Pentecost

“All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak….” (Acts 2:4)

A couple of weeks ago as our St. Ignatius Loyola Church staff members were gathered for our regular Tuesday morning meeting, I was struck by how similar we are to the early Church. I am referring particularly to its experience as recounted in the Acts of the Apostles, which we have been reading at Mass throughout this whole Easter season. As the people of God, the Church, we have been trying to preach and live the kerygma, namely, the programmatic declaration of Jesus’ ministry in proclaiming the good news to the poor and oppressed, the blind and the captive. The intensity of our attention and activity to understand, witness to, and communicate the “Good News” of our Lord Jesus Christ to our community and the world is always foremost.

Before we reflect on the great solemnity of Pentecost, let us look back for just a moment at where we have been since we began this liturgical year. Our Church year began, as always, with Advent, the season of prayerful, expectant waiting and preparation for the birth of the Messiah, Jesus Christ. His arrival was followed with great joy and celebration since he, as the Son of God, the Second Person of the Blessed Trinity, guides us and prepares our way of return to our Eternal Father.

The subsequent feasts of the Holy Family, St. John, the Holy Innocents, and the solemnity of the Epiphany, strengthened and confirmed Jesus’ role as Son of God.

Our liturgical introduction into Ordinary Time gave us the opportunity to come to know Jesus better through his life, teaching, and ministry in his historical-social environment where he observed his Jewish religion and customs. It is here that Jesus matured and prepared for the redemptive mission that was entrusted to him by his heavenly Father.

After this we entered into the season of Lent, the stirringly dramatic period of the liturgical year from Ash Wednesday until Easter. At this time, through prayer, penance, and almsgiving we the faithful prepared ourselves to experience more dynamically Holy Week and the Sacred Triduum. It was here that the passion of Christ with his death and burial finally culminated in the paschal celebration of Easter and the Resurrection of Jesus Christ.

The forty days from Easter until the Ascension of the Lord were filled with Jesus’ appearances, at first to a few and then gradually to all his disciples, hundreds of others, and finally to Paul. These were to strengthen the faith of those who believed and convince those who did not believe. Having completed his mission, Jesus returned to the Father, but not before he mandated his disciples, us, to continue to build his Kingdom on earth and draw all creation into it.

Ten days after his ascension, or fifty days after Jesus’ resurrection, the final act of God’s plan of salvation is brought to fulfillment. Jesus does not abandon his followers, but sends his Spirit in the form of the Paraclete on the great solemnity of Pentecost. This is truly the culminating moment of Christ’s paschal mystery and the birth of the Church. The Holy Spirit, the Third Person of the Blessed Trinity, is now the promise and the pledge of humanity’s salvation.

Pentecost can only be understood in the light of salvation history. It is the spiritual wherewithal by which Jesus continues to be present to and in his Church and to empower his people to persist in his redemptive action of service awaiting the Parousia, or Second Coming of Jesus at the end of the world. Until then we praise and thank God for Jesus and the Holy Spirit and the new life we have received at Pentecost.

- James L. Dugan, S.J.  
Associate Pastor
SUNDAY, JUNE 12th
Young Adult Sunday Social. 8:30 PM. Wallace Hall. Hosted by the Ignatian Young Adults (follows the 7:30 PM Mass). All are welcome.

TUESDAY, JUNE 14th
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd: Atrium Day. 10:00 AM – 8:00 PM. Classroom. See details on page 5.

Meeting Christ in Prayer
Reunion Meeting.
7:00 PM. Wallace Hall. Details below.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15th
Interparish Liturgy.
7:00 PM. St. Joseph Church. Details at right.

THURSDAY, JUNE 16th
Scripture Reflections Group.
7:00 PM. Conference Room. Led by Fr. Robert O’Brien, S.J., of the St. Ignatius Jesuit Community. All are welcome.

FRIDAY, JUNE 17th
Grammar School Graduation.
5:30 PM. Church.

