**Church of St. Ignatius Loyola**
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“Building a Community of Disciples”

**August 31, 2014**

**22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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**FROM THE PASTOR**

**Please note the change!**

Dear Parishioners,

As it stands now, because of the reduced number of priests on the parish staff, we will not be reinstating the 12:10 PM Daily Mass after Labor Day.

Our plan is to reinstate this Mass if and when an additional priest is assigned to the parish.

If you are looking for a noontime Mass, both the Church of St. Thomas More (East 89th Street between Park Avenue and Madison Avenue) and St. Jean Baptiste Church (East 76th Street on Lexington Avenue) offer Mass at 12:15 PM.

I apologize for any inconvenience this causes you.

Please know that we are working hard to identify an additional priest to join our wonderful community.

Sincerely,

Rev. George M. Witt, S.J.
Pastor

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**ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF PARISH MINISTRIES**

Sunday, September 28th in McKinnon Hall immediately following the 9:30 AM & 11:00 AM Masses.

**Details to Follow...**

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**MEETING CHRIST IN PRAYER**

An interactive 8-week guided prayer experience for small groups based on the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius.

Tuesday Mornings, September 30th – November 19th*, 9:30 AM – 11:00 AM

Wednesday Evenings, October 1st – November 19th*, 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

*Note: Both sessions will conclude at the evening meeting on Wednesday, November 19th

For information and/or to register, please contact Sr. Kathryn King at the Parish House or email kingk@saintignatiusloyola.org

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**THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE**

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 1st**

*Labor Day*

The Parish House will be closed. One Mass will be celebrated at 8:30 AM. There will be no 5:30 PM Mass.

**Religious Education for Children**

Registrations for the 2014–2015 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 stignatiusloyola.org

IREP Classes begin the week of September 15th.

**Reminder...**

The 11:00 AM Wallace Hall Family Mass resumes next Sunday, September 7th.

**SAVE THE DATE**

**Sunday, September 14th**

11:00 AM Wallace Hall Family Mass. Included will be prayers and blessings for students and teachers as the school year begins.

**Parishioner Admissions Information Meeting**

Hosted by Ms. Mary Larkin, Principal

Tuesday, September 16th at 7:00 PM

McKinnon Hall

Parishioners are welcome to attend for a general overview of the school’s admission process.

RSVP: 212-861-3820 x130

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**For your convenience...**

To reach the Giving page on the parish website, scan the QR Code at left with your smartphone’s camera.
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH

11:00 AM SOLEMN MASS
Choir of St. Ignatius Loyola returns from summer break.

- Biery  Ubi Caritas
- Paulus  Pilgrims’ Hymn
- Wesley  Voluntary IV, Op. 6, KO 621/4

7:30 PM MASS
Canticum Sacrum returns from summer break.

- Pachelbel  Chorale Prelude on Ps. 46: Ein Feste Burg
- Pachelbel  Variations on Was Gott tut, das is wohlgetan
- Silesian folk song, arr. How Fairest Lord Jesus

CARITAS CONCERT
Polydora Ensemble
Tuesday, September 16th at 6:30 PM
Wallace Hall

Caritas Concerts have the appeal of the less formal salon concerts of the 19th century. The evenings begin and end with light refreshments and a chance to mingle with the performers, and intimate seating places the audience in close proximity to the music.

New York’s Polydora Ensemble specializes in chamber music for vocal quartet and piano, spanning 19th-century German repertoire to the present day.

All proceeds benefit the Jesuit Volunteer Corps.

Tickets: $50
Call 212-288-2520 for 24/7 ticket ordering and customer service.

Tickets can also be purchased at www.smssconcerts.org

Parish Community Choir
Season Kickoff
Saturday, September 20th
4:00 PM – 8:00 PM in Wallace Hall

We are a volunteer choir that enhances the ministry of our church through music. We sing at various liturgies at St. Ignatius, including the Solemn Mass, Wallace Hall Mass, 7:30 PM Mass, Saturday 5:30 PM Mass, Good Friday Three Hour Devotion, the Parish Memorial Mass, as well as the Christmas and Spring Concerts. Rehearsals are Tuesday nights from 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM.

Come forward this fall and join in singing with our wonderful choir!

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Annual Friends of the Poor Walk
Saturday, September 20th

Join us as we walk 2.6 miles from the steps of St. Patrick’s Cathedral to The Church of St. Gregory the Great on West 90th Street. After arriving at St. Gregory’s, Mass will be celebrated and a light reception will follow.

To register as a walker or pledge financial support for a walker, please visit svdpfriendsofthepoorwalk.org and select “St. Lawrence O’Toole Conference.”

This fundraising event helps support our special projects serving those in need, and 100% of all funds raised remain within our conference.

For more information, please contact Louise Decatrel at svdpmembership980@gmail.com

Interested in Becoming Catholic?

We have the privilege at St. Ignatius of welcoming many visitors and new parishioners. We especially welcome those who may be thinking of becoming Catholic. If you feel attracted to the Catholic faith, we want you to know about a program at the Parish that will begin in September.

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, which is called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, is also open to those Catholic adults who have not received the Sacraments of First Communion or Confirmation.

