

St. Ignatius Loyola Hicksville, New York

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April 6, 2014
Fifth Sunday in Lent

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 Monday, & Friday: 9:00 AM - 12:00 Noon & 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM*
 Tues, Wed. & Thurs.: 9:00 AM - 12:00 Noon & 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM
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 Sunday: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

**Evenings by appointment only.*

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 & 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

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Office Hours (September to June; closed July & August)

Sunday: Closed
 Monday: By Appointment Only
 Tuesday: 9:00 AM - 2:30 PM
 Wednesday: 9 AM - 12:00 Noon; 5 PM - 8:30 PM
 Thursday: 9:00 AM - 2:30 PM
 Friday: Closed
 Saturday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 PM
 Sunday: 7:30 AM,
 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM
 12:30 PM, 5:15 PM,
 7:00 PM (Spanish)

Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday:
 7:00 AM,
 9:00 AM
 Saturday:
 9:00 AM

Confession

Saturday: 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM
 or by appointment in the Rectory.

Baptism

Celebrated twice monthly. Call the Rectory office for dates and to register. Parents of the first child must participate in a Preparation class prior to Baptism. Please plan well in advance.

Marriage

Arrangements for Weddings should be made at least six months in advance. Pre-Cana Sessions **are required** for all couples planning to marry.

Wedding Times: Fridays - 2:30PM & 4PM

Saturdays - 11:30AM, 1:30PM & 3:00PM
 Sundays - 3:30PM Ceremony Only -
 Unless the Couple Provides A Priest

Nocturnal Adoration Society

First Saturday Adoration following the 5:00 PM Mass with Benediction at 9:00 PM.

Parish Mission Statement

We the People of St. Ignatius Loyola Parish as a Roman Catholic Community are called to help one another build the Kingdom of God in Hicksville. We draw strength from the Sacraments, Prayer and the Celebration of the Word and the Eucharist. Our mission, rooted in the example and teaching of Jesus, is to bring friendship, compassion and healing across our diverse community. We do this by promoting an active faith as we provide opportunities for lifelong Catholic education, service and the development of lay leadership and ministries.



THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Sunday: Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-8; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]
[Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 [41c-62]; Ps 23:1-6; Jn 8:1-11
Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-21; Jn 8:21-30
Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56; Jn 8:31-42
Thursday: Gn 17:3-9; Ps 105:4-9; Jn 8:51-59
Friday: Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-7; Jn 10:31-42
Saturday: Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-13; Jn 11:45-56
Sunday: Mt 21:1-11 Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Mt 26:14 — 27:66 [27:11-54]

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY April 7, 2014
St. John Baptist de la Salle
 7:00 AM James R Tarrant
 9:00AM Marie and John Curry
TUESDAY April 8, 2014
 7:00AM Steven Clancy
 9:00AM Donna DiMarzo
WEDNESDAY April 9, 2014
 7:00AM Marcus A Gonzales
 9:00AM Edward Guiliano
THURSDAY April 10, 2014
 7:00 AM Edward Legrow
 9:00 AM John Lyons
FRIDAY: April 11, 2014, St. Stanislaus
 7:00AM Helen Giuliani & Christine Rigert
 9:00AM Philip Fogarty & Lucy Mottoli
SATURDAY April 12, 2014
 9:00 AM Grace French
 5:00PM Emily Goodman
SUNDAY April 13, 2014, Palm Sunday
Passion of the Lord
 7:30AM Emily Goodman
 9:30 AM Lawrence C. Baroletti
 11:00AM Geraldine Mimna
 12:30PM Matthew Moone
 1:00PM Priest's Intention Auditorium
 5:15PM Camille Vaccaro McNaly
 Mary Keegan
 Emily Goodman
 7:00PM Spanish Mass



*We Pray
 For Our Sick*

Mark Stapleton, Cecilia McLaughlin, John & Mary D'Antonio, Gloria Lane, CPL. Garrett Carnes, USMC, Anna Palewski, Philip Zederbaum, Michael Maher, Patrick McGee, Dawn Levchenko, Camie King, Harry Mulligan, Stanley Braja, Anita Franzese, John Lupski, Frank Esposito, Raymond Morris, Maria Estupinan, Catherine Jerome, Theresa Locke, Maureen Remsky, Joanne Wallick, Nancy Mantell and Family, Thomas Duffy, Irene Janampa, Margaret Kropac, Patricia Clancy-Kriss. Angela Stroup, Mary Burdo, Anne Stenborg, Joey Oddo, Dolores Bento, Czeslawa Geslak, Joseph Tilly, Bridget Tarugno, Rosemary O'Keeffe

Names will be kept on the Prayer for the Sick List for three weeks, unless a family member calls to extend the time.

