

# ST. IGNATIUS LOYOLA CATHOLIC CHURCH

## 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

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

Confession	Saturday @ 4:15 PM or by appt.
Anointing of the Sick	Please call the office
Baptism & Matrimony	Please contact Rosemary Pesko

### OTHER MINISTRIES

**St. Vincent de Paul Society**  
Hotline for Assistance  
303-955-2578

**Young Adults**  
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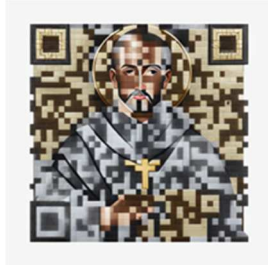
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**Contributions Received**

July 19 –25, 2023

Offertory.....	\$1,667.00
Children's Offertory.....	\$4.00
<i>Online Giving through Faith Direct® for July</i>	
Offertory.....	\$17,357.50
Building Fund.....	\$1,030.00
Fr. Brady Fund for the Poor .....	\$450.00



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**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**ST. IGNATIUS LOYOLA DAYS RECEPTIONS:** Saturday July 29 and Sunday July 30, Brady Hall, after all Masses.

**KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER:** Meeting today, 11:30 am, Gesu Room.

**CONGREGATION OF ST. JOHN PRESENTATION:** Tuesday, August 1 at 1 pm, Brady Hall.

**BIBLE STUDY:** Thursday, August 3, 6:30 pm, Brady Hall and via Zoom.

**COMMUNAL MEAL AND FELLOWSHIP:** Friday, August 5, following the 5 pm Mass, Brady Hall. See next page for details.

**PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL**

Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

**PRESENTATIONS ON THE  
CONGREGATION OF SAINT JOHN**

All are welcome to attend either of the two upcoming presentations on the Congregation of Saint John, a community of priests and brothers dedicated to serving the Church.

The first presentation will be on Tuesday, August 1 at 1 pm. The second presentation will be on Thursday, August 24 at 6:30 pm. Both presentations will be in Brady Hall. They will give us an inside look at the charism and good works of the Congregation of Saint John. Please see the back cover of this bulletin for details.

*We hope to see you there!*

**Notes from Fr. Francis**

Dear Parishioners of St. Ignatius of Loyola Parish,

Music has always been an integral part of Catholic worship. This week I wanted to reflect on plainchant – Gregorian and otherwise – and why it remains vital, despite some common objections. Many of you have commented on my use of chant in the dialogue between the priest and the people at Mass. Some have reacted positively, others negatively. Individuals have preferences, and the Church Herself has clearly expressed preferences when it comes to the sacred music used in liturgy.

The Second Vatican Council affirmed chant as “specially suited to the Roman liturgy,” stating it should be given “pride of place” (Sacrosanctum Concilium 116). Some, however, find chant unsatisfying. To ears accustomed to livelier worship music, the monophonic chants can sound melancholic. But their simple beauty invites us to contemplative prayer, quieting our minds and opening our ears and our hearts to particular states of listening. As Musicam Sacram (another Vatican II document) explains, chant “sets the mystery of the Eucharist in the heart of the Christian life” (MS 5).

Others may find chant unfamiliar compared to more contemporary church music. But these ancient melodies connect us with all the centuries of Saints and Christians who have preceded us. Singing together in one voice, the faithful can “participate actively” because of the simplicity of the music (SC 30). United in song, we are united in faith. In a few weeks, these simple dialogues will be familiar and easy, like the chanting of the Our Father which you already do so well!

In a distracting world, chant carves out sacred space. The meditative nature slows us down and draws us into deeper communion with God and each other. As Pope Paul VI wrote, it makes common prayer even more united, and “easier by means of simpler musical melodies” (MS 59).

So while chant may sound solemn and seem unfamiliar at first, staying true to this musical heritage affirms our unity with all who have worshiped across generations. Let us continue to welcome chant’s spiritual riches, which calibrate our hearts and minds to praise God.

I have much to share with you on the subject of Sacred Music in the Liturgy - as you may have surmised - but I also recognize how vast, sensitive, and important the subject is, so, “a little bit here, and a little bit there.”

