

CHURCH OF SAINT IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA LA IGLESIA DE SAN IGNACIO DE LOYOLA

Sixth Sunday of Easter
Sexto Domingo de Pascua

May 9th, 2021



This I command you: love one another.

Les doy un mandamiento: ámense unos a otros.

From the Desk of the Pastor

Dear Parishioners,

May 19th 2021 is our kickoff to celebrate an Ignatian Year that continues until St. Ignatius's Feast Day next year on July 31st.

You might ask, why that date? Well, that is the vigil of the day – May 20 - when Ignatius was struck by a cannonball. It was 500 years ago this year. That moment changed the course of his entire life. But for that event, there would be no Society of Jesus, no Jesuit parishes, retreat houses, universities, colleges or high schools. Most of all, the Church would never have received the gift through Ignatius, and by the help of God's grace and the guidance of the Holy Spirit, of the Spiritual Exercises.

Whenever I think of Ignatius's cannonball moment – the injury that shattered his leg such that he would never walk again without a limp -- I am reminded of Romans 8:28: "We know that all things work for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose."

I invite you as we anticipate the beginning of this Ignatian Year to take a moment to reflect on this passage from Romans as you view a delightful short YouTube video. It describes Ignatius's cannonball moment and asks us to reflect upon some questions that might be raised as we consider our own cannonball moments: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TUDb4uhvb_w

Our cannonball moments might not be as dramatic as Ignatius', but we've all had them. In fact, like Ignatius, we too have had more than one such "enlightening" cannonball moment that may have even dramatically, but oftentimes not so dramatically, changed the course of our lives and our ways of proceeding.

This reality of our all having throughout our life's journey various cannonball moments is reflected in the theme for this Ignatian Year – "to see all things new in Christ." Our cannonball moments often provide an invitation to notice new ways of seeing with and in Christ all things anew.

To help guide us spiritually through this Ignatian Year, I have asked Kathy Maher, our parish's Spiritual Life & Ignatian Community Development Coordinator, to put together a steering committee to help guide us through ways in which we may together open ourselves to the graces of this Ignatian Year.

Part of the committee's mission will be to enable us to continue to reflect upon how we might better engage the Four Universal Apostolic Preferences of the Society of Jesus:

- 1. To show the way to God through the Spiritual Exercises and discernment;**
- 2. To walk with the poor, the outcasts of the world, those whose dignity has been violated, in a mission of reconciliation and justice;**
- 3. To accompany young people in the creation of a hope-filled future;**
- 4. To collaborate in the care of our Common Home.**

I wonder: might our own cannonball moments serve as springboards to enable us to engage one or more of these preferences more fully? Might they even provide new cannonball moments as we explore them?

Certainly, we invite everyone, if they have ideas for the Ignatian Year ahead, to share them with Kathy and her committee members. Our committee members in addition to Kathy are: Sharon Bartley,

Estimados Feligreses:

El 19 de mayo de 2021 es nuestro pistoletazo de salida para celebrar un Año Ignaciano que se prolongará hasta el día de la Fiesta de San Ignacio del próximo año, el 31 de julio.

Podrías preguntarte, ¿por qué esa fecha? Bueno, esa es la vigilia del día - 20 de mayo - cuando Ignacio fue alcanzado por una bala de cañón. Hará 500 años este año. Ese momento cambió el curso de toda su vida. Sin ese evento, no habría Compañía de Jesús, ni parroquias jesuitas, ni casas de retiro, ni universidades, ni colegios o escuelas secundarias. Sobre todo, la Iglesia nunca habría recibido el don por medio de Ignacio, con la ayuda de la gracia de Dios y la guía del Espíritu Santo, de los Ejercicios Espirituales.

Cada vez que pienso en el momento de la bala de cañón de Ignacio - la lesión que le rompió la pierna de tal manera que nunca volvería a caminar sin cojear - me recuerda a Romanos 8:28: "Sabemos que todas las cosas funcionan para bien de aquellos que aman a Dios, que son llamados de acuerdo con su propósito."

Los invito mientras anticipamos el comienzo de este año ignaciano a tomarse un momento para reflexionar sobre este pasaje de Romanos mientras ven un video corto, encantador, en YouTube. Describe el momento de la bala de cañón de Ignacio y nos pide que reflexionemos sobre algunas preguntas que podrían plantearse al considerar nuestros propios momentos de bala de cañón: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TUDb4uhvb_w

Nuestros momentos de bala de cañón pueden no ser tan dramáticos como el de Ignacio, pero todos los hemos tenido. De hecho, al igual que Ignacio, nosotros también hemos tenido más de un momento de bala de cañón "esclarecedor" que puede haber sido, incluso, un aliado dramático, a menudo no tan dramático, que cambió el curso de nuestras vidas y nuestras formas de proceder.