Meeting Christ in Prayer:
Reunion Meeting
Tuesday, June 14th
7:00 – 9:00 PM
Wallace Hall

This Reunion Meeting is open to all those who participated in either the Fall 2010 or the Spring 2011 session of Meeting Christ in Prayer.
To register, please contact Sr. Kathryn King at kingk@stignatiusloyola.org

FROM THE PASTOR
Dear Parishioners,
My deepest thanks to all those who generously supported the 2011 Archdiocesan Stewardship Appeal.

I am delighted to report that we have reached the goal of $330,000. We currently stand at $302,877 (102%) and will receive 60% of every additional dollar once the goal has been paid in full.

I am proud of this wonderful accomplishment by the Parish. Thank you for your generosity!

Fr. George Witt, S.J.

A Special Liturgy to Celebrate Boomers & Beyond!

Boomers & Beyond cordially invites you to an Interparish Liturgy concelebrated by the Pastors of the Upper Eastside Catholic Parishes. Wednesday, June 15th at 7:00 PM St. Joseph Church, Yorkville 404 East 87th Street

A reception will follow in the Church Hall.

RSVP by Monday, June 13th: BoomersandBeyond.eastside@gmail.com (preferred) or call 646-241-1332. www.boomersandbeyondnyc.com

is an inter-parish social and community service organization for single Catholics who are over 50.

You've notified your friends, you've notified your credit cards, you've notified your magazines.
Please don’t forget to notify your church.

This information helps us to keep our database current, and cuts down on the cost of additional postage. Thanks!

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**SPRITUAL COMMUNITY READING GROUP**

**Monthly Meeting:**
Tuesday, June 21st at 7:15 PM in the Conference Room

In preparation for this meeting, please read

“King’s Cross” by Timothy Keller

For additional information, contact Chris Carney at ccarney123@gmail.com or 914-316-3068 or Meg Gottemoeller at megcorp@aol.com

*New members are always welcome!*

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**Ignatian Young Adult Cookbook**

The Ignatian Young Adults are putting together a professionally-bound cookbook with full-color photos containing more than 30 recipes for appetizers and desserts.

The IYAs hope to sell this cookbook at the Parish in the fall and are seeking ad sponsors.

If you or your business would like to participate, please contact Katie Bignell at kbignell@gmail.com before Monday, June 13th.

**Submission Guidelines**

- All ads are a full page (8”x8”). A full-page ad that advertises multiple businesses is also possible.

- Ads are $100 per page. Checks should be made out to St. Ignatius Loyola Parish. Please write “IYA Cookbook Ad” in the memo section and leave it in an envelope with the submission form in care of Fr. SooHoo at the Parish House.

- There are two options for submitting ad content:

  1) Submit a print-ready high-res JPEG file
     - File must be at least 2400x2400 pixels, 300 dpi, and must be square.
     - Please note that up to a ½ inch of content may not be fully visible on the right or left side once the ad is placed in the bound book. We suggest leaving a ½ inch margin of non-essential content on both the right and left sides in order to ensure that your ad will be fully readable in the final cookbook.

  2) Submit content only and the IYAs will design a simple ad for you
     - Content must be the exact text you wish to appear in the ad. You may also include high-res JPEG files such as your company logo, product photos, etc. Please use the form found on the Parish website to submit content.

Additional information and submission forms can be found on the Parish website: www.stignatiusloyola.org

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**EUCHARISTIC MINISTRY AT LENOX HILL HOSPITAL**

**Information Meeting**
Wednesday, July 13th
7:00 PM in the Parish Lounge

**Share your gifts**
as a Minister of the Eucharist!

Ministers are needed to bring the Eucharist to the significant number of Catholic patients at Lenox Hill Hospital.

Both experienced and new ministers are welcome.

There will be an information meeting for interested ministers on Wednesday, July 13th. Mr. Carlos Cuartas, Interim Director of Pastoral Care at Lenox Hill Hospital, will explain hospital protocol and answer questions regarding the ministry. Sr. Kathryn King will speak about Parish training for outreach ministry to the sick.

Volunteer information is available online at www.lenoxhillhospital.org

Follow the link “Giving” and then click on “Volunteer.”

