



# CHURCH OF ST. IGNATIUS LOYOLA

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*The Ignatian Way: Prayer, Service, Community*

February 5, 2017

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Ruined for Life

Twice in my life I have had the fortune—or insanity—to enter into intentional community living. The first time was as an undergrad in the Casa Bayanihan program in the Philippines, and the second was as a Jesuit Volunteer here in New York City. In JVC, seven women were selected to live in the same house and share a budget dependent upon each other's work with poor and marginalized communities throughout the city. Aside from being financially dependent upon each other, we agreed to work actively toward building community.

Intentional living invites us to approach life *on purpose*. It invites us to reflect on our actions, to *discern*. Why do we do the things we do? Why do we live a certain way? St. Ignatius Loyola believed that we should live our lives “for the greater glory of God.” For Ignatius, this intentionality is meant to be in the context of community. In talking about how to make a change in the world, Fr. Greg Boyle, S.J., founder of Homeboy Industries, said, “Love is the Answer. Community is the Context. Tenderness is the Methodology.” Intentional community is a way of letting God's life animate us and letting us respond to God's love through others.

Thus, living in intentional community ruins your life because you fall in love. I discovered, both in Casa and in JVC, a deep desire to know all about each and every one of my community-mates. They were strong enough to be vulnerable in a way that allowed me to see who they truly were and gave me the strength to be seen in return. I found that when we interacted with the world where God can be found in all things, we fall in love and we live in love.

This funny thing happens when you fall in love: you find God and it colors the way you relate to the world. The structure of the Casa program is unlike a traditional school set-up. Our main “classroom” was our praxis communities. These communities were people living on the margins of life. They were the people who are cast aside, thought of as less than human in society. So, I spent two days a week in a

community of people with disabilities and my sole task was to learn from them.

When you fall in love, you open yourself up to the possibility of heartbreak, and my heart broke. While learning from and living alongside my praxis community in Casa and in my work as a Jesuit Volunteer, I was faced with the ugliness of sin, my own and the world's. It broke my heart because I was in love with those most deeply affected by injustice in the world. What hurt the most was that there was little to nothing I could do to change their situation. However, the surprising thing was that I found freedom in that.

I found the freedom to let myself be loved. In the midst of heartache and suffering, I was, and I am loved so wholly! My communities in the Philippines and in New York knew I could not change their situation but they loved me anyway. They loved me with all my faults, with all my failures. They loved without question and without reservation. Through them, I got a glimpse of God's unending mercy and unconditional love.

It is God's love that “ruins you for life” because you've been given a taste of what could be. We hear in today's first reading that when you feed the hungry, clothe the naked, and welcome the homeless into your home, “...then your light shall break forth like the dawn, and your wound shall quickly be healed; Your vindication shall go before you, and the glory of the Lord shall be your rear guard” (Isaiah 58:7-8).

The challenge for me now is to stay ruined for life, for I know that being ruined is actually being free. It is seeing and knowing that the world is both heartbreaking and loving. It is being free to ask for and accept forgiveness. It is freedom to work for change in myself and in the world. It is difficult and it is challenging. Isaiah asks of himself, “Is this not, rather, the fast I choose?” (58:6). Is this not the fast I choose, to be ruined for life?

— Teresa Marie Cariño  
Pastoral Associate



## THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5th

Valentine's Day Activities.

Sponsored by the Family Ministry.

Following the 11 AM Mass. Wallace Hall. *Details below.*

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6th

Ranger Rosary Ministry.

7:00 PM. Meeting Room. *Details on page 3.*

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8th

Society of St. Vincent de Paul Meeting.

7:00 PM. Conference Room.

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9th

Magis Night: *Called and Gifted: Discovering Your Charisma.* 7:30 PM. Wallace Hall.

*Details on page 3.*

### FRIDAY – SUNDAY

FEBRUARY 10th – FEBRUARY 12th

Shelter Weekend. Wallace Hall.

*For information on volunteering, see page 3.*

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11th

IGNITE! Teen Ministry.

6:30 PM. Parish Lounge. *Details on page 3.*

## SAVE THE DATE

*sesquicentennial Dinner*

150<sup>th</sup>

Saturday, March 18th at 7:00 PM

Wallace Hall

Join us for an evening of celebration as we conclude our year-long commemoration of a parish community 150 years in the making.

Invitations will be mailed to registered parishioners starting this week.

## SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



### THANK YOU!

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul wishes to express our gratitude to all the donors who gave blood on Sunday, January 29th.

