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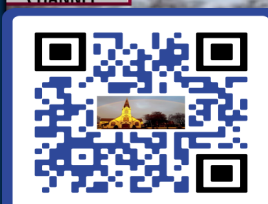
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WE BELIEVE

For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him might not perish but might have eternal life. (Jn.3:16)

WE WELCOME

With joy we welcome all to worship God. Let us lift up our minds, hearts and spirits to our loving and merciful God, from whom all good things come, and thank and praise Him.

WE WORSHIP

Weekend Mass Schedule Weekday Masses

Saturday:5:00 PM (Live) Monday - Friday

Sunday: 7:30 AM 7:00 AM

9:30 AM (Live) 9:00 AM (Live)

11 AM Saturday

12:30 PM 9:00 AM (Live)

5:00 PM (Spanish) (Live) 5:00 PM (Live)

Adoration: Monday to Saturday 9:30AM-3PM

Every Monday, except in July and August:

Adoration, Rosary & Scripture Study at 7:30PM

Every Friday:

Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3 PM. **(Live)**

Every First Wednesday:

Rosary to St. Joseph at 8:25 AM. **(Live)**

Every First Friday:

Holy Hour after 9:30AM Mass. **(Live)**

Every First Saturday:

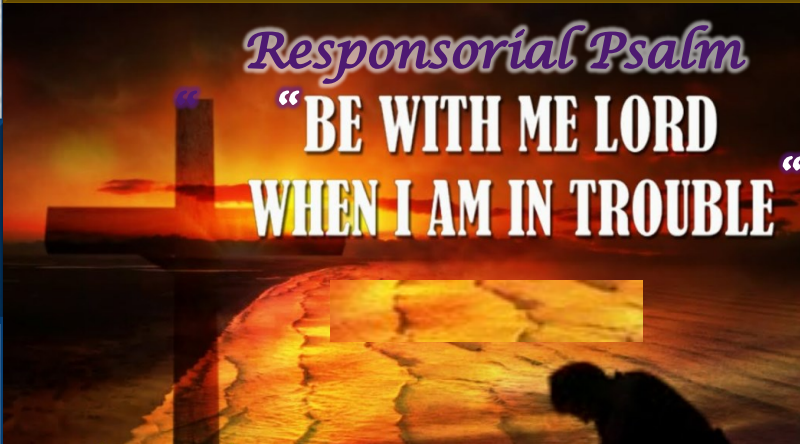
Rosary Meditation at 8:25 AM. **(Live)**

Holy Hour at 6 PM. To 7PM

March 6, 2022, First Sunday of Lent

Responsorial Psalm

“ BE WITH ME LORD WHEN I AM IN TROUBLE ”



WE SERVE

Confessions: Saturday 3:30pm to 4:30pm (English)

First Sunday :3:30pm to 4:30 pm (Spanish)

In the old school building or by appointment

Every First Saturday :6pm to 6.30pm (English)

In the Church

Baptism: Celebrated twice monthly (usually on the second and fourth Sunday). Call the Rectory Office for dates to register. Baptism preparation for new parents is on the 3rd Sunday of the month, following 12:30pm Mass. Please plan well in advance.

Marriage: Arrangements for weddings should be made at least 6months in advance, and prior to make reception arrangements. Pre-Cana Sessions are required for all couples planning to marry.

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Nourishment by Word of God and Body of Christ...

Sunday, March 6, 2022, First Sunday of Lent

Readings: 24:Dt 26:4-10, Rom 10:8-13, Lk 4:1-13

7:30AM Edward and Marian Kessler
 9:30AM Thomas Clark, 2nd Anniversary Remembrance
 Tom Goodwin (Living)
 Lilian Hernandez
 11:00AM Thomas Beglane
 12:30PM Parishioners of St Ignatius Loyola
 5PM Mass in Spanish

Monday, March 7, 2022, St. Perpetua and St. Felicity, Martyrs

Readings 224: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18, Mt 25:31-46
 7 AM Marietta Swift
 9AM Nivia Soto (Living) Birthday Blessings

Tuesday, March 8, 2022, St. John of God, Religious

Readings: 225: Is 55:10-11, Mt 6:7-15
 7 AM Carol Kamen Diaz
 9 AM Carol White

Wednesday, March 9, 2022, St. Frances of Rome

Readings: 226:Jon 3:1-10, Lk 11:29-32
 7 AM *
 9 AM Ellen White

Thursday, March 10, 2022

Readings: 227: Est C:12,14-16,23-25, Mt 7:7-12
 7 AM Jesse Gerhard—FDNY
 9 AM Frank M. Drasby

Friday, March 11, 2022

Readings: 228: Ez 18:21-28, Mt 5:20-26
 7 AM *
 9 AM Gertrude Smith

Saturday, March 12, 2022

Readings: 229: Dt 26:16-19, Mt 5:43-48
 9AM Francis and Arcangela Donovan
 5 PM John Moyer

Sunday, March 13, 2022, Second Sunday of Lent

Readings 27: Gn 15:5-12,17-18, Phil 3:17-4:1 or 3:20-4:1, Lk 9:28b-36
 7:30AM Josephine Kluck
 9:30AM Domenico and Anthony Ambrosio
 11:00AM Veronica Kenny 12 years in Heaven
 12:30PM Parishioners of St. Ignatius Loyola
 5PM Mass in Spanish

** If you see a Mass listed in the bulletin with no intention and you wish to remember a loved one (living or deceased) for their Birthday, wedding or anniversary of their passing, please call the rectory office to secure that date and time.*

