**Church of St. Ignatius Loyola**

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**WELCOME, SCOTT!**

Please allow me the pleasure of reintroducing myself: my name is Scott Warren, and I had the privilege of working on the St. Ignatius music staff in part-time capacity from 2001 to 2007.

I was delighted, humbled, and honored when Fr. Witt asked if I would step in as Interim Director of Music. Delighted, because of my fond memories of the relationships I built with you, the parishioners, over the last decade; humbled, because I feel a bit like Moses at the burning bush, thinking, “who am I to preside over this great ministry, especially during a period of transition?”; honored, because of the profound joy and hope our music brings to the Parish, the community, and beyond.

The Music Ministry remains committed to offering the best of ourselves in worship at all of the weekend Masses. We will rejoice with you at your weddings, mourn with you at times of memorial, and celebrate with you during our high festivals. I look forward to working closely with Fr. Witt in our common goal of discerning, with your help, that which is most edifying for the Parish. And I look forward to getting to know you better as we become partners in our ultimate goal: God’s Kingdom come, God’s will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

- Scott Warren

Interim Director of Music

**THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE**

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5th**

**Labor Day**

The Parish House will be closed.

One Mass will be celebrated at 8:30 AM in the Lady Chapel. There will be no 12:10 PM or 5:30 PM Masses.

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6th**

Regular Daily Mass Schedule resumes.

Masses are celebrated at 8:30 AM in the Church, and 12:10 and 5:30 PM in the Lady Chapel.

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th**

Scripture Reflections Group.

7:00 PM. Conference Room.


All are welcome.

**SPRITUAL COMMUNITY READING GROUP**

**Monthly Meeting**

Tuesday, September 20th at 7:15 PM in the Conference Room

In preparation for this meeting, please read Part I of “Jesus of Nazareth” by Pope Benedict XVI.

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!

**IGNATIAN SOCIAL JUSTICE**

**Monthly Meeting**

Wednesday, September 21st at 7:00 PM in the Parish Lounge

**Topic: Living Wage Campaign**

*with Ms. Merble Reagon, Executive Director of the Women’s Center for Education and Career Advancement*

Established in 1970, the WCECA serves low-income women and their families by helping them to achieve economic self-sufficiency.

**BECOMING CATHOLIC?**

Beginning in the Fall, a group will meet here during the year to inquire into the Catholic faith, to come to know Jesus through the Gospels, and to pray and to prepare for the Easter Sacraments. This process is also open to those Catholic adults who have not received the Sacraments of First Communion or Confirmation.

For more information about this process, which is called the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA),** contact Maureen Fullam at 212-288-3588 or email church@stignatiusloyola.org
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN
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.
Registration forms can also be found on our website: www.stignatiusloyola.org

IGNATIAN YOUNG ADULTS

Sunday Socials Fall 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 are welcome.
To receive updates on IYA events and other opportunities, you can follow us on Facebook at “IIgnatian Young Adults (NYC)”

Sunday Social Dates:
Sept. 18
Oct. 16
Nov. 13
Dec. 11
Oct. 30
Nov. 27

Ignatian Spirituality 101
Sunday, September 25th at 6:30 PM in the Parish Lounge
All young adults are invited to attend this first in a series which will explore the Ignatian way of prayer and approach to the world.
For more information or to RSVP, contact Fr. Anthony SooHoo, SJ, at the Parish House (212-288-3588) or soohooa@stignatiusloyola.org

Jesuit Volunteer Corps Potluck Lunch
Saturday, September 24th at 12:30 PM
Xavier High School, 30 West 16th Street
For additional information, or to RSVP, contact kmcryan@juno.com (please include if you will be bringing a dish for the potluck).

Friends of the Jesuits Golf Outing
To benefit the apostolic works of the Jesuits and support the care of aging and infirm Jesuits.
Monday, September 26th
Meadow Brook Club Jericho, NY
Golf Outing Co-Founders:
Pete Dagher, Brian Devaney, Gary Goodenough
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

CAN YOU HELP?
We are seeking donations of a few household items for the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program.
Please see the list located on our website: www.stignatiusloyola.org
If you are able to donate any of these items, please contact Adele Gallo at amdgallo@me.com or 516 528-4660.

MUSIC

Sacred Music in a Sacred Space
Wednesday, September 14th at 7:30 PM
There will be no pre-concert recital for this performance. Please note the early start time.
Juraj Filas Requiem
Performed by the Choir and Orchestra of St. Ignatius Loyola
Kent Tritle, Conductor
We honor and remember the victims of the September 11th attacks with a full-scale Requiem dedicated to all victims of terrorism. Entitled “Prayer of Hope,” this work is truly a magnificent plea for peace.
Juraj Filas is one of the Czech Republic’s most important composers of our time. His Requiem is a setting of the traditional Requiem text on par with the dramatic scale and emotional scope of the Verdi Requiem.
Concert tickets are $50 for preferred seating and $40 or $30 (student/senior) for general seating.
Visit www.smssconcerts.org or call 212-288-2520 to order.