For more information, please contact Maureen Fullam at 212-288-3588 or email church@stignatiusloyola.org

Join choristers from local schools and sing with our St. Ignatius Children’s Choirs this season!

All parish children in grades 1 through 8 are eligible.

Contact Maureen Haley, Director of Children’s Choirs, at haleyem@saintignatiusloyola.org with questions.

Grades 1 and 2: Rehearse Wednesdays from 4:30 PM – 5:20 PM.
Grades 3 and 4: Rehearse Wednesdays from 3:15 PM – 4:15 PM.
Grades 5 through 8: Rehearse Thursdays from 4:15 PM – 5:45 PM.

Hurry — our season begins on September 9th!
Announced Masses and Readings for the Week

Monday, September 1st
(Twenty-second Monday in Ordinary Time)
8:30 MEM    Donald Rose

Tuesday, September 2nd
(Twenty-second Tuesday in Ordinary Time)
8:30 MEM    Mae Rooney
5:30 MEM    Maureen Ronelli

Wednesday, September 3rd
(St. Gregory the Great)
8:30 MEM    The Choix & Gordon Families
5:30 MEM    Suzanne Melard

Thursday, September 4th
(Twenty-second Thursday in Ordinary Time)
8:30 MEM    Lucilla Diaz
5:30 MEM    Maureen Degnan

Friday, September 5th
(Twenty-second Friday in Ordinary Time)
8:30 MEM    Luis Samaniego
5:30 MEM    Mauricio Canales

Saturday, September 6th
(Twenty-third Saturday in Ordinary Time)
8:30 MEM    The Meehan Family

Sunday, September 7th
(Ezekiel 33:7–9             Psalm 95
Romans 13:8–10         Matthew 18:15–20
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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 reached via email at victimassistance@archny.org

Information can also be found on the Archdiocesan website, 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.
Lecture: A Crisis of Conscience: What Do We Owe Immigrant Youth and Families? Tuesday, September 16th, 6:00 PM. Pope Auditorium, Rose Hill Campus, Fordham University. Americans remain sharply divided about what constitutes a just policy toward immigrant youth and families. How do we balance the best interests of children and parents against U.S. economic aspirations and a sharply divided electorate? Speakers include: Ken Salazar, former U.S. Senator from Colorado; Sarah Burr, former Assistant Chief Immigration Judge, U.S. Department of Justice; Gabriel Salguero, President, National Latino Evangelical Coalition; David Ushery, journalist and host of NBC’s The Debrief with David Ushery. This event is free and open to the public. To register, visit fordham.edu/gre/events or contact eventsgre@fordham.edu

Resume Clinic: Thursday, September 25th. Free private sessions will be held at St. Francis House, 135 West 31st Street, to assist unemployed individuals, as well as others facing possible layoffs, or career transitions. Volunteers will be available to assist in updating/editing resumes. Call 212-736-8500 x357 for an individual appointment. Participants should email a rough draft to resume@stfrancisnyc.org No walk-ins can be accepted.

Women Mentors Needed: The Little Sisters of the Assumption Family Health Service needs caring, professional women (age 30–50) who can volunteer 4 hours a month. Each Girls Mentoring Program volunteer is paired with an at-risk East Harlem girl in grade 7, 8, or 9. The program begins in September. For more information, contact the Volunteer Director tgough@lsaflhs.org or visit the website littlesistersfamily.org

PARISH STAFF
Pastor
Rev. George M. Witt, S.J.

Associate Pastors
Rev. William J. Bergen, S.J.
Rev. Thomas H. Feely, S.J.

Pastoral Associates
Joanne Cunneen
Carly-Anne Gannon
Kathryn King, F.S.P.

Assistant Priests (Sunday)
Rev. Philip G. Judge, S.J.
Rev. James Martin, S.J.
Rev. Anthony P. SooHoo, S.J.

Music Ministries
Scott Warren, Director
Nancianne Parrella
Robert Reuter
Michael Sheetz
Maureen Haley
Philip Anderson
Sara Murphy, Administrator

Staff information: on the website at music/music staff

Assistant to the Pastor
Diane M. Boyle

Administrative Assistant
Patricia Schneider

Communications Coordinator
Elizabeth O’Sullivan

Director of Facilities
Czeslaw “Chester” Ciupinski

Asst. to the Director of Facilities
Caroline Fernandes

Treasurer
Fernando Castro

Weekday Masses
Monday–Friday
8:30 AM and 5:30 PM
Saturday: 8:30 AM

Masses for Next Weekend:
Saturday Vigil: 5:30 PM Fr. Martin
Sunday: 8:00 AM Fr. Witt
9:30 AM Fr. Witt

Wallace Hall
Solemn
11:00 AM Fr. Bergen
11:00 AM Fr. Feely
7:30 PM Fr. Feely

Religious Education for Children
Carly-Anne Gannon, M.Phil., M.Ed.
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St. Ignatius Loyola Grammar School
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Children’s Liturgy of the Word:
Will resume September 7th.

Centering Prayer:
Mondays 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 (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 Joanne Cunneen 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