*We Pray For Our Dead
 And We Mourn With You*

*Francisca Herminia Chicas
 Luke D'Antuono*



*We Celebrate our Sacra-
 ments*

*Paul Ticas. St. Ignatius Loyola
 Kathleen Welehan, St. Ignatius Loyola*



2nd Reading for next Sunday, April 13, 2014
Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Theme: Holy Week — the mystery of our faith.

Breaking Open the Word

Suggested text for faith sharing: 2nd Reading, with an eye to the Passion Narrative Phil 2:6-11

Christ Jesus, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God something to be grasped. Rather, he emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, coming in human likeness; and found human in appearance, he humbled himself, becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Because of this, God greatly exalted him and bestowed on him the name which is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, of those in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Step One: Listen to the Word

As you hear Paul’s words to the Philippians, what touches your heart? What phrase from this reading now lingers in your memory?

Step Two: Look into Your Life

Question for Children: Share how you sometimes make sacrifices for the good of others.

Question for Youth: Today begins the holiest week of the year. It is a once-a-year opportunity to really reflect on Jesus life, death, and resurrection. How will you enter into this experience? How will you be open to how you might be changed?

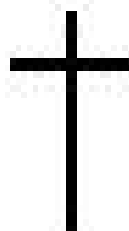
Question for Adults: Name one specific way that you live your baptismal call to enter into the death of the Lord by forgiveness, generosity, hospitality, or other ways.



“Thank you!” St. Ignatius Parishioners for your overwhelming response in stocking our pantry during the Lenten Parish Food Drive on the weekend of March 23rd and 24th. Since Jan. 1st we have welcomed 810 households to Human Services for assistance. Your generosity is most helpful to these grateful families. May God bless you all in abundance.



On ALL Fridays of Lent, all Catholics who have reached their **14th year** should ABSTAIN entirely from meat. On Good Friday, Catholics between the **ages of 18 and 59, inclusive**, are also bound to **observe the law of fast**, limiting oneself to a single full meatless meal and avoiding food between meals. Two other light meatless meals, which together do not equal a full meal, may be taken during the day.



SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday, March 30, 2014 \$12,496
Church in Need \$ 3,593

Sunday, March 31, 2013 \$11,989
(This was Easter weekend last year)

Pastor's Corner

5th Sunday of Lent
Jn 11:1-45



HOLY WEEK/PALM SUNDAY

TAKE NOTE

Next Sunday, our Church enters into its holiest of weeks as we walk with Jesus into Jerusalem, to the Last Supper, to Garden of Gethsemane, the Praetorium where Jesus is condemned, to the cross where He gave His life for us, to the grave where He was buried and then to the empty tomb where Jesus lives again! My hope is that each of us will make the time to be with our Lord by participating in the Mass and in the Holy Week prayers as best we can. This is how we can best enter into our Lord's Paschal Mystery (Christ's Passion, Death and Resurrection) and make it our own so that by dying with Jesus, we will rise once again.

This year for Palm Sunday we are going to do something a little bit different at the Saturday evening Mass on April 12th. To commemorate the Lord's entry into Jerusalem, the Church tells us that we are to process from a station outside the Church before the Principle Mass. Therefore at 4:45PM, we will gather in Msgr. Tarrant Hall (Old School) to open with a prayer, bless the palm and read a Gospel. From the Tarrant Hall, we process down the sidewalk on East Nicholi into the Church and begin the Mass. We invite all those who are able to join us in the procession of our Lord. If you are unable to process, then proceed right to the church. I just ask that everyone come a little bit earlier than you usually do so that we can get our procession underway.

