

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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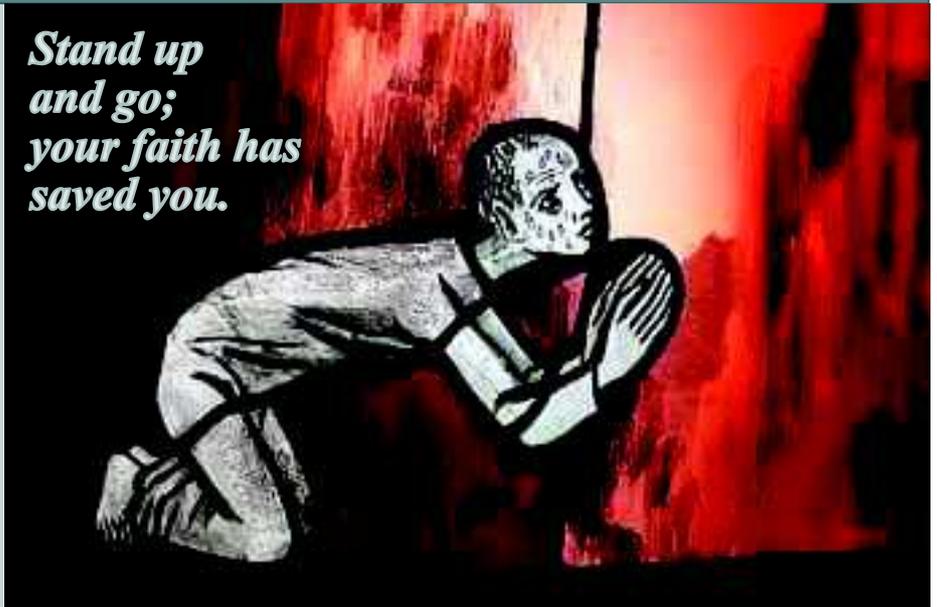
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***Stand up
and go;
your faith has
saved you.***



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil

5:00 PM

Sunday

7:30 AM & 10:00 AM

Mon-Wed-Fri/Tues-Thurs

7:00 AM/12 Noon

Holy Days of Obligation

See Bulletin for Times

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation

Anointing of the Sick

Baptism & Matrimony

Saturday @ 4:15 PM or by appt.

Please call the office

Contact Office Manager

OTHER MINISTRIES

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Hotline for Assistance

303-955-2578

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please contact

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Contributions Received

September 28– October 4, 2022

Offertory.....	\$6672.05
Children’s Offertory.....	\$54.00
Building Fund.....	\$125.00
Fr.Brady Fund for the Poor.....	\$175.00

WEEKLY CALENDAR

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Classes today at 8:45 am in the Family Center (Kinder in the Gesu Rm.)

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY: Meeting today at 8:45 am in Brady Hall.

LOYOLA SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRY: Meeting today at 8:45 am in Brady Hall.

ROSARY: Today, 9 am at Mary’s altar.

CHILDREN’S CHURCH: Today at the 10 am Mass.

KPC LADIES AUXILIARY: Meeting today at 11:30 in the Gesu Room.

RCIA: Monday, October 10, 7 pm at Curé d’ Ars Church.

BIBLE STUDY: Tuesday, October 11, 6:45 pm, Brady Hall.

PARISH COUNCIL: Meeting Thursday, October 13, 6:30 pm via Zoom.

YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY: Gathering Thursday, October 13, 6:30 pm in the Family Center.

LOYOLA FAMILY MINISTRY

Religious Education parents, please join us in Brady Hall next **Sunday, October 16** at 8:50 am for our first Loyola Family Ministry event of the year. We’ll have refreshments waiting for you by the Gesu Room. Drop your kid(s) off at the Family Center, then enjoy social time with other parents and hear about resources and support available for you this year from ISP (Ignatian Spirituality Program). Family Ministry events are optional, but we hope to see you then! Contact Camarin at Camarin@loyoladenvr.org with any questions.

FALL FESTIVAL

On **Saturday, October 29**, the Knights of St. Peter Claver and Ladies Auxiliary will host a Fall Festival from 6:15 pm to 8:45 pm in Brady Hall, after the 5:00 pm Mass. All Loyola families and parishioners are invited! Activities will include prayer, arts and crafts, treats including candy, hotdogs, and beverages. Costumes are encouraged! (Masks will be available.) Though not a ‘Trunk or Treat’ event, there will be one or two vehicles decorated outside by the entrance for fun and safety.

