

# St. Ignatius Martyr Church



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(502)-552-8479

**Parish Office Hours**-Monday through Thursday-  
8:30am– 12:30pm. Closed Friday.

## 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 314-3065

## Parish Sacramental Life

### MASSSES -

Saturday - 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday - 10:30 a.m.

### Holy Days-

Check bulletin for times

**BAPTISMS**—Please contact Deacon Lucio for arrangement and workshop information.

**CONFIRMATION**—Annual—Call for information.

**EUCCHARIST FOR CHILDREN**—Usually around the 2nd grade but best as the child is ready.

**EUCCHARIST 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 at 502-595-7250.**

**RECONCILIATION** – By appointment. Please contact the Parish Office.

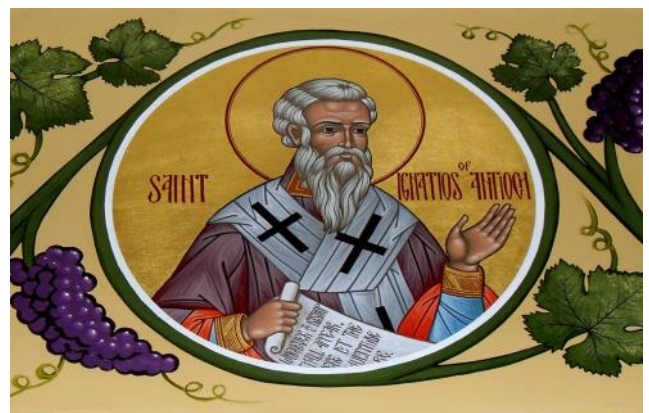
**MATRIMONY**—Please contact Deacon Lucio 6 months prior to the anticipated date for proper preparation for this sacrament.

**FUNERALS**- Please contact Deacon Lucio for funeral arrangements.

**INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC?** Please call the parish office for more information - 964-5904.

## 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 call the Parish Office.



**Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, November 26-Fr. Harry Gelthaus**  
4:00 pm-The People  
**Sunday, November 27-Fr. Harry Gelthaus**  
10:30 am-Jim Miller  
**Saturday, December 3-Fr. Dennis Cousens**  
4:00 pm-Allan Durbin  
**Sunday, December 4-Fr. Christopher Gibson**  
10:30 am-Marilyn McDaniel & Thomas Sean Cornett



**Ministers to the Homebound**

**Nov. 27-** Pat Fogle, Jawanda Logan  
**Dec. 4-** Denise Sickles, Shirley Spalding

**Church Cleaners-Team 1:** Gene King



**Treasure Offering Envelopes**  
**Weekend of 11/20/22**

Saturday/Sunday Cash	649.00
Saturday/Sunday Checks	1,893.00
Weekly Budget	3,615.00
<b>Under</b>	<b>1,073.00</b>
YTD Offering Envelope	75,741.31
YTD Budget	75,915.00
<b>Under</b>	<b>173.69</b>
SVDP	220.00
All Souls Day	10.00
Campaign for Human Development	37.00

**ST.VINCENT DE PAUL**

SVDP commodity for the week is **Diapers**.



There is an Advent spirit in the heart of every human person. It is one of longing, of yearning for a fulfillment that somehow lies beyond ourselves; for we long for the coming of the Lord.

**As you put your gift in the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box, your heart will discover the true meaning of Christmas as you help those who are suffering and poor to long for the coming of the Lord.**

**STEWARDSHIP**

***“Keep awake therefore, for you do not know on which day your Lord will come.” Matthew 24:42***

One of the key themes of the advent season is readiness. If God were to ask at this moment, could you provide an accounting of how you have used the personal and financial gifts that God has entrusted to you?

*For additions to the prayer list, please notify the Parish Office. Thank you.*

**Prayer List: Please keep in your prayers parishioners who are sick**

Alice Beaven	Jim Bamforth
Allan Rowe	Johnetta Payne
Betty Cissell	Romana Horn
Bill Beaven	Shirley Ballback
Bob Caldwell	Terry Horn
Gerry McDaniel	William Montgomery
Gary Holmes	



**Please remember parishioners in:**  
**Nursing Homes/Skilled Nursing Facilities/Assisted Living:**  
 Betty Cissell, Pat Waits

**Homebound parishioners:** Alice Beaven, Gerry McDaniel, Mickey Best, Mildred Elery, Therese Kabagwira, Louise Conaway

Please check the bulletin board in the Gathering Space for **Family and Friends Prayer List**.

**THIS SUNDAY’S SCRIPTURE READING**



**Isaiah 2:1-5 (1A)**

“He shall judge between the nations, and impose terms on many peoples.”

**Romans 13:11-14**

“For our salvation is nearer now than when we first believed...”

**Matthew 24:37-44**

“...you also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come.”

Psalm 122 “Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord”.

**NEXT SUNDAY’S (Dec. 4, 2022)**  
**SCRIPTURE READINGS**

**Isaiah 11:1-10 (4A)**  
**Romans 15:4-9**  
**Matthew 3:1-12**



**Catholic Services Appeal**  
*Bringing Christ to Others*

Our Parish Goal: \$10,000      Current: \$7,505  
 Our Parish Participation Goal: 47      Current: 34

Thanks to those who have already responded with a gift to the 2022 CSA. There is still plenty of time to respond with a gift. Gifts to CSA may be made online at [www.ArchLou.org/CSA](http://www.ArchLou.org/CSA).