Esta realidad de todos los que tenemos a lo largo del viaje de nuestra vida varios momentos de bala de cañón se refleja en el tema de este año ignaciano, "para ver todas las cosas nuevas en Cristo." Nuestros momentos de bala de cañón a menudo proporcionan una invitación a señalar nuevas formas de ver con y en Cristo todas las cosas nuevamente.

Para ayudarnos a guiarnos espiritualmente a través de este Año Ignaciano, le he pedido a Kathy Maher, Coordinadora de Vida Espiritual y Desarrollo Comunitario Ignaciano de nuestra parroquia, que reúna un comité directivo que nos ayude a guiarnos a través de formas en las que nos podamos abrir a las gracias de este Año Ignaciano.

Parte de la misión del comité será permitirnos seguir reflexionando sobre cómo podríamos comprometernos mejor con las Cuatro Preferencias Apostólicas Universales de la Compañía de Jesús:

- 1. Mostrar el camino a Dios a través de los ejercicios espirituales y el discernimiento;**
- 2. Caminar con los pobres, los marginados del mundo, con aquellos cuya dignidad ha sido violada, en una misión de reconciliación y justicia;**
- 3. Acompañar a los jóvenes en la creación de un futuro lleno de esperanza;**
- 4. Colaborar en el cuidado de nuestro Hogar Común.**

Me pregunto: ¿podrían nuestros propios momentos de bala de cañón servir como trampolín para permitirnos participar en una o más de estas preferencias más plenamente? ¿Podrían incluso propor-



Church's stained glass window
Cannonball Moment

Soledad Del Villar, Malick Ghachem, Erica James, Ron King, Suzanne King, Dennis Martin, Debra Packard, Alice Poltorick, Mary Riordan, Magdalena Richter, Craig Stewart. We are so grateful to all of them for their willingness to serve the parish in this way.

Be sure to register and tune in on May 19th to the bilingual prayer service with Fr. Joe O'Keefe, our Jesuit Provincial. And on Sunday, May 23rd, the global kickoff of the Ignatian Year, Pilgrims with Ignatius.

May the year ahead indeed help us all to see individually and as a parish faith community, "all things new in Christ."

Peace,
Fr. Joe

cionar nuevos momentos de bala de cañón mientras los exploramos?

Ciertamente, los invitamos a todos, tengo ideas para el Año Ignaciano venidero, a compartirlas con Kathy y los miembros del comité. Nuestros miembros del comité además de Kathy son: Sharon Bartley, Soledad Del Villar, Malick Ghachem, Erica James, Ron King, Suzanne King, Dennis Martin, Debra Packard, Alice Poltorick, Mary Riordan, Magdalena Richter, Craig Stewart. Estamos muy agradecidos a todos ellos por su disposición a servir a la parroquia de esta manera.

Asegúrense de registrarse y sintonizar el 19 de mayo el servicio de oración bilingüe con el P. Joe O'Keefe, nuestro Provincial Jesuita. Y el domingo 23 de mayo, el inicio global del Año Ignaciano, Peregrinos con Ignacio.

Que el año que viene nos ayude a todos a ver individualmente y como comunidad de fe parroquial, "todas las cosas nuevas en Cristo".

Paz
P. Joe



Come Journey With Us, Through The Ignatian Year

May 19, 2021 to July 31, 2022

Our parish is celebrating the 500th Anniversary of the Conversion of Ignatius. Together with our Ignatian global family we are invited:
To See All Things New In Christ

Join us this month for two events to launch the Ignatian Year!

One Ignatian Community
Wednesday, May 19th
7 p.m.

