

# St. Ignatius of Loyola Virtual Fall Festival Is Here

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TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 4, 2020

## Virtual Fall Festival

## PUMPKIN PARADE

## MEET OUR STAFF MEMBERS

### Pastor's Column

See inside as Fr. Norbert talks about our Fall Festival this weekend

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### Pumpkin Parade

Mark your calendars for our pumpkin parade. Details inside with date and time.

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### Meet our Staff

We are showcasing members of our staff throughout the bulletin. See inside throughout to meet them.

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### Do you know your Deacons?

*October 14th at 5:30 p.m.*

Youth Ministry Mark your calendars for the next Facebook/Instagram Live Event. See inside for more details.

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**DO YOU  
KNOW  
YOUR  
DEACONS?**

#### Temporary Office Hours:

Monday & Thursday: 9:30-4:30 p.m.

Tuesday & Wednesday: 9:30 –8:30 p.m.

Saturday: 11-1 p.m.

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# WELCOME TO ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA



**Very Rev. Norbert Maduzia  
Jr., E. V., D. Min. Pastor**



**Rev. Justin Cormie  
Parochial Vicar**



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**YouTube:** See our Live-stream Masses on our YouTube channel. Search for St. Ignatius Loyola Spring on YouTube and subscribe.



**Facebook:** Visit us on Facebook for our Live stream of liturgical events. See liturgy page for more information. [@ignatiusloyolacc](https://www.facebook.com/ignatiusloyolacc)

## PASTORAL OFFICE/ OFICINA PASTORAL

Dcn. Billy Chen	Permanent Deacon
Dcn. Scott Glueck	Permanent Deacon
Dcn. Mike Higgins	Permanent Deacon
Dcn. Greg Mouton	Permanent Deacon
Dcn. Peter Olivier	Permanent Deacon
Dcn. Larry Vines	Permanent Deacon
Dcn. Joe Wright	Permanent Deacon
Ron Svoboda	Parish Dir. Of Operations
Kristin Garcia	Office Manager
Lisa Kubis	Business Manager
Mary Blanton	Clergy Assistant
Betty Keller	Receptionist
Ryan Bearer	Receptionist
Karen Garcia	Receptionist
Juan Velasco	Facilities Manager
Jose Jimenez	Facilities Assistant
Jimmy Sexton	Facilities Assistant

### Office of Liturgy and Sacraments

Karla Jackson	Pastoral Associate
Kenneth Anicete	Coordinator of Liturgy
Andrew Saylor	Director of Music
Peter Ramirez	Associate Director of Music

### Office of Formation

Amy Auzenne	Pastoral Associate
Chris Osgood	Director of Youth Ministries
Alyssa Vijil	Co. Dir. of Youth Ministries
Lucille Pavlock	Director of EC & Elem.
Gracia Avila	Admin Assistant

### Early Childhood Center

Kathy Schaefer	Director Of Early Childhood
Donna Quiambao	Asst. Dir. Early Childhood

### Office of Social Services

Ascención Amado	Director of Social Services
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## WEEKLY WORSHIP SCHEDULE/ HORARIO DE LITURGIA

### EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

#### Monday– Friday:

9 a.m. Daily Mass (Also on Live-stream)

#### Wednesday:

6:45 p.m. Mass

#### Saturday:

5:15 p.m. Mass (Also on Live-stream)

#### Sunday:

7:30 a.m. Mass

10 a.m. Mass (Also on Live-stream)

12:30 p.m. Misa (Español– transmisión en vivo)

5:15 p.m. Mass

### RECONCILIATION

Wednesday: 5:15 - 6:15 p.m., and

Saturday: 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

### LITURGY OF THE HOURS

**Evening Prayer: First Fridays of every month, 6:15 p.m.**

**Please check our website for most recent schedule.  
See our livestream Masses via Facebook, YouTube, &  
Parish Website.**

## MASS INTENTIONS/ INTENCIONES DE MISA

**Fr. Norbert & Fr. Justin will be celebrating the  
following Mass Intentions this coming week.**

### Monday, October 5

Susan & Doug Tischler (LVG)

### Tuesday, October 6

Tyra Storie (LVG)

### Wednesday, October 7

Joey Shupe (LVG)

Siblings of Kathryn Dawson (+)

### Thursday, October 8

Emily & Howard J. Schroder (+)

### Friday, October 9

Geoffrey Knowers (LVG)

Rommel Labao (+)

### Saturday, October 10

Manuel De Jesus Roman (+)

### Sunday, October 11

Imelda M. Madrid (+)

Geoff & Marie Knowers (LVG)

Pro Populo

Emilio Sierra, Isabel Palacios, & John Biccic (+)

Thuyet Vu Dominick & Minh Vu Juan Bosco (+)



## PRESIDER SCHEDULE/ HORARIO DEL CELEBRANTE

October 10-11th Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time <b>Baptism: Glueck</b>	Saturday/ Sábado 5:15 p.m. <b>Rite of Acceptance</b>	Sunday/ Domingo 7:30 a.m.	Sunday/ Domingo 10:00 a.m.	Sunday/ Domingo 12:30 p.m. <b>Español</b>	Sunday/ Domingo 5:15 p.m.
Presider	Fr. Norbert	Fr. Jorge	Fr. Justin	Fr. Norbert	Fr. Justin
Homilist	Olivier	Wright	Wright	Chen	Olivier
Deacons	Olivier; Glueck	Vines	Vines; Chen	Chen	Glueck

## FINANCIALS/ FINANZAS



Sign up today for our Parish Online Giving Option.  
Go to [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) to create an account or make changes to your existing account. **Church Code: TX134**  
Or donate via text by texting any amount to  
**281-801-4940.**

You will receive a link to begin the process. If you prefer,  
you may also mail your donations to the parish office.  
**7810 Cypresswood Dr. Spring, TX 77379**



If you are new to the parish or  
have not made a pledge and  
wish to do so, please contact  
**Ron Svoboda.**



### Sent to Build Community Loan Redemption *\*(through 8/15/2020)*

**\*Beginning Loan Balance**  
\$6,025,000.00  
**\*Principal Payments**  
\$2,057,379.00  
**\*Remaining Loan Balance**  
\$3,967,613.00  
**\*Interest Payments**  
\$565,429.00

### Parish Financial Information

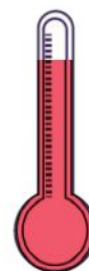
August Faith Direct \$ 131,852.77  
September 13th: \$7542.00