To register for the information evening, contact Sr. Kathryn at kingk@stignatiusloyola.org

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**Friends of the Jesuits Golf Outing**

**Monday, September 26th**

**Meadow Brook Club**

**Jericho, NY**

**Golf Outing Co-Founders:**
Pete Dagher, Brian Devaney, Gary Goodenough

**Golf Committee Members:**

Individual golfer: $1250

Contact: Debra Ryan
at the New York Jesuit Office:
212-774-5544

For registration and information on sponsorships and journal ads visit: www.nysj.org
**MUSIC**

Choral and organ subscriptions for the 2011-2012 Sacred Music in a Sacred Space season are now available!

The 23rd SMSS choral season features American and world premieres by Juraj Filas, Stephen Paulus, and David Lang, and works by Johann Sebastian Bach, Edward Elgar, Zoltan Kodaly, Sergei Rachmaninov, Thomas Tallis, and Randall Thompson.

The recital series includes recitals by Kent Tritle, Nancianne Parrella, K. Scott Warren, Renée Anne Louprette, and the first artist to ever win a Grammy for a solo organ CD, Paul Jacobs.

Subscribe by July 31st for pre-season rates up to 20% off. Subscribers may also purchase Christmas concert tickets now before individual tickets go on sale August 1st.

Order forms may be found in the Narthex, the Parish House, and online at www.smssconcerts.org

For questions, or to order by phone, call 212-288-2520

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**Sharing Good News!**

Over 80 million people live in Ethiopia. 75% of Ethiopian families are subsistence farmers who use pre-medieval era tools. Parts of the population often suffer from the effects of drought and hunger. American Catholics who donate to Catholic Relief Services support an emergency food program which currently feeds 2.5 million people per month. Plus, in the past 5 years, 1.5 million people have begun to receive clean water thanks to CRS. For more information, visit www.crs.org

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**From the NY Archdiocese**

Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by a priest, deacon, religious or lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P., at 212-371-1000 x2949, or Deacon George J. Coppola at 917-861-1762. Both may also be contacted via email at victimassistance@archny.org

Additional information can be found on the Archdiocesan website, www.archny.org

In keeping with the Archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this information is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure.

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**Announced Masses and Scripture Readings for the Week**

**Monday, June 13th**
*(St. Anthony of Padua)*

- 2 Corinthians 6:1-10  Psalm 98  Matthew 5:38-42
- 8:30 MEM  Matthew Peterson
- 12:10 MEM  James Gallagher
- 5:30 MEM  Hannah Clancy

**Tuesday, June 14th**
*(Eleventh Tuesday in Ordinary Time)*

- 2 Corinthians 8:1-9  Psalm 146  Matthew 5:43-48
- 8:30 MEM  Dorothy Kehoe
- 12:10 MEM  Antonio Guarini
- 5:30 MEM  Antonio Guarini

**Wednesday, June 15th**
*(Eleventh Wednesday in Ordinary Time)*

- 2 Corinthians 9:6-11  Psalm 112  Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18
- 8:30 MEM  Living & Deceased Members of the Family of John & Jennie Byrne
- 12:10 MEM  Jack O’Leary
- 5:30 MEM  Kathleen Ann Bartone

**Thursday, June 16th**
*(Eleventh Thursday in Ordinary Time)*

- 8:30 MEM  James Johnson
- 12:10 MEM  Gennaro V. Raso
- 5:30 MEM  Charles Fredericks

**Friday, June 17th**
*(Eleventh Friday in Ordinary Time)*

- 2 Corinthians 11:18, 21-30  Psalm 34  Matthew 6:19-23
- 8:30 MEM  Dr. Gene Scaramella
- 12:10 MEM  Alex & Joan McDonnell
- 5:30 MEM  Ralph T. Carroll

**Saturday, June 18th**
*(Eleventh Saturday in Ordinary Time)*

- 2 Corinthians 12:1-10  Psalm 34  Matthew 6:24-34
- 8:30 MEM  James Paul

**Sunday, June 19th**
*(Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity)*

- Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9  Daniel 3
- 2 Corinthians 13:11-13  John 3:16-18

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CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Atrium Days:
Tuesdays, June 7th and June 14th
10:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Starting in September 2011, the Inter-parish Religious Education Program (IREP) of St. Ignatius Loyola will be offering a new program of religious formation for preschool children, ages 4 and 5. This is a Montessori-based set of activities in our new classroom space called the Atrium. The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd will draw its inspiration from the support of the Parish at large, as well as from the parents and the children who will participate.