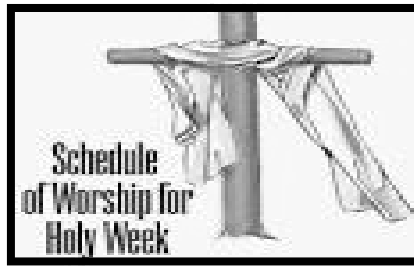
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Please join me in welcoming Barbara Malerba as the newest member of the staff at St. Ignatius Loyola. Barbara is the new Administrative Assistant in our Religious Education office. She and her husband, Joseph have been parishioners of St. Ignatius for 18 years. They have 3 children – Matthew, Gregory and Julia. The Malerba children attend Holy Family School in Hicksville.

Barbara graduated from St. John's University. She worked at CNBC and MSNBC. Amongst her many roles as a wife, mother and parishioner, Barbara is involved with Cub Scout Pack 382 at St. Ignatius and volunteers at Holy Family School.

May God bless you and Mary keep you and your families always, ***St. Ignatius Loyola, pray for us!***

Fr. Jim
Pastor



HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES 2014

MASSES

Sunday of the Lord's Passion (Palm Sunday) – April 13th

Blessing of Palms at all the Masses

All Masses are in the Church

Masses – Saturday 5:00 pm(procession with Palms at 4:45pm)

Sunday 7:30 – 9:30 (Procession with children) – 11:00 am

12:30 p.m – 1:00pm (auditorium) 5:15 pm

Mass in **Spanish** – 7:00 pm

Monday – Tuesday - Wednesday

April 14th –April 15th-April 16th

Masses at 7:00 & 9:00 am

Holy Thursday - April 17th

Morning Prayer – 9:00am

Concelebrated Mass & Procession – 7:30 pm (Bi-lingual)

Visits to the Blessed Sacrament until 11:00 pm

Good Friday – April 18th

Morning Prayer - 9:00 am

Stations of the Cross - 12:00 noon

Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion with

Holy Communion – 5:00pm

Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion with

Holy Communion **Spanish** – 7:00pm

Holy Saturday - April 19th

Morning Prayer – 9:00am

NO 5:00 p.m. Mass

Easter Vigil Service and Solemn Mass –8:00 pm

Easter Vigil and Solemn Mass in **Spanish**

In the (**auditorium**) - 8:00 pm

Easter Sunday – April 20th

7:30 – 9:30 –11:00 am - 12:30 pm

1:00 p.m.in the (**auditorium**)

NO 5:15 p.m. Mass

6:00p.m. Mass in Spanish in Church

Sacrament of Reconciliation

(Confessions)

*Monday April 14th 2-9pm

Friday April 18th – 9:30 – 10:30am & 1:00 - 3:00pm

Saturday, April 19th – 10:00am – 12 noon

No Evening Confessions

***Diocesan wide day for Confessions**

COMMUNITY NEWS



*The Bread and Wine this week
Are in Loving Memory
Of
Christine Rigert
From
Meegan Family*

“The Acchords” Live in Concert

Where: Joseph Barry Knights of Columbus
45 Heitz Place, Hicksville

When: **Saturday, April 26, 2014**

Cost: \$35 per person

Time: Doors open at 7:30pm

Please make checks payable to Edward J. Kenny Club. **Reservations are Required. No money accepted at the door.**

There will be an Open Bar plus Sandwiches/ Wraps/Salads/Dessert and Coffee. This promises to be a great show, so get your reservation in early as the seating is limited to 180 people. They will be performing hits from the 50s, 60s and 70s. If you have any questions, please call Brian at (516) 457-6190.



We congratulate Andrzej Jerzy Zglejszewski on his official installation as Auxiliary Bishop, the first immigrant in the Diocese of Rockville Centre to hold the leadership role.



When: **Sunday, April 27, 2014**

Time: 1 pm .

Where: Molloy College
Rockville Centre, NY

Please call (515) 323-4000 for more information.

PLEASE

HELP US!

Next year the Religious Education Office will be looking to begin a High School Catechesis Program for students in grades 9 through 12 who have never taken Religious Education classes and need to make their First Holy Communion and/or prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation. In order to put this program in place, we will need a Coordinator and Catechists. If you are interested in sharing your faith with the children of our parish in this program, please call Colleen at the Religious Education Office at 935-6873. Thank you.



ST. IGNATIUS LOYOLA GOLF CLASSIC:

Next weekend, members of the Golf Committee will be outside the church after all the Masses selling early bird raffle tickets for a chance to win a \$500 cash prize. The cost is \$10 per ticket or 3 tickets for \$20. All proceeds from the Golf Classic go to the support of our Parish.