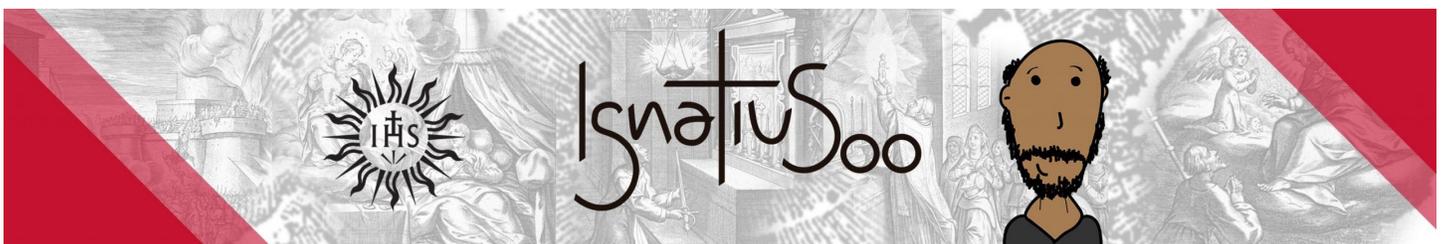
Livestream bilingual prayer service with Fr. Joseph M. O'Keefe, SJ, provincial of the USA East Jesuit Province, to reflect and launch the Ignatian Year.

Registration Required:
<https://bit.ly/3tKjNWO>

Pilgrims with Ignatius
Sunday, May 23rd
8 p.m.

Live prayer broadcast with the global Society of Jesus as together we begin the Ignatian Year

Join at:
ignatius500.global/live





Livestream First Communion Liturgy
Saturday, May 8th, 10 a.m.
Please pray for the students receiving their first Holy Communion next Saturday:
<https://youtu.be/lnQbOj68njE>

- Giselle Bridges*
- Jake Busch*
- Sebastian Dagbay*
- Nora Flynn*
- Elle Foster*
- Juliet Grenzke*
- Maddie Lenton*
- Julian Levy*
- James Markey*
- Rosie McMullin*
- Meghan O'Connor*
- Celia Pagliano*
- William Prichard*
- Mia Silobrcic*
- Nathan Small*
- Vanessa Trujillo*
- Santiago Winter*
- William Young*



Bishop Robert Reed celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation on Friday, April 30th.

Congrats to the newly Confirmed!

Thank you to Bishop Reed, our Faith Formation families, staff, and volunteers who made the celebration of this sacrament possible!

For more pictures, visit <https://bit.ly/3vSHr4l>

Happy Mother's Day!

To the Moms who are struggling, to those filled with incandescent joy.

To the Moms who are remembering children who have died,
and pregnancies that miscarried.

To the Moms who decided other parents were the best choice for their babies,

To the Moms who adopted those kids and loved them fierce.

To those experiencing frustration or desperation in infertility.

To those who knew they never wanted kids, and the ways they have
contributed to our shared world.

To those who mothered colleagues, mentees, neighborhood kids,
and anyone who needed it.

To those remembering Moms no longer with us.

To those moving forward from Moms who did not show love,
or hurt those they should have cared for.