Mass schedule for Saturday, March 12th & Sunday, March 13th (Subject to change)

Day	Time	Presider
Saturday	5pm	Fr. Francis
Sunday	7:30am	Fr. Benjamin
	9:30am	Fr. Shibi
	11am	Fr. Reid
	12:30pm	Fr. Shibi
Spanish	5pm	Fr. Cesar Bejarano

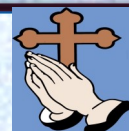
Jesus, The Bread of Life, nourish us. Amen. The Bread and Wine this week are offered for Thomas Clark From Corinne Clark, Children and Grandchildren



Jesus, Light of the World, lead us to eternity. Amen. The Candles this week are offered for M. Joseph From Mrs. Sheela Joseph and Family



Sacrificial Giving



Sunday, February 27, 2022	\$9,474
Maintenance	\$2,007
Sunday, February 28 2021	\$8,676

Thank you for your generosity. God Bless you all!

Pope Francis Intention for MARCH

For a Christian response to bioethical challenges

We pray for Christians facing new bioethical challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with prayer and action.



We Pray...

For our Sick

Jennifer Lentini, Carolyn Fitzgerald, Hurethya Nathan, Chuck Hoffman, Arthur Marks, Donovan Attridge, Antonio Esposito, Austin Contreras, Eleanor Sharp, Lou Ellen Klints, Aidan Lyons, Jane D’Amico, Carla Cruz, Miabella Laureano, Jeremiah Laureano, Terry Jenkins, Cathy Jansen, Cathy Stengle, Mary Ann Goldberg, Robert Genzale, James Mulligan, William Schrader, Angelique Cudarr, Magdalen Cesare, James Keough, Peggy Ryan, Maria Lucas, Jeffrey Ginsberg

Heavenly Father, we lift up all who are going through various sickness. Have compassion on them, and lay Your healing hands on them. We pray that You would restore their health, soothe their pain and ease their worries. Give them Your peace and comfort them as they wait. We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

Get well soon...

Names will be kept on the Prayer for the Sick List for three weeks, unless a



For our Birthday Celebrants of the month of March.

*Lisa Maria Ignatius, Nivia Soto
Tony Condron
May God bless you abundantly.*



For our dearly departed.

*Josephine Vaccaro
Jesus Eernesto Gutierrez Palma
Eleanor Schlick
Rev. John Fitzgerald*



Just as Jesus died and has risen again, so through Jesus, God will bring with Him those who have fallen asleep; and so also in Christ will all be brought to life.

Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord, and let the perpetual light shine upon them.

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

We pray for their mourning families also.

Merciful Father, comfort all those whose hearts overflow with grief, as they face this sense of loss. May they know the consolation of Your love. We ask this through Christ our Lord . Amen.



For our Military.



Almighty Father, give them courage and strength against all enemies, both spiritual and physical. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they do to protect this land and us. Keep them safe in Your loving hands .We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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With people of good will around the world, Catholics on Long Island watched in horror this week as war unfolded in Ukraine. Before the sights of such aggression and bloodshed, we turn to Our Lady, Queen of Peace, and invoke her intercession that a peaceful and just resolution be brought to this unnecessary and unjustifiable conflict. We pray that the people of Ukraine know again freedom and that the souls of those who have perished be brought quickly into God's kingdom of light.

In a particular way, we express our closeness in these days to the Ukrainian Catholic communities in the Diocese of Rockville Centre: the Churches of Saint Vladimir in Hempstead, Holy Family in Lindenhurst, and St. John the Baptist in Riverhead, as well as Basilian Fathers and Brothers at St. Josaphat's Monastery in Glen Cove. Our prayers are with these our brothers and sisters, who are our neighbors and friends, as they await news from Ukraine.



Bishop John O. Barres



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Clergy Corner



My dear St. Ignatius Parish family,

Now, as Russia deploys troops to Ukraine, let us trust in God and ask the Mother of God to intercede for Ukraine for an end to escalations and troop deployments. Let us unite with the Holy Father, Bishop John Barres, and people of faith for God's miraculous intervention to restore peace and conversion of the hearts of all involved. Thank you for your prayers and fasting on last Wednesday for Ukraine and let us dedicate all our sacrifices for world peace during this lent. Let us remember that there are innocent people on both sides of this conflict. As the world turns to war and destruction, let us call on these holy men and women of Ukraine, especially **Blessed Vasil Velischkovsky and the other 27 'new martyrs, St. Volodymyr, St. Olga, St. Anthony of the Caves, St. Josaphat, Sts. Cyril and Methodius,** and Holy Mother for their presence with suffering humanity especially with little innocent children who are exposed to situations of terror and horror during war.

Our Lady, venerated as Mother of God at Zarvanytsia, the "Place of Disruption," pray for the people of Ukraine.

