



Saint Ignatius Loyola Church Weekly Update July 4, 2021

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Weekday Masses will continue the Week of July 5, 2021

Tuesday thru Friday – 7:30 a.m. and 12:10 p.m.

WEEKEND MASSES

Please note weekend Mass schedule:

Saturday Vigil Masses 4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.

Sunday Masses 7:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m.

Live Streaming of Sunday Mass will be at 8:30 a.m. (This is not a public Mass.)

All Masses will be celebrated at St. Ignatius Church.

The Church is now open for private prayer Monday-Friday from 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

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

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.



SUMMER SPLASH CASH AND ICE CREAM SOCIAL

On Sunday, July 25, 2021, at 1:30 p.m. when we have our summer raffle drawing, we will also provide Blizzards for all in attendance to take home, eat in their cars or in the parking lot - wherever one feels most comfortable!! Please plan on joining us for the Summer Splash Cash ticket drawing. In order to make sure we are prepared adequately please fill out the attached form and drop in the collection box or return to the rectory by Sunday, July 18, 2021.

We continue to be most grateful for the support we have received thus far for our Summer Splash Cash Raffle. All are reminded that ticket returns should be made by Sunday, July 25, 2021. If you are in need of additional tickets, please contact the rectory.

ALL ARE WELCOME!!!!

RSVP Form for Summer Blizzard Celebration



Name _____

Number of People Attending _____

Please return to Rectory by Sunday, July 18th



FOURTH OF JULY HOLIDAY OBSERVED

Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 AM on Monday, July 5th. **Please note, there will be no 7:30 AM or 12:10 PM Masses on that day and also the office will be closed due to the Fourth of July holiday.**

SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS

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

Dorothy Kosmala

May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.



MINISTRY OF LECTOR

All previous Lectors (pre-COVID) who wish to continue in this ministry should contact the parish office to notify us of your desire to return and the Mass or Masses you are willing to assist at. New lectors are always welcome, please contact the rectory for more information.

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE
Thursday, July 15, 2021, at 7:00 PM
St. Peter's Cathedral
315 Wyoming Avenue, Scranton, PA

This Mass is offered for family and friends of those who have died in tragedy, especially through murder, suicide, and accident. In particular this year for victims of COVID-19.

To register the name of your loved one for this liturgy, please complete the following form and mail to:

Office for Parish Life
C/O Mass of Remembrance
330 Wyoming Avenue
Scranton, PA 18503

All forms must be received by July 9, 2021
For questions or further information call 570-207-2213

REGISTRATION FORM

Name of Deceased:

(Please print)

(Please complete only if the name has not been registered)

Your Name:

Address:

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____

Telephone: _____

Relationship to Deceased:

Mass Intentions Week of July 5th – 11th

Monday
9:00 AM – Timothy Thomas <i>Family</i>
Please note: There will be no 7:30 AM or 12:10 PM Masses today.
Tuesday
7:30 AM – Dec. Mbrs. Giussi Family <i>Patricia Podesta</i>
12:10 PM – Ralph Hahn <i>Family</i>
Wednesday
7:30 AM – Carolyn Germak <i>Steinberg Family</i>
12:10 PM – Bob Mitchell <i>Wife, Linda</i>
Thursday
7:30 AM – Frank & Frances Rupinski <i>Daughter, Alice Naylis</i>
12:10 PM – Michael A. Demko <i>Wife, Mary & Family</i>
Friday
7:30 AM – Anthony Zigmont <i>Family</i>
12:10 PM – John P. Walsh <i>Daughter, Kathleen & Family</i>
Saturday
4:00 PM – Margaret Dailey <i>Jeff & Linda Decker</i>
6:00 PM – Edward Stankus <i>Betty & Steve</i>
Sunday
7:00 AM – Anthony Charneski <i>Friends</i>
10:30 AM – Leo Dowd <i>Bob & Ellen Adams</i>
12:30 PM – Mary Maloney <i>Kotarski Family</i>

Church Candle for the Week of July 5th
In Memory of Ralph Hahn – Requested by Family

Bread & Wine for the Week of July 5th
In Memory of Timothy Thomas – Requested by Family

FINANCIAL UPDATE FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 27, 2021

Sunday Tithe
\$10,405.00

E-Offerings
\$1,042.00

Total
\$11,447.00

**Amount Needed
Each Week to
Meet Expenses
\$12,950.00**

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

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





Diocese of Scranton
Guidelines for Public Masses
During the COVID-19 Pandemic
Effective June 28, 2021

We the Parish of St. Ignatius Loyola join with all the parishes of the Diocese of Scranton to joyfully welcome the faithful of the Diocese to return to our parish. Despite the challenges of the last year, we invite those who have not yet returned to Mass to rejoin us in person to celebrate the Holy Eucharist, the source and summit of the Christian life.

MASK GUIDANCE FOR MASSES

- The Pennsylvania Department of Health ended its mask mandate as of Monday, June 28, 2021. **People who are not vaccinated from COVID-19, or are not fully vaccinated, are still strongly encouraged to wear masks indoors and outdoors when around others** but are no longer required to do so. This means that in the parishes and institutions of the Diocese of Scranton, there is no requirement for face coverings or masks. Signs will be posted at the entrances encouraging unvaccinated and those individuals particularly vulnerable to wear a mask in church.
- Any individual is welcome to continue wearing masks at Mass if desired for personal protection and/or comfort. Everyone is asked to be respectful of a person's choice to wear a face covering or mask in church.
- There will be no request by the parish regarding information about vaccination status to be admitted to the church.

OTHER IMPORTANT PROTOCOLS & SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

- Pews are no longer marked for physical distancing. We remind the faithful to continue to maximize the use of space as much as possible.
- Hand sanitizer will continue to be available in the church.
- The Sign of Peace will be celebrated without physical contact.
- The distribution of the Precious Blood remains suspended at this time.
- The Diocesan guidelines allow decisions to be made at the discretion of the individual parish regarding the following:
 - Altar servers may assist at Mass once again. Servers under the age of 18 will need parental permission.
 - Liturgical singing will be allowed – specifics to be determined.
 - Holy Water fonts will be refilled and utilized.

We will be implementing the return of these items in the coming weeks as the Pastoral Staff cautiously determine a timeline.

While ongoing progress is being made to address the spread of COVID-19 with vaccinations, the obligation to attend Sunday Mass and Masses on Holy Days remains suspended at this time. St. Ignatius Loyola Parish is excited to welcome everyone to join us in person for the celebration of Mass. We will proceed with caution to ensure our faithful will return with full confidence in their health and safety while at church.

Father Mosley, Deacon Gerry and Msgr. Tressler are excited to be welcoming our parishioners and friends back when you feel comfortable!