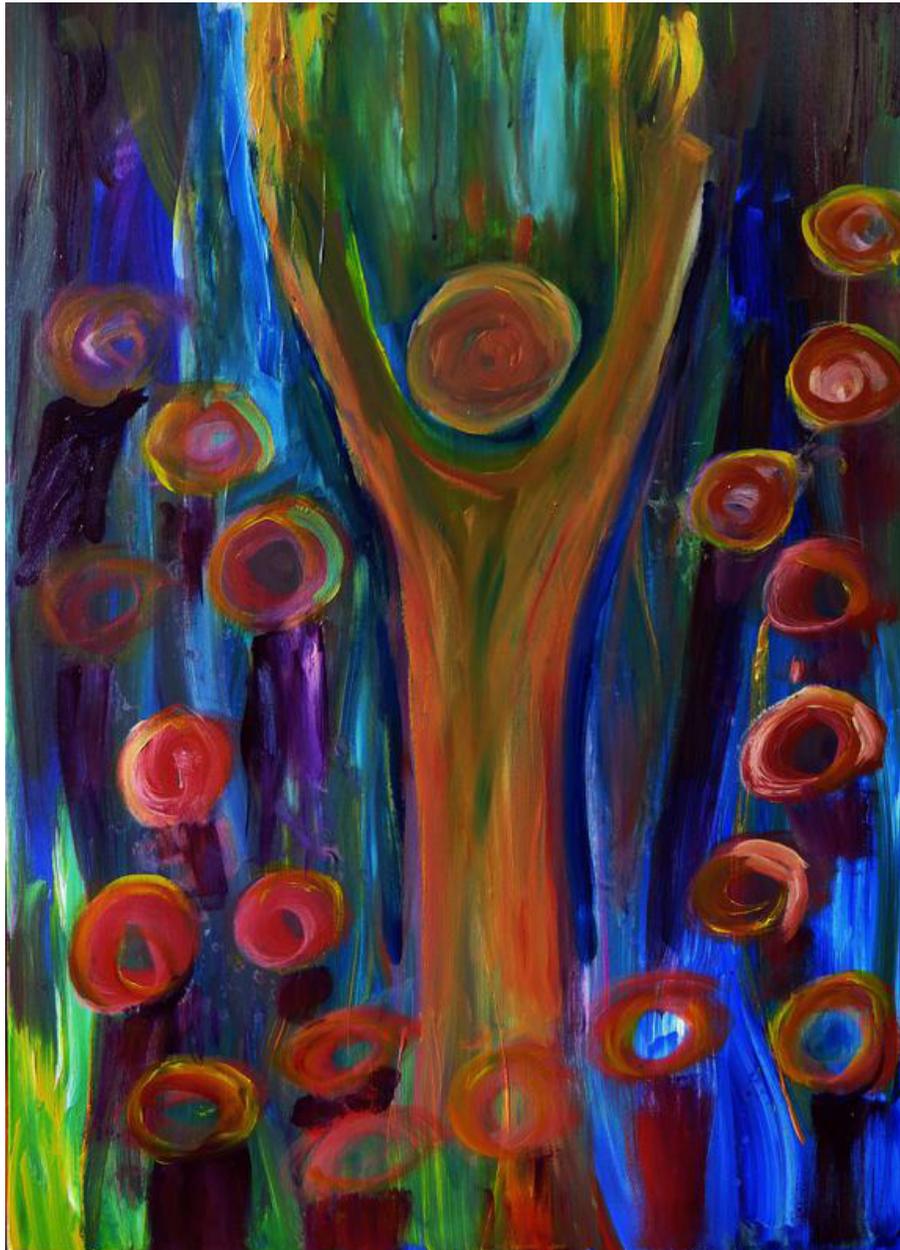
Today is a day to honor the unyielding love and care for others we call 'Motherhood,'
wherever we have found it and in whatever ways we have found
to cultivate it within ourselves.

- Rev. Hannah Kardon, Teaching Pastor
Urban Village Church, Chicago

H A P P Y
Mother's
Day

Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord
Thursday, May 13th
10:00 a.m.

Livestream & open to the public
Presider - Fr. Gerald Finnegan, S.J.



Ascension

Sr. Barbara Schwarz, OP

<http://www.diartsop.org/Barbara-Schwarz-OP.html>

Peace, Justice, & Reconciliation Commission

Green Team

Help us as we plan a Celebration of the
6th Anniversary of publication of *Laudato Si'*

Join us for our
First Annual Green Team Town Hall
Monday, May 25th, 7:00 pm
Zoom gathering



Your input is needed as we plan our programming for 2021 – 2022, beginning with the Season of Creation, Sept. 1 – Oct. 4. We hope to work with all the other parish commissions planning for the Ignatian Year. Join us for this opportunity to reflect on the call of *Laudato Si'* and to consider how we can together support the Jesuit Apostolic Preference to Care for our Common Home.

Email ignatius@bc.edu to register.



2021 Catholic Appeal



The 2021 Catholic Appeal campaign is well underway at St. Ignatius. Please visit our website to view videos to learn about how this appeal directly assists our parish.

NOW you can donate to the Catholic Appeal via our online giving site. Go to <https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/stignatius> and choose the fund "Catholic Appeal 2021."

As always you can donate directly to:
www.bostoncatholicappeal.org. Remember to select
"Chestnut Hill, St. Ignatius."

Together, we have raised two thirds of our goal of \$124,384.

Please help us reach it! Every donation helps! Thank you!
This is our Church and when you support the Appeal, you support us!

Outreach Ministries

WALK FOR HUNGER 2021

Thank you for your support of TEAM IGNATIUS and Project Bread in this year's Walk. TEAM IGNATIUS has raised more than \$14,650 from parishioners, families and friends. And we may not be done! It's not too late to donate to a TEAM member or the TEAM in general. Just go to projectbread.org/walk and continue from there!



HAVE
YOU
HEARD
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NEWTON'S FREEDGE?

Despite Newton's image as an affluent suburb, too many of our neighbors struggle to put food on their tables. The Newton Freedge is one way we can help. A free, 24/7 outdoor refrigerator and pantry, the Freedge provides free food and personal supplies to anyone who needs them.

