



**Saint Ignatius Loyola Church
339 North Maple Avenue
Kingston, PA 18704**

May 10, 2020

MOTHER'S DAY 2020

Father Mosley and Monsignor Tressler wish to extend to all Mothers, Grandmothers, Godmothers, and Mother-like-Friends their sincerest best wishes for a blessed and enjoyable Mother's Day 2020. In a special way this year we hope all are staying safe and well.

PARISH UPDATES

All parishioners are to be informed that the celebration of funerals is suspended. The priests can do a grave side service, as long as CDC guidelines are followed. Memorial Masses can be scheduled once this crisis has subsided.

All parishioners are to be made aware that baptisms cannot be celebrated at this time.

All visitations to homes and hospitals are suspended unless there is an imminent danger of death. CDC guidelines must be followed.

OFFICE HOURS

The office is open Monday thru Friday from 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Please note the office is only open for phone calls. Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

LIVESTREAMED MASS FROM SAINT IGNATIUS

Once again, this Sunday, May 10, 2020 we will be livestreaming Mass. We plan to continue live streaming **each Sunday** from St. Ignatius Church at **10:30 AM**. The livestream can be accessed through our parish Facebook page www.facebook.com/stignatiuspa.

You will be able to pray with us live at 10:30 AM, but once the liturgy is completed, the video will be saved to our Facebook page for you to view at any time. Also, once the Mass is completed, the video will be posted on our parish website: www.stignatiuspa.com.

We all miss being able to gather together as a parish family to celebrate the Eucharist. Even though the videos may not be perfect, we hope that they will help you stay spiritually connected to St. Ignatius Loyola Parish. May the peace of the risen Christ remain with you and your families.

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

“Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.”

The Church encourages frequent, even daily, Holy Communion, but if at any time we cannot go to Mass in or out of this season of the coronavirus, we can still unite ourselves to the Eucharist through making a spiritual Communion.

By making an Act of Spiritual Communion, we express our faith in Christ’s Real Presence in the Eucharist and ask him to unite himself with us. Here is the Act of Spiritual Communion written by St. Alphonsus de Liguori:

My Jesus,
I believe that You
are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment
receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

E -OFFERING

Online giving is now available. Signing up is as simple as going to our Church website www.stignatiuspa.com and looking for the green computer mouse icon. That button will take you to the myEoffering page for our Church. Simply sign up and begin giving online today!

FAMILIES HELPING FAMILIES – THANK YOU!

A very grateful thank you for your contributions to the “Families Helping Families” Lenten Campaign. Though the campaign was cut short due to COVID-19, the proceeds totaled \$991.00. The proceeds will be shared by the St. Vincent De Paul Soup Kitchen and Al Beech Food Pantry. Your generosity is very much appreciated. God Bless!!

NIGHT AT THE RACES POSTPONED

The Night at the Races sponsored by the Holy Name Society has been postponed. A new date will be announced at a later time.

FATIMA DEVOTIONS AT OUR LADY OF VICTORY ON HARVEYS LAKE

This is the month of May...a month during which we remember the Blessed Virgin Mary in prayer...and ask her for her intercession. For the last 14 years, we have had the Fatima Devotions on the 13th of the month, from May until October. Over the years, hundreds of people have come to Our Lady of Victory to pray these prayers. Whether or not we are permitted to have people gather in the church or not, we will be live streaming the devotion on Wednesday, May 13th at 7:00 p.m. on our ‘Gate of Heaven & Our Lady of Victory’ Facebook page. There will be a link on our website, www.goholv.org There will be Fatima Prayer Packets available on this website by May 11th.

FINANCIAL UPDATE FOR SUNDAY, MAY 3, 2020

Sunday Tithe
\$9,564.00

Easter
\$1,050.00

E-Offerings
\$1,200.00

Total
\$11,814.00

Amount Needed
Each Week to
Meet Expenses
\$12,060.00

Father Mosley 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.