### Diocesan Services Fund 2020

**\*Parish Goal** \$300,000.00  
**\*Total Amount Pledged** \$235,109.00  
**\*Total Amount Paid** \$215,187.97  
**\*Total Number of Participants** 897  
**\*Total Number of Households** 4374  
**\*Average Participant Pledge** \$460.39  
**\*Paid Over (Under) Goal** (\$84,812.03)  
**\*Pledged Over (Under) Goal** (\$64,891.00)  
**\*Percent Paid** 71.80%

*Help provide hope and help for those among us who are most in need. To donate online, visit [www.archgh.org/dsf/](http://www.archgh.org/dsf/)*



### Ignite Campaign

**\*Parish Goal** \$1,880,235.00  
**\*Total Amount Pledged** \$23,655.00  
**\*Total Amount Paid** \$11,344.32  
**\*Total Number of Participants** 8  
**\*Total Number of Households** 4026  
**\*Average Participant Pledge** \$2,957.00  
**\*Pledged Over (Under) Goal** (\$1,856,580.00)  
**\*Paid Over (Under) Goal** (\$1,868,890.68)  
**\*Percent Paid** 0.99%



### AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus,  
I believe that You  
are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love You above all things,  
and I desire to receive You into my Soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment receive  
You sacramentally,  
come at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace You as if You were already there  
and unite myself wholly to You.  
Never permit me to be separated from You.  
Amen.

### ORACIÓN PARA COMULGAR ESPIRITUALMENTE:

Jesús mío,  
creo que Tú estás en el Santísimo Sacramento;  
te amo sobre todas las cosas  
y deseo recibirte ahora dentro de mi alma; ya que  
no te puedo recibir sacramentalmente,  
ven por lo menos espiritualmente a mi corazón.  
Señor, no soy digno ni merezco que entres en mi  
pobre morada pero di una sola palabra  
y mi alma será sananda, salvada y perdonada.  
El Cuerpo, la Sangre, el Alma y la Divinidad de  
Nuestro Señor Jesucristo,  
guarden mi alma para la vida eterna.  
Amén.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Looking to Volunteer or become a part of a Ministry in the Parish?



**PROMISE TO PROTECT**

**PLEDGE TO HEAL**

**CMG- SAFE ENVIRONMENT**

All participants in the Archdiocese of Galveston- Houston are required to be Safe Environment Trained.  
Register to take the online 1.5 hour course for FREE  
<https://galvestonhouston.cmgconnect.org>



### Kroger Community

#### Rewards

ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA  
CATHOLIC CHURCH NPO  
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Giving More Back to the  
Community!

Kroger Community Rewards  
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**your Kroger Rewards account and**  
**go to Account Summary. Then add**  
**St. Ignatius to your Community.**



*Did you know your purchases can make a difference? AmazonSmile donates to St. Ignatius of Loyola Catholic Parish when you do your shopping at [smile.amazon.com/ch/76-0149753](https://smile.amazon.com/ch/76-0149753).*



Please know that our counselors  
are ready to support you and your  
family.

Given the importance of current  
COVID-19 precautions, we are  
offering both in-office and online  
therapy sessions through webcam  
or phone. For details and  
appointments, call 844-295-3167  
or visit

[MyParishCounseling.com/silcc](https://MyParishCounseling.com/silcc)

Also visit our Facebook page for  
**free livestream support sessions**  
at [www.facebook.com/](https://www.facebook.com/rejoicecounseling)  
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### Wedding Banns

Please pray for the  
following couples:

**Matthew Horaist & Lindsey Andrus**  
**Steven Doan & Allison Nguyen**  
**Servando Mancilla &**  
**Hortencia Martinez**  
**Joshua Garcia & Alexandra Armas**



### In Memoriam

**Harriette Marie Siegel**, *Sister of*  
*Jolly Guidry*

**Juan Guerra**, *husband of Francis Guerra*  
**Oralia Cuellar**, *mother of Estella Cuellar*

**Sergio Mateo Regalado, Jr.**, *son of*  
*Carmen & Sergio Regalado*

**Hubert Irvine**, *father of Tim Irvine*

We apologize to TIM IRVINE for the  
mistakes made in the last two bulletins  
regarding the death of his father, Hubert  
Irvine.

**Nelly Duin**, *mother of*  
*Robert "Bobby" Duin*

**Phillip Johnson, Sr.**, *husband of*  
*Mary Lynn Johnson*

**Evelyn Wendt**

**Rita Salinas**, *Mother of Maria Parker*

**John D. Tufo, Sr.**, *father of*  
*Cheryl Niman*



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1. Visit the weblink:  
[galveston.parishsoftfamilysuite.com](https://galveston.parishsoftfamilysuite.com)
2. Create a login.
3. View and update Family  
information.



## PASTOR'S COLUMN



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

This is the traditional weekend for our annual Fall Festival. The weather is awesome and would have made a wonderful weekend for gathering and fellowship as we engage in our once a year major fund-raising campaign. However, 2020 continues to be a year all to its own. This year we find no big tents, no stages and sound speakers, no vendors with a variety of items for purchase, no smell of delicious foods cooking, no themed live auction, no BINGO, and the list goes on. However, as a vibrant community who usually tackles all obstacles, this year's Fall Festival continues in a new form – VIRTUALLY! The raffle is in full swing with great prizes, the silent auction is online, we have a virtual fun run and other ways to contribute to making our festival a success. We also have St. Ignatius Parish masks for sale. They are very well made, adjustable and come in two general sizes – one for kids and one for adults. And we will create a Vendor Shopping Event on the main page of the St. Ignatius of Loyola Facebook page. The event will be mentioned during the live events we have planned for this weekend of the festival. The event will stay set up through the end of the month. Over the years, our vendors have become part of our festival family. I hope you will continue to support them as they have supported the parish. We are a generous people at St. Ignatius of Loyola, and I know that your generosity will spill over once more. I recommend that you consider donating the amount of money you would normally spend on food and drink to the festival. For example, if you purchased a food and drink bracelet last year, why not send that same amount as a donation toward the festival? Without the expense of the actual food and drink, your donation will go further this year. If you bought game tickets last year, why not send the same amount to this year's Fall Festival? Again, that amount will be received completely without the expense of the rides, prizes, and the purchase of the tickets. A donation form can be found on the bottom right hand side of our website at <https://silcc.org/fall-festival>. The Fall Festival will be a completely different event physically; however, you can still make it a financial success. It's truly up to you. A special "thank-you" to those who have already contributed and a special thank you to our donors of every level. Your support is greatly appreciated.