May God Bless You,

Fr. Francis Therese Krautter, CSJ

## NEWS AND EVENTS

### JOIN US FOR A MEAL AND FELLOWSHIP

All are welcome to attend the Wellness and Young Adults ministries' dinner on **Saturday, August 5 after the 5 pm Mass.** Please bring a dish of your choice, along with the recipe. Your fellow guests will be blessed and appreciate sharing your food, your recipe, and your company. Store-bought items are welcome as well. Please also join us even if you do not have a dish or recipe to share – we will have plenty to go around! A vegan main dish will be provided. For more information email [camarin@loyoladenver.org](mailto:camarin@loyoladenver.org).

### ST. IGNATIUS LOYOLA WOMEN'S RETREAT

*Celebrating Community:*

*Women Thriving in the Midst of Change*

This year's St. Ignatius Loyola women's retreat will be held September 29 – October 1 at the Franciscan Retreat Center. Registration will be open through Aug 27th. Please see retreat flyers and registration forms at the church entrances for details. Sponsored by the Loyola Women's Club and open to all women of Loyola parish. Please join us!

### "UNVEILED" RETREAT

*Discovering the Great Mystery in Your Marriage*

In October, the Archdiocese will host an exciting retreat put on by the St. John Paul II Healing Center (<https://jpiihealingcenter.org/>). "Unveiled" is a retreat for all married, engaged and dating couples who want to experience more intimacy, passion and purpose in their relationship. The retreat will be held **October 19 – 21** at St. Mary's Catholic Parish in Littleton. Registration is open, and space is limited. For more information and to register, please visit <https://tinyurl.com/3nfr8eem>.

### CONTEMPLATIVE LEADERS IN ACTION

Contemplative Leaders in Action (CLA) is an Ignatian Spirituality and leadership development program for young adults, helping them to explore their faith, deepen their community and increase their professional skills. Questions? Contact Beth Brin at [claden@ignatianyoungadults.org](mailto:claden@ignatianyoungadults.org). Program details and the application can be found at: <https://tinyurl.com/4hu2zvju>.

### FOOD PANTRY FOOD DRIVES

*August 13 and 27*

Please help us help our neighbors by bringing any of these non-perishable grocery items to the pantry/garage at 23<sup>rd</sup> and Gaylord: *paper towels, toilet paper, reusable grocery bags, cooking oils, mayonnaise, Miracle Whip, mustard, ketchup, pancake mix and syrup, canned fruit and vegetables (no green beans), canned tomatoes, tomato sauce and paste, canned tuna/chicken/salmon, hearty soups, canned chili and stews, sloppy Joe mix, spaghetti sauce, SpaghettiOs, baked/canned beans, peanut butter, jelly/jam, coffee, sugar, flour, pasta, crackers, rice (white only), taco seasoning and shells, salsa, hot sauce, Hamburger /Tuna Helper, honey, cereal and oatmeal. Cookies, granola bars, juice boxes and snacks are appreciated. Please no expired or damaged items!* Financial donations are also accepted, checks payable to *St. Vincent de Paul Society*. Donations can also be dropped off at the parish office Monday-Friday. ***Thank you for your generosity!***

## RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

*Meet and Greet*

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) catechists are hosting a "Meet and Greet" on **Saturday, August 12 at 3:30 pm in Brady Hall.** If you are interested in becoming Catholic or want to know about the Catholic faith, please join us for this informal gathering of information and fellowship. For more information, please contact Margaret Wright at [margw8@aol.com](mailto:margw8@aol.com).

## SIGNS & SOLIDARITY

*Third Anniversary!*

During the three years since St. Ignatius Loyola's first Signs & Solidarity event, laws have been passed that limit education about our racial history, racial justice books have been removed from school libraries, Black women in the United States have died during childbirth at rates higher than in developing countries, and innocent Black people have been killed because of their skin color. So, we continue to stand in front of our church holding signs for racial justice because we haven't done enough and are hopeful for change.

