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The Ignatian Way: Prayer, Service, Community

January 24, 2016

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Full of Grace: Sacred Arthouse

I had the great pleasure recently of attending a screening of the film *Full of Grace: The Story of Mary the Mother of Jesus*. *Full of Grace* is a gripping and beautiful depiction of the early Church after the resurrection. Told through the eyes of Mary, the mother of Jesus, she challenges Peter and the disciples to remember their original encounter with Christ.

Set in Jerusalem, ten years after the passion of her son, Mary lives out her final earthly days and contemplates the incredible mystery of her life. Accompanied by her young maidservant Zara, she quietly awaits the return of the “Rock”, the one her Son placed as responsible for the Christian people — Peter. Arriving at Mary’s home after a decade of traveling, preaching, and fleeing from death, Peter feels the overwhelming responsibility and helplessness of the great task he must undertake. Spending days with Mary and recounting what happened in both their lives after meeting Christ, Peter slowly discovers that he is not leading the Church, but following what Jesus had started.

During the post-screening discussion, “Toward a New Christian Cinema”, the writer and director Andrew Hyatt, a Jesuit-educated re-convert to the faith, recounts that he and his producers wondered why there had not been another movie like *The Passion of the Christ* made since its release. They desired to create a movie that resonated with their own imperfect, human experiences.

Reflecting this desire, Mary Rezac from the Catholic News Agency, in her article “Can Film Be Sacred Art?”, also quotes *Full of Grace*’s producer T.J. Berden: “If the filmmaker makes something for him or herself, not as a selfish enterprise but as something that really speaks to their life, that’s the only chance you’re going to have for it to resonate into somebody else’s life.” Following Pope Francis’ emphasis on the personal moment of “encounter” with Jesus, the filmmakers, Berden emphasized, sought to portray Mary as “kind of the emblem of [the encounter, as] she never loses the memory of Christ. She’s like the keeper of memory.”

This truly unique film captures the dormition and assumption of Mary, asking its viewers to put themselves into the film as a kind of “cinematic prayer”. This approach sets *Full of Grace* apart from a recent spate of faith-based movies that — though well-intentioned — preach at the audience. Mary Rezac observes that as *Full of Grace* developed, “so did the idea for film as an icon, as sacred art, a genre Berden has started calling ‘Sacred Arthouse.’” Berden cited the Terrence Malick film *The Tree of Life* (2011) as a cinematic influence during the post-viewing discussion.



A still from *Full of Grace* (2015)

“Sacred art is always trying to speak to men in the world,” Berden said. In the Middle Ages, sacred art meant using stained-glass windows and mosaics to tell the story of Christ to the illiterate masses in church. “Today we have a lot of advantages. Today, people read, but there’s another kind of illiteracy going on,” he added. “It’s an illiteracy of the heart; it’s a crisis of the person. We don’t know who we are, so who are we in relationship to this God is very confused.”

Full of Grace spoke directly to the “illiteracy” of my own heart. The inspired and intimate performance by actress Bahia Haifi as Mary, the Mother of Jesus, shined welcomed light upon my own misguided notions of who God is or what God is doing in my life. I experienced a *metanoia*, a change or renewal of mind that can only be awakened first in the heart.

The film’s beautiful cinematography captures the seemingly paradoxical characteristics of Mary: gentleness and strength. I venture to say that these characteristics set the tone for the film, which produces a contemplative, slower paced, dialogue-focused film. The filmmakers intentionally sought to invite the audience to use their imaginations to enter more fully into the final events of Mary’s earthly life. Not unlike our own St. Ignatius of Loyola.

I encourage you to view *Full of Grace* and, in the words of the filmic Mary, “Listen. In the stillness. In the silence.”

— **Carly-Anne Gannon**
Director of Religious Education

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE



Feeding Our Neighbors
Archdiocesan- Wide Food Drive
begins **today** and runs through
Sunday, January 31st.
Details on page 5.



Please Note

Family Mass Location Change **TODAY**

Because of an event
being held in Wallace Hall,
11:00 AM Family Mass for today will take place
in the Grammar School's McKinnon Hall.
We apologize for any inconvenience.



WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27th

Job Transition Support Group.
10:00 AM. Parish Lounge.

Bringing together experienced professionals
looking to secure employment.



Society of St. Vincent de Paul Meeting.
7:00 PM. Conference Room.

All are welcome.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 28th

**An Evening with Joe Assadourian,
Sr. Tesa Fitzgerald, and Friends.**
7:00 PM. Wallace Hall.

Details at right.



FRIDAY – SUNDAY

JANUARY 29th – JANUARY 31st
Shelter Weekend. Wallace Hall.

For information
on volunteering in the Shelter,
see details below.



SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



FRIDAY – SUNDAY
JANUARY 29th – JANUARY 31st
SVdP Women's Shelter
Wallace Hall

There is a particular need for stay-over volunteers,
especially on Sunday nights.

Both men and women are invited to volunteer.

If you would like to volunteer in the Shelter,
please leave a message for Louise Decatrel
at the Parish House or
email svdp.shelter980@gmail.com



Catholic Schools Week

January 31st – February 6th

Catholic Schools Week is an annual
national celebration of Catholic
elementary and secondary schools
and the important role they play in providing a values-
added education for America's young people.

IGNATIAN SOCIAL JUSTICE



An Evening with
Joe Assadourian, Sr. Tesa Fitzgerald,
and Friends

Thursday, January 28th at 7:00 PM
Wallace Hall

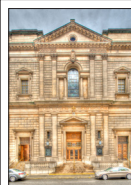
Panelists

Joe Assadourian will present a selection from his
widely acclaimed Off-Broadway production of
The Bullpen. Joe is a two-time PENN Award winner,
and has been nominated for an Outer Critics Circle
Award and two NYIT Awards for *The Bullpen*.

Sr. Tesa Fitzgerald, CSJ, is the executive director of Hour
Children. A dynamic speaker, Tesa has been named a
CNN Hero, a White House Champion of Change, and
the 2014 winner of the Opus Prize. In 2015, Sr. Tesa was
awarded the *Cross Pro-Ecclesia et Pontifice*.

Zachariah Presutti, SJ, is a Jesuit scholastic of the Northeast
Province who works with incarcerated and formerly
incarcerated individuals as a therapist at Hour Children.

A panel discussion will follow
Joe Assadourian's presentation.



Have you made your donation to the Annual Appeal?

Thank you to those who have already
responded to the Annual Appeal.

In order to fund the current level of service and
programming, we rely heavily on this annual collection.



If you have not yet made a donation, you can
do so by visiting the Annual Appeal page on
the St. Ignatius website by scanning
the QR code at left.

To electronically access the Annual Report for Fiscal Year
2015 and a letter from Father Feely about the Annual Appeal,
visit our website at www.saintignatiusloyola.org

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LAY MINISTERS' ENRICHMENT

Registrations now being accepted!

A Lot of Things: Wisdom from the Book of Expectations



with
Sister Mary Lanning, SFCC
Founder, YES!Solutions, Inc.

Saturday, February 6th
9:30 AM – 3:30 PM
in Wallace Hall

All parishioners who minister to others
are invited to attend.

Continental breakfast and lunch will be provided.

Space is limited.

Register online at
<http://tinyurl.com/Feb2016LME>

For those without internet access:
Call the Parish House
at (212) 288-3588 to register.

IGNATIAN YOUNG ADULTS

Sunday Social Winter Schedule



The Sunday Socials are held in Wallace Hall
at 8:30 PM, following the 7:30 PM Mass.
They are hosted by the Ignatian Young
Adults. All young adults (ages 21–39) are welcome.

Sunday Social Dates

Feb. 7 Feb. 21 March 6



SEEKERS' RETREAT FOR YOUNG ADULTS

January 29th – January 31st

Friday Evening – Sunday Afternoon

Mariandale Retreat Center, Ossining, NY

For young adults in their 20s and 30s

Charis NYC presents a peer-led, weekend retreat inspired
by Ignatian spirituality and the Jesuit tradition. Take time
to reflect on your journey, your desires, and God's hopes
and dreams for you. Also, learn how to integrate your
Catholic faith with the other areas of your life.