If you were unable to make it to the Drive, you can still donate by visiting your nearest New York Blood Center location and using **Group Code 06239.**

To find a Donor Center, visit [nybloodcenter.org](http://nybloodcenter.org)

**Thanks to your generosity,  
we successfully received  
31 blood donations.**

## FAMILY MINISTRY



Please join the Family Ministry for Valentine's Day activities **TODAY** immediately following the 11 AM Family Mass in Wallace Hall.

Questions? Please email

[parentcommittee.familyministry@gmail.com](mailto:parentcommittee.familyministry@gmail.com)



**All are welcome.**



## Ministries

### CALL TO MINISTRY

We need to expand the number of our parishioners serving as

Eucharistic Ministers    Hospitality Ministers  
Lectors

Response forms and brief descriptions of each ministry are available in the Narthex (Church lobby) and in the Parish House.

Instruction for new ministers will be offered soon.

**For more information, contact Fr. Feely  
at [feelyt@saintignatiusloyola.org](mailto:feelyt@saintignatiusloyola.org)**



## COMING IN MARCH

### *Scripture Classes*

#### Gospel of Matthew

*Five Sessions Beginning March 13th*

*Mondays at 7:00 PM in the New Classroom*

#### Women in the Bible

*Five Sessions Beginning March 13th*

*Mondays at 11:00 AM in the Meeting Room*

*All sessions led by Brian Pinter,  
Education Associate and Bible scholar-in-residence  
at Christ Church United Methodist.*

**Registration details to follow in an upcoming bulletin.**

## Pope Francis' February Prayer Intention

### **Comfort for the Afflicted**



That all those who are afflicted, especially the poor, refugees, and marginalized, may find welcome and comfort in our communities.

## RANGER ROSARY MINISTRY



Monday, February 6th  
7:00 PM in the Meeting Room

The Ranger Rosary ministry meets twice a month to make rosaries for Catholics who are serving in the armed services. These rosaries are constructed from materials with no metal parts that might reflect light or make a rattling noise.

**New members are always welcome!**

## SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



FRIDAY – SUNDAY  
FEBRUARY 10th to FEBRUARY 12th  
**SVdP Women's Shelter**  
*Wallace Hall*

### Overnight Volunteers Urgently Needed

Help us provide a safe, welcoming haven for our most vulnerable neighbors. Both men and women are invited to volunteer.

If you would like to volunteer in the Shelter, please leave a message for Teresa Abruzzo at the Parish House or email [svdp.shelter980@gmail.com](mailto:svdp.shelter980@gmail.com)

## IGNITE! TEEN MINISTRY



Saturday, February 11th  
6:30 PM – 8:30 PM in the Parish Lounge  
*All high school students are welcome!*

Ignite is a Catholic community of high school students rooted in the Ignatian way of prayer, service, and community. We meet twice a month on Saturdays from 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM.



To register,  
scan the QR code at left  
or visit

<https://goo.gl/forms/fUpawgmEXNRGJjc53>

## 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

March 5    March 19    April 2

## 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 7th**, in the Parish House, from 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM.

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

To register, email [EmmausBereavementGroup@gmail.com](mailto: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 7th – March 29th\*  
9:30 AM – 11:00 AM

### Evening Sessions

Wednesdays, February 8th – March 29th\*  
7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

\*Note: Both sessions will conclude at the evening meeting on Wednesday, March 29th

### **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](mailto:MCIP@saintignatiusloyola.org)



Magis Night  
**Called and Gifted:**  
**Discovering Your Charisma**

Speaker: Dave de la Fuente

**Thursday, February 9th at 7:30 PM in Wallace Hall**

What is a charism? How do I know I have one? What do I do with it? Dave de la Fuente will dive into the theological underpinnings and his personal reflection to answer these questions and invite us to discover our own charisma.

Visit [Facebook.com/IgnatianYoungAdults](https://www.facebook.com/IgnatianYoungAdults) to RSVP.



## GIRL SCOUT BAKE SALE

Sunday, February 12th in Wallace Hall  
Immediately following the 11 AM Mass

Join us for some sweet treats immediately following the 11 AM Mass in Wallace Hall.

The St. Ignatius Loyola School Girl Scouts will be selling cakes, pies, cookies, brownies, and cupcakes. Nut-free and gluten-free desserts will also be available.

All proceeds will benefit the Scarlett Fund, which raises money for pediatric cancer research.

### Special Collection This Weekend: Peter's Pence



This weekend, our Parish will take up the annual Peter's Pence Collection.

This worldwide collection supports the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, natural disasters, and others in need of emergency assistance.

*Thank you for your generosity.*



### PRAYER SUGGESTION — Sacred Space

Spend 10 minutes in prayer, as you sit at your computer, with the help of on-screen guidance and scripture chosen specially every day.