On **Sunday, August 6 following the 10 am Mass**, please join St. Ignatius Loyola's Social Justice Ministry as we begin our fourth year of Signs & Solidarity on the York Street sidewalk. Come for any part of the hour. We have signs for you to use or bring your own sign promoting racial justice. Questions? Email: [loyolasjm@gmail.com](mailto:loyolasjm@gmail.com)

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 07-30-23

7:30 am

Jossy Eyre<sup>+</sup>

10:00 am

People of the Parish

Monday, 07-31-23

John Dunfee<sup>+</sup>

Tuesday, 08-01-03

Rudy Carrillo<sup>+</sup>

Wednesday, 08-02-23

Intentions of the Celebrant

Thursday, 08-03-23

Kelly McEnany<sup>+</sup>

Friday, 08-04-23

Tim Casey<sup>+</sup>

Saturday, 08-05-23

Sebastian Estrella

### PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Victor Abad, Jr., Elizabeth Achuil, Joyce Armstead, Eugenia Arsense, Benjamin Baszler Family, Mary Bergles, Taeja Billingsley, Raquel Sanchez Bishop, Gray Buckley, Mary Ellen Buning, Loretta Burrell, Susan Carrillo, Gerda Christiansen, Joyce & Meredith Clabaugh, Deborah Cottle, Ann Durkin, Ed Ekel, Ann Feighny, Barbara Floyd-Hall, Valerie Francis, Margie Fry, Notasha M. Garcia, Suzanne Geren, Jean Giles, Hollis Hafner, Carrie Hamilton, Gayle Hamlett, Patty Harvey, Peg Higgins, Tylah Howard, Connor Jennison, Wardell Jones, Isaac Joseph, Jamar Lindsay & Family, Lorene Lee, Jonny Lewis, Judy Lewis, Linda Parker Long, Tony Lutrey, Josephine Martinez, Brody McDonald, James McKinney, Mary Ann Montgomery, Mathue/Nicque Moore, Antonia Moreno, Mary Muldoon, Linda Murray, Carol Nettles, Michelle Padilla, Flora Potter, Margaret Prado, Gail Pugh, Marcello Puma, Peter Quintero, Megan Reinholtz, Cordell Robinson, Maria Rose, Robert Saldano Family, Paul Scheafbauer, Katie/Melvin Scott, Barb Sercely, Mary Sewing, William Sexton, Angelita Sims, Gary Slaven, Marc Solzan, Deneen Stevenson, Romaine Tacznosky, Ken/Carmen Therence, Delores Varner, Linda Vialpando, Beverly Wilson

***Sunday, July 30, 2023 – Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time***

1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Rom 8:28-30; Mt 13: 44-52

Please visit [www.usccb.org/bible/readings](http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings) for the daily reading.



# Who We Are: The Brothers of Saint John

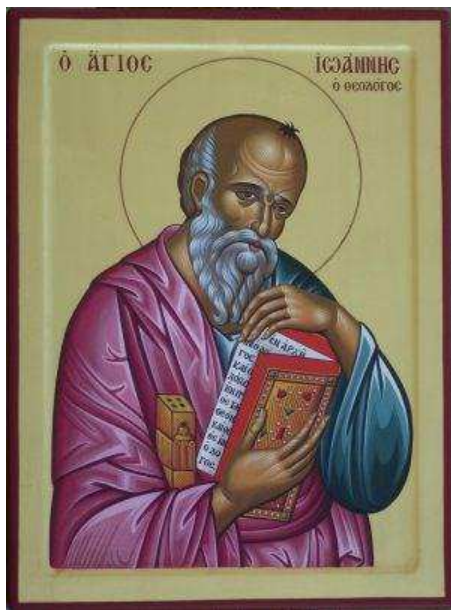
All are welcome to a presentation by  
Brother Michael Paul DeVries (a Colorado native)  
to learn more about the Congregation of St. John which now  
serves St. Ignatius Loyola Parish. Two opportunities:

**Tuesday, August 1 at 1 pm**

**Thursday, August 24 at 6:30 pm**

**Brady Hall**

light refreshments



**Saint John**

We have a special  
devotion to  
St. John the Apostle,  
following his example  
as the beloved disciple,  
receiving the  
Blessed Virgin Mary  
as our Mother.



We live a life of constant  
prayer, living in  
community with our  
brothers and ministering  
to those around us. Our  
life is one of joy and peace,  
even in the midst of  
difficulties and struggles.  
We find our hope in God,  
who sustains and  
strengthens us.

**Our mission is to bring the Good News of Jesus Christ  
to all people, proclaiming his love and mercy.**