Mander Organ Recital Series:
RENÉE ANNE LOUPRETTE
Associate Director of Music and the Arts, Trinity Wall Street
Organs Faculty, John J. Cali School of Music, Montclair State University, NJ
Wednesday, September 28th at 7:30 PM
An Americana program featuring the world premiere commission by renowned organist-composer David Briggs, Mannabatta.
Tickets are $20, or $15 for students and seniors, and are available in the Parish House, online at www.smssconcerts.org or by calling 212-288-2520.

Let’s Hear More! About David Briggs
Monday, September 26th at 7:30 PM. Organ Loft. Organist Renée Anne Louprette and composer David Briggs explore his world premiere commission Mannabatta, a musical depiction of Manhattan’s transition from unsettled forest to cosmopolitan capital. Free.
Monday, September 5th  
(23rd Monday in Ordinary Time)  
8:30 MEM  For a Special Intention

Tuesday, September 6th  
(23rd Tuesday in Ordinary Time)  
8:30 MEM  Marie Sodaro  
12:10 MEM  William H. Meehan  
5:30 MEM  George Caruso

Wednesday, September 7th  
(SS. Stephen Pongrácz, Melchior Grodziecki, & Mark Kržiževčanin)  
8:30 MEM  The Choix & Gordon Families  
12:10 MEM  Luis Samaniego  
5:30 MEM  W. Scott Bartlett

Thursday, September 8th  
(Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary)  
Micah 5:1-4a  Psalm 13  Matthew 1:1-16, 18-23  
8:30 MEM  Robert Rommelsbacher  
12:10 MEM  Vera Amigron  
5:30 MEM  Jose Antonio Mujica

Friday, September 9th  
(St. Peter Claver)  
8:30 MEM  Thomas LeBlanc  
12:10 MEM  Valentino Mazzia  
5:30 MEM  Catherine Scanlon

Saturday, September 10th  
(Bl. Francis Gárate)  
1 Timothy 1:15-17  Psalm 113  Luke 6:43-49  
8:30 MEM  Mimi F. Meehan

Sunday, September 11th  
(24th Sunday in Ordinary Time)  

Ongoing Support of Ministers of Compassionate Care  
Monday, September 26th, 7:00 PM  
in the Parish Lounge  
An evening for those who are ministering to residents of DeWitt Nursing Home, the Lott Residence, Lenox Hill Hospital, and the homebound. Mr. Jack McGoldrick will share reflections on his many years of visiting the elderly ill. We will also have the opportunity to reflect on our own ministerial experiences. All ministers of compassionate care are invited.

Emmaus Bereavement Support Group  
Tuesday, October 11th to November 29th  
7:00 – 8:30 PM  in the Parish Lounge  
A six session bereavement support group for men and women who have suffered the loss of a loved one three months or more prior to the beginning of the group. Led by trained facilitators, the group will explore the experience of loss, as well as some of the issues related to grief.

To register for either program, contact Sr. Kathryn King at the Parish House (212-288-3588) or kingk@stignatiusloyola.org

Begun by Terence Cardinal Cooke in 1981, Catholic New York is the official newspaper of the Archdiocese of New York. If you would like to receive a free subscription to this publication, which is published twice a month, please contact Diane Boyle at the Parish House: 212-288-3588 or boyled@stignatiusloyola.org
Open House: Regis High School, an all-scholarship Jesuit secondary school for Catholic boys, announces its Open House for 8th graders and their parents: Wednesday, October 5th, 5:30 – 8:30 PM. For additional information, please contact Eric Di Michele, Director of Admissions, at 212-288-1100 or edimiche@regis-nyc.org

Faithful Citizenship I: Voters, Bishops and Presidential Elections. Tuesday, September 6th, 6:00 – 8:00 PM. Presented by the Fordham Center on Religion and Culture. Pope Auditorium, Fordham University, 113 West 60th Street. Free and open to the public. RSVP: crcevent@fordham.edu or 212-636-7347. For more information, visit www.fordham.edu/ReligCulture

Finding God in All Places: Pilgrimage to South America. October 15th – 28th. Sponsored by The Institute of Spirituality in the Workplace (ISW). Space is extremely limited. Early Bird Special: $3899. For details, contact Angie Cruz: 917-607-0937, cruzangie@yahoo.com or angiecruzphd@gmail.com

After School Tutors Needed: The Little Sisters of the Assumption Family Health Service is in great need of Reading and Math Tutors to assist low-academic performing East Harlem children (ages 7 – 12). Must be willing to commit to tutoring once each week for at least one full semester. For more information, please contact the Volunteer Director: tgough@lsaafhs.org, (646) 672-0434, or visit the website: www.littlesistersfamily.org

Catholic Charities “Help and Hope” Program: Unemployment continues to be of serious concern for New Yorkers. Catholic Charities “Help and Hope” program provides short-term career counseling through workshops at Archdiocesan parishes for individuals who have lost their jobs, anticipate a job loss, or need to change jobs. To learn more, or to participate, call 888-744-7900 or visit www.CatholicCharitiesNY.org

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