May God bless all those generous hearts who have contributed to the Catholic Ministries Appeal. Let us continue the good work and watch the pledges grow.

Catholic Ministries Appeal as of March 26, 2014

Parish Goal:	\$80,000.00
Pledges to Date:	\$48,825.00
Balance to Goal	\$31,175.00

Please help us reach our goal. Every gift, big or small, counts.



ST. IGNATIUS LOYOLA PARISH
BUILDING CONDITION ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE

Rockville Centre Diocese periodically conducts facility condition assessments of all the parishes in the diocese. St. Ignatius Loyola Parish is planning to establish a Building Condition Assessment Committee to review and prioritize recommendations of the latest diocesan assessment of our buildings. We are looking for volunteers for this committee who have skills and knowledge in the areas of architecture, civil/structural engineering, building systems (HVAC, plumbing and electrical), construction, contract management, etc. The details of committee structure, procedures and meeting schedule will be developed after the initial committee team is identified. All prospective volunteers who are willing to share their time and talent for this important committee are asked to contact the Rectory at 931-0056 and leave their name and contact information with Joan or one of our receptionists. Thank you for sharing your time and talent!

Fr. Jim, Pastor

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY



Anyone with a family member serving in the military, please forward their name and rank to our bulletin editor at bulletin1859@aol.com or bring the name to our Rectory Front Office. *We pray to give all of our soldiers the courage and strength to do the duty that is required of them. May they always remember our appreciation for the sacrifice they are making for us. We are thankful for the men and women who are willing to risk their lives to protect our freedom. I ask You to go with each of them and protect them wherever they go. Amen.*

- Sgt First Class. Matthew Loheide
- SSgt. Kevin J. Hennelly
- Lt. Jonathan W. Lang
- Lt. Jeanine A. Lang
- SPC Justin T. Sikorski
- Sgt. Mathew Burrafato
- DCC James Pennington
- Col. Paul J. Laughlin
- Gunnery Sgt. Dan Lalota
- Lt. Patrick O. Kelly, USMC
- Lt. John McGinn
- Sgt. Thomas P. McLoughlin, USMC
- Atan Lisa Olynk, USN
- M Sgt. Michael Marascia
- Sgt. Stephen L. Emlaw
- P.O.Third Class E-4 Kyle A. Kamermayer, Navy
- Major Edward A. McGoldrick, US Army
- Steven Orbon, 1st Lt., U.S. Army
- Lt. David Jacobs
- Pvt. Thomas Wright
- Airman Peter F. Clark, USAF
- Capt. Joseph Whittaker, USMC
- LCPL Michael J. Mc Ilwrath, USMC
- 1st Lt. James Michael Vaz, U.S. Army
- Louis Bombardiere, USMC
- Gunnery Sgt. Brian Moran, USMC
- Second Lt. Bridget Flatley, USAF
- Cpt. Richard Macchio
- Pvt. Joseph Gergely, U.S.M.C.
- LTJG Alie Disher, U.S.N.
- LTJG John Patrick Orr, USN, C.E.C.
- PVC Andrew Hughes
- Airman Denis C. Clark, USAF
- Sgt. Lotachukwu Okoye
- Second Lt. Brian W. Way, USMC
- PFC. Christopher Paradiso, U.S.M.
- PFC Jim Arbelaez, US Marine
- SPC Dustin Lusby
- LTJG Christopher Medford, US Navy
- Lt. Lindsay Conte, USN



Bus Trip to the Sands Casino in PA
Hosted By
St. Ignatius Loyola Church, Hicksville,

When: Wednesday, April 30, 2014
Time Bus leaves at 9am sharp. They will meet in Cantiague Park near the miniature golf course at 8:30am. Will return approximately at 8:30pm

Cost \$42 per person, which includes the driver's tip.

Give Back: \$30 slot play & \$5 food voucher

For reservations, please call Barbara at (516) 935-5576. Remember –The first to pay is the first on the bus, etc.



Couples that have been married fifty years or more will be honored at liturgies as follows:

When: Sunday, May 4th at 2:30 pm
Where: Church of Maria Regina, Seaford

Registration must be received by the Office of Worship by April 16th

When: Sunday, May 18th at 2:30 pm
Where: Church of St. Lawrence the Martyr, Saville.