GO TO:

newtonfoodpantry.org/newton-freedge

for more information,
including the freedge location!



Pictures of the Barrett family and Sr. Diane completing their miles for the 2021 Project Bread Walk for Hunger



ARRUPE



The ARRUPE group at St. Ignatius accompanies and supports refugee families who are welcomed to the local area by Catholic Charities. About a year ago, a family of 10 arrived in Boston from a refugee camp in Kenya after fleeing from their home country because of political and ethnic persecution. Members of our parish continue to support the family financially as well as serving as liaisons to the children's teachers and healthcare providers and by helping them acclimate to our area.

At this time several parishioners who are part of the ARRUPE group are accompanying a refugee family. Five of the children were recently enrolled in Cambridge Youth Soccer and need volunteers to transport them to practices on Tuesdays and games on Saturdays from now through mid-June.

They also need other sporting equipment.

If you are interested in helping in some way, please text or call Alice Poltorick at 617-448-1454 or send an email to apoltorick@comcast.net.

Thank you for considering this opportunity to engage with this family.



The 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass is now open to the public. Thank you to the Liturgical Ministers who have made this possible! The livestream will also continue.

The St. Mary's Jesuit Chapel on Linden Lane is open to the public for private prayer on weekdays from 8 am - 5pm.

Visitors are expected to maintain adequate physical distancing and sign a contact-tracing sheet at the rear of the chapel upon entrance.

**Reconstructing a World:
Reentry After the Pandemic
Jesuit Connections Online Gathering
Tuesday, May 18th, 8 - 9 p.m.**

For many of us, the pandemic has shrunk our worlds to the size of a few rooms or a few relationships. As society gradually opens up, we may be anxious about what comes next, not just for our planet but for ourselves.

This trauma-informed reflection considers the effects of isolation and chronic stress upon our spirits and psyches.

This event is free and open to all young adults (20s and 30s.)

Click here to register: <https://bit.ly/3vN9kuk>



"From the smallest of seeds..."

A VIRTUAL CELEBRATION OF CATHOLIC LGBTQ PRIDE

SUNDAY, JUNE 13, 2021 | 3:00PM EASTERN U.S.

**A Virtual Celebration of
Catholic LGBTQ+ Pride**

New Ways Ministry

Sunday, June 13th

3:00 p.m.

Zoom Prayer Service

The theme of this year's event will be "From the Smallest of Seeds. . .", which refers to the day's gospel reading: Mark's account of the parable of the mustard seed.

Register: <https://bit.ly/3368jRH>

Ignatian Solidarity

Network

Race, Justice, and

Equity Survey

**Deadline: Monday,
May 24th**



The ISN is administering a survey that will assist the organization in better comprehending the contexts of race, equity, and justice at and within the network of Jesuit and Catholic institutions (parishes, retreat houses, middle and secondary schools, colleges and universities).

The survey is anonymous and takes about 15 minutes to complete.

Visit <https://bit.ly/3xwEpnL> to take the survey.



Taizé Prayer
BC Campus Ministry
May 11th
8:00 - 8:30 p.m.
St. Ignatius - Upper Church
All are welcome!



Trans Ministry Zoom Encounters for the Laity
A Summer Zoom Encounter for the People of God hosted
LGBT Ministry Diocese of Lexington & Fortunate Families
Fridays: June 4th, July 16th, & August 13th at 1:00 p.m.



FREE PROGRAM
Visit <https://bit.ly/3bFkA4Z> to register

Liturgy Commission

CHURCH AT HOME/LA IGLESIA EN CASA



TO SEE THE DOCUMENT CLICK HERE
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[HTTPS://BIT.LY/2QIHJLJ](https://bit.ly/2QIHJLJ)

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Jesuit news, and Ignatian Spirituality.



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Men's Spiritual Growth

Zoom Meetings

1st & 3rd Wednesday of the Month

7:00 p.m.