Visit [www.sacredspace.ie](http://www.sacredspace.ie)



**the CARDINAL'S**  
ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL  
*Sharing God's Gifts*

Strengthened by the Eucharist, we respond to God's generosity in our lives with gratitude by using and sharing our gifts in the service of others.

The Cardinal's Appeal offers vital support to Catholic programs and ministries throughout the Archdiocese as well as in our own parish. Please share your gifts and support the Appeal by making your pledge today.

Gifts can be made online at [www.cardinalsappeal.org](http://www.cardinalsappeal.org)

### FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE

Please remember that all contributions made to the parish by check should be made payable to the parish in the parish's name.

Contributions to be made to a parish by check should not be made payable to the pastor, administrator, or any parish employee.

## Announced Masses and Readings for the Week

### Monday, February 6th

*(St. Paul Miki & comps.)*

*Bl. Charles Spinola and Sebastian Kimura & comps.)*

Genesis 1:1-19 Psalm 104 Mark 6:53-56

8:30 MEM Robert James McCormack

12:10 MEM The Meehan Family

5:30 MEM Nora Terriberly

### Tuesday, February 7th

*(Fifth Tuesday in Ordinary Time)*

Genesis 1:20-2:4a Psalm 8 Mark 7:1-13

8:30 MEM David Oing

12:10 MEM Nancy Fogarty

5:30 MEM Daniel Mulholland

### Wednesday, February 8th

*(Fifth Wednesday in Ordinary Time)*

Genesis 2:4b-9, 15-17 Psalm 104 Mark 7:14-23

8:30 MEM The Choix & Gordon Families

12:10 MEM Angus Brown

5:30 ANN David Oing

### Thursday, February 9th

*(Fifth Thursday in Ordinary Time)*

Genesis 2:18-25 Psalm 128 Mark 7:24-30

8:30 MEM Simona Saracino Fendi

12:10 MEM Myrna Donodeo

5:30 MEM Deceased Members of the Scanlon & McLoughlin Families

### Friday, February 10th *(St. Scholastica)*

Genesis 3:1-8 Psalm 32 Mark 7:31-37

8:30 MEM Elizabeth Brevett

12:10 MEM Valentino Mazzia

5:30 MEM Willie O'Shaughnessy

### Saturday, February 11th

*(Fifth Saturday in Ordinary Time)*

Genesis 3:9-24 Psalm 90 Mark 8:1-10

8:30 MEM John G. Nicholas

### Sunday, February 12th

*(Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time)*

Sirach 15:15-20

Psalm 119

1 Corinthians 2:6-10

Matthew 5:17-37



**St. Ignatius is  
Now on Facebook!**

To stay up-to-date on upcoming events here  
at the Church of St. Ignatius Loyola,  
follow us at  
[facebook.com/churchofstignatiusloyolanyc](https://www.facebook.com/churchofstignatiusloyolanyc)



## Feeding Our Neighbors: Archdiocesan-Wide Food Campaign

### ENDS TODAY!

Please bring donations of 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
  - couscous
  - dried fruits
- dry cereal and hot cereal (farina, grits, or oatmeal)
- dry milk packets
- nutritional beverages (Boost, Ensure, Carnation Instant Breakfast)
- pasta/noodles
- rice
- shelf-stable milk
- soy/almond/rice milk
- tomato sauce
- vegetable soups
- whole wheat crackers

Thank you for remembering those in need!



## MONEY MADE SIMPLE Free personal finance course



Thursdays from  
February 23rd to March 23rd  
7:00 PM–9:00 PM

Are you ready to take charge of your personal finances? Join **Money Made Simple** for free financial literacy seminars. Topics include: financial goal setting and budgeting; credit and debt management; financial planning for education, careers, and housing; investing basics; and financial planning for later years. Taught by **Kim Bourne, CFP®**, on behalf of the Pro Bono Committee of the Financial Planning Association of New York.

The course will be held on  
Thursdays from February 23rd to March 23rd,  
7:00 PM-9:00 PM in the Parish Lounge.

Space is limited.

To register, please visit [www.moneymadesimple.info](http://www.moneymadesimple.info)

For questions, please contact  
[moneymadesimplecourse@gmail.com](mailto:moneymadesimplecourse@gmail.com)

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## LECTURE



*What Are We Doing on Earth  
for Christ's Sake?*

Presented by Fr. Richard Leonard, S.J.

Thursday, February 16th  
7:00 PM in Wallace Hall

Bestselling author Fr. Richard Leonard, S.J., will discuss his book *What Are We Doing On Earth for Christ's Sake?*, which invites Christians to revisit their faith in the midst of the contemporary world and its challenges.