I began re-reading the US Bishops' Document, *Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship* and once more find myself being challenged by the words of the bishops. In the document, the bishops label acts that directly violate the sanctity and dignity of human life as "intrinsically evil" actions: abortion, euthanasia, human cloning, destructive research on human embryos, genocide, torture, the targeting of noncombatants in acts of terror or war, racism, treating workers as mere means to an end, deliberately subjecting workers to subhuman living conditions, treating the poor as disposable, and redefining marriage to deny its essential meaning. The document continues by naming two temptations in public life that can distort the Church's defense on human life and dignity: *The first is a moral equivalence that makes no ethical distinctions between different kinds of issues involving human life and dignity. The direct and intentional destruction of innocent human life from the moment of conception until natural death is always wrong and is not just one issue among many. It must always be opposed.* 29. *The second is the misuse of these necessary moral distinctions as a way of dismissing or ignoring other serious threats to human life and dignity. The current and projected extent of environmental degradation has become a moral crisis especially because it poses a risk to humanity in the future and threatens the lives of poor and vulnerable human persons here and now. Racism and other unjust discrimination, the use of the death penalty, resorting to unjust war, the use of torture, war crimes, the failure to respond to those who are suffering from hunger or a lack of health care, pornography, redefining civil marriage, compromising religious liberty, or an unjust immigration policy are all serious moral issues that challenge our consciences and require us to act. These are not optional concerns which can be dismissed. Catholics are urged to seriously consider Church teaching on these issues. Although choices about how best to respond to these and other compelling threats to human life and dignity are matters for principled debate and decision, this does not make them optional concerns or permit Catholics to dismiss or ignore Church teaching on these important issues.*

I encourage you to take time to read the flyers found in the bulletin as well as to read the entire document which can be found in English and in Spanish at <https://www.usccb.org/resources/forming-consciences-faithful-citizenship-0>. Don't forget that the deadline for voter registration is Monday, October 5<sup>th</sup>. Visit [www.votetexas.gov/register-to-vote](http://www.votetexas.gov/register-to-vote).

With prayers for a quick end to this pandemic,

*Fr. Norbert*

## THIS WEEK'S READING

**Sunday, Oct 04, 2020**

### **TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** **Celebrate the joy of new life**

In a happy collision of observances, October is dedicated to respecting life, supporting fair trade, employing the differently abled, and praying the Rosary. Today is not only Respect Life Sunday but also, in memory of Francis of Assisi, an occasion to bless the animals who share our lives. If you're seeking an integrated moral code, here's your chance to champion the spectrum of life. The Rosary's Joyful Mysteries lead the way: embrace new life, encourage mothers, support child-affirming laws, recognize the gifts of all God's children, and respect the wisdom of young people.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Isaiah 5:1-7; Philippians 4:6-9; Matthew 21:33-43 (139).* "Finally, [the landowner] sent his son to them, thinking, 'They will respect my son.'"

**Monday, Oct 05, 2020**

### **MEMORIAL OF BLESSED FRANCIS XAVIER SEELOS, PRIEST**

#### **A saint for this season**

As we've lately learned, it's hard to be happy during a health crisis, but Redemptorist Father Francis Xavier Seelos was called the "Cheerful Ascetic," even while serving the sick during a disease outbreak. Known for his kindness and missionary zeal, this German-born priest kept his sermons simple for everyone to understand and was sought out as a compassionate confessor. He was an itinerant preacher throughout the Eastern and Midwestern United States, before being sent to New Orleans where he died of yellow fever. Those seeking healing can submit their petition to the National Shrine of Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Galatians 1:6-12; Luke 10:25-37 (461).* "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart . . . and your neighbor as yourself."

**Tuesday, Oct 06, 2020**

### **MEMORIAL OF BLESSED MARIE ROSE DUROCHER, VIRGIN**

#### **When Mary receives a Martha job**

Jesus said his friend Mary was right to cease activity, to simply sit at his feet and listen. But the church may ask you to be more like Martha—to reach out to the world, as Jesus also called on his followers to do. Such was the dilemma of Marie Rose Durocher. This quiet and frail young woman preferred the quiet life but was pressed into pastoral service by her brother, a Montreal priest in the 1830s. Then her bishop asked her to start a new religious community to help educate the young. How is God asking you to move beyond your own comfort zone today?

TODAY'S READINGS: *Galatians 1:13-24; Luke 10:38-42 (462).* "A woman whose name was Martha welcomed him."

**Wednesday, Oct 07, 2020**

### **MEMORIAL OF OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY** **Protect us from harm**

The Rosary has been a favored Catholic form of prayer for centuries. Inviting us to pray five Our Fathers, 50 Hail Marys, and five Glory Be's while meditating on gospel stories from Mary's and Jesus' lives, this spiritual practice has helped

generations of Catholics ask for Mary's intercession. In October 1571, Catholic soldiers prayed the Rosary to prepare for battle with Turkish soldiers in the Gulf of Corinth. When they won that battle, Pope Pius V claimed that October 7 would be known as the Feast of Our Lady of Victory. Two years later, his successor, Gregory XIII, changed the name to the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. As our world faces the challenge of the COVID-19 virus, we again ask for Mary's intercession. Our Lady of the Rosary, pray for us.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Galatians 2:1-2, 7-14; Luke 11:1-4 (463).* "Jesus was praying in a certain place."

**Thursday, Oct 08, 2020**

#### **Persistence pays off**

Prayer is not like an ATM whereby requests are entered and dispensed. Ultimately our model is Jesus. Christ's persistence in prayer united him with God but did not erase his suffering. He sweated blood, he was crucified. When we do not receive the answer we are hoping for to our prayer request, we may suffer too, but, like Jesus, we can open ourselves to deeper union with God. Take time today to offer God your needs, trusting that God's strength and presence always suffices.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Galatians 3:1-5; Luke 11:5-13 (464).* "If you . . . give good gifts to your children, how much more will the Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him?"

**Friday, Oct 09, 2020**

#### **God casts out evil**

Although Hollywood has popularized exorcism with such movies as *The Exorcist* (1973) and more recently *The Conjuring* series, exorcism is a legitimate rite in the church. An exorcism is actually a form of prayer. It is used in situations where the faithful experience a force of evil or the "powers of darkness," which we call the devil or demons. Recognizing the place of exorcism in the prayers of the church is important because it reminds us that God has already freed us from the snare of evil. As you encounter various "demons" in your life, remember to pray: Call upon God to be with you and to separate you from all that is evil and to surround you with God's love.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Galatians 3:7-14; Luke 11:15-26 (465).* "But if it is by the finger of God that [I] drive out demons, then the kingdom of God has come upon you."