The next meeting will be on
Wednesday, May 19th at 7 p.m.
Contact Mark Neylon for details:
neylonmark@gmail.com

Please pray for:

Saturday, May 8th

4 p.m. - Dorsey Robey

Sunday, May 9th

10:30 a.m. - Millie Trotz

12:30 p.m. (Spanish) - Maryann Panica

5:30 p.m. - Denis Murphy

Saturday, May 15th

4 p.m. - Sr. Mary Daniel O'Keefe, Hilda Bakalo

Sunday, May 16th

10:30 a.m. - Robert Joseph Allen

12:30 p.m. (Spanish) - The Cahill Family

5:30 p.m. - Howard P. Bowdring, Jr. &
James C. Bowdring



NOW MORE THAN EVER WE NEED YOUR HELP

*Please consider supporting our Parish
through one of the following:*

- Register for online giving via our website:
stignatiuschestnuthill.org
- Set up weekly/monthly donations via your bank's
online banking/billpay
- Mail a check to the Parish Office
- **Venmo** - StIgnatius-Church or 617-991-5410





St. Ignatius Livestream Masses

We recently hit 1,000 subscribers on YouTube!
Help us reach our new ambitious goal of 2,000!
It is free and will help you find our content easily.

youtube.com/channel/UCOo9WRYLNRLPd8NaJbYgKOw



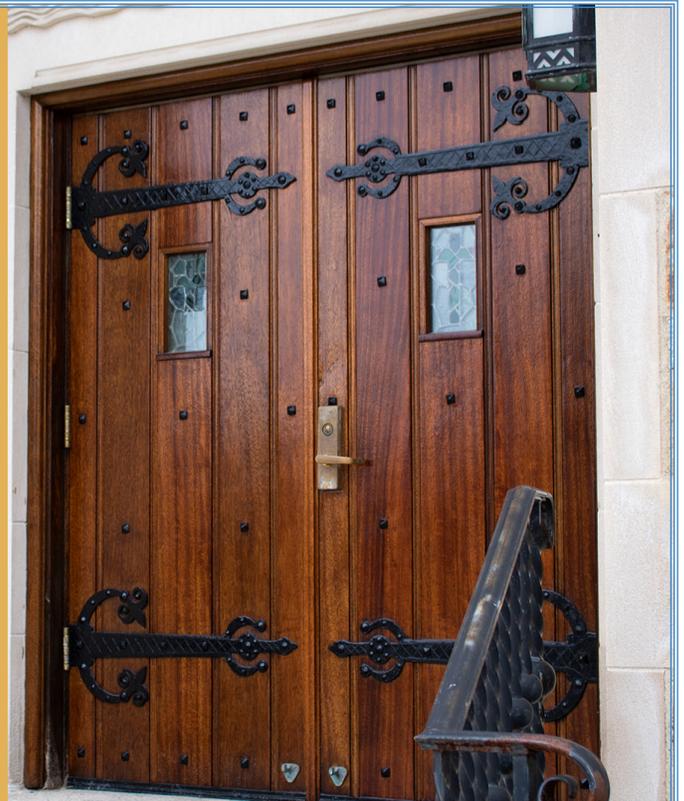
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¡AHORA MÁS QUE NUNCA NECESITAMOS TU AYUDA!

*Les Rogamos Que Sigam Contribuyendo
Con Nuestra Parroquia*

Considere una de las siguientes opciones:

- Regístrense para hacer en línea sus donaciones a través de nuestra página web:
stignatiuschestnuthill.org
- Configuren sus donaciones semanales/mensuales a través de la banca en línea en su banco
 - Haga un cheque y lo envía a nuestras oficinas parroquiales
- Venmo - StIgnatius-Church or 617-991-5410



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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Closed 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

The Celebration of the Eucharist

Saturday 4:00 p.m. - Upper Church

Sunday Livestream 10:30 a.m. (English); 12:30 p.m. (Spanish); 5:30 p.m. - Upper Church

Weekday Currently Suspended

Other Sacraments

Reconciliation—By appointment only. Contact the Parish Office.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)—For adults seeking Baptism, and/or Confirmation, contact the Parish Office.

Baptism—For infant and child Baptisms, contact Sr. Diane Vallerio

First Eucharist—Preparation begins in grade 1 and includes classes, retreats, and home instruction. Children receive First Eucharist in grade 2. For further information contact our Faith Formation office.

Confirmation—Preparation begins in 9th grade; students are confirmed in the spring of 10th grade. For further information contact our Faith Formation office.

Matrimony—Parishioners, BC Grads and non-parishioners are welcome to be married at St. Ignatius. Contact our Office Manager, Carol Russo, for available dates and details.

Anointing of the Sick—Contact the parish office.

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Registration forms are available on our website: stignatiuschestnuthill.org.

Please note that you must be registered for at least six months before we can issue any verification of your status as a parishioner for godparent or sponsor letters.