In Jesus and Mary,
Fr. Shibi



March 6, 2022 | First Sunday of Lent

Dt 26:4-10 | Rom 10:8-13 | Lk 4:1-13

Written by
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DISCIPLE

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

If you are anything like me, you may still be deciding what to give up or do for Lent even though we're already five days in. I know ... "Stop procrastinating!" Today's readings can help us enter more deeply into this season of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. They are a reminder that Lent isn't primarily about us, as if it were a self-improvement project, but about taking the opportunity to go deeper into our relationship with God. Prayer, fasting, and almsgiving are ways of reducing distractions in our life and focusing on God's mercy, his sacrifice for us, and his generosity and love. I am one who likes to control things and make plans, so the readings challenge me to look beyond myself, beginning with prayer, and ask the Lord to help me grow in faith. Paul writes, "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." Jesus exemplifies this dependence on God, allowing himself to be led to the desert by the Spirit. Each time the devil tempts him, he responds and in turn shows us how to respond: by turning to God and God's words, the source of our strength. As we choose how to observe the next 35 days, we are reminded to ask God to help us find those things that help draw us closer to him.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

What comes to mind when you picture a desert? I imagine sand, heat, thirst. It's more challenging to examine the landscape of my personal desert - barren places of prayer or too much focus on the details of everyday life. Lent, however, presents a rich opportunity to pause and reprioritize our lives based on Jesus' words in today's Gospel: "You shall worship the Lord, your God, and him alone shall you serve." Prayer, fasting, and almsgiving can help us do that, reminding us of our dependence on God and helping us shift our focus from ourselves to God and others. How we observe and experience Lent will differ for each of us. Whatever our personal desert looks like, we can rest assured that God will help us find our way back to him.

ACCOMPANIMENT Find an accountability partner for Lent who can help you stay the course these next 40 days. Perhaps you can pray together each day, or simply send a text sharing how God is working in and through you in this penitential season.

QR Code for this Sunday's Readings & our Parish Prayer Book.

Weekend liturgy with reflection & prayer available on our website also.



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Thought of the week

"Every time you defeat a temptation, you become more like Jesus."



Saint quote ...

"Lent is the autumn of the spiritual life during which we gather fruit to keep us going for the rest of the year."

- St. Francis de Sales.



Lent is the time for greater love,
listen to Jesus' thirst...

'Repent and believe'

What are we to repent?
Our indifference, our hardness of heart.

What are we to believe?
Jesus thirsts even now, in your heart
and in the poor - He knows your weakness.

He wants only your love,
wants only the chance to love you.

St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

What to Give Up...

Give up complaining ...	focus on Gratitude
Give up pessimism ...	become an Optimist
Give up worry ...	trust Divine Providence
Give up bitterness ...	turn to Forgiveness
Give up hatred ...	return Good for evil
Give up negativism ...	be Positive
Give up anger ...	be More Patient
Give up pettiness ...	become Mature
Give up gloom ...	enjoy the Beauty all around you
Give up jealousy ...	pray for Trust
Give up gossiping ...	control your Tongue
Give up sin ...	turn to Virtue
Give up giving up ...	Hang in there!

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March 2022

One Minute Meditations

The Commandment imbalance

Of the Ten Commandments – God’s most important laws – only the first three address how we are to respect the Creator of the universe. The other seven detail how we are to treat each other. It is one more way God lets us know how very much He wants us to love one another.



Just adore

Do you ever run out of things to say during your prayer time? Or worse, do you ever get weary of saying the same things over and over? Why not just sit in silent adoration of the one who loves you more than you can imagine? What words can be better or more appropriate than that?

“Then you shall delight in the LORD, and I will make you ride on the heights of the earth; I will nourish you with the heritage of Jacob, your father, for the mouth of the Lord has spoken”
(Isaiah 58:14).



3 ways to become holier during Lent

Jesus said, a disciple *“when he is fully taught will be like his teacher”* (Luke 6:40). Lent is our chance to shed the worldly baggage that keeps us from becoming more like Christ. Consider these ideas for routing out sin and embracing virtue:

Remove the wooden beam. We delight in pointing out the sins and shortcomings of others. This is the sin of detraction, disclosing someone’s faults and failings to others without an objectively valid reason. We can use the season of Lent to search for our own faults and remove them instead.

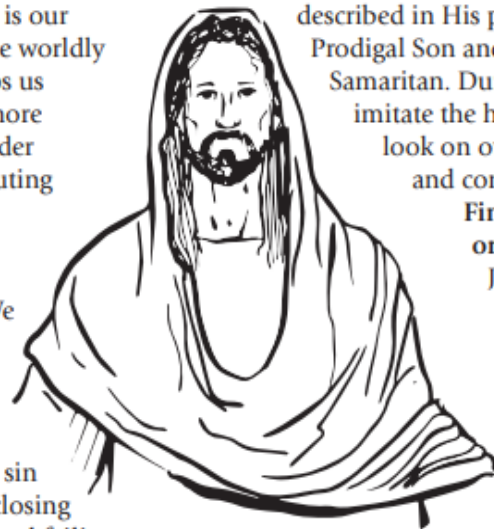
Look like Christ. Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI said that we all crave

being looked upon with love. Christ looks upon us with pure love, as described in His parables of the Prodigal Son and the Good Samaritan. During Lent, let’s imitate the heart of Christ and look on others with empathy and compassion.

Find the sacred in the ordinary. St.

Josemaria Escriva taught that there is a call to holiness that can be lived by sanctifying our everyday life. He said, “Carry out the little duties of each moment: do

what you ought and concentrate on what you are doing ... There is no other way, my daughters and sons: either we learn to find our Lord in ordinary, everyday life, or we shall never find Him.”



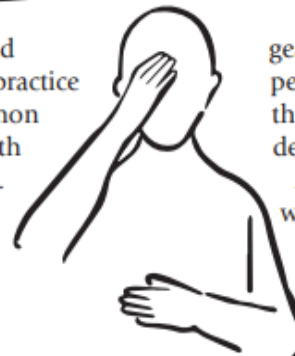
Why Do Catholics Do That?

Why do Catholics make the Sign of the Cross?