**Saturday, Oct 10, 2020**

#### **Put on your dancing shoes!**

On this day, the Jewish community celebrates Simchat Torah. This joyous harvest festival marks the beginning and end of the annual Torah reading, and culminates in dancing with the sacred texts. In a similar sense of celebration, Jesus says to his disciples, "Blessed are those who hear the word of God and observe it." Choose scripture as your companion, and get ready to shimmy, shake, rock and roll, and trip the light fantastic all for the greater glory of God.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Galatians 3:22-29; Luke 11:27-28 (466).* "And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise."

## LITURGY

St. Ignatius is open for public Masses  
with a limited seating capacity maintaining physical distancing.  
All are required to wear a face mask and use hand sanitizer before entering the worship space.  
Your temperature will be taken prior to entrance.

### TEMPORARY LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

#### HORARIO LITÚRGICO TEMPORAL

##### Monday- Friday:

Lunes- Viernes

Daily Mass (Misa): 9 a.m. (English)

Wednesday: 6:45 p.m. Mass (English)  
Miércoles

##### Saturday:

Sábado

Vigil Mass (Misa de Vigilia):  
5:15 p.m. (English)

##### Reconciliation:

Reconciliación

Wednesday 5:15 - 6:15 p.m.  
Miércoles

Saturday 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.  
Sábado

##### Sunday:

Domingo

Mass: 7:30 a.m., 10 a.m.  
Misa: 12:30 p.m. (Spanish)

Mass: 5:15 p.m.  
(with Lifeteen band)

##### Reservation Chapel:

Capilla del Santísimo Sacramento  
Everyday: 6:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
todos los días

### The obligation to attend Mass on Sunday is dispensed:

We hope you will join us for the celebration of Holy Eucharist. If you are able to attend Mass on a weekday, please consider doing so to leave Sunday for those who are unable to attend during the week.

- Those who are at risk due to age or medical conditions are urged to stay at home and join in the Mass through live streaming.
- Those who are ill are to remain at home.

See our weekday 9 a.m. Mass, Saturday 5:15 p.m., Sunday 10 a.m., & 12:30 p.m. on Livestream via Facebook, our Parish Website, and YouTube.

### Help us celebrate the Church's autumn harvest!

### Let us build a shrine to honor those who live in God's Kingdom!

During the months of October and November, as North Americans, we celebrate the harvest festival. As Church, we celebrate the harvest of souls especially with the Feast of All Souls. For the Church, the harvest is an intense scriptural image of the paschal mystery.

You are invited to bring pictures of deceased members of your family and friends or images of favorite saints beginning Saturday, October 12<sup>th</sup> and place them on the risers of the altar in the Narthex. The shrine will be blessed at 9:00 a.m. Mass on Monday, November 2, All Souls Day.

Please label your pictures so that the other members of the community will know who they are and when they made their ascent to the Kingdom of God.

**JOHN DOE**  
Returned to the Father  
April 3, 1991

Place your name and telephone number on the back of the picture or on the bottom of the statue to make sure it is returned to the proper owner.



**SUNDAY EVENING  
MASS IS BACK  
AT 5:15 P.M.**

**YOUTH MINISTERS NEEDED  
ADULTS MINISTERS MUST BE  
CMG SAFE ENVIRONMENT  
TRAINED  
SIGN UP ON MSP TO SERVE**





## FORMATION

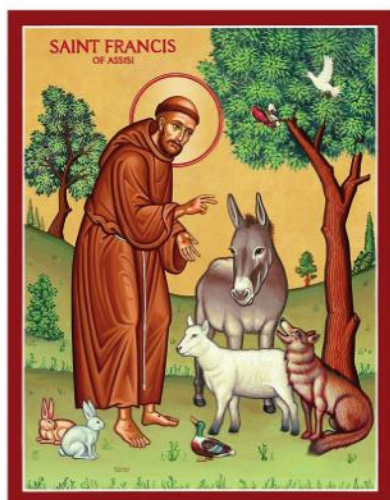
### EARLY CHILDHOOD



St. Ignatius of Loyola Early Childhood Center is open. Limited spaces are still available. Safety protocols are in place and in line with the CDC, State & Archdiocese. Contact Kathy or Donna for more information at 281-370-3401.



Accepting applications for substitutes for the MDO/Preschool. Applications available in the front office. CMG training required. All other training provided.



No Blessing of the Pets this year due to and restrictions on large gatherings..

### ELEMENTARY

Faith Formation classes have begun. It is great to see the children again! We are Blessed with a group of adult Catechists devoted to sharing their faith. Thanks to these adults and welcome to a great year of Faith Formation.

Check out our NEW K-5 faith formation series, "Christ in Us."  
[www.sadlier.com/religion/christ-in-us-parish-edition](http://www.sadlier.com/religion/christ-in-us-parish-edition)

ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA FAITH FORMATION  
Covid-19 Information for Faith Formation Parents  
2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR

[www.silcc.org/parent-orientation](http://www.silcc.org/parent-orientation)

### YOUTH MINISTRY

#### Destination Sainthood!

HS Retreat October 10  
Upper Room, 9 a.m.—2 p.m.

Cost \$40

<https://membership.faithdirect.net/events/details/5265>

**\*\*Counts as half a retreat\*\***  
Last day to register 10/7

#### WANTED

Youth Hospitality Ministers  
Serve at Sunday Evening Mass  
Video Training available  
Scan QR to register



Email [auzenne@silcc.org](mailto:auzenne@silcc.org) with any questions.

#### Do You Know Your Deacons?!

The Next BIG Live YM event is here!

\*Wed, October 14th, 5:30 p.m.

- \*Facebook and Instagram Live
- \*Games and Prizes
- \*Knowledge drop by the deacons
- \*All JH and HS families invited to tune in for a fun night

# No Formation Classes October 4th. Enjoy the Fall Festival!



## FORMATION

### ADULT / YOUNG ADULT

#### Save the date

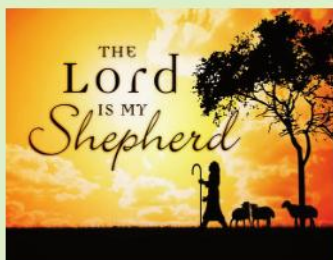
#### Shepherded Beyond My Fears

Who: All Young Adults 18-39

What: Young Adult Retreat

When: October 23-25, 2020

Where: Christian Renewal Center



#### *Faithful*

#### NEW Adult Formation Program

Tuesdays 10-11:30 a.m.