There are many materials needed for use in the Atrium. There is a strong tradition within the Catechesis that all the materials be made from natural sources and that, as much as is practical, they be hand-made.

In keeping with this philosophy, we are looking for people who would like to participate in creating the Atrium at St. Ignatius. We hope to start the ball rolling by declaring Tuesday, June 7th and Tuesday, June 14th “Atrium Days.” We will have space and materials ready for your participation from 10:00 AM to 8:00 PM on each of these days. The time commitment is a minimum of two hours. Space is limited, so we will keep it to 6 or 7 people working at one time.

The work includes making and painting small clay figures, painting wooden figures, and finishing wood “furnishings.” In addition, we will need a few volunteers who can work on simple sewing and calligraphy projects at home.

If you are interested in participating, please contact Adele Gallo at amdgallo@me.com or 516-528-4660 and book a time slot.

If you would like to volunteer, but Tuesdays are not good for you, let us know. There will likely be alternate dates proposed later.

Registrations for the 2011-2012 IREP and Catechesis of the Good Shepherd programs can be made by calling the Parish House at 212-288-3588 and pressing “0” for the receptionist. Registration forms can also be found on our website: www.stignatiusloyola.org

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Summer “Temps”

The Ministry of Hospitality invites you to “pick a summer weekend” in either July or August and volunteer to serve as an usher at the Mass of your choice. During these months many of our “regulars” are away and additional help is greatly appreciated.

Please contact Adele Gallo at amdgallo@me.com if you can serve during July or August.

Summer Mass Schedule Changes

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Prayer Suggestion... Sacred Space
We invite you to make a “Sacred Space” in your day and spend ten 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

Religious Education for Children
Joanne Cunneen, M.A., M.S. Director
(212) 861-4764

St. Ignatius Loyola Grammar School
Ms. Mary Larkin, M.S. Ed. Principal
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(212) 861-3820 Fax: (212) 879-8248

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Ms. Theodora Crist, M.S. Executive Director
240 East 84th Street
New York, NY 10028
(212) 734-6427 Fax: (212) 734-6972

Children’s Liturgy of the Word:
Sundays at the 9:30 AM Mass and the 11:00 AM Mass in Wallace Hall.

Eucharistic Adoration: First Saturdays at 9:00 AM in the Lady Chapel.

Centering Prayer:
Mondays and Thursdays at 6:30 PM

Confessions: 5:00 PM Saturday or by appointment. Communal Penance Services are celebrated during Advent and Lent.

Baptisms: Please call Joanne Cunneen at the Parish House 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 Joanne Cunneen at the Parish House to begin preparation for Marriage, normally one year in advance.

Spiritual Direction Training Program
September 2011 – May 2012
The basic training program developed and used for over 30 years at the Center for Spirituality and Justice is now offered at Carmel Retreat. This 8-month, 17-session program includes basic skills, theology, supervision, case conferences, and practicum. Participants who complete course objectives are awarded a certificate in spiritual direction.

Visit www.carmelretreat.com or call 201-327-7090 for details.

Finding God in All Places Pilgrimage to South America
Visit Lima, Cusco, Macchu Picchu, Quito, Galapagos, Guayaquil. October 15th – 28th. Spiritual guide: Rev. Joseph Costantino, S.J. Sponsored by The Institute of Spirituality in the Workplace (ISW). Space is extremely limited. Early Bird Special: $3899. For further information, contact Angie Cruz: 212-807-0484; cruzangie@yahoo.com or angiecruzphd@gmail.com

Dorothy Day and the Catholic Worker Movement: Its History and Relevance for Today. Speakers: Msgr. Lorenzo Albacete, theologian, author, columnist and Mary Lathrop, Catholic Worker and close friend of Dorothy Day. Hosted by the Siena Forum for Faith and Culture and The Crossroads Cultural Center. Tuesday, June 21st at 7:00 PM. Church of St. Catherine of Siena, 411 East 68 Street. Free and open to the public. For further information, contact Camille St. James at 215-715-3896 or camille.siena@gmail.com

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