Back in the second century when this practice began, it was common to honor a ruler with a gesture of respect. Whether bowing down on one knee or touching the forehead, such

gestures were ritual ways to honor a person of great power. The Sign of the Cross became one such devotion to the Holy Trinity.

Now a prayer in itself, each time we make the Sign of the Cross we express respect for God and request His blessings for ourselves.



“Giving up” or “giving for?”

Lent implies deprivation and uncomfortable penances, but it can be more meaningful. Consider turning your offerings into gifts of gratitude for God’s gifts:

Give time in prayer: God, who created the universe, wants to spend time with you. Whether it’s reading Scripture, praying the Rosary, or attending daily Mass, know that God is delighted you’re spending time with Him, and will give you all the graces you need to stay close to Him.

Give small gifts with great love: St. Therese of Lisieux was expert at turning small sacrifices into



powerful deeds by her love. Our Lenten sacrifices, entrusted to God, do immense good that we’ll see fully in Heaven. Whoever knew that our simple Lenten offerings can be part of God’s saving work?

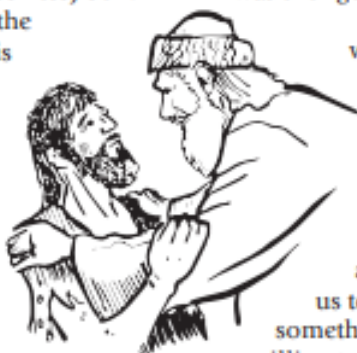
Give half your cloak: According to legend, St. Martin of Tours gave half of his cloak to a cold beggar. That night, Jesus appeared to St. Martin in a dream, wearing the cloak. When we serve others, it is Jesus who ultimately receives our gift.

from **S**cripture

Luke 15:1-3, 11-32, The Father’s heart

In this Gospel reading, Jesus told the story of the Prodigal (or reckless) Son. It goes like this. One day, the younger son demanded his father to give him his share of the estate. He left to squander it far from home.

When his money was gone, his situation grew desperate and he returned to his father, humbled and asking for mercy. The father was overjoyed to have his son back and threw a huge party. The older son, however, resented his brother’s welcome and complained to his father that he didn’t get a reward to celebrate



his obedience—and he was the “good one!”

Jesus promised that when we approach God with a truly repentant heart, we can always come home. It’s not that God wants us to feel bad, but, like any parent, he wants us to understand we did something wrong and be willing to change. Through this parable, Jesus shows us that God is a loving, generous Father whose deepest nature is merciful, forgiving love. We are reminded that we can always come home.

Q How can I get & over my fear **A** of Confession?

For many Catholics, going to Confession is unsettling. Facing and admitting our faults to another person – even in a confidential setting – is uncomfortable, even painful. In this



case, the priest is acting in the person of God and it takes courage and humility to present ourselves before God. In Confession we say to God, “Please forgive me

for intentionally rejecting You and Your love.”

If you feel uncomfortable while waiting in the Confession line, it’s a good sign. It means your conscience is healthy and working. Remember that God sees us standing in line and He is ready to welcome us back. He isn’t angry or brooding, or smug because our poor choices proved He was right. In fact, when we are sincerely repentant, He and all of heaven celebrate because we’re returning to Him (Luke 15:10). When the priest says the words of absolution, imagine God embracing you, saying, “My child, your sins are forgiven you...Go and sin no more.” We receive powerful graces, and are asked to make amends where possible. Rejoice in the chance to start again.

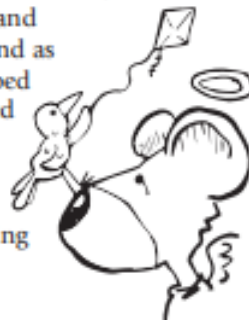
Feasts & Celebrations

March 2 – Ash Wednesday. First day of Lent. Ashes from burnt palms are placed on the forehead as a sign of penance. Ash Wednesday is a day of abstinence from meat and fasting – one regular meal and two smaller meals that together don’t equal a full meal.

March 5 – St. John Joseph of the Cross (1734). St. John joined a group of Franciscans called the Reform of St. Peter of Alcantara. Despite his elevated position and spiritual gifts, he remained humble, doing menial tasks around the monastery.

March 8 – St. John of God (1550). Originally, St. John was a soldier known for his violence and immorality. After nearly dying in battle, he converted and dedicated his life to serving the poor and sick.

March 17 – St. Patrick of Ireland (c.461). Born in Scotland, St. Patrick was kidnapped and brought to Ireland as a slave. He escaped but later returned to become the bishop of Ireland and is credited for having established the Church there.



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Happenings

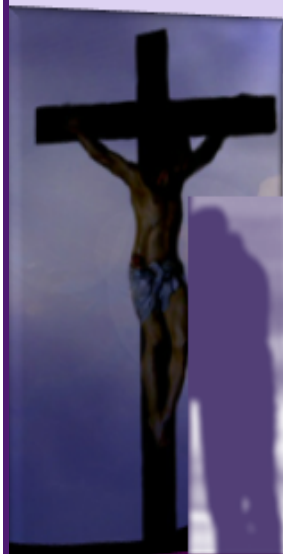
Leaning into God: A Lenten Day of Prayer for the Ignatian Year

The day will introduce participants to various aspects of Ignatian prayer and will include time for silent prayer and discussion.

Light Refreshments and Lunch (12pm to 1pm) included.

