOTOGRAPHS FOR NOVEMBER

If you would like to remember a deceased loved one during the month of November, you are invited to bring a framed photograph to church to be placed on a table of remembrance. You may also submit the names of loved ones to be put on candles for the altar rails. Please bring nothing larger than an 8 x 10 frame so there is plenty of room, and please have your name on your item. Photos can be placed beginning All Saints Day, Thursday, November 1. Please submit names for candles to Kathy in the office, [KMurzyn@loyoladenver.org](mailto:KMurzyn@loyoladenver.org), or 303-322-8042 *no later than Monday, October 29*.

## SPIRITUALS MASS

Save the date! Join us Sunday, November 11 at 4 pm for a special Mass with music by The Spirituals Project. See next weekend's bulletin for more details.

### HAUNTED HOUSE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Youth of the parish, and anyone else who would like to help, are invited to help set up the haunted house for next Saturday's Fall Festival. For more information or to volunteer to help, please call Deborah Price at 303-500-2740.

### SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

The World Mission Sunday collection supports efforts including clinics for the sick and dying, orphanages providing a place of safety and shelter, schools offering education from kindergarten through high school, seminarians preparing for the priesthood, and religious Sisters and Brothers in formation programs. These ministries take place in 1,111 mission dioceses, mostly in Africa and Asia.

### SOLIDARITY ON TAP

#### Socializing Meets Social Justice

Young Adults are invited to the Diebolt Brewing Company, 3855 Mariposa St, Denver 80211 on Tuesday, October 23 from 7 pm to 9 pm. Andrea Gelfuso (Environmental Attorney and Director of Onward!Environmental Advocates) will speak on "*Climate Change in Colorado*." Food and drinks are available for purchase. Email [youngadults@loyoladenver.org](mailto:youngadults@loyoladenver.org) for more information.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 10-21-18	7:30 am	No intention requested
	10:00 am	People of the Parish
Monday, 10-22-18		John DeGrassi+
Tuesday, 10-23-18		Lynn Willits+
Wednesday, 10-24-18		Special Intention
Thursday, 10-25-18		Justice & Security for Vietnam esp. for Catholics There
Friday, 10-26-18		Special Intention
Saturday, 10-27-18		Shawn Blaylock

### PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Elizabeth Achuil, Angela Anderson, Paul Appel, Taeja Billingsley, Louise Bouta, Loretta Burrell, Deborah Cottle, Nelson Ezell, Jossy Eyre, Clarence Grier, Pat Heeter, Daniel Hogan, Clifton J. Howard Jr., Daniel J. Howard, Healis Howard, Walter S. Howard, Isaac Joseph, Lindsay Family, Marian McDowell, Kelly McEnany, Ronda Wiethorn Pruett, Marcello Puma, Cordell Robinson, Carol Ryerson, Michelle Salazar, Beatrice Scott, Katie Scott, Melvin Scott, YE Scott, Barb Sercely, Mary Sewing, Angelita Sims, Ken & Carmen Therence, Linda Vialpando, Josiah Warren

### Readings for the Week of October 21, 2018

#### 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday:	Is 53:10-11/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45
Monday:	Eph 2:1-10/Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday:	Eph 2:12-22/Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday:	Eph 3:2-12/Lk 12:39-48
Thursday:	Eph 3:14-21/Lk 12:49-53
Friday:	Eph 4:1-6/Lk 12:54-59
Saturday:	Eph 4:7-16/Lk 13:1-9
Next Sunday:	30 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Jer 31:7-9/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52