Notes from Father Dirk

How to Write a Letter

For the past couple of weeks Fr. Pat and I have been talking and preaching about the recently-announced plan to transfer Loyola Parish to the Archdiocese of Denver as of June 30, 2023. We’ll continue talking about it as our beloved parish moves forward. Key concept, that: moving forward. In the Spirit.

Which is to say that in the Spirit there is always a way forward. Loss, redemption and resurrection are of a piece.

~~Hundreds Many Several A small handful Five~~ A random guy – actually not really a parishioner at all but simply riding a white stallion through the parking lot the other morning – asked about writing to this or that official regarding the transfer. As in names, addresses, forms of address, suggested topics.... So, on the off chance that the rider of the white stallion comes through the parking lot this weekend and stops to pick up a bulletin, here’s some basic info.

~~Who~~ To whom could you write? Possibilities include the Provincial Superior of the Central and Southern Province of the Society of Jesus. He’s the fellow tasked with making hard decisions of all kinds regarding Jesuits. He’s a very good man with a job that could best be described as thankless. Now, sadly, the decision to withdraw from Loyola is not reversible. So that wouldn’t be the point of writing, although of course adult Catholics – and a few very precocious Catholic infants far advanced in motor skills, speech development and hand-eye coordination – may write about anything they’d like to write about. Just saying. ~~NONe~~theLESS, Fr. Provincial might like to know what the decision means to the People of God at Loyola; or the importance of parish ministry in general; or how the People of God at Loyola have been helped in their lives of faith by Jesuits in parish ministry; or words of appreciation – should there be some – regarding the Jesuits or this or that Jesuit at Loyola. His contact information: The Very Reverend Thomas Greene, SJ; The Jesuits of the Central & Southern Province; 4511 W. Pine Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63108-2191. General telephone number: 314.361.7765. Email for general information: ucsprov@jesuits.org. Web address: <https://www.jesuitscentralsouthern.org>. So that’s one person.

Another might be Archbishop Aquila, although please bear in mind that the decision to withdraw from Loyola was NOT Archbishop Aquila’s decision. OK? NOT his doing, NOT his fault. Even so, here’s the Archbishop’s contact info: The Most Reverend Samuel J. Aquila; Office of the Archbishop; 1300 S. Steele St., Denver, CO 80210. General telephone number 303.722.4687; email office.archbishop@archden.org. Web address: <https://archden.org/archbishop/office-archbishop/>. So that’s another person. Here’s another, even further up the ladder: The Papal Nuncio in Washington, DC. He’s your link to Pope Francis and the Ambassador for the Holy See to the government of the United States. BTW, the *Holy See* is the official name for what we Catholics in the trenches call “the Vatican,” or the central government of the Catholic Church. BTW, *Holy See* isn’t “Holy, see?” or even derived from “Holy See, Batman!” but is rather the English translation of *Sancta Sedes*, which is a reference to the Chair of Peter – admittedly not a reference that’s immediately evident either from *Sancta Sedes* or *Holy See*. See? Complexities aside, here’s the Nuncio’s 411: His Excellency Archbishop Christophe Pierre; Apostolic Nunciature in the United States of America; 3339 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20008-3610. Phone: 202-333-7121. General email: nuntiususa@nuntiususa.org. Web address: <http://www.nuntiususa.org>.

OK? Seems like enough for now. Meanwhile, we’re moving forward with new folks, new initiatives and ongoing trust that the Spirit is NOT AT ALL done with our beloved parish or indeed with the beloved Catholics who make it up or doubly indeed with YOU. Who are indeed beloved.

NEWS AND EVENTS

LOYOLA FOOD PANTRY FOOD DRIVE

Today 8:00 am-Noon

Thank you for your continued support of our parish food pantry. See <https://loyoladenver.org/st-vincent-de-paul-society> for a list of items most needed. Please bring items to the pantry at the garage at 23rd/Gaylord or at the parish office during office hours.