Adoration and Confession 3:30-4:30PM

Concludes with Sunday Vigil Mass at 5:00PM by Fr. George Witt SJ



Saturday, March 19, 2022

10AM-3:30 PM



Presenter: Fr. George Witt, SJ

Fr. Witt currently serves as Assistant Novice Director for the East Coast Jesuit Province. Formerly, he served as Director of the Office of Ignatian Spirituality and Pastor of St. Ignatius Loyola Parish in NYC.



Please RSVP for the Retreat no later than March 14th, by submitting the form online on our website, or by returning the form below to the Rectory, or by calling the office at 931-0056

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Attendees: _____



One of the many visible traditions and penitential practices observed during the season of Lent, is the complete absence of flower decorations in the church, and from Easter Sunday onwards they are kept again to represent new life with the resurrection of Christ. *So there should be no flowers and plants brought into the Church or Chapel during the season of Lent which begins on Ash Wednesday (March 2) and until after Easter (April 17).* Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

ALL FOR THE GREATER GLORY OF GOD. *St. Ignatius of Loyola*
We invite...

Mark Your Calendars
UPCOMING EVENTS



March 7 Monday		An hour of praying the Rosary and Gospel Reflections for the coming Sunday in front of the Blessed Sacrament at 7.30pm	
March 11 Friday		Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3pm. (Live) Stations of the Cross at 7pm in English (Live) and at 8pm in Spanish (Live)	

Join



You still have time to enter and win in the **St. Ignatius Lucky Draw Club**.

The **St. Ignatius Lucky Draw Club's** year runs from September 1, 2021 to August 31, 2022. Drawings are monthly, (September thru July). The monthly prizes awarded are, first prize **\$100**, second prize **\$75** and third prize **\$50**. In August 2022, we will have a drawing for our grand prizes. First place grand prize is \$1,500, Second place grand prize is \$1,000 and the Third place grand prize is \$750.

The cost of the membership is **\$50 per entry** and you can join as many times as you wish (at **\$50 per entry**). We hope that you will become a member and encourage family members, relatives, friends, business associates, etc. to join the Club. If you need additional forms, you may make copies of the entry form below or pick up additional copies in the Rectory office.

Complete the form below for each membership and return it with your **\$50 payment(s)**. Your check should be made payable to St. Ignatius Loyola Church. You may mail the form to the Rectory at 129 Broadway, Hicksville, NY 11801, drop it off at the Rectory office or put it in the collection basket as soon as possible for your chance win.

Winners are announced the last Sunday of each month in the Parish bulletin, so simply join the **St. Ignatius Lucky Draw Club** and look for your name.

You have always been very generous with your support through the years. May God bless you for your continued generosity.

If you have any questions, please contact **Diane Del Priore** at ddelpriore813@gmail.com or (917) 923-1541.

Name:
Home Address:
Email Address:
Phone:

Parish Human Service Center

We continue to thank all of you who have been so generous with your donations to the Pantry.

Human Services is always in need of food. Our pantry is low on these items:

Peanut butter (16 oz. size), jellies, canned vegetables including green beans, kernel corn, carrots, mixed vegetables, and cans of black beans. We are especially low on spaghetti, pasta sauce and cereals! Again, thank you so much for your generosity.

Donations can be left in the baskets located in the vestibules of the church or brought directly to us at Human Services on Mondays, Tuesdays or Thursdays between 9:30 am and 5 pm (we're closed for lunch from 12 noon to 1 pm on those days). Your donations help to feed some of our neighbors!

Joe Samodulski



Divorced or Separated Catholics of Long Island

Including Widows, Widowers and Singles

A SOCIAL ORGANIZATION FOR
SINGLE PERSONS

New Member Orientation Meeting

When: Tuesday, March 15th at 7:00PM

Where: ST. Frances Columbus Club,
1869 Wantagh Ave Wantagh, NY 11793
(Parking in the rear of building)

Non-denominational. ALL ARE WELCOME.

Bring proof of single status to join.

Annual dues \$30.

Refreshments following the meeting.

Proof of vaccination or
a recent negative test required.

For further information,
please call also to verify there will be a meeting -
Angel at 631-574-0368 or Janet 516-579-4016

When: Sunday, March 20, 2022

Where: Joseph Barry, 45 Heitz Place



Doors open at 12:30 p.m. –

Games begin at 1:00 p.m.

\$10.00 per person

Includes Coffee, Tea and Snacks

RAFFLES AND PRIZES -50/50

FOR RESERVATIONS:

email SueSarandis@gmail.com or

call Kathy at (516) 932-4522

Make checks payable to Joseph Barry Columbiettes

Holy Family Parish



News!!!!

Holy Family Thrift Shop
(17 Fordham Ave., Hicksville)

will be accepting donations

from March 1st to 31st ONLY.

Please drop off your donations at the

O'Dea Center (building next to the Church)

on **Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Thursdays**
from 10am to 3pm.

Gently used and clean clothing, small household items,
and accessories are most welcomed.

**WE CANNOT ACCEPT FURNITURE, BOOKS,
TOYS, or STUFFED ANIMALS!!!**

We plan to reopen the Thrift Shop after Easter unless
COVID restrictions deem otherwise.



First Sunday of Lent







Bulletin Reflection: In today's Gospel, Jesus teaches that we should not be so quick to judge others. We should look at our own sins and shortcomings, and see how we can become closer to God.

Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Service:

This week do something nice for someone in your family. Offer that good deed to God as thanksgiving for all He has done for you.

