

St. Ignatius of Loyola Catholic Church

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Most Rev. Timothy C. Senior
Bishop of Harrisburg

Rev. Joseph R. Howard
Pastor

Deacon Steve Huete
Parish Manager

Parish Office Hours:
Tuesday ~ Thursday
9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Weekend Masses
Saturday Vigil - 5:00 pm
Sunday - 8:00 & 10:30 am

Confessions
4:15-4:45 pm
(parish center)
Or By Appointment

Daily Masses
Mon, Tues, Fri - 10:00 am
Thurs - 5:00 pm

Holy Days of Obligation
See Bulletin



July 20, 2025

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"The Week at a Glance" for July 19 ~ 27, 2025

Saturday, July 19 ~ Weekday in Ordinary

11:00 am ~ Patricia Oylar Funeral Mass

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

5:00 pm ~ Mass + Bob & Bobbie Grab

Sunday, July 20 ~ Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am ~ Mass - Our Parish Family

10:30 am ~ Mass + Jim & Deloris Gilbert

Collection: Local Poor

Monday, July 21 ~ St. Lawrence of Brindisi

10:00 am ~ Daily Mass + Paul Sigmund

Tuesday, July 22 ~ St. Mary Magdalene

10:00 am ~ Daily Mass - Mr. & Mrs. Ryan Morris

10:45 am ~ Spiritual Reflection Group, conference room

7:00 PM ~ Knights of Columbus Officer's Meeting, Lower Loyola

Wednesday, July 23 ~ St. Bridget

NO Daily Mass

Thursday, July 24 ~ St. Sharbel Makluf

5:00 pm ~ Daily Mass + Andy Consiglio

Friday, July 25 ~ St. James, Apostle

10:00 am ~ Daily Mass + Fred Dietsch

Saturday, July 26 ~ Sts. Joachim and Anne

11:00 am ~ Ray Doxzen Funeral Mass

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

5:00 pm ~ Mass + Geraldine Deardorff

Sunday, July 27 ~ Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

World Grandparent & Elderly Day

8:00 am ~ Mass - Our Parish Family

10:30 am ~ Mass + Francis Bittle

Missionary Co-op Weekend at all Masses

The Sanctuary Candles for July

*In Loving Memory of
Jim & Deloris Gilbert
From their Children*

*In Loving Memory of
Martha Clapsaddle
From Dennis Kump*



He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord



PICNIC Raffle Tickets are here!

If you have not yet picked up tickets, they are located in the Narthex.
\$5.00 each or 3 for \$10.00
Sell to family, friends, neighbors, passersby.
This Raffle is all profit to the parish.



Needed: Raffle Ticket Peddler

Raffle ticket sales – walk around the grounds to sell tickets for the sponsored drawing (tickets above).
If you can help please contact
Betsy Kane @ 717-334-4811

Sat., August 23

Work Schedule coming out soon!

Please try to attend our work nights.
Many hands
makes lite work for everyone!

Roving Raffles



WELCOME NEW PARISHIONER'S

If you are "NEW" to the parish, we would like to invite you to help out at our yearly Buchanan Valley Picnic. This is our largest church fund raiser for the year. It is quite the experience, you have to live it to believe it!

Rooted in the Holy Eucharist T-shirts

We are taking orders for St. Ignatius t-shirts.
They will be here in time for the PICNIC.
They will be similar to the pictures below.
(Our 200th Anniversary Shirt)

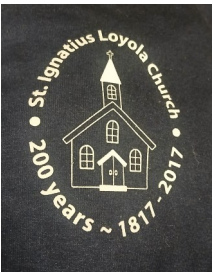
If you would like to order a t-shirt or replace the one you have please contact Sue 717-677-8012 in the office or home 717-253-8391/sueswitzer24@gmail.com

\$12.00 each Sizes: S - 3XL
Shirts are NAVY BLUE in color
Cut-off date is Thursday, July 31st

Checks (made out to St. Ignatius) or exact change can be dropped in the collection basket marked "T-shirt \$", mailed or brought to the parish office when open.

Front

(Upper
Chest)



Back



You will be contacted when t-shirts arrive.



Please keep the following in your prayers:

Kim, John Heffner, Kenneth Kwisnek, Adeline Lienard, Richard Ward, Andre Noel, Shelli Lascells, Allison Herring, Monique, Tom Zimmerman, Shelli Smith, Joanne Formosa, Joe Kwisnek, Jim Arter, Frances Smith, Ursula Kaley, Rico Vega, William & Maureen McGilloway Collins, and
Nursing Home & Homebound parishioners, and our Military men & women, Fr. Howard & all our Parishioners.
If you or someone you knows needs prayers please contact Dorothy Vega 717-253-0051 or the parish office.

To get in touch with Fr. Howard or for an emergency please call the parish office, choose option 3.

If this is an emergency and no answer it will ring his cell. If this is not an emergency and no answer please leave a message and he will get back to you. Thank you.

Missionary Cooperative

Next weekend, July 26 & 27 at all masses please welcome Rev. Fr. John Richard Kyankaaga, a missionary from Uganda, to our parish. Hear about their essential work for the church, their stories, their challenges, and their successes. Learn about the differences they are making to the people they serve.

Please pray for the work of the missionary group and provide aas you are able.

The weekend is sponsored by the diocesan office of Pontifical Mission Societies. The Societies support the church in mission dioceses worldwide until they become self-sufficient.

On-line contributions to this mission may also be made through the Missions Office home page at www.hbgdiocese.org/missions, which has a "Donation" button; Gift Directions– Missionary Cooperative Appeal. When you identify your parish, the contributions will go to the correct mission group.