Registration must be received by the Office of worship by April 30th

Registration forms and complete instructions can be obtained at the rectory. There will be additional celebrations in the fall for those who may find that more convenient. If you have any questions, you may call (516) 678-5800, Ext. 207 **Couples may register for only ONE liturgy.**

The *Buckle up for Life/ Abróchate a la Vida* program was designed by Toyota and Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center to decrease the number of auto-related injuries and fatalities within communities by instructing adults, teens, and children about the proper use of safety belts and child restraints. Our mission is to reduce injuries, save lives, and promote healthier, safer lifestyles.


On April 12th from 9am to 1pm St. Ignatius Loyola will be hosting a car seat check up event in the church parking lot. The *Buckle up for Life* Program will provide technicians to conduct a free car seat check. There are 100 free car seats that will be distributed to those in need. Anyone who transports a child is welcomed, not just parents!

Appointment times from 9am-11am. To schedule an appointment please call Jillian Savino (718) 470-7178 or (718) 470-3352.

Walk-ins from 11:30am-1pm

WEEK OF APRIL 6TH – FIFTH WEEK OF LENT

BURY THE DEAD



TWEETS FROM THE POPE:
Pope Francis @Pontifex Mar. 31
Accept the risen Jesus into your life. Even if you have been far away, take a small step towards him: he awaits you with open arms.


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FOR THE DECEASED

Write a sympathy card to someone who has lost a loved one this past year. Visit the Sacred Heart Statue or the Blessed Mother Statue in the church, light a candle and say a prayer for a deceased loved one, or for those who have no one to pray for them.

WEEK OF APRIL 13TH – HOLY WEEK

ALMSGIVING



TWEETS FROM THE POPE:
Pope Francis @Pontifex Nov. 25
To live charitably means not looking out for our own interests, but carrying the burdens of the weakest and poorest among us.

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WHAT IS ALMSGIVING?

Almsgiving is tied closely with fasting. Whatever we give up, the money we save should go to the needy: the missions, the Church, or a worthy charity. It is also considered "almsgiving" to give one's time and goods to those in need: food or clothing drives, visiting shut-ins, volunteering, etc.

Almsgiving will help push out of our life that which crowds our hearts.

Join us for Choral Way of the Cross presented by the St. Ignatius Loyola Adult and Youth Choir. Reflections and Hymns — Friday, April 11th 7:30 pm in the Church

An Almsgiving collection will be taken up at the doors of the church after each Mass the weekend of April 12-13. Each family is asked to donate \$5.00 for this collection. Thank you for your generosity!

We need volunteers to help with the collections at all the doors of the church. Sign up sheets are in the back of the church or email crayne5@aol.com with your name and at which Mass you would like to help. Confirmation students needing service hours and their families are encouraged to sign up. All parishioners are welcome to assist with our parish Lent project.

Legion of Mary

invites you to the

5th Annual Women's Silent Retreat "BEHOLD THY SON"



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BLESSED SACRAMENT

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Come ponder "Motherhood" in your heart after the example of Mary. All women are invited to come pray with Mary for children and for priests. Come and receive strength to become the "perfect women" we are called to be: *"Thus the 'perfect woman' (Prov 31:10) becomes an irreplaceable support and source of spiritual strength for other people, who perceive the great energies of her spirit. These 'perfect women' are owed much by their families, and sometimes by whole nations." Mulieris Dignitatem*

Friday, 9 May 2014 - Saturday, 10 May 2014

**Seminary of the Immaculate Conception
440 West Neck Road, Huntington, NY**

COST: \$110 per person

includes dinner Friday, 3 meals Saturday, private room w/ shower

check in Friday between
1 - 6 p.m.
Ends Saturday 9 p.m.

SEND FORM BELOW AND CHECK PAYABLE TO ST. PATRICK PARISH TO:

ST. PATRICK RC CHURCH, 280 E. MAIN STREET, SMITHTOWN, NY 11787 ATTN: LEGION OF MARY

NAME _____ Parish _____

ADDRESS _____ Phone # _____

e-mail _____ Any Special Dietary Needs? _____ Approx. arrival time: _____

For additional information contact Corinne Adliss @ 631-804-7222 or keepntuch@aol.com

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Jeanne and I are leaving at 4pm today. If there is any problem, please call before that time.....Thanks.....Nancy