Family Lent Calendar 2022

 = a day of fasting and abstinence
 = a day of abstinence from meat

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>"Lent is the liturgical season of forty days which begins with Ash Wednesday and ends with the celebration of the Paschal Mystery (Easter Triduum). Lent is the primary penitential season in the Church's liturgical year, reflecting the forty days Jesus spent in the desert fasting and praying" (<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>).</p>	Monday	Tuesday March	Wednesday <i>Ash Wednesday</i>	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
6 Adopt a Lenten saint to be your family's patron. Learn about them and find ways to imitate their virtues.	7 Place a crucifix or picture of Jesus in a central place to keep the focus on him.	8 Enjoy pretzels, a traditional Lenten food. Originally, their shape evoked arms folded in prayer.	9 Tonight, pray a decade of the Rosary together for the Church.	10 Have everyone choose a daily prayer to offer for your parish priest(s). Send him a card with everyone's promises.	11  Today, give up playing video games and spend time together instead.	12 Bring a box of canned goods, clothing, toiletries, and gently used toys to a homeless shelter.
13 Explain today's homily in a way children can understand. Come up with a family resolution for this week.	14 Peace starts at home. Resolve to say only positive, kind things today.	15 Today, forego a favorite snack for those who can't afford to snack.	16 Talk about what you would say to Jesus if He came to your house to visit.	17 <i>St. Patrick's Day</i> In St. Patrick's honor, light a candle and pray for Catholic missions in other countries.	18  Call Catholic Relief Services (877-HELP-CRS, www.catholicrelief.org) to see how you can help.	19 <i>St. Joseph's Day</i> St. Joseph protected the Holy Family from danger. Pray for the safety of families around the world.
20 After Mass, light a candle, and recite the Apostle's Creed as an affirmation of faith.	21 Bring cookies to a nearby nursing home.	22 Pray for victims of violence and war in the world.	23 Apologize to someone you hurt. Forgive someone who hurt you.	24 At dinner, have everyone name two things they are thankful to God for.	25  <i>Family Fun Night</i> Instead of watching a movie, pull out a board game or make up your own.	26 In honor of the Holy Family, encourage everyone to do one extra chore around the house.
27 <i>Laetare Sunday</i> Have a special meal at home or a restaurant to celebrate the half-way point through Lent.	28 Take stock of how your Lenten fasts are going, and refresh your commitment to them.	29 Practice patience with each other. When it gets difficult, recall how patient God is with us.	30 Make up thank-you cards for the healthcare workers at your local hospital.	31 Have children draw a heart one way they experience Jesus' love, and on the back, draw how they can show love.	1 April  Encourage each family member to perform an examination of conscience.	2 Go to Confession or attend a Reconciliation Service. Then go out afterwards to celebrate forgiveness.
3 At church today, pray for someone who passed away or who needs special help.	4 In today's Gospel, Jesus says, "I am the Light of the world" (John 8:12). Light a candle and pray for world peace.	5 Send a card to someone who might need cheering today.	6 Pray an extra prayer together for everyone coming into the Church at Easter.	7 At dinner, go around the table and share one way you experienced God's love.	8  Today, give up a favorite toy or game, just for Jesus.	9 Take 10 minutes and pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy together. You can find it here: www.usccb.org/prayers
10 <i>Palm Sunday</i> Have a Palm Sunday procession around your house and place the palms around the images of Jesus.	11 This week, try to limit screen time. No texting at dinner, during prayer, and after 10:00 PM.	12 Ask each family member to write a letter to Jesus thanking him for his sacrifice on the Cross.	13 Open the jar of "Good deed" jelly beans and enjoy!"	14 <i>Holy Thursday</i> Today, make a short visit to the Blessed Sacrament in church. Pray for priests.	15 <i>Good Friday</i> Pray the Stations of the Cross today, and meditate on each one. 	16 <i>Holy Saturday</i> Dress a doll in a white garment and talk about the Baptismal vows we renew each year.



During this season of conversion, let us renew our faith, draw from the “living water” of hope, and receive with open hearts the love of God, who makes us brothers and sisters in Christ. -- Pope Francis

Dear Parishioners:

As we begin the Lenten season, we are mindful of the three holy principles of Lent: prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Today, I would like to focus on almsgiving. When we give alms, we are not only thinking of our neighbor, but we are also thinking of God and all the blessings He has generously given to us. Sharing these blessings to help others, enables us to fulfill our baptismal call to be missionary disciples. In doing so, together we *build a community of faith, hope and love, the theme of this year’s Catholic Ministries Appeal.*

Here in the Diocese of Rockville Centre, we are given a wonderful opportunity to give alms through our gifts to the Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA). The CMA calls together all of the parishes on Long Island to help raise funds to support our faith community and ensure that it will be vibrant for generations to come.

Your support of the CMA ensures that the ministries will have the funds they need to strengthen *dramatic missionary growth on Long Island and beyond. Ministries that include Faith formation of our seminarians, deacons, lay leaders, young adult and youth ministry and our children in religious education classes; Respect Life initiatives; Catholic Charities affordable housing for seniors and people with disabilities, substance abuse programs, food programs and parish social ministry support. There are so many other vital programs that as a parish we could never accomplish alone. More than 600,000 are served by the CMA, each year. Additionally, since the pandemic, extended programs have been created to serve those in most need and virtual programs have been established.*

I ask you to please join me and all Catholics within our diocese to become *One Family in Mission spreading faith, hope and love to all those in need on our Island. Please prayerfully consider making a gift to the Catholic Ministries Appeal to the best of your ability. Every gift matters, no matter the size. Please remember that 100% of every dollar raised is restricted to fund the objectives, programs, and mission supported by the Catholic Ministries Appeal.*

May God bless you, your loved ones, and our parish as we begin our Lenten journey.