Cost: \$260/person

Meals and boarding are included.

Financial aid available.

For more information, please visit www.Charis.nyc
or email CharisRetreatNYC@gmail.com
by **tomorrow**.

EMMAUS BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP



A six-session support group for those
who have experienced the
death of a loved one will begin on
Tuesday evening, February 16th, in the
Parish Lounge, from 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM.

The sessions, both educational and supportive,
are run by experienced facilitators.

To register, email EmmausBereavementGroup@gmail.com
Registration is required.

MEETING CHRIST IN PRAYER



Meeting Christ in Prayer is an interactive
8-week guided prayer experience for small
groups. Based on the *Spiritual Exercises* of
St. Ignatius Loyola, it introduces participants
to various ways of praying and provides an opportunity
to support one another through faith sharing.

Morning Sessions

Tuesdays, February 16th – April 13th*
9:30 AM – 11:00 AM

Evening Sessions

Wednesdays, February 17th – April 13th*
7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

**Note: Both sessions will conclude at the evening meeting
on Wednesday, April 13th*

What does it offer?

Weekly meetings are 90 minutes long and include group
prayer, guided meditation, small group faith sharing, and
an orientation for the following week's prayer or prayer
techniques. The cost of the program is a sliding scale of
\$30-\$50 and covers all materials. Scholarships are available.

To register, email MCIP@saintignatiusloyola.org

IGNITE! TEEN MINISTRY



Saturday, February 6th
6:30 PM – 8:00 PM, Hoefner Lounge

Teens 13–19 years old are welcome!

As a parish-based youth ministry rooted in Ignatian
spirituality and Catholic tradition, *IGNITE!* offers a
forum through which high school students and
their families may find a deeper relationship
with God and each other.

Registration for each session is encouraged but not required.

For more information and/or to register,
contact Teresa Cariño at carinot@saintignatiusloyola.org



Calling All Singers!

The volunteer choirs —
Parish Community Choir, Canticum
Sacrum, and Wallace Hall Music Choir
— are looking for new members.

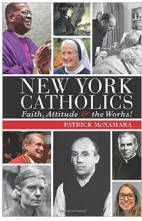
Details and schedule information can be found online
at stignatiusloyola.org

Be a part of the wonderful music you hear each Sunday!

For more information or to schedule an audition,
email the Music Office at music@stignatiusloyola.org

Available at the Parish House

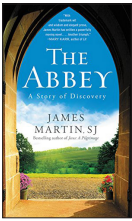
New York Catholics: Faith, Attitude & the Works!



The legacy of New York City's largest
religious community comes alive in these
biographies of 76 women and men who
have helped make New York and America
great, and whose character and qualities
are uniquely New York and Catholic.

Cost: \$20

Signed copies of *The Abbey*, by Rev. James Martin, S.J.



The debut novel by Fr. Martin focuses on
three lives intersecting and their shared
journey toward faith, hope, and love —
a grieving mother who lost her son,
an ambitious young architect who finds
himself working as a handyman, and the
wise, yet uncertain abbot of a local monastery.

*A limited number of signed books are available
for purchase at Reception.*

Cost: \$25

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WALLACE HALL AVAILABLE FOR RENTAL

The space is available for a variety of events
including fundraisers, lectures, receptions,
cocktail parties, and formal banquet-style dinners.

For more information, contact *Caroline Fernandes* at
212-288-3588 or fernandesc@saintignatiusloyola.org

Announced Masses and Readings for the Week

Monday, January 25th (*The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle*)

Acts 9:1–22 Psalm 117 Mark 16:15–18

8:30 MEM Gertrude Maher
12:10 MEM Judith Kaye
5:30 MEM Jeanne Furstenuau

Tuesday, January 26th (*SS. Timothy & Titus*)

Titus 1:1–5 Psalm 96 Mark 3:31–35

8:30 MEM Frances Daly
12:10 MEM Gina DePalma
5:30 MEM Phyllis Browne

Wednesday, January 27th (*Third Wednesday in Ordinary Time*)