Thursdays 7-8:30pm

Join us this fall for *Faithful*, our new adult formation program. *Faithful* is built around the same essential questions taught in our religious education curriculum so that families can journey together through their faith formation year. *Faithful* is a great review of (or introduction to)



**Gracia Avila**

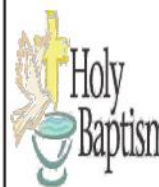
**Admin Assistant of Formation**  
**281-290-4612**

[gavila@silcc.org](mailto:gavila@silcc.org)

Hi! My name is Gracia Avila and I am the Administrative Assistant for the Formation Department. What a great blessing it is to work with such a wonderful group of people. My husband Diego and I were both born in Honduras and were high school sweethearts. We have three amazing children who have filled our lives with happiness and pride and have graced us with 7 beautiful grandchildren, who are the joy of our lives. We thank God for bringing us to this wonderful family of faith. I have volunteered as a Confirmation Catechist for over 18 years. I love working with our youth, the future but most import, the present of our Catholic Church.

### SACRAMENTS

#### **INFANT BAPTISM**



We invite you to attend the two required sessions for both parents. Godparents are encouraged to attend as well. Our next (online) sessions will be **November 2 & 9** Contact [infantbaptism@silcc.org](mailto:infantbaptism@silcc.org) for information.

#### **RCIA**

##### **7 Years & Older**



We welcome you to the Catholic Church and look forward to sharing our faith with you! If you have not been baptized Catholic or are seeking communion and confirmation please contact us at [rciaformation@silcc.org](mailto:rciaformation@silcc.org)



#### **MARRIAGE**

Engaged couples are encouraged to attend an orientation at least 6 months prior to your desired date and not set any dates prior to meeting with clergy. Contact [kanicete@silcc.org](mailto:kanicete@silcc.org) for information regarding our orientation sessions.



#### **VOCATIONS**

**Is God calling you?**

Contact [vocations@silcc.org](mailto:vocations@silcc.org) for information about upcoming programs for those discerning religious vocations as a priest, deacon, or religious sister.

*For more information on Sacraments please visit*  
[silcc.org/sacraments](http://silcc.org/sacraments)





## OUTREACH



### September 23 - November 1 40 DAYS FOR LIFE®

You can protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide mobilization! Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 1,000,000+ volunteers!

#### Here's how to take part:

- **Vigil location:** Planned Parenthood (on the grassy esplanade) 4747 Louetta in Spring
- **Vigil hours:** 7 am to 7 pm daily

Please consider representing St. Ignatius on September 25, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30. To sign up for a time visit [40daysforlife.com/spring](http://40daysforlife.com/spring)

For more information, contact Carol at [Life@silcc.org](mailto:Life@silcc.org)



### Christmas Angels

It's time to begin thinking about Christmas of 2020!

There are several ways you can help our ministry:

- Adopt a Family
- Donate Money
- Volunteer on Delivery Day

### THE HOLIDAYS ARE ALMOST HERE!

OUTREACH HOLDS TWO WONDERFUL EVENTS EVERY YEAR IN SUPPORT OF OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN MOST NEED.

For more information contact our office or visit [www.silcc.org/outreach](http://www.silcc.org/outreach)



### Refugee Thanksgiving

This year we invite you to participate by cooking a Thanksgiving meal or providing household items, toiletries, and cleaning supplies for families with the Catholic Charities Refugee Resettlement Program!

### A DISASTER CAN OCCUR AT ANY TIME AND WE WANT TO BE READY FOR IT!

St. Ignatius Outreach has joined efforts with Texas Congregational Disaster Readiness!

### SILCC Disaster Readiness Team



To participate contact Michael Strathman or Mary Wright at [disasterreadiness@silcc.org](mailto:disasterreadiness@silcc.org)

The team will need your help in the various areas such as muck and gut, tarping/boarding, shelter, supplies, transportation, etc.

To learn more visit our webpage: [www.silcc.org/outreach](http://www.silcc.org/outreach)

All training is free and online now!

### DONATE TO NAM RESALE



NAM is now taking your clothing and other donations. Need to have a furniture or large item donation picked up? The BEST way to request a pick up is by email at [ResaleDonate@namonline.org](mailto:ResaleDonate@namonline.org) You may also call the donations line at (281) 885-4545.



We invite you to participate in our regular collection of non-perishable food items in our NAM FOOD BOX located outside the Outreach Office **MON-THU 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.** and during weekend Mass schedule.

**NATIONAL**

SUICIDE PREVENTION LIFELINE™

1-800-273-TALK (8255)

[suicidepreventionlifeline.org](http://suicidepreventionlifeline.org)

### ST. IGNATIUS OUTREACH OFFICE IS HERE FOR YOU!

Visit our webpage to learn more about our ministries, projects, and services: [www.silcc.org/outreach](http://www.silcc.org/outreach)  
For opportunities to volunteer, email Ascención Amado at [outreach@silcc.org](mailto:outreach@silcc.org) or call 281-370-3401 ext. 4606.





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## RSVP Today for the Orientation Meeting

Saturday, October 10, 2020 • 11:00 AM  
St. Ignatius Loyola Catholic Church  
7810 Cypresswold Dr • Spring, TX 77379

Discounts available! **337-291-1933**  
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Fr. Norbert Maduzia



Fr. James Burkart

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## FALL FESTIVAL

# VIRTUAL FALL FESTIVAL

OCTOBER 3-4TH

FUN WITH YOUR FAMILY & FRIENDS

Drop off your Raffle tickets stubs in our collection baskets after Mass.  
Raffle closes at 4:30 p.m. Drawing is at 5 p.m. Sunday, October 4th

Visit Fall Festival website for more information on Mask, Fun Run, Silent Auction, Craft Fair & More. [www.silcc.org/fall-festival](http://www.silcc.org/fall-festival)

### St. Ignatius Face Mask

Mask are still available in all sizes. Stop by the Christus Center after Mass to pick up your pre-orders or to purchase more. (\*Cash Payments at door only)



### Virtual Fun Run

This weekend  
Anytime, Anywhere

Still time to register and pick up your orders this weekend after Mass in the Christus Center. Packets are available for pick up.



## SILENT AUCTION/ RAFFLE PRIZES PICK UP DATES

**WHEN THE AUCTION ENDS:** You will receive a text or email if you are a winning bidder when the auction closes. Your credit card will automatically be charged with your winning bid amount. Bring your receipt to McGivney Hall (side closest to Meyer Park) to pick up your items during these times:

(Raffle Prizes will also be picked up during this time)

Sunday: 5:15 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Monday: 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. and 5-7 p.m.

Tuesday: 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. and 5-7 p.m.