### Birthdays This Week

11/27-Margie Bentley  
11/29-Julia Leon  
11/30-Joseph Beaven  
12/01-Joseph Jacobs, Mugisha Terensiyo

### HOLY DAY & HOLIDAY MASS TIMES

**Immaculate Conception** – 9:00 AM Mass on Thursday, Dec. 8  
**Christmas Eve** – 4:00 PM Mass on Saturday, December 24  
**Christmas Day** – 10:30 Mass on Sunday, December 25

### HIDDEN TREASURES UPDATE

Because of Thanksgiving, we will not hold any gathering this month. But two events are planned for December: A **Christmas party for our Head Start Children on Dec. 7<sup>th</sup>**, and a **catered brunch** following the 9:00 AM Immaculate Conception Mass on **Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>**, with a conversation on Holiday Traditions and dealing with loss and grief during his time.



### ADVENT PLANS

Along with providing once again a wonderful **Daily Reflection booklet**, our parish will be taking on a couple Advent Service Projects.

- 1.) **Shoe collection for Water Step** – so start gathering any extra shoes you have that are in good shape – Boxes will be placed in the Gathering area.
- 2.) **Food Drive for Helping Hands** – Bags with a list of needed items are available this weekend, to be returned by next weekend.

### Recycling is here at Saint Ignatius Martyr!

Be sure to keep a copy of the insert in last week's bulletin for instructions. Recycling is not only good for our earth, but will be a means to earn some income for our parish and help with the new AC. Look for the green bin!



**Soups and Breads** are back! Pick these up in the Gathering Space to bring to someone you know who could use a nice warm meal!

### December Ministry Schedule

#### Lectors

**Saturday:** Peggy Boyd  
**Sunday:** 1st Reader-Susan Cole  
2nd Reader-Ruthie Mayfield

#### No Servers until further notice

#### Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

**Saturday:**  
**Sunday:** Mary Goldring, Mike Schaefer

#### Ushers/Greeters

**Saturday:** Bobby Potts, James Wooldridge  
**Sunday:** Sam & Kevin Currie, Bill Mayfield, Kenny Walden

#### Sacristan

**Saturday:** Carol Holley  
**Sunday:** Yvonne Ndoricimpa



### Deacon Lucio's Homily Homework A Holy Longing for the Coming of Christ

*O Come, O Come Emmanuel, and ransom captive Israel; that mourns in lonely exile here, until the Son of God appears...*

With this familiar and somewhat haunting tune, we begin Advent and a new Church year, longing for Christ to come into our lives and world.

We are at a time, I believe, within ourselves, our nation, and our world when this *holy longing* is keenly felt: a longing for Christ to come into all the dark places of our lives, and a longing for Christ to come into our troubled and violent world.

And so for your homily homework this week, along with using your Daily Advent Reflection Booklet, find a quiet place to slowly pray the following *Litany of Longing*. Have a peaceful Advent, Deacon Lucio

### A Litany of Longing

In our grief over the death of a parent, spouse, child, or friend - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our loneliness and isolation - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our unfulfilled dreams and plans - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our fears that paralyze us - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our self-righteousness that hardens our hearts - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our sins and addictions that overcome us - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our broken relationships we can't seem to mend - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our pain over children and grandchildren who have left the practice of faith - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our Cancer, Alzheimer's, M.S., and other chronic diseases when we see no hope of cure - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our nation divided by race, party, religion, and income - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our streets lined with the discarded poor, gangs, and gun violence - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our overcrowded jails and prisons, home to many with untreated mental illness and substance addiction - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our opioid and fentanyl epidemic destroying the lives of young and old - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our bombed and war-ravaged places like Ukraine, where innocent children are its victims - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our fragile earth, where environmental degradation threatens water, air, ecosystems, and life itself - *Come Lord Jesus*

In our hopelessness and weariness with so many failed efforts to make peace possible - *Come Lord Jesus*

O Come O Come Emmanuel Amen—*Deacon Lucio*

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### Eagles' Monthly Chicken Dinner



December 4, 2022  
11:30am-3:30pm  
Dine-In and Carry Out  
Join us for a delicious dinner!

### Pray for the Sanctity of Human Life



#### St. Ignatius Martyr Hidden Treasures



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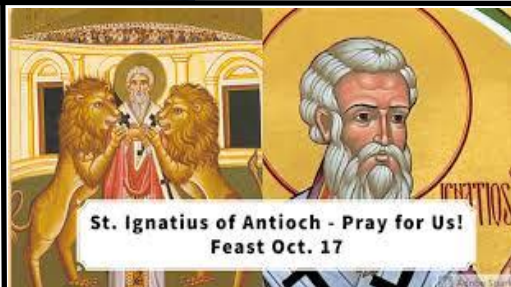
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To learn more, contact Melody R. Denson in the Archdiocese of Louisville's Office of Mission Advancement at 502-585-3291 or by email mdenson@archlou.org.

Catholic Attorney  
Vince Heuser  
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