2 Samuel 7:4–17 Psalm 89 Mark 4:1–20

8:30 MEM Robert Rommelsbacher
12:10 MEM Alfred Ziccardi
5:30 MEM Pauline Bedard

Thursday, January 28th (*St. Thomas Aquinas*)

2 Samuel 7:18–19, 24–29 Psalm 132 Mark 4:21–25

8:30 MEM John & Nora Reilly
12:10 MEM Clelia Rotella
5:30 MEM Gertrude Maher

Friday, January 29th (*Third Friday in Ordinary Time*)

2 Samuel 11:1–4a, 5–10a, 13–17 Psalm 51 Mark 4:26–34

8:30 MEM Hilda Handel
12:10 MEM Livio Panebianco
5:30 MEM Joanne C. Wallace

Saturday, January 30th (*Third Saturday in Ordinary Time*)

2 Samuel 12:1–7a, 10–17 Psalm 51 Mark 4:35–41

8:30 MEM Helen & Charles Regan

Sunday, January 31st (*Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time*)

Jeremiah 1:4–5, 17–19 Psalm 71

1 Corinthians 12:31–13:13 Luke 4:21–30

PRAYER RESOURCES

Pray as You Go

www.pray-as-you-go.org

Pray as You Go is a daily prayer session
designed for use on your iPod or
other portable MP3 player.

3-Minute Retreats

www.loyolapress.com/3-minute-retreats-daily-online-prayer.htm

Take a short prayer break right at your computer.
Spend some quiet time reflecting on a Scripture passage.



Remember St. Ignatius in Your Estate Plan

If you would like information about planned
giving, contact Fernando Castro, Treasurer,
or visit our website at
www.stignatiusloyola.org



Feeding Our Neighbors:
Archdiocesan-Wide Food Campaign

STARTS TODAY!

The Church of St. Ignatius Loyola will be participating in the food drive scheduled to run from *today through Sunday, January 31st.*

Donations will go to the Community Pantry at the Church of St. Gregory the Great on West 90th Street.

Please bring non-perishable foods to the Parish House.

While all donations are greatly appreciated, *these items are especially welcome:*

- 100% fruit juices
- beans (*canned or dry*)
 - canned fish (*salmon, sardines, or tuna*)
 - canned fruits
 - canned meat (*chicken, beef, or ham*)
 - canned stews (*chicken or beef*)
 - canned vegetables
 - coffee/tea
 - couscous
 - dried fruits
 - dry cereal and hot cereal (*farina, grits, or oatmeal*)
 - dry milk packets
- flour/cornmeal/baking mixes
- nutritional beverages (*Boost, Ensure, Carnation Instant Breakfast*)
 - nuts
 - pasta/noodles
 - peanut butter
- personal care items
 - rice
 - shelf-stable milk
 - soy/almond/rice milk
 - spices
 - tomato sauce
 - vegetable soups
 - whole wheat crackers

Every item counts!

Thank you for your generosity.



SAVE THE DATE!



Join Fr. Feely,
Members of the Parish Staff,
and Members of our Parish Ministries
for

**The Ignatian Way
Lenten Dinner**

*Saturday, February 20th in Wallace Hall
immediately following
the 5:30 PM Mass.*

Details to follow.



**SOCIETY OF
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**



BLOOD DRIVE
Sunday, January 31st
9:00 AM to 3:00 PM
McKinnon Hall

The New York Blood Center requires 2,000 donations daily to meet the transfusion needs of our community.

Your donation may enable a premature baby to live, a burn victim to recover, a cancer patient to be treated, or an accident victim to survive.

To register:

Online – www.nybloodcenter.org/blood

Telephone – (800) 933-2566

Please reference Group Code 06239 when registering.

Walk-ins are also welcome.

A photo or signature ID is required.

A sign-up table will also be in the Narthex before and after all Masses this weekend.

Please drink plenty of fluids and eat a well-balanced meal before giving blood.