NEW LOYOLA INITIATIVE FOR CLIMATE JUSTICE

Join our parish community for a workshop “(Re)Introduction to Organizing for Social Action with Together Colorado.” We will be exploring how we as parish can be involved in work to pursue climate justice and human dignity for all. Join us either in person, on **Sunday October 30**, 8:50 am - 9:50 am in Brady Hall, or virtually on **Wednesday, November 2** from 6 pm -7 pm via zoom.

SYNOD DISCUSSION

The 10:30 Catholic Community invites one or more Loyola parishioners who participated in Loyola’s Synod process to join them for a group discussion of the Synod. Noon on **Sunday October 23**, Capitol Heights Presbyterian Church (1100 Fillmore St.). If interested, contact John 303-912-4352 or jkane@regis.edu.

E-CYCLE EVENT - SEE FLYER IN TODAY’S BULLETIN

Care for Our Common Home is sponsoring an **electronic recycling** event on **Saturday, October 22**, 9 am to noon in the church parking lot. We are looking for people to help make this event a success. If you can help, please contact Kris Rowley at krisenterprises@aol.com.

LOYOLA MEDITATION COMMUNITY

In the Gospel of Mark 11:24, we read, "... everything you ask and pray for, believe that you have it already, and it will be yours." Our community needs this depth of connection. We invite you to join us for 30 minutes of community prayer when we meet on **Monday, October 17**. The Zoom session opens at 12:50 pm, and we pray from 1:00 - 1:30 pm. Our prayer intent is for blessing and guidance for our community, our country and our planet. You are most welcome! Zoom link: <https://bit.ly/3mqMhDh>

COLLECTION FOR THE HOMELESS

Updated for October

Please see items needed to help those in homeless shelters in the Denver area: *deodorant, body lotion (small & large size), body wash (large), liquid hand soap, foot powder, shampoo & conditioner, razors, maxi pads, bras (all sizes), hoodies/sweatshirts (women’s sizes S-3X), women’s sweatpants (S-M), men’s white socks, men’s jeans, winter gloves/mittens, men’s underpants (M-L), small blankets, twin XL sheets, towels, sandwich & gallon size bags, serving spoons, pots and pans, dishes, plates, cups, backpacks* **Please bring your donated items to 2591 Eudora Street and place in the blue tub.**

DAY OF REFLECTION

A Prophetic Call: Here I am Lord, Send Me

In honor of National Black Catholic History Month and in preparation for the National Black Catholic Congress XIII in July 2023, you are invited to attend a ‘Day of Reflection’ on **Saturday, November 5** from 9 am to 3:30 pm at Curé d’Ars Catholic Parish, 3201 Dahlia Street Denver, 80207. Register by October 21 at <https://archden.org/black-ministry/> Contact Kateri at 303-715-3165 or Kateri.Williams@archden.org with any questions.

MEMORIAL MASS FOR INFANT LOSS

A Mass will be offered for all families who have experienced the loss of an infant. **Friday, October 28**, 7 pm at St. Thomas More Church, 8035 S. Quebec St., Centennial. A reception will follow Mass.

ALL SOULS MONTH - NOVEMBER

If you would like to remember a deceased loved one at church during All Souls month, please email the name to Kathy at KMurzyn@loyoladenver.org. **Please email the name no later than Wednesday, October 26.** You are also invited to bring a framed photo (no larger than an 8 x 10 frame) of your loved one for our All Souls display. Bring photos to church the weekend of October 29/30 and put them on the table in front of the ramp. Please have your name and number on the back of your frame.

‘BETTER TOGETHER’

The John E Lewis Advocacy and Action Ministry

We’ll get started with this new parish ministry with some listening and sharing sessions. Join us at any of the following: Tuesday, Oct. 18, 10 am in Brady Hall; Friday, Oct. 21, 10 am in Brady Hall; Wednesday, Oct. 26, 7 pm via Zoom; Saturday, Nov. 12, 6:15 pm in Brady Hall. Call Mary Leising at 720-352-4995 for more information or with questions.

ST. IGNATIUS LOYOLA MUSIC MINISTRY

If you feel you are being called to share your gifts with our community through the music ministry at one of the weekend Masses, please contact Ed Dill, our new Director of Music and Liturgy, at ed@loyoladenver.org. We are always looking for talented vocalists and instrumentalists to join us!

