



**Saint Ignatius Loyola Church Weekly Update
August 28, 2022**

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Weekday Masses for the week of August 29th are:

Monday thru Friday – 7:30 a.m. – St. Ignatius Church

12:10 p.m. – Holy Family Church

WEEKEND MASSES

Please note weekend Mass schedule at St. Ignatius

Saturday Vigil Masses 4:00 p.m.

Sunday Masses 7:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.

All Masses will be celebrated at St. Ignatius Church.

Please note weekend Mass schedule at Holy Family

Saturday Vigil Mass 5:15 p.m.

Sunday Mass 9:00 a.m.

Live Streaming of Sunday Mass will continue at 10:30 a.m.

St. Ignatius Church is open for private prayer this week Monday through Friday – 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

Confessions are held Saturdays from 12:00 p.m.–12:30 p.m. at St. Ignatius.

Confessions are held Saturdays from 4:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m. at Holy Family.



Parish Phone Number 570-288-6446

St. Ignatius Pastoral Staff

*Monsignor David L. Tressler
Reverend Shawn M. Simchock
Deacon Gerard P. Pernot
Ms. Deirdre Drinkall
Mrs. Carmella Faust*

*Ms. Diane Janoski
Ms. Shannon Kowalski*

*Pastor
Assistant Pastor
Deacon
Notre Dame Intern/Pastoral Associate
Director of Liturgical Music
Co-Director of Religious Education
Co-Director of Religious Education
Youth Minister and Live Stream Coordinator*

Main Office Staff

*Ms. Mary Lewis
Mrs. Jennifer Carey*

*Office Manager
Receptionist*

Maintenance

Sacristan

Mr. William Gross

Mr. Matt Fiske

Visiting Clergy

*Reverend James Alco
Reverend Daniel Issing, CSC
Reverend Robert Sickler
Reverend Andrew Sinnott*

Mission Statement

We, the blended Catholic community of St. Ignatius, draw strength from Word and Sacrament, especially in the celebration of the Eucharist. Modeling Christ's work, we embrace our commitment to God's call. We remain faithful to the shared acts of prayer, study, and service. Together we extend Christ's hospitality to others and light the path of peace for generations to come.

DAILY MASS ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5th

Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 AM on Monday, September 5th for both Holy Family Parish and Saint Ignatius Parish at **Holy Family Church**. **Please note, there will be no 7:30 AM or 12:10 PM Mass on that day and also the offices will be closed due to the holiday.**

MINISTRY AVAILABILITY

If any Lector or Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion is willing to serve at either Holy Family Parish or St. Ignatius Parish, please notify rectory of Mass preferences. All are welcome to serve at either Parish.

SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS

Sympathy and prayers are extended to family members of the following recently deceased parishioners of St. Ignatius Loyola Parish and Holy Family Parish:

Therese Crawford
Metro Fetko
Douglas Saunders
Mary Gialanella
Marcella Mazaika

May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

HOSPITALS, LONG TERM FACILITIES, AND HOME VISITATION

All visitations to homes and hospitals remain limited based upon restrictions of individual health care facilities' protocols. CDC guidelines must be followed.

WEEKLY BULLETINS

Please note that weekly bulletins from each parish will be available in the back of both churches until our combined bulletin is introduced the First Sunday of Advent, November 27, 2022.



SUMMER SPLASH CASH WINNERS

Fr. Simchock, Deacon Pernot, Deirdre Drinkall and Msgr. Tressler are most grateful for the parish support of our summer raffle. A final financial report will be forthcoming. We are grateful for the tremendous support. May God Bless you abundantly for your participation.

Congratulations to the following Summer Splash Cash Winners:

1st Prize	\$5000.00	Leonard Woods
2nd Prize	\$1500.00	Jessica Szczyrek
3rd Prize	\$1000.00	Jackie McNulty
4th Prize	\$750.00	Sandra Wills
5th Prize	\$500.00	Marie Filipczyk
6th Prize	\$250.00	Karin Nelson
7th Prize	\$250.00	Bernadette Prapuolenis
8th Prize	\$250.00	Flora O'Leary
9th Prize	\$250.00	James Proeitto
10th Prize	\$250.00	Patrick & Marie Kennedy

MASS FOR SUICIDE HEALING AND REMEMBRANCE

In observance of Suicide Awareness Month, Bishop Bambera will celebrate a Mass for Suicide Healing and Remembrance. The Mass will serve to remember loved ones lost to suicide, and to promote healing for those who grieve their passing. The Mass will be held on Sunday, September 18th at 12:15 p.m. at the Cathedral of St. Peter, Scranton. All are welcome.



THE BIBLE – THE MASS AND YOU

St. Ignatius Parish will begin a Five Week study of the Mass on Wednesday, September 14th at 1:00 p.m. in Conlan Hall. Parishioners of St. Ignatius and Holy Family are invited to sign up. AscensionPress.com has the study guide that will be used. So go online and order – Cost - \$14.95. No computer? Please call Cindy Liskov at 570-472-8118 by August 29th to order for you.

BABY BOTTLES FOR PRO-LIFE

The Pro-Life baby bottles/contributions must be returned to the collection containers in the rear of the church at the weekend Masses on August 27th and August 28th or September 3rd and September 4th. During the week, bottles must be returned to the rectory during business hours. Contributions can also be made by envelope and placed in the collection basket or returned to the rectory. Make checks payable to St. Ignatius Loyola Church with the memo—MM Baby Bottle Project. Thank you for your donations to this life saving project. All bottles used and unused, and donations must be returned no later than Sunday, September 4th. Please note that the Pro-Life Center will have to pay to replace any bottles we are unable to return to them.