Actual Collection August 2 & 3

Pastoral Council News:

Council is Seeking New Members to run for election.
Are you ready to take an active role in the St. Ignatius Parish? The Pastoral Council is seeking people to place their name into the ring for elections that will take place in Sept. 2025. Council positions are elected for a 3 year term to help the pastor direct the spiritual and temporal activities and projects in the parish.
If you are interested and willing to commit your time and service for the parish, please contact Fr. Howard, Deacon Steve, or any of the current council members listed in the bulletin.

Do you have a green thumb?

Would you and your family like to take on one of the churches' existing flower beds? Some are in need of some tender loving care. Details include cleaning, weeding, planting and taking care of throughout the year.

Join the Church Garden Club to help beautify the church grounds. We currently have 8 spots that need some attention; front of church, right side and back of church, left side of church, Marion Pavilion, Grotto, cemetery altar, front of Loyola center, St. Ignatius statue in the field, and also to clean the statues around the church. Contact the parish office for details.



Parishioner BINGO

Monday, July 28
All parishioners are invited following the 10:00 am Mass
IT'S FREE!



Funeral Luncheon Assistance

The church is looking for men or women who would like to help grieving families by assisting with the reception following the Mass and burial. We need parishioners either with the set-up and clean-up or if you would like to make a dessert and drop off. Time frame is usually 1-3 hours. If you would like to help please call Lynne Mobley at 703-876-4901 or the parish office.

World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly

Sunday, July 27

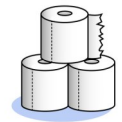
The theme chosen by the Holy Father for this World Day is:
"I am with you always" (cf. Mt 28:20)



Interfaith Shelter for Homeless Families

The shelter is in great need of toilet paper and NEW underwear in a variety of sizes for men, women and children.

We are collecting these items for the month of July.



Please turn in all donations no later then

Sunday, July 27.



You may drop-off donations in the parish center by the office. Any questions please contact the parish office.

July is the Month of The Most Precious Blood

Adoration of the Most Precious Blood of Christ takes a great variety of forms, all of which have a common end: adoration and praise of the Precious Blood of Christ in the Eucharist, thanksgiving for the gift of Redemption, intercession for mercy and pardon; and offering of the Precious Blood of Christ for the good of the Church

Diocesan & Local Church News/Events:

2025 Pennsylvania March for Life Monday, September 22, 2025, in Harrisburg

Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be offered prior to the March at the Cathedral of Saint Patrick starting on Sun., September 21st at 2:00 pm, lasting overnight, and ending at 9:00 am on Mon., September 22nd.

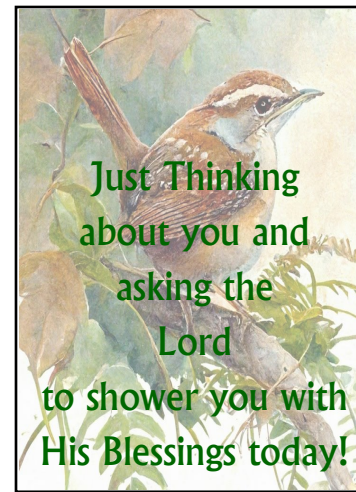
Please commit to one hour (or more) by signing up at
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0A4BADAC29A2FECF8-57421246-pamarch#/>

The Pennsylvania March for Life schedule includes: Sunday, September 21 - Monday, September 22, 2025

2:00 P.M. - 9:00 AM - Overnight Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at the Cathedral of St Patrick (212 State Street, Harrisburg). Street parking is free on Sunday and overnight until Monday morning at 8:00 am.
9:00 A.M. – Benediction, Cathedral of St. Patrick
9:30 A.M. - March for Life Opening Mass, Cathedral of St. Patrick
11:00 A.M. - March for Life Rally, State Capitol steps
12:00 Noon - March for Life March
1:30 P.M. - March for Life Closing Mass, Cathedral of St. Patrick

Everyone in the Diocese of Harrisburg and the greater Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is invited and strongly encouraged to attend. We will unite in prayer and number to support and protect the sanctity of all human life.

For questions or more information,
please contact Marianne Weltmer at mweltmer@hbgdiocese.org or 717-657-4804 ext 322.



Dates to Remember

July	20	Local Poor Collection
	26 & 27	Missionary Co-op visiting Priest
	31	Knights of Columbus Ceremony
August	1-3	C.C. Men's Retreat
	2 & 3	Missionary Co-op Collection
	18-22	Picnic Work Week
	23	Annual Buchanan Valley Picnic
	24	Picnic Clean-up
Sept.	14	Breakfast to support Seminarians
October	5-7	40 Hours (date change)

Did you know...

You can request flowers on the Altar for a special occasion or in memory of someone!



Call the
Parish Office
Tues - Thurs
717-677-8012
\$50 set

Sacrament of Penance

Wednesday ~ 6:00 - 7:00 pm; or by appointment.

Sacrament of the Sick

Anointing of the Sick should be given if an individual is gravely ill or near death. If possible, the Sacrament should also be administered before major surgery or when one is initially hospitalized.

Sacrament of Holy Matrimony

Diocesan policy requires 12 months of preparation for Marriage. Contact the parish as soon as possible after engagement. No arrangements should be made prior to consultation with the pastor.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents must be registered members of the parish and attend a Baptism preparation class prior to the Baptism if this is your first child baptized. Requirements for godparents are established by the Catholic Church. Please call the parish office for Information and to register your child for Baptism.

Parish Registration

All Catholics should be registered in their local parish. Please contact the parish office to obtain registration forms, or if you are uncertain of the parish where you should register.



Parish Directory

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Pastoral Staff

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See full parish directory on our website, lobby bulletin board or call the parish office.