Every gift counts and makes a difference in the lives of others! THANK YOU!!

Make checks payable to: Catholic Ministries Appeal		
Parish _____	Pledge:	\$ _____
Name _____	Down payment:	\$ _____
Address _____		
City, State, Zip: _____		
Phone: _____	Signature: _____	Date: _____

To donate, you can also visit drvc.org/CMA or call us at 516-678-5800 ext. 296 Thank You!



En este tiempo de conversión renovemos nuestra fe, saciemos nuestra sed con el “agua viva” de la esperanza y recibamos con el corazón abierto el amor de Dios que nos convierte en hermanos y hermanas en Cristo. -- Papa Francisco

Estimados Feligreses,

Al iniciar el tiempo de cuaresma, recordemos las tres prácticas cuaresmales: La oración, el ayuno y la caridad. Quisiera enfocarme en esta última, la caridad. Cuando ayudamos no sólo lo hacemos pensando en la persona necesitada sino también pensando en Dios y en las muchas bendiciones que Él generosamente nos ha concedido. Cuando compartimos nuestras bendiciones cumplimos con el llamado que recibimos en nuestro bautizo: el convertirnos en discípulos misioneros. De esa manera, juntos podemos *construir una comunidad de fe, esperanza y amor, que es el lema de la Campaña de Apoyo a los Ministerios Católicos de este año.*

La Diócesis de Rockville Centre nos ofrece la oportunidad de ser caritativos y solidarios con el prójimo haciendo un donativo a favor de Campaña de Apoyo a los Ministerios Católicos (CMA por sus siglas en inglés). La Campaña convoca a todas las parroquias de Long Island a recaudar fondos que sostendrán nuestra comunidad de fe y asegurará su continuidad para las generaciones venideras.

Con su donativo a favor la Campaña podremos sostener ministerios que fortalecerán el *dramático crecimiento misionero aquí en Long Island y en áreas vecinas. Los Ministerios que la Campaña sostiene son los de Formación de fe de nuestros seminaristas, diáconos, líderes laicos, adultos jóvenes, y pastoral juvenil, así como de nuestros niños que asisten a clases de educación religiosa. También las iniciativas de Respeto a la Vida, los programas de Caridades Católicas de vivienda asequible para ancianos y personas con discapacidades, programas de rehabilitación por abuso de drogas, programas de alimentación y de alcance social parroquiales. Todos son programas vitales que nosotros como parroquia por sí solos no podríamos ofrecer. Cada año la Campaña ha ayudado a más de 600,000 personas. Además, a raíz de la pandemia, tuvimos que adaptar y crear programas de asistencia, así como programas virtuales.*

Los invito a que, como católicos, miembros de nuestra diócesis, juntos trabajemos como *Una Familia con una Misión para difundir la fe, la esperanza y el amor a todos aquellos que más lo necesitan aquí en Long Island. En profunda oración considere hacer un donativo a favor de la Campaña de Apoyo a los Ministerios Católicos. Todos los donativos -grandes o pequeños- son importantes. Recuerde que el 100% de lo recaudado se usa única y exclusivamente para sostener los programas y la misión de los ministerios de la Campaña.*

Que Dios lo bendiga a usted y a su familia al comenzar esta cuaresma.

Escriba su cheque pagadero a: **Catholic Ministries Appeal**

Mi Parroquia _____ Mi donativo total \$ _____

Mi Nombre _____ Cuota Inicial \$ _____

Mi Dirección _____

Ciudad, Estado, Código Postal: _____

Teléfono: _____ Firma: _____ Fecha: _____

También puede hacer su donativo en <https://www.drvc.org/CMA/> o llámenos al 516-678-5800 ext. 296. ¡Muchas Gracias!



Con personas de buena voluntad en todo el mundo, los católicos de Long Island observaron con horror esta semana cómo se desarrollaba la guerra en Ucrania. Ante el espectáculo de tanta agresión y derramamiento de sangre, nos dirigimos a Nuestra Señora, Reina de la Paz, e invocamos su intercesión para que se lleve una solución pacífica y justa a este innecesario e injustificable conflicto. Oramos para que el pueblo de Ucrania vuelva a conocer la libertad y que las almas de los que han perecido sean llevadas rápidamente al reino de luz de Dios.

De manera particular, expresamos nuestra cercanía en estos días a las comunidades católicas ucranianas en la Diócesis de Rockville Centre: Las Iglesias de San Vladimir en Hempstead, Sagrada Familia en Lindenhurst y San Juan Bautista en Riverhead, así como Basilian Padres y Hermanos en el Monasterio de San Josafat en Glen Cove. Nuestras oraciones están con nuestros hermanos y hermanas, que son nuestros vecinos y amigos, ya que reciben noticias de Ucrania.



Bishop John O. Barres



DIOCESE of ROCKVILLE CENTRE

Rincón de Clero



Mi querida familia de San Ignacio,

Ahora que Rusia desplegó tropas en Ucrania, confiemos en Dios y pidamos a la Madre de Dios que interceda por Ucrania para que cese la escalada y el despliegue de tropas. Unámonos con el Santo Padre, el obispo John Barres, y la gente de fe por la intervención milagrosa de Dios para restaurar la paz y la conversión de los corazones de todos los involucrados. Gracias por sus oraciones y ayuno el miércoles pasado por Ucrania y dediquemos todos nuestros sacrificios por la paz mundial durante esta Cuaresma. Recordemos que hay personas inocentes en ambos lados de este conflicto. A medida que el mundo se vuelve hacia la guerra y la destrucción, llamemos a estos hombres y mujeres santos de Ucrania, especialmente al Beato Vasil Velisschkovsky y a los otros 27 nuevos mártires, San Volodymyr, Santa Olga, San Antonio de las Cuevas, San Josafat, Santos Cirilo y Metodio, y la Santa Madre por su presencia con la humanidad que sufre, especialmente con los pequeños niños inocentes que están expuestos a situaciones de terror y horror durante la guerra.