**MARY'S MINISTRY COVERED DISH MEETING/SOCIAL ON
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13th**

Mark your calendar today to meet in person! On Tuesday, September 13 at 5:30 p.m., Mary's Ministry will host our Fall Covered Dish Meeting/Social in Conlan Hall. Mary Stchur, the new chair, will conduct a brief business meeting open to all to announce new members of our leadership team and to adopt our program of work calendar and spending plan for 2022-2023. Please plan on attending as we discuss our upcoming plans and open the floor to new ones as well. All members of our parish community are invited to participate. We appreciate your continued support. Contact Elaine Whipple at 570-288-3564 or Mary Hosey at 570-287-7973 by September 6th, for details if you plan to attend, and to indicate the food dish or donation you are able to provide.

FAITH SHARING

Faith Sharing will NOT be held in August. We will return September 9th and resume the usual time and place, 6:00 p.m. in Conlan Hall. Enjoy the rest of summer! God bless!



Welcome Back Deirdre Drinkall

We are pleased to welcome back our Notre Dame Intern Deirdre Drinkall. Deirdre will continue working with our pastoral team on various initiatives. We are privileged to have Deirdre as a member of our Pastoral Team serving St. Ignatius and Holy Family Parishes. We wish her the best as she completes her final year with our parish families.

Become an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion!



Please join us for this training if you are interested in serving as an EMHC in Mass or to the Sick and Homebound for both parishes. We especially need help with homebound ministry. Please call St. Ignatius or Holy Family parish office by Sept. 20 to RSVP so we can ensure we have enough materials.

TRAINING: SUN. SEPT. 25
12pm-5:30pm
Refreshments included!

Conlan Hall-339 N Maple Ave

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus Assumpta Council #3987 will hold their meeting on Wednesday, September 7th at 7:00 p.m. in Conlan Hall.

Mass Intentions – Week of Aug. 29th – Sept. 4th

Monday
7:30 AM – Philip Maher <i>Carl & Molly Kachmar</i>
12:10 PM Mass at Holy Family Church
Tuesday
7:30 AM – Edmund & Lillian Krzesinski <i>Daughter, Ann Marie</i>
12:10 PM Mass at Holy Family Church
Wednesday
7:30 AM – Richard Fisher <i>Family</i>
12:10 PM Mass at Holy Family Church
Thursday
7:30 AM – Tammy Perry <i>Family</i>
12:10 PM Mass at Holy Family Church
Friday
7:30 AM – Wesley Egleberger <i>Family</i>
12:10 PM Mass at Holy Family Church
Saturday
4:00 PM – Deceased Members Servello Family <i>Family</i>
5:15 PM Mass at Holy Family Church
Sunday
7:00 AM – For the People of the Parish
9:00 AM Mass at Holy Family Church
10:30 AM – Marie Schilling <i>Family</i>

Church Candle for the Week of August 29th
In Memory of Kathryn & John Miller – Requested by Family

Bread & Wine for the Week of August 29th
In Memory of Nick Volpetti – Requested by Family

FINANCIAL UPDATE FOR AUGUST 21, 2022

Sunday Tithe
\$10,893.00

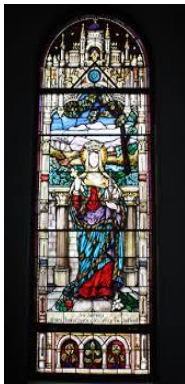
E-Offerings
\$1,609.00

Total
\$12,502.00

**Amount Needed
Each Week to
Meet Expenses
TBD**

Father Simchock, Deacon Pernot, Deirdre Drinkall, and I continue to be most grateful for your generosity and support during these challenging days. Envelopes can be mailed in or dropped in the mailbox on the rectory front porch.

May God Bless you abundantly for your continued support. Be assured of our prayers for health and safety for all.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS!

Registration for **all** religious education programs will be held in Bergan Hall.

REGISTRATION SUNDAY: AUGUST 28th: 9:30 am – Noon

Late registration: Tuesday, August 30th - 6 – 7:30 pm
Wednesday, September 7th - 6 – 7:30 pm

Please note! Those students who are registering for the **first time** and who were **not** baptized at St. Ignatius, will need a copy of their baptismal certificate.

Registration Fee: \$25. 00 per child
\$55.00/3 or more children

Classes will begin on **Sunday, September 11th** – stay tuned for opening day details.

Religious Education for Special Needs Children

Do you have a child with a learning disability especially – ADD, DHD, autism, Asperger’s syndrome – or know a family of a child experiencing these disabilities? We have a religious education program for these children. If you would like more information or are interested in this program, please call Carmella Faust at 570-287-3682 or e-mail:

religionseducation1@yahoo.com.

SPONSOR A RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STUDENT

Religious education equips our parishes’ students with cultural, social, moral, and spiritual knowledge that aid in their mental and physical development within society.

However, not all families are fortunate enough to have the means to send their children through our religious education program. The Churches of Holy Family and St. Ignatius Loyola do not turn away any student from our program and the additional expense is covered by the parish.

The Religious Education Parent Advisory Committee is seeking donations of \$25 to sponsor a child’s religious education experience in 2022-2023. All donations received will remain within our program and will help our youth directly.