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# SIL Parish Life

Newsletter of the St. Ignatius Loyola Community Commission

## Notes About Our Parish Family



We are proud to welcome the youngest members of our parish who were baptized this past spring: Evelyn Scott Cerulla, Fiona Jean Barrett, Delaney Hope Hoogstad, Alexandra Danko, Sydney Danko, Lacy Kevak, Stanton Kevak, Anna Smith, Liam Anthony Neville, and Sean Patrick Smith.



Best wishes are extended to Timothy Lambert and Marlee Ann Mierzwa who were married in June at the Church of St. Ignatius Loyola.



Our congregation would like to extend a warm welcome to these newly registered members of St. Ignatius Loyola Parish: Nicole Harper, Marisa Romanowski, Heather Cerulla, Hugh Harris, Brittany Romantic, Antoinette Delicati, Donna Stine, Nicholas Podolak, Shaun & Kristina Pederson, Jason & Patricia Gardner, Kace Fulmer, Charles Conrad, Matthew & Stephanie Turner, Patricia Kopec, Diane Kuchinskas, Timothy & Michela Hannigan, Mike Frankowski, Alexa Ullrich, Thomas & Mindy Harper, Allen & Kristen Wootton, and David & Nicolette Burton.

## Spring Celebrations Include Sacraments of Initiation

On Sunday, May 21st., twenty-eight children from St. Ignatius Loyola and Holy Family Parishes, received the sacrament of First Holy Communion. Forty-three young people from St. Ignatius Loyola Parish and Holy Family Parish were confirmed on Saturday, May 20th. RCIA candidates, Jennie Day and Amber Smith were also brought into full communion with the Church at our Easter Vigil service in April. May the Holy Spirit empower these candidates with the ability to be full and active participants in our faith. Congratulations to all.



*SIL High School Grads honored, especially those who served in parish ministry areas and religious education.*

SIL Parish Life Newsletter compiled by the Community Commission Coordinating Team. Anyone interested in helping create and publish this newsletter, please contact the CCC Team.

### Our Journey through Lent and the Easter Season



Ash Wednesday



Stations of the Cross



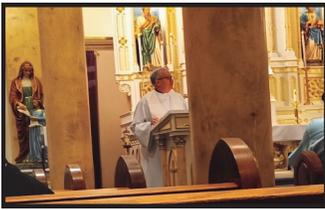
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Religious Ed Family Lenten Projects



Parish Lenten Mission



National Eucharistic Revival Lenten Holy Hour



Palm Sunday



Holy Thursday



Good Friday



Blessing Easter Baskets



Easter Vigil



Easter Sunday



Divine Mercy Sunday



Catholic Choral Society Spring Concert



Trinity Sunday Concert



Pentecost Sunday

### Holy Name Easter Egg Hunt



### Many Thanks and Blessings to Notre Dame Apprentice, Deidre Drinkall

Miss Drinkall, who has served at SIL & HF parishes for that past two years, received her masters degree from ND and is returning to her high school alma mater in Florida as a full time theology instructor. With our deepest appreciation for her enthusiasm and dedication, we offer her our thanks, best wishes and many blessings now and in the future.



### Communication

The purpose of this newsletter (published quarterly: Summer, Fall, Winter, & Spring) is to keep our parishioners informed of past, present and future events. We invite members of our community to send information—pictures and events to [SILOffice@aol.com](mailto:SILOffice@aol.com).

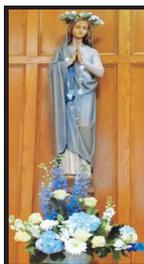
### More Spring Happenings



SIL - HF Parish Community Shred Day



Mary's Ministry Clothing Drive



Mary's Ministry - Religious Ed  
 May Crowning

### Welcome to Jacob Mutchler Our Summer Seminarian

Jacob is from St. Matthew's Parish in East Stroudsburg. He graduated from Lehigh University in 2016 and recently completed his first year of Pre-Theology at St. Vincent Seminary in Latrobe, PA.. Jacob will serve at SIL-HF parishes during June & July.



Holy Name Nite at the Races

Parish Sports Fans and Guests Enjoyed Fan Friday at the Penguins March 10th and a Fun Night on the 1st Base Party Deck at the Rail Riders on June 22nd.



Guest Soloist  
 Olivia Davis

### Saint Ignatius Loyola Parish

### FALL FLING CASH RAFFLE

**\$10,000.00 Total in Cash Prizes**

- First Prize: \$5,000.00
- Second Prize: \$1,500.00
- Third Prize: \$1,000.00
- Fourth Prize: \$750.00
- Fifth Prize: \$500.00
- Sixth-Tenth Prizes: \$250.00

Drawing Sunday, September 10, 2023

Tickets \$20 each or 3 for \$50  
 Tickets will be mailed mid -July.  
 Additional tickets will then be available at the Parish Office during normal business hours.

### Summer Calendar 2023

July 4th  
 Independence Day



July 17 -26th  
 St. Ann's Novena

Feast of  
 St. Ignatius Loyola



July 31st



August 15th  
 Assumption of the Blessed Mother



September 4th  
 Labor Day



### Vacation Bible School

This year's camp is set for July 31 - August 4, 2023  
 Watch parish bulletin for details.



On Wednesday August 16, 2023 Mary's Ministry is hosting a trip to the Pines Dinner Theatre in Allentown for the matinee performance of "The Wedding Singer". Limited seating available. Check SIL parish website or contact Maureen Finnerty at (570) 288-8706 ASAP for menu and details. Seats will be assigned as payments are received. The cost of this trip is \$95. Make non-refundable checks payable to Church of St. Ignatius Loyola (memo Pines).



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Office Hours: Monday - Friday

9:00 am to 3:00 pm

**St. Ignatius Loyola - Holy Family  
 Parishes Mass Schedule**

**Weekdays**

7:30 am - Monday thru Friday St. Ignatius Church  
 12:10 pm - Monday thru Friday Holy Family Church

**Weekend Liturgies**

Saturday 4:00 pm St. Ignatius Church  
 Saturday 5:15 pm Holy Family Church  
 Sunday 7:00 am St. Ignatius Church  
 Sunday 9:00 am Holy Family Church  
 Sunday 10:30 am St. Ignatius Church

Live-streaming Sunday Mass will continue at 10:30 am

St. Ignatius Church is open for private prayer

Monday - Friday 11:00 am to 3:00 pm

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturdays 12:00 pm - 12:30 pm at St. Ignatius Church  
 Saturdays 4:30 pm - 4 :45 pm at Holy Family Church  
 or by appointment

**Better Together**  
 The Parishes of  
 St Ignatius of Loyola and Holy Family  
 Invite you to join us under the pavilion at  
 The Checkerboard Inn  
 Shavertown, PA  
 To enjoy our  
**Family Day Festival**  
 Sunday, September 10, 2023  
 Outdoor Mass begins at 1:00 pm  
 Followed by food, fun and entertainment until 5:00 pm  
 SAVE THE DATE!  
 More details to come .....