

St. Ignatius Martyr Church



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Parish Office Hours: Monday to Thursday
8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. & Closed Friday

Parish Mission Statement:

We are Saint Ignatius Martyr, a welcoming diverse Christian community. We fulfill our mission to the universal church through acts of worship, formation, celebration, and outreach.

Pastoral Administrator Deacon Lucio A. Caruso
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(502) 214-0293

Homebound Ministry Coordinator Debbie Kuhn
(502) 298-7940

Outreach Ministries

St. Vincent de Paul Ministry
(502) 961-0415

South East Helping Hand
Tuesday & Friday 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Community Garden Liaison
Ann Hager (502) 314-3065

Clinical Counselor
Dr. Andrew VonRoie (502) 632-3249
Hrs: Tues/Thur 1-9 PM Wed/Fri 9 am—6 pm

Parish Sacramental Life

St. Ignatius Mass times

Saturday - 6:00 p.m. (through the end of September)
Sunday - 11:00 a.m.

St. Teresa of Calcutta Mass times (903 Fairdale Rd)

Saturday - 4:00 p.m. (through the end of September)
Sunday - 9:00 a.m.

Holy Days—Check bulletin for times

Baptisms

Please contact Deacon Lucio for arrangement and workshop information.

Confirmation

Performed annually. Call for information.

Eucharist for Children

Usually around the 2nd grade but best as the child is ready.

Eucharist for Homebound

Please call the parish office if you wish Holy Communion to be brought to you, or a loved one.

Anointing of the Sick

By request—please contact Parish Office during office hours or **in a sacramental emergency, call Deacon Lucio Caruso at (502) 595-7250**

Reconciliation

By appointment. Please contact the Parish Office.

Matrimony

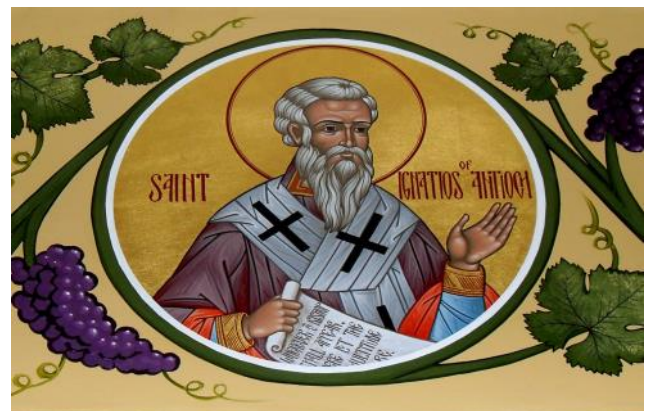
Please contact Deacon Lucio 6 months prior to the anticipated date for proper preparation for this sacrament.

Funerals

Please contact Deacon Lucio for funeral arrangements.

Interested in becoming Catholic? Looking for a Parish Home?

We welcome you to consider joining our Parish family. Please fill out one of the Welcome envelopes in the pews, or contact the Parish Office at (502) 964-5904



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Oct 26
Doris Miles
Sunday, Oct 27
The Vize Family

Saturday, Nov 2
The Parish
Sunday, Nov 3
Robert Caldwell



SCRIPTURE READINGS

Jeremiah 31:7-9

Thus says the LORD: Shout with joy for Jacob...

Psalms 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6

The Lord has done great things for us: we are filled with joy

Hebrews 5:1-6

Brothers and sisters: Every high priest is taken from among men and made their representative before God...

Mark 10:46-52

As Jesus was leaving Jericho with his disciples and a sizable crowd...



A BIG THANK YOU!

What a wonderful celebration of our Feast Day last Sunday. I want to especially thank our Parish Council who took charge of the reception, the many volunteers, Readers, and our Music Ministry for making this occasion a truly blessed and uplifting event.



TREASURE OFFERING ENVELOPES

20-Oct-24	
Saturday/Sunday Cash	600.25
Saturday/Sunday Checks	3,413.00
Weekly Total	4,013.25
Weekly Budget	3,662.50
Weekly Difference	+350.75
YTD Offering Envelope	55,777.51
YTD Budget	58,600.00
YTD Difference	-2,822.49
SVDP	250.00

ONLINE GIVING PROGRAM

Visit the Church website, stignatiusmartyrlou.org, and click on the online giving link if you are interested. All past users of online giving need to go there and create a new account.

Any questions contact Steve Walker on Tuesdays or Thursday mornings or email him at swalker@saintbarths.org.

