

Saint Ignatius Loyola Church Weekly Update May 16, 2021

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Weekday Mass will continue the Week of May 17, 2021

Monday thru Friday -7:30 a.m. and 12:10 p.m.

WEEKEND MASSES

Please note weekend Mass schedule:

Saturday Vigil Masses 4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.

Sunday Masses 7:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m.

Live Streaming of Sunday Mass will be at 8:30 a.m. (This is not a public Mass.)

All Masses will be celebrated at St. Ignatius Church due to capacity allowed under CDC guidelines.

CONFESSIONS

Confessions are held Saturdays from 12:00 p.m. − 12:30 p.m.

Please note: There will be no Confessions on Saturday, May 29th.

HOSPITALS, LONG TERM FACILITIES, AND HOME VISITATION

All visitations to homes and hospitals remain limited based upon restrictions of individual health care facilities protocols. CDC guidelines must be followed.

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

(Mark 16:15-20)

Jesus said to his disciples: "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature... These signs will accompany those who believe: in my name they will drive out demons, they will speak new languages. They will pick up serpents with their hands, and if they drink any deadly thing, it will not harm them. They will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover. So, then the Lord Jesus, after he spoke to them, was taken up into heaven and took his seat at the right hand of God. But they went forth and preached everywhere, while the Lord worked with them and confirmed the word through accompanying signs.

Reflection:

Jesus expects his disciples to walk in his footsteps. But Jesus always *invites* us to share in his ministry, never forces us. At the Ascension, Jesus *commissioned his disciples* to proclaim the gospel. At first this might seem an impossible commission: how can *we* expect to fill Jesus' footsteps? On our own authority we cannot preach the gospel, *we can* fill Jesus' footsteps only when we hear "the instructions given through the Spirit." What an awesome honor it is to be disciples of Christ – by returning to his rightful place at the hand of God, Jesus *entrusts* his mission to us. (Living Liturgy, p.136)

Vincentian Meditation:

The motto of the Society states that: "No work of charity is foreign to the Society." And so in the Manual we read: Accordingly, the possibilities for Vincentian action are almost without limit. Being poor does not always, or necessarily, consist of being short of material goods. Being poor can also mean being physically and mentally handicapped, sick, crippled, old, ugly, or illiterate. There are poor who are or are made to feel alone...immigrants, transients, orphans, the abandoned or rejected, and all those who find themselves among others who are indifferent or hostile. Being poor may mean wanting to cry when others are laughing; being physically or morally chained, as prisoners, shut-ins, alcoholics, drug addicts; being defenseless against attacks, insults, or accusations; being an innocent victim of crime or quarrels. The more the Society grows, the more it will reach the lonely and troubled who have need for care and friendship. (US Manual, P.45-46)

CHURCH IS NOW OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

The Church is now open for private prayer Monday-Friday from 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m. Anyone planning on attending private prayer is reminded that they must wear a mask at all times in the Church even if no one else is in the Church. Thank you for your kind attention and cooperation.

PROTOCOL CHANGES AS OF MAY 10, 2021

1. Distribution of Holy Communion will return to usual place in Mass.

Weekdays

All are asked to come down main aisle and return to their pew via the side aisle.

Weekend Masses

All are asked to come down side aisle and return to their pew via the main aisle.

At all Masses we must continue to remain socially distant and wear face masks.

- 2. Doors will remain open during Masses unless capacity is reached.
- 3. All are asked to continue to sanitize their hands upon entering the Church.

Thank you for your attention to these matters.



MEMORIAL DAY MASS – MONDAY, MAY 31st

Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 AM on Monday, May 31^{st.} Please note, there will be no 7:30 AM or 12:10 PM Mass on that day.

HOLY NAME SCHOLARSHIP

Once again, the Holy Name Society will be offering scholarships to qualified members of the parish for the years 2020 and 2021. Applications must be postmarked on or before June 18th. You may call the rectory to request an application and then arrange to pick it up. The applicant must be a registered member of St. Ignatius Parish.

CHILDREN AND YOUNG ADULTS RECEIVE INITIATION SACRAMENTS

St. Ignatius Parish is proud to announce that our second-grade children will receive the Lord's Body and Blood for the first time this weekend in two separate ceremonies for candidates and invited family members. Next weekend, our Confirmation Class will complete their initiation with the reception of Confirmation. Again, there will be two separate celebrations for candidates and invited family members. These Masses are by invitation only due to our present seating capacity. Please keep these young people and their families in your prayers. Congratulations and Best Wishes to our First Communion and Confirmation Classes.

ZOOM INTO YOUR FAITH

Faith Sharing on Zoom happens the second Friday of every month. Group discussions, readings and prayer time lasts around 90 minutes. Contemplate and discover. If interested, please contact Mary Bednarek at mary.bednarek@aol.com for more details or to sign up!