STILL MISSING THE GREAT  
FOOD FROM FALL FESTIVAL?  
THERE IS STILL TIME TO  
SUPPORT FALL FESTIVAL.



7312 Louetta Rd,  
Spring, TX 77379  
281-370-3283  
Sunday Oct 4th—  
11AM-9PM

JUST MENTION ST. IGNATIUS WHEN YOUR  
ORDERING AND THE PERCENTAGE COMES  
BACK TO ST. IGNATIUS!

## facebook Live Events

Sunday, Oct. 4

2:30-5 p.m.: Live Fall Fest finale.

Join us for Silent Auction updates  
(auction closes at 4:30 p.m.);

Live Raffle drawing at 5 p.m.; fun with Fr. Norbert

MUSIC & ENTERTAINMENT:

ANDREW SALYER, ST. IGNATIUS DIRECTOR OF MUSIC  
ON THREE (JAZZ BAND)

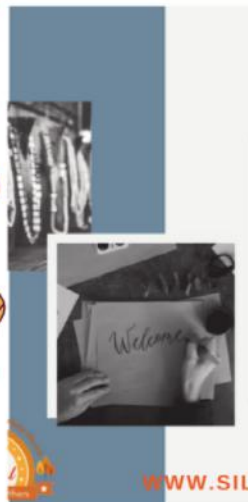
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CHECK OUT THE ST. IGNATIUS FACEBOOK PAGE -  
[WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/IGNATIUSLOYOLACC](http://WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/IGNATIUSLOYOLACC) - THROUGHOUT  
THE DAY FOR FUN VIDEOS FROM OUR PARISH FAMILY.

## St. Ignatius Fall Festival Virtual Craft Fair

DO YOU MISS ALL OF  
OUR VENDORS? WE DO  
TOO, CHECK OUT OUR  
VIRTUAL CRAFT FAIR  
FOR MORE INFORMATION  
ON HOW TO STILL  
SUPPORT THEM.



[WWW.SILCC.ORG/VIRTUAL-CRAFT-FAIR](http://WWW.SILCC.ORG/VIRTUAL-CRAFT-FAIR)



## FALL FESTIVAL

THANK YOU  
FOR YOUR  
CONTINUOUS  
SUPPORT OF  
OUR FALL  
FESTIVAL

## COMMUNITY LIFE

### Knights of Columbus Council 10861 Announcements

**Upcoming Schedule:** Zoom Council Meeting – Oct. 20; Annual Memorial Mass - Wednesday, Oct. 28.

**Find us online:** Check out our Council website at [www.kofc10861.org](http://www.kofc10861.org) and Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/knights10861](https://www.facebook.com/knights10861) for updates on charitable opportunities, event updates and the Into the Breach video series.

**Join the Knights:** All Catholic men are encouraged to join the Knights of Columbus. It's never been easier to join your fellow Catholic gentlemen through the new online Exemplification. The new exemplification is open to the whole family. Contact [Membership@kofc10861.org](mailto:Membership@kofc10861.org) for more information.

**Need a prayer?:** Email [PrayerList@kofc10861.org](mailto:PrayerList@kofc10861.org) to be added to our Council's prayer list.

### Cub Scout Pack 1325

Cub Scout Pack 1325 offers adventures for boys in kindergarten through fifth grade. Our year is full of fun activities, camping, outdoor skills and leadership opportunities. We are currently hosting Zoom meetings and working on at-home projects for Scouts and families. For more information, contact our Pack leaders at [cubscouts@silcc.org](mailto:cubscouts@silcc.org)

## MEET THE ADMIN. STAFF MEMBERS



### **Mary Blanton**

Pastoral Assistant

281-290-4617

[mblanton@silcc.org](mailto:mblanton@silcc.org)

My name is Mary Blanton and I am grateful to work on a daily basis with our wonderful Priests and Deacons. Please contact me if you are interested in Mass intentions, sacramental records, Clergy appointments or if you just have a question.

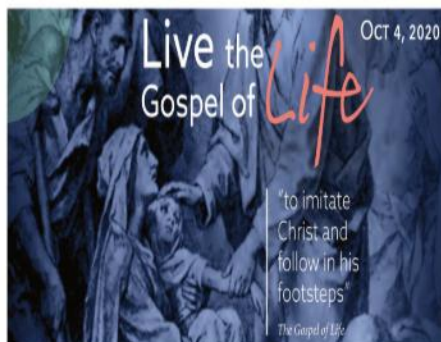
### Blood Drive:

The St. Ignatius off campus Blood Drive will take place throughout October. Our goal is at least 20 donations and donations can be made at the Champions Neighborhood Center (CNC) of the Gulf Coast Regional Blood Center which is located at 6935 FM 1960 W, Houston, TX 77069 as well as other locations that can be accessed using the link <https://www.giveblood.org/where-to-donate/find-a-location-to-donate/>. Please provide sponsor code # 3491 to credit St. Ignatius. If you can, give the life-saving gift of a Blood Donation.



## AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

The Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



### Today is Respect Life Sunday!

Join Catholics nationwide in celebrating throughout October. Learn more about upholding the sanctity of every human life at [respectlife.org/respect-life-month](https://respectlife.org/respect-life-month).

### A Prayer for Life

Father and maker of all,  
you adorn all creation  
with splendor and beauty,  
and fashion human lives  
in your image and likeness.  
Awaken in every heart  
reverence for the work of your hands,  
and renew among your people  
a readiness to nurture and sustain  
your precious gift of life.  
Grant this through our Lord  
Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you in  
the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God forever and ever.  
**Amen.**

### Matthew Kelly coming Virtual to you!

We are excited to announce that, for the first time in ten years, author and speaker Matthew Kelly has created a new event titled *Amazing Possibilities*.

This virtual event will feature a live, interactive Q&A with Matthew Kelly himself. Matthew will also lead you through an interactive *Dream Session* – something he has led countless businesses through in the professional world, but never to this scale!

Join us on **Thursday, November 5<sup>th</sup> at 8PM EST**. To purchase a ticket, please visit [DynamicCatholic.com/AMP](https://DynamicCatholic.com/AMP). You'll also receive an event pack containing Matthew Kelly's event exclusive book, *Amazing Possibilities*, shipped directly to your door! You'll receive email access to the event before it starts. Incredible things happen when you collaborate with God. Come join us!



### Did you know the Archdiocese has a podcast channel?

Get audio versions of Messages of Hope reflections, talks from this summer's Café Catholica, and more. Just search for "Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston" in your favorite podcast app.