Nuestra Señora, venerada como Madre Zarvanytsia, el “Lugar de la Interrupción”, ruega por el pueblo de Ucrania.

En Jesús y María,
P.Shibi

I Domingo de Cuaresma — Ciclo C

COMUNIDAD HISPANA

Evangelio del Domingo

Lectura del santo evangelio según san Lucas (4,1-13):



En aquel tiempo, Jesús, lleno del Espíritu Santo, volvió del Jordán y durante cuarenta días, el Espíritu lo fue llevando por el desierto, mientras era tentado por el diablo. Todo aquel tiempo estuvo sin comer, y al final sintió hambre. Entonces el diablo le dijo: "Si eres Hijo de Dios, dile a esta piedra que se convierta en pan." Jesús le contestó: "Está escrito: No sólo de pan vive el hombre". Después, llevándole a lo alto, el diablo le mostró en un instante todos los reinos del mundo y le dijo: "Te daré el poder y la gloria de todo eso, porque a mí me lo han dado, y yo lo doy a quien quiero. Si tú te arrodillas delante de mí, todo será tuyo."

Jesús le contestó: "Está escrito: Al Señor, tu Dios, adorarás y a él solo darás culto".

Entonces lo llevó a Jerusalén y lo puso en el alero del templo y le dijo: Si eres Hijo de Dios, tírate de aquí abajo, porque está escrito: "Encargaré a los ángeles que cuiden de ti", y también:

"Te sostendrán en sus manos, para que tu pie no tropiece con las piedras".

Jesús le contestó: Está mandado: "No tentarás al Señor, tu Dios". Completadas las tentaciones, el demonio se marchó hasta otra ocasión.

Palabra del Señor

Gloria a ti Señor Jesus

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MISA EN ESPAÑOL DOMINGOS

5:00pm.

Invita un amigo, un familiar, un vecino.

**¡Dios te recompensará!
PARA BAUTIZOS**

Por favor comuníquese con la rectoría. El teléfono y los horarios están disponibles en la primera página del boletín.

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Agradecemos a los catequistas y líderes de los grupos y movimientos por su gran servicio a Dios y a la comunidad.

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SERVIMOS A DIOS

PASTOR: Rev. Shibi Pappan

DIACONADO: Mario y Dora Gómez
José y Judith Contreras.

Horario de rectoría con español Asistencia

Martes y jueves de 9a 5.

PRÓXIMOS EVENTOS

Marzo 11
Viernes



Vía Crucis a las 8pm (Live)

Liturgia dominical disponible en nuestro sitio web

PROPÓSITOS SEMANALES DE CUARESMA
 (PARA QUIENES AÚN NO HAN EMPEZADO A VIVIRLA)

LUN
REZA
 OFRECE ESTA SEMANA COMO SACRIFICIO AL SEÑOR

MAR
DA
 ENTREGA LOS DONES QUE DIOS TE HA DADO A LOS DEMÁS

MIÉ
AGRADECE
 DA GRACIAS A QUIEN TE HAYA MOSTRADO LA BONDAD DE DIOS

JUE
SIRVE
 PIENSA EN LOS DEMÁS Y FÍJATE EN LO QUE NECESITEN

VIE
ABSTENTE
 NO SOLO DE CARNE, SINO DE TODO LO QUE TE ALEJE DE JESÚS

SAB
CALLA
 SÉ PRUDENTE, VIVE EL SILENCIO INTERIOR Y EXTERIOR

DOM
REFLEXIONA
 PIENSA EN CÓMO HAS VIVIDO ESTA SEMANA Y CÓMO MEJORAR

“POR LO TANTO, YA COMAN, BEBAN O HAGAN LO QUE SEA, HÁGANLO TODO PARA GLORIA DE DIOS.”
 1 COR 10,31



Orar por la paz en el mundo

Orar por la paz en Ucrania

Santo Via Crucis

Camino de la Cruz

A donde he de llamar sino a la puerta de ese Corazón Sagrado, a través del cual Dios viene a nosotros, y por mi

Todos los Viernes durante la Cuaresma

En la Iglesia

Invita a un amigo@



Grupo de Oración Carismático

GRUPO DE ORACION
SAN IGNACIO DE LOYOLA

Les invita a participar de nuestra asamblea de oración, alabanzas, adoración y enseñanzas que cada semana nos une como comunidad y nos ayudan a acercarnos más a Dios y desarrollar la vida en el Espíritu.

Nos reunimos todos los Viernes del mes excepto el primer Viernes de cada mes, empezando a 6:30PM. con el Santo Rosario

Lugar: Iglesia San Ignacio de Loyola

Cada Viernes Dios tiene una bendición especial para ti!
Te esperamos!!



Youth Ministry

SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Join us every Friday at 7:00PM

for our in-person meeting. You may contact us at: scjacksonville@gmail.com for more information about meeting!!!

HAVE FUN WHILE GROWING IN FAITH
 (AGES 14 and up)