ST.VINCENT DE PAUL STEWARDSHIP

SVDP commodities for this week is **Flour**.

In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus asks Bartimaeus: "What do you want me to do for you?" And he answers, "Master, I want to see." Let us ask Jesus for the grace to "see" our brothers and sisters who are poor and lonely.



Important Dates
and INFORMATION

ALL SAINTS AND ALL SOALS MASS of REMEMBRANCE

We will gather with St. Teresa of Calcutta on **Friday, November 1 at 6:30 PM for this Mass** and remember those who have died in the last year from both parishes.

We will name **Marylou Durbin, Geraldine Colley, Doris Miles and Betty Cissell** from our parish. A reception will follow and you are invited to bring a small dish to pass.

There will also be a Noon Mass at Calcutta for All Saints. Because of the Friday evening Mass with the Remembrance, we will not have a 9:00 AM Mass here for the Holy Day.

EAGLES CHICKEN DINNER

The next Eagles Chicken Dinner is **Sunday, November 3rd** from 11:30 to 3:30 pm. Please donate a cake for the Cake Wheel. You can bring to the church on Saturday afternoon or Sunday morning



Deepest Sympathy and prayers to the family of Betty Cissell.

Betty passed away on Saturday, October 19th She was a long time parishioner of St. Ignatius Martyr and member of Hidden Treasures.

ARCHDIOCESE OF LOUISVILLE
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CATHOLIC ENRICHMENT CENTER

WINTER COAT DRIVE

Donate new or gently used (cleaned if possible) winter coats for children, youth, and adults in our community to stay warm this winter! Also, new hats, gloves, socks, scarves, and other warm winter clothing & items.

Collection/Drop Off

October 1 - 25, 2024
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Distribution/Giveaway

October 28, 2024 - November 26, 2024
or while coats last.
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

For adults, youth, veterans, those in the community who are unhoused/ houseless, and anyone else in need. All are welcome!



Catholic Enrichment Center
3146 West Broadway Louisville, KY 40211

For more details, please contact the Catholic Enrichment Center at (502)776-0262. This is made possible through Catholic Services Appeal.



PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Parishioners who are sick

Jonetta Payne	Norma Mitchell
Bill & Barbra Horstman	Shirley Ballback
William Montgomery	Stephen Garr
Ja'na Jacobs	Suzana Kabura



Parishioners in nursing homes, skilled nursing facilities & assisted living:

Gary Holmes	Louise Conway
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Parishioners who are homebound:

Gerry McDaniel	Mildred Elery
Mickey Best	Therese Kabagwira

For additions to the prayer list, please notify the Parish Office

NEXT WEEK MINISTRY SCHEDULE

TSat, Nov 2	Sun Nov 3
LECTOR	
Terry & Sara Kuhn	Shirley Spalding Judy Abell
EUCHARIST	
Peggy Boyd	Pat Fogle
Carol Holley	Roxie Vize
USHER/GREETERS	
Bobby Potts	Delores & Charles Smith
Jo Ann Ward	Kenny Walden
GIFT BEARERS	
Ramona & Terry Horn	
Cathy Corbett	
SACRISTAN	
Leesa Hayes	Denuse Gahan
SERVERS	
James Wooldridge	Sam Gahan
HOMEBOUND	
Team 1: Denise Sickles, Shirley Spalding	
MONEY COUNTERS	
Team 1: Debbie Kuhn, Roxie, Vize	

DEACON LUCIO'S HOMILY HOMEWORK

"What do you want me to do for you?"



I think all of us have heard of a genie, or finding a genie in a magic lamp or bottle! I remember watching *I Dream of Jeanne* as a child! You can still find reruns of that show.

Here is Webster's definition: A **genie** is a **magical spirit** that is believed to take human form and serve the person who calls it. In Arab traditional stories, a genie does or provides whatever the person who controls it asks. It is often associated with granting wishes. So, if a genie asked you: what is your wish, or what can I do for you? How might you respond?

In today's Gospel Jesus, who is certainly not a genie, but a Savior, asks the blind man, Bartimaeus, "*what do you want me to do for you?*" As if Jesus did not know already! So, why would Jesus bother to ask him? Anyone watching would, no doubt, have thought it very obvious that the man wants Jesus to restore his sight, but yet Jesus asked him, "*What do you want me to do for you.*" Jesus certainly didn't need to be told he needed his sight restored, but yet Jesus asked him what he wanted. Why? We might wonder.