### Would you like to help the Diocese of Lake Charles?

The Diocese of Lake Charles create a new process for tracking future donations of supplies through the use of a form so that they will be informed of what items are being collected, estimate delivery date, location, etc. the form may be found using the following link: <http://catholiccharitiesacadiana.org/catholic-charities-southwest-louisiana>

They also have set up a simple Amazon Donation list that will be shipped to the Diocese of Lafayette designated for Catholic Charities of Southwest Louisiana. Please use the following link to access the list of items to donate.

<https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/3GD6RRQUS0UKWP>  
They have also indicated the best way to support their efforts at this time is through a monetary donation or by purchasing supplies through their Amazon Page.

Finally the Dioceses of Lake Charles has also asked that any volunteers who wish to go to the region to assist in the recovery to please wait until such time as the region's infrastructure is recovered.

### Catholics Care. Catholics Vote. Learn about the issues.

In their statement on *Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship*, the U.S. Catholic bishops lift up various issues of different moral weight and urgency. Some issues they mention include: addressing abortion, euthanasia, the use of the death penalty and imprudent resort to war; protecting the fundamental understanding of marriage as the life-long and faithful union of one man and one woman; achieving comprehensive immigration reform; caring for our common home; helping families and children overcome poverty; providing healthcare while respecting human life, human dignity and religious freedom; and establishing and complying with moral limits on the use of military force. Learn more about these issues and others at [www.faithfulcitizenship.org](http://www.faithfulcitizenship.org).



### The Texas Catholic Herald is excited to share a new way to view our award-winning content!

Our new issues will now be available to view online, just like the print version! Read all our content from Daniel Cardinal DiNardo, your favorite writers and columnists, local, state and national headlines, as well as interesting stories from around the world and the Vatican. <https://www.archgh.org/>



## COLUMNA DEL PÁRROCO



Queridos hermanos,

Este es el fin de semana que tradicionalmente celebramos anualmente nuestro Festival de Otoño. El clima es increíble y hubiera sido un fin de semana maravilloso para que nos reuniéramos y compartiéramos del compañerismo mientras participamos en nuestra importante campaña de recaudación de fondos una vez al año. Sin embargo, 2020 sigue siendo un año como ningún otro. Este año no encontramos las carpas/toldos, ni escenarios, ni altavoces de sonido, ni vendedores con una variedad de artículos para comprar, ni el olor a comida deliciosa mientras se cocina, ni la subasta en vivo, ni BINGO, y la lista continúa. Sin embargo, como una comunidad vibrante que generalmente enfrenta todos los obstáculos, el Festival de Otoño de este año continúa en una nueva forma: ¡VIRTUALMENTE! El sorteo está en pleno apogeo con buenísimos premios, la subasta silenciosa está en línea, tenemos una carrera virtual divertida y otras formas de contribuir a que nuestro festival sea todo un éxito. También tenemos la venta de mascarillas de la Parroquia de San Ignacio. Están muy bien hechas, son ajustables y vienen en dos tamaños: uno para niños y otro para adultos. Y creamos un evento de ventas de artículos directos de proveedores en nuestra página principal de Facebook de San Ignacio de Loyola. El evento será mencionado durante todos los eventos en vivo que hemos planeado para este fin de semana del festival. El evento permanecerá abierto hasta fin de mes. A lo largo de los años, nuestros proveedores se han convertido en parte de nuestra familia de festivales. Espero que continúen apoyándolos como ellos han apoyado a la parroquia. Somos un pueblo generoso en San Ignacio de Loyola y sé que su generosidad se hará presente una vez más. Les recomiendo que consideren donar al festival la cantidad de dinero que normalmente gastan en comida y bebida. Por ejemplo, si compró un brazalete de comida y bebida el año pasado, ¿por qué no enviar esa misma cantidad como donación para el festival? Sin el gasto de comida y bebida, su donación irá más lejos este año. Si compró boletos para el juego el año pasado, ¿por qué no envía la misma cantidad al Festival de Otoño de este año? Nuevamente, esa cantidad se recibirá completamente sin los gastos de los paseos, premios y la compra de los boletos. Puede encontrar un formulario de donación en la parte inferior derecha de nuestro sitio web en <https://silcc.org/fall-festival>. El Festival de Otoño será un evento completamente diferente físicamente; sin embargo, aún podemos convertirlo en un éxito financiero. Realmente depende de ustedes. Un "agradecimiento" muy especial para aquellos que ya han contribuido y un agradecimiento especial a nuestros donantes de todos los niveles. Se agradece mucho su apoyo.

Comencé a leer nuevamente el Documento de los Obispos de los Estados Unidos, *Formando la Conciencia Para ser Ciudadanos Fieles* y una vez más me encuentro desafiado por las palabras de los obispos. En el documento, los obispos mencionan los actos que violan directamente la santidad y la dignidad de la vida humana como acciones "intrínsecamente malas": aborto, eutanasia, clonación humana, investigación destructiva de embriones humanos, genocidio, tortura, la selección de no combatientes en actos de terror. o guerra, racismo, tratar a los trabajadores como meros medios para un fin, someter deliberadamente a los trabajadores a condiciones de vida inhumanas, tratar a los pobres como desechables y redefinir el matrimonio para negar su significado esencial. El documento continúa nombrando dos tentaciones en la vida pública que pueden distorsionar la defensa de la Iglesia sobre la vida y la dignidad humanas: *La primera es una equivalencia moral que no hace distinciones éticas entre las diferentes clases de cuestiones que tratan la vida y dignidad humanas. La destrucción directa e intencionada de la vida de personas inocentes, desde el momento de la concepción hasta la muerte natural, es siempre mala y no es simplemente una cuestión entre muchas otras. Siempre debe ser rechazada. 29. La segunda es el uso indebido de estas distinciones morales necesarias como una manera de rechazar o ignorar las amenazas serias a la vida y dignidad humanas. La extensión actual y proyectada de la degradación del medio ambiente se ha convertido en una crisis moral, especialmente porque representa un riesgo para la humanidad en el futuro y amenaza la vida de seres humanos pobres y vulnerables aquí y ahora. El racismo y otras discriminaciones injustas, el uso de la pena de muerte, recurrir a una guerra injusta, el uso de la tortura, los crímenes de guerra, la falta de acción para responder a los que sufren a causa del hambre o falta de cuidado sanitario, la pornografía, la redefinición del matrimonio civil, la puesta en peligro de la libertad religiosa o una política inmigratoria injusta son todas ellas cuestiones morales serias que retan a nuestra conciencia y requieren que actuemos. Estas no pueden ser preocupaciones opcionales que pueden ser rechazadas. Los católicos son exhortados a considerar seriamente lo que la doctrina de la Iglesia enseña respecto a estas cuestiones.* Aunque las opciones de cómo responder mejor a estas y otras amenazas serias a la vida y dignidad humanas son materia para debates y decisiones fundadas en principios, esto no quiere decir que sean preocupaciones opcionales o que permitan a los católicos rechazar o ignorar la doctrina católica sobre estas importantes cuestiones.