MUSIC

SUNDAY, JANUARY 31ST

11:00 AM SOLEMN MASS

Howells *Rhapsody in D-flat Major* (Op. 17, No. 1)

Bairstow *Though I speak with the tongues of men*

Bairstow *I sat down under his shadow*

Harris *Flourish for an Occasion*

11:00 AM FAMILY MASS

with Middle School Choir & Training Choir II

Sibelius, arr. James *Be Still, My Soul*

Duggan *The Lord's Prayer*



The N.P. Mander Organ Recital Series

presents

K. SCOTT WARREN

*Director of Music Ministries and
Artistic Director of Sacred Music in a Sacred Space*

Sunday, February 21st at 3:00 PM

Tickets: \$20

Tickets for all concerts are available online
at www.smssconcerts.org



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We pray for
the faithful departed
Josseline Salgo
May she rest
in the peace of
the Risen Lord

Academic Tutors: ComUnidad Juan Diego
Tutors are needed for the Academic Support Program of ComUnidad Juan Diego, a project sponsored by the Marist Brothers and the Archdiocese of New York to serve the Latino immigrant community in East Harlem. The Academic Support Program is designed to assist the children (elementary through high school) of the members of the ComUnidad Juan Diego achieve academic success and growth in self-confidence. Pope Francis visited this program during his visit to New York City. Where: Our Lady Queen of Angels School, 229 East 112th Street. When: Every Wednesday from 4:30 PM to 6:00 PM. For more information, contact Brother John Klein, F.M.S., Executive Director, ComUnidad Juan Diego, at jklein47@gmail.com

Volunteer Eucharistic Ministers Needed.
Lenox Hill Hospital's Department of Pastoral Care is seeking additional Eucharistic Ministers. Volunteer ministers are asked to commit two hours on a weekly or bi-weekly basis. For more information and application, contact Carlos Cuartas, Chaplain at ccuartas@nshs.edu

ArchCare Care Navigation Center: Resources for Seniors. Need help caring for yourself or someone else but not sure where to turn? ArchCare, the healthcare system of the Archdiocese of New York has a Care Navigation Center staffed by health and social service professionals dedicated to helping people better understand and access the services for which they are eligible. Call 855-951-2273 between 8:00 AM and 8:00 PM seven days a week.

For your convenience



To reach the *Giving* page on the parish website, scan the *QR Code* at left.

PARISH STAFF

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Associate Pastors

Rev. William J. Bergen, S.J.

Rev. Michael P. Hilbert, S.J.

Rev. Dennis J. Yesalonia, S.J.

Pastoral Associates

Teresa Marie Cariño

Carly-Anne Gannon

Assisting Priests (Sunday)

Rev. Philip G. Judge, S.J.

Rev. James Martin, S.J.

Rev. Samuel J. Sawyer, S.J.

Rev. Anthony P. SooHoo, S.J.

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Asst. to the Director of Facilities

Caroline Fernandes

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Fernando Castro

Weekday Masses

Monday – Friday

8:30 AM, 12:10 PM, and 5:30 PM

Saturday: 8:30 AM

Masses for Next Weekend:

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 PM Fr. Sawyer

Sunday: 8:00 AM Fr. Feely

9:30 AM Fr. Judge

Wallace Hall 11:00 AM Fr. Yesalonia

Solemn 11:00 AM Fr. Feely

7:30 PM Fr. Feely

Religious Education

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Children's Liturgy of the Word

Sundays at the 9:30 AM Mass.

Centering Prayer

Mondays at 6:30 PM

Confessions

4:30 PM Saturday or by appointment.

Communal Penance Services are celebrated during Advent and Lent.

Baptisms: Please call Teresa Cariño at the Parish House (212-288-3588 x632) to arrange for a Baptism and the preparation given prior to Baptism.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults
Contact Maureen Fullam, M.A., Director, at the Parish House.

Marriages: The Bride or Groom should call Teresa Cariño at the Parish House (212-288-3588 x632) to begin preparation for Marriage, normally one year in advance.

Visits to the Sick: Please contact the Parish House between the hours of 9:00 AM and 9:00 PM.

Music Information: (212) 288-2520 Email: music@stignatiusloyola.org