It seems that Jesus was wanting to go deeper and beyond his physical need of wanting to be healed. Jesus will give him much more than he could have hoped for, an opportunity to become a disciple. So often healings or miracles are much more than mere physical cures, but give witness to the identity of Jesus as the Messiah and the invitation or call to respond to the person of Jesus and then follow Him, as Bartimaeus does when he casts off his poor beggars' cloak, probably the only thing he owned, and hurries forward to follow Jesus.

So, if Jesus were asking the same question of us, how would we respond? I bet we could come up with a dozen replies right off the top of our heads, as there are all sorts of internal voices that tell us what we need. Having a new car, a different hair color, to lose weight, a secure retirement, to name a few. The external voices of our peers, family members, advertisers, and self-help experts tell us other things like being popular, esteemed, and successful. How then do we get to the heart of matter so as to respond to Jesus? And, as I wrote above, Jesus is not our genie in a lamp or bottle! And prayer is not about somehow controlling God and making God grant all of our wishes, though we perhaps at times would like that to be so.

I think it come down to distinguishing between wants and our deepest needs. Wants are many, fleeting, and sometimes superficial. But we're often very unaware of our deepest needs. What will bring me true happiness? Where can I find lasting peace & joy?

Here is where true prayer comes in. We need to understand that prayer is not so much informing God about what our wants or wishes are, for God already knows our needs and doesn't depend upon our prayer to be kept up to date on what is happening in our lives. Genuine prayer opens our heart for what God desires to give us.

So often, we pray for what we want, but God gives us what we need. This is why our God is not a genie that we control to grant our every wish. Rather, God is more a loving parent who knows more than we ourselves, what we need most – for our good now and for our eternal salvation!

So, for your spiritual reflection homework this week, ponder prayerfully these questions and the suggestion...

1. What internal voices keep you from knowing what you truly want from Jesus? What external voices do the same?
2. What do I most want Jesus to do for me? Before an image of Jesus, a Crucifix, or in front of the Blessed Sacrament, tell Him with honesty in your own words.
3. What sort of "cloaks" do I need to cast aside, like Bartimaeus did, to more fully follow Jesus?
4. Is there someone you know who is struggling to express their own heartfelt desire for healing and peace in their life? If possible, reach out to them. Help them open up to the loving touch of Jesus?

THIS WEEKS BIRTHDAYS (10/28-11/3)



George Cox	10/31
Patricia L. Fogle	11/1
Elizabeth Couden	11/2
Niquel Niyintereste	11/3
Constance E. Heller	11/3

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2024

As we continue with the 2024 CSA Campaign, I thought I would describe here a little more of some of what our support of the Catholic Services Appeal provides...

I can honestly tell you how much many of these have helped me in my role of parish administration and leadership. As an example, I have had incredible financial guidance in critical decision making and with all the development of leases for Head Start. I see firsthand how much is done to ensure the good of our savings account and best interest making for our parish's long term security and future. On a personal note, I would not be a deacon were it not for the Diaconate formation program.

And so, as you look at the programs and ministries I have listed in the past few weeks and today, please consider making a generous donation as you are able.

- Parish Deacons
- Tribunal
- Personnel
- Facilities Management
- Hispanic and Multicultural Ministry
- Jail/Prison Ministry

\$ Goal: \$10,800
Gifts/Pledges: \$1,400
% of Goal: 13%

Donor Goal: 53
of Donors: 8
% of Goal: 15%

Please patronize these businesses. They make this bulletin possible.

Eagles' Monthly Chicken Dinner



2024 Dates

January 7
February 4
March 3
April 7
August 25
October 6
November 3
December 1

11:30am-3:30pm
Dine-In and Carry Out
Join us for a delicious dinner!

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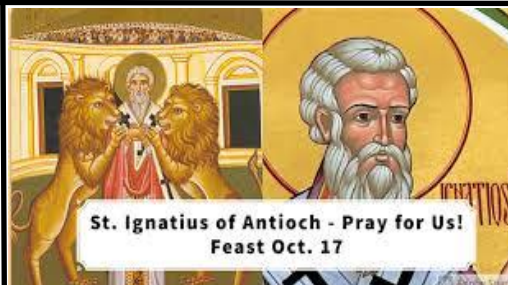
To learn more, contact Melody Denson in the Archdiocese of Louisville's Office of Mission Advancement at 502-585-3291 or mdenson@archlou.org

Thanks for all you do to-help others!

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