Fr. Leonard encourages the need for honest dialogue, stresses the importance of religious experience, but most importantly, urges the practice of genuine actions for Christ's sake.

Copies of Fr. Leonard's book will be available for purchase.

## MUSIC



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12th



11 AM SOLEMN MASS

Mozart

*Andante for Organ, K. 616*

Stanford

*Beati quorum via*

Byrd

*Teach me, O Lord*

Mendelssohn

*Sonata No. 4: I. Allegro con brio*

11:00 AM FAMILY MASS

with Middle School Choir

Applebaum

*Kol Han'shamah*

## WORLD PREMIERE OPERA



**Upon this handful of Earth**

Friday, February 24th, 7:00 PM

In honor of the publication of "Laudato Si," Pope Francis' encyclical about the environment, SMSS and The New York Opera Society have commissioned a new chamber opera from renowned Norwegian composer Gisle Kverndokk and librettist Aksel-Otto Bull based on the writings of Father Pierre Teilhard de Chardin.

**Tickets: \$25-\$80**

Tickets for all concerts are available online at  
[www.smssconcerts.org](http://www.smssconcerts.org) or by calling 212-288-2520.



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**Volunteer Opportunity.** The Community of St. Egidio is looking for volunteers for their activities in Manhattan, including preparing and distributing food to homeless men and women and visiting a nursing home on the Upper East Side. If you are interested, contact Paola at 646-765-3899 or at [santegidiosa@gmail.com](mailto:santegidiosa@gmail.com)

**Liturgy: Annual Archdiocesan Black History Month Mass and The National Day of Prayer for the African American and African Family, Sunday, February 5, 2:00 PM.** *St. Patrick's Cathedral, Fifth Avenue between 50th and 51st Streets.* Principal Celebrant & Guest Homilist: Bishop Fernand J. Cheri, O.F.M., Archdiocese of New Orleans. All are welcome. For more information, contact The Office of Black Ministry at 646-794-2681 or email [obm@archny.org](mailto:obm@archny.org)

**Travel: U.S. National Rosary Pilgrimage to Lourdes, France. Thursday, June 22–Saturday, July 1.** Includes all meals, a guided tour of Lourdes, a guided visit to Gavarnie, and scheduled liturgical services. The group will be accompanied by medical staff, clergy, and volunteers to assist with the needs of the pilgrims. Prices start at \$2,745 (for a JFK/New York departure). Reservation deadline is Wednesday, March 15. For additional details and rate information, visit [lourdes-pilgrimage.com](http://lourdes-pilgrimage.com), call 877-276-7279, or email [lourdespilgrimageoffice@comcast.net](mailto:lourdespilgrimageoffice@comcast.net)

**Travel: An Ignatian Journey to Spain, Plus Lourdes. Sunday, October 1–Wednesday, October 11.** Trip includes visits to Loyola, San Sebastian, Montserrat, and Barcelona. Trip leaders: Fr. George Witt, S.J. (Trip Spiritual Director), Provincial Assistant for Spiritual Ministries, Maryland & USA Northeast Provinces of the Society of Jesus, and Mr. Joe Naylor (Group Coordinator), Provincial Assistant for Advancement and Communications, Maryland & USA Northeast Provinces of the Society of Jesus. Prices (not including airfare) start at \$3,899 (if paid by check)/\$4,098 (if paid by credit card). Accommodations, sightseeing, and meals are included. To download a brochure, visit [GoCatholicTravel.com/NaylorWitt](http://GoCatholicTravel.com/NaylorWitt) For more information, contact Joe Naylor at [jnaylor@jesuits.org](mailto:jnaylor@jesuits.org) or call 212-774-5529.

## PARISH STAFF

### Pastor

Rev. Dennis J. Yesalonia, S.J.

### Associate Pastors

Rev. Thomas H. Feely, S.J.

Rev. Michael P. Hilbert, S.J.

### Senior Priest

Rev. William J. Bergen, S.J.

### Pastoral Associates

Teresa Marie Cariño

Carly-Anne Gannon

### Assisting Priests (Sunday)

Rev. Philip G. Judge, S.J.

Rev. James Martin, S.J.

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### 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. Feely

Sunday: 8:00 AM Fr. Bergen

9:30 AM Fr. Feely

Wallace Hall 11:00 AM Fr. Hilbert

Solemn 11:00 AM Fr. Yesalonia

7:30 PM Fr. Yesalonia

## Religious Education

### for Children

Ms. Carly-Anne Gannon, Director

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## St. Ignatius Loyola Grammar School

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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.

## 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](mailto:music@stignatiusloyola.org)