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 10-09-22

7:30 am

Frank Cawley

10:00 am

People of the Parish

Monday, 10-10-22

Michael Hornung & Family

Tuesday, 10-11-22

Jim Kindblade+

Wednesday, 10-12-22

Intentions of the Celebrant

Thursday, 10-13-22

Taylor Pearce & Family

Friday, 10-14-22

Bonnie Watson +

Saturday, 10-15-22

Jim Kindblade+

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Victor Abad, Jr., Elizabeth Achuil, Paul Appel, Joyce Armstead, Eugenia Arsense, Benjamin Baszler Family, Mary Bergles, Taeja Billingsley, Raquel Sanchez Bishop, Gray Buckley, Mary Ellen Buning, Loretta Burrell, Susan Carrillo, Joyce & Meredith Clabaugh, Deborah Cottle, Ed Ekel, Ann Feighny, Barbara Floyd-Hall, Valerie Francis, Margie Fry, Notasha M.Garcia, Jean Giles, Clarence Grier, Carrie Hamilton, Gayle Hamlett, Patty Harvey, Healis Howard, Tylah Howard, Connor Jennison, Wardell Jones, Isaac Joseph, Jamar Lindsay & Family, Lorene Lee, Jonny Lewis, Judy Lewis, Tony Lutrey, Josephine Martinez, Brody McDonald, James McKinney, Mary Ann Montgomery, Mathue/Nicque Moore, Antonia Moreno, Carol Nettles, Michelle Padilla, Ronda Pruett, Gail Pugh, Marcello Puma, Peter Quintero, Romany Redman, Megan Reinholtz, Cordell Robinson, Robert Saldano Family, Paul Scheafbauer, Katie/Melvin Scott, Barb Sercely, Mary Sewing, William Sexton, Angelita Sims, Gary Slaven, Romaine Tacznosky, Ken/Carmen Therence, Linda Vialpando, Beverly Wilson.

Sunday, October 9, 2022–28th Sunday of Ordinary Time

2 Kgs 5:14-17; 2 Tm 2:8-13; Lk 17:11-19

(Please visit www.usccb.org/bible/readings for the daily readings.)

If you or someone you know has been a victim of abuse involving a Jesuit, you are encouraged to contact law enforcement and the Coordinator of Pastoral Support and Outreach for the Jesuits, Carol Zarinelli Brescia, MSW, LCSW at 314-915-7168 or usoutreach@jesuits.org. You may also call the Archdiocese of Denver, 720-239-2832 or our parish office, 303-322-8042.

Did you know? Electronics are banned from landfills in Colorado!

Come to our **St. Ignatius Loyola Electronic Recycling Event**
Saturday, October 22 from 9 am to Noon

Loyola Church Parking Lot

To help us recycle electronics and do so responsibly, the *Care for Our Common Home Ministry* of St. Ignatius Loyola Church (23rd & York) is hosting this event. (Enter parking lot from Gaylord St.)

Electronics are collected and recycled by *Techno Rescue*, a local veteran-owned IT company. *Techno Rescue* can recycle more than just TVs and computers. You can bring most items with a cord or a battery, including desktops, laptops, servers, cell phones, tablets, gaming equipment, networking equipment, consumer electronics and more. All data storage media are wiped and physically destroyed to protect your identity.

2022 Event Pricing:

\$5 each per car/individual plus the following:

\$5 each LCD Monitor

\$50 each Floor Model Printer

\$25 each TV & CRT Monitor (21 inches and under)

\$50 each TV & CRT Monitor (22 inches and up)

\$100 each Projection, DLP and Console TV

Small electricals (vacuums, irons, cords, blenders, blowers) and CDs, DVDs and VHS tapes are accepted at no additional cost!

Cash or check only, please. Make checks payable to **St Ignatius Loyola Church**. Please contact *Techno Rescue* for more information. Prices are subject to change.

ITEMS WE CANNOT ACCEPT: Includes refrigerators, freezers, washers and dryers, batteries of any kind (only exception, lithium ion computer batteries and lead acid computer backup batteries—no bloated batteries), air conditioners and swamp coolers, non-electrical power source items, items that contain Freon, including mini and wine refrigerators, microwaves, items containing liquid mercury, like Thermostats, fire detectors, carbon-monoxide detectors, broken or exposed cathode ray tube (CRT) glass, light bulbs of any kind, and poly-chlorinated biphenyl ballasts (PBC) found in fluorescent light fixtures.