Les invito a que dediquen tiempo a leer los folletos que se encuentran en el boletín, así como a leer el documento completo que se puede encontrar en inglés y en español en <https://www.usccb.org/resources/forming-consciences-faithful-ciudadania-0>. No olvide que la fecha límite para el registro de votantes es el lunes 5 de octubre. Visite [www.votetexas.gov/register-to-vote](http://www.votetexas.gov/register-to-vote).

Con mis oraciones por un rápido final a esta pandemia,

*Fr. Norbert*

## EVENTOS

# FESTIVAL DE OTOÑO VIRTUAL

3 Y 4 DE OCTUBRE

### Boletos de la Rifa

Puede colocar los talones de sus boletos en nuestras canastas de recolección después de la Misa  
**La rifa cierra a las 4:30 p.m.**  
**El sorteo es a las 5 p.m.**

### Mascarilla de San Ignacio

**Viene en 2 tamaños**  
**Adulto \$ 15**  
**Niño \$ 10**



### Virtual Fun Run

**Premium \$ 40 Basic \$ 15**

Regístrese hoy

¡No olvides etiquetarnos en #StlgyFallFest durante tu carrera!

### Subasta silenciosa / Premios de rifa

#### Recoger fechas

**CUANDO TERMINE LA SUBASTA:** · Recibirá un mensaje de texto o correo electrónico si es un postor ganador cuando se cierre la subasta. · Su tarjeta de crédito se cargará automáticamente con el monto de su oferta ganadora. · Lleve su recibo a McGivney Hall (lado más cercano a Meyer Park) para recoger sus artículos durante estos horarios: · (Los premios de la rifa también se recogerán durante este tiempo)

**Domingo: 5:15 p.m. -7 p.m. ·**

**Lunes: 10 a.m.-1 p.m. y 5-7 p.m. ·**

**Martes: 10 a.m.-1 p.m. y 5-7 p.m.**

### Feria de artesanía virtual

¿Extraña a todos nuestros proveedores? nosotros también, consulte nuestra feria de artesanía virtual para obtener más información sobre cómo seguir apoyándonos.

[www.silcc.org/virtual-craft-fair](http://www.silcc.org/virtual-craft-fair)

### facebook LIVE

Visite la página de Facebook de St. Ignatius [www.facebook.com/ignatiusloyolacc](http://www.facebook.com/ignatiusloyolacc) - para obtener actualizaciones en vivo del Festival Mediodía: Kickoff en vivo del Fall Fest 2020

#### Domingo 4 de octubre

**2: 30-5 p.m. :: final del Live Fall Fest.**

Únase a nosotros para las actualizaciones de la subasta silenciosa (la subasta cierra a las 4:30)

Sorteo de rifa en vivo a las 5 p.m. ; divertido con el P. Norberto

**¿Aún te estás perdiendo la excelente comida del Festival de Otoño? todavía hay tiempo para apoyar el festival de otoño.**



7312 Louetta Rd, Spring, TX  
281-370-3283

**Domingo 4 de Oct.—  
11AM-9PM**

**SOLO MENCIONAR ST. IGNATIUS CUANDO SU PEDIDO Y EL PORCENTAJE VUELVA A ST. IGNACIO!**

Visite el sitio web del Festival de Otoño para obtener más información sobre Mask, Fun Run, Silent Auction y más.  
[www.silcc.org/fall-festival](http://www.silcc.org/fall-festival)

## RECURSOS EN LÍNEA

### Visita personal

Tomarse el tiempo para visitar a sus funcionarios electos **puede enviar un poderoso mensaje** sobre lo que le importa como elector. He aquí algunos consejos para su visita:  
Antes de la visita

- Investigue los historiales de votación de su legislador, los comités que ha integrado y sus posiciones.
- Visite el sitio web de su funcionario electo para saber cómo programar su visita. Es probable que el encargado de esto quiera saber de qué problemas desea usted hablar para que pueda reunirse con el miembro del personal más indicado.
- Prepare información de contexto sobre las problemáticas por las que está haciendo incidencia. Procure no hablar de más de tres problemáticas por visita.

Durante la visita

- En primer lugar, preséntese y senale su papel en la comunidad, y luego dé una visión general de lo que desea conversar.
- Luego, presente las problemáticas, exponiendo cada una por separada. Presente información de contexto e historias de interés humano para dar un rostro a las problemáticas.
- Si le hacen preguntas cuyas respuestas desconoce, diga al congresista o asistente que volverá a ponerse en contacto con ellos; y luego hágalo.
- Concluya pidiendo al congresista o asistente que tome alguna acción concreta: co-patrocinar legislación específica, hablar con legisladores de los comités pertinentes, etc. Pida su

- compromiso con su petición específica.
- Después de la visita
- Escriba una carta o correo electrónico de agradecimiento en el que resuma lo discutido.
  - Por ultimo, no olvide dar seguimiento a los compromisos que hizo durante la visita.

**Contáctese con su oficina de acción social diocesana o conferencia católica estatal para ver si se está organizando una jornada de cabildeo católico en su lugar de residencia.**

### Temas para abogar

En *Formando la conciencia para ser ciudadanos feles*, los obispos de los Estados Unidos plantearon diversas problemáticas de diferente peso moral y urgencia. Lea los núm 64 hasta 92 para saber más sobre problemáticas que afectan la vida y dignidad humanas. Por ejemplo:

- Abordar el aborto y otras amenazas a la vida y dignidad, como la eutanasia, el uso de la pena de muerte y el recurso imprudente a la guerra;
- Proteger la comprensión fundamental del matrimonio como la unión fiel para toda la vida de un hombre y una mujer y como la institución central de la sociedad;
- Lograr una reforma migratoria integral;
- Cuidar de nuestra casa común;
- Ayudar a las familias y los niños a superar la pobreza;
- Prestar atención de salud respetando la vida humana, la dignidad humana y la libertad religiosa, y
- Establecer y cumplir con límites morales sobre el uso de





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**FORMACIÓN PARA EL MINISTERIO CRISTIANO**

**PLATAFORMA ZOOM**  
(CURSO A DISTANCIA)

**COSTO:****\$50 dlls P/PERSONA**

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