

# St. Ignatius of Loyola Catholic Church

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Parish Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

## Seventh Sunday of Easter

June 1, 2025



"And behold I am sending the promise of my Father upon you; but stay in the city until you are clothed with power from the on high." Then he led them out as far as Bethany, raised his hands, and blessed them. As he blessed them he parted from them and was taken up to heaven. Luke 24:49-51

## "The Week at a Glance" for May 31 ~ June 8, 2025

Saturday, May 31 - *The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

4:15 - 4:45 pm ~ Confessions ~ Pastor's Office, parish center

5:00 pm ~ Mass

Sunday, June 1 ~ *Seventh Sunday of Easter*

8:00 am ~ Mass

10:30 am ~ Mass

Monday, June 2 ~ *Sts. Marcellinus and Peter*

10:00 am ~ Daily Mass

Tuesday, June 3 ~ *St. Charles Lwanga and Companions*

10:00 am ~ Daily Mass

10:45 am ~ Spiritual Reflection Group, conference room

Wednesday, June 4 ~ *Easter Weekday*

NO Daily Mass

Thursday, June 5 ~ *St. Boniface*

5:00 pm ~ Mass

Friday, June 6 ~ *St. Norbert*

10:00 am ~ Daily Mass

Saturday, June 7 - *Easter Weekday*

4:15 - 4:45 pm ~ Confessions ~ Pastor's Office, parish center

5:00 pm ~ Mass

Sunday, June 8 ~ *Pentecost Sunday*

8:00 am ~ Mass

10:30 am ~ Mass

2nd Collection: Pentecost Collection

Breakfast after Masses, help support Quo Vadis Days

God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord



***Pastor's Notes - June 1, 2025***

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

**A Reflection**

A mantra is a sacred utterance repeated over and over as a way of freeing the mind of all distractions in order to enter into the Presence of God.

**Mantras**

I love you Jesus, my love, grant that I may love you always, and then do with me as you will.  
In the early hours of the morning, I think of you, O Lord.  
God Alone is enough!  
You are my allotted portion and my cup. You it is who holds fast my lot.  
Jesus, son of the Living God, have mercy on me a sinner.  
I am – In God  
God, come to my assistance, Lord make haste to help me.  
O Lord, open my lips and my mouth shall declare your praise  
Wisdom of God, be with me, always at work in me.  
Be still and know that I am God.  
As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord

In His Peace,  
Father Bill



Once a man was asked, “What did you gain by regularly praying to God?” The man replied, “Nothing... but let me tell you what I lost; anger, ego, greed, depression, insecurity, and fear of death.” Sometimes, the answer to our prayers is not gaining but losing, which ultimately is the gain. ~Amen~

The Celebration of the Holy Eucharist for May/June

- Saturday 31 5:00 pm + Edna Redding
- Sunday 1 8:00 am - Our Parish Family
- 10:30 am + Mary Jane Kump
- Monday 2 10:00 am + Brenda Althoff
- Tuesday 3 10:00 am + Charlotte Leer
- Wednesday 4 10:00 am No Mass
- Thursday 5 5:00 pm + Dick Mountfort
- Friday 6 10:00 am - Special Intention for Laura Oladosu
- Saturday 7 5:00 pm + Berneda & Franklin Walter and son
- Sunday 8 8:00 am + Joseph Deardorff
- 10:30 am - Our Parish Family



**Parishioner  
BINGO**

**Monday, June 23**

All parishioners are invited following the  
**10:00 am Mass**

**IT'S ALL FREE**  
Fellowship, Bingo Games,  
Prizes and Desserts.

For information contact Sue Switzer  
at 717-253-8391



**Sanctuary Candles**

The Sanctuary candle is open for the month of June. If you would like to sponsor one or both of the candles, the cost is \$25.00 per candle for the month.  
To sponsor check with the parish office Tuesday –Thursday.



**Dates to Remember**

- June 6 - Holy Hour, 3:00 pm
  - 7 - Knights of Columbus, 9:15 am
  - 8 - Breakfast, benefits Quo Vadis Days
  - 9 - Dedicated Widow Blessing, after Mass
  - 13-15 - Women's Retreat, Mt. St. Mary's
  - August 1-3 - C.C. Men's Retreat
  - 18-22 - Picnic Work Week
  - 23 - Annual Buchanan Valley Picnic
  - October 5, 6 & 7 - 40 Hours (note change of date)
- Please let Sue know if you need to add any date.

**Blessing**



Are you interested in a Blessing to be a Dedicated Widow, and the wedding ring from your spouse blessed?

Entrust yourself as a Dedicated Widow to the Blessed Virgin Mary on the memorial of BVM Mother of the Church after the 10am Mass on Monday, June 9th. For more information, and any concerns or questions you may have, please call Mary Rebshcer, 7717-677-7201. Thank you and God Bless.

**E-mail Address**

Over the years lists have changed. We are adjusting the parish group e-mailing list. You may think you're already on that list but may have been deleted or a new list started. If you would like to be part of that mass e-mailing (for church events, dinners, picnic work night, etc..) contact office.

The Pilgrim Cross continues to move around the parish and families to pray for vocations. If you would like to request the materials for your use for a certain date, please contact Amy Thomas - 717-339-7933 or amyboyerthomas@gmail.com.

**Scriptural Reflections Group**

We welcome all to join our warm fellowship and to grow in your Christian faith. We meet Tuesday after the 10:00 morning Mass in the conference room.

For more information contact  
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