Mass Intentions Week of May 17th – 23rd

Monday
7:30 AM – Greg Policare, Jr. Sam & Karen Aritz & Family
12:10 PM – Turel & Skvarla Families Lucyann
Tuesday
7:30 AM – Mary Ann Cecconi Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Chairge
12:10 PM – Lillian Krzesinski Daughter, Ann Marie
Wednesday
7:30 AM – Leonard Floryan Josephine Carpenter
12:10 PM – Mary Louise MacFarland Family
Thursday
7:30 AM – Anthony Davis Family
12:10 PM – Alethea Brennan Mary Beth Ruddy
Friday
7:30 AM – Marion Blaum Gail & Dick Blaum
12:10 PM – Charles P. & Peggy Watters Family
Saturday
4:00 PM – Robert Walsh Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Petroski
6:00 PM – Kathleen Cawley Elizabeth McDonough
Sunday
7:00 AM – Raymond Novitski Dolores Margiewicz
10:30 AM – Ellen White Jane Girvan
12:30 PM – Margaret Fahey Debbie Fisher

Church Candle for the Week of May 17th
In Memory of Michael Herbacsek – Requested by Family
Bread & Wine for the Week of May 17th
In Memory of Anthony Maloney – Requested by Family

FINANCIAL UPDATE FOR SUNDAY, MAY 9, 2021

Sunday Tithe **\$11,093.00**

E-Offerings **\$1,575.00**

Total **\$12,668.00**

Amount Needed Each Week to Meet Expenses \$12,950.00

Father Mosley, Deacon Pernot, and I continue to be most grateful for your generosity and support during these challenging days. Envelopes can be mailed in or dropped in mailbox on front of rectory porch.

May God Bless you abundantly for your continued support. Be assured of our prayers for health and safety for all.







FIRST COMMUNION – 2021

Michael Edward Belawicz Alexa Naomi Chopak Keira Elizabeth Colleran Avery Clare Crossin Emrys James Deemer William Michael Demko Rylan Anthony Dunn Romola Catherine DeMarzio Jackson Christopher Edwards Emily Lillian Fox Emma Grace Fox Placido Cole Frankelli Bartosz. Gulan Sophia Rose Jones Nathan Michael Kozik Alexis Marie LaBar Timothy Lee Needle Christopher David Preiman Gabriel Joseph Ryder James Salas Jesse Alexandra Jane Selenski Madison Stochla Alyssa Hope Williams Loveah Angelise Williams



PROTOCOLS FOR DAILY AND WEEKEND LITURGIES AS OF FRIDAY, MAY 14, 2021 at 1:30 p.m.

We wish to express our heartfelt gratitude for your continued cooperation and support of these updated protocols. We are so happy to begin welcoming back our parishioners with some degree of normalcy.

Please continue to follow the guidelines listed below for the wellbeing of our entire community.

- Face masks must be worn at all times except for the reception of Holy Communion.
- Face masks must cover the <u>nose and mouth</u> at all times while in the church and during the celebration of Mass.
- Church doors will be open from 7:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Monday-Friday for private and personal prayer. (Face masks are to be worn during private prayer time.)
- Church doors will be open on Saturday from 3:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.
- Church doors will be open on Sunday from 6:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
- Those needing assistance will enter and exit Conlan Hall entranceway so as to use the elevator.
- Upon entering the Church, all are asked to sanitize their hands with the touchless hand sanitizers.
- Please follow the directions of the greeters for seating. All are asked when taking their seats to begin with either the middle seat of the pew or the seat closest to the stained-glass windows. The seat closest to the middle aisle should be the last seat taken in a pew. This process is necessary since some Masses are nearly at capacity, namely the 4:00 p.m. on Saturday and the 10:30 a.m. on Sunday. This process enables us to allow as many people as possible to attend Mass.
- The weekly collection will not be taken up; locked boxes are located by the elevator entrance and the main aisle for your donations.
- Holy communion will return to the normal time within the Mass and parishioners may return to their seats for prayer and dismissal rite.
 - Daily Mass Attendees are to use main aisle and return to seats via side aisle.
 - Weekend Mass Attendees are to use side aisle and return to seats via main aisle.
- All are asked to maintain social distancing when receiving Holy Communion. Please come forward single file, pew by pew.
- The Church is sanitized after each liturgy including the restroom and elevator.
- All parishioners are reminded that people should not congregate before or after Masses in parking lot or small groups.
- Confessions will be held on Saturdays at 12:00 noon and will end at 12:30 p.m.

The obligation to attend Sunday Mass continues to be suspended.

Thank you again and God Bless You.