

St. Ignatius Catholic Church

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Mass Times

Saturday Vigil at 5:00 PM Sunday at 8:00 AM Sunday at 10:30 AM Sunday at 7:30 PM

Weekdays (M-F) at 8:00 AM At LJC—**La Storta Chapel**

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays -3:30 PM to 4:30 PM

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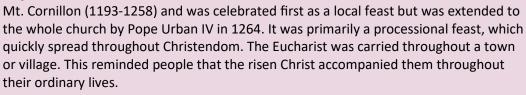
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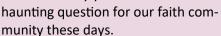
June 11, 2023

A Message from the Pastor

This weekend we celebrate the Feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. This feast originates in the visions of St. Juliana of



I was blessed, during my years of theological study, with some incredible professors. One of them was John Donohue who is a Jesuit New Testament scholar. He once described an incident that happened to him over 55 years ago when he was traveling from Germany to Israel to study modern Hebrew. During a stopover in Lebanon, he struck up a conversation with a young Muslim student at breakfast. The young Muslim began to question him on the Catholic teaching on Eucharist. Freshly minted from theological studies and armed with the earliest and latest philosophical distinctions, Donohue thought he was responding to the young Muslim's concerns about Catholic belief in real presence. None of his responses seemed to address his deepest concerns, until finally Donohue asked, "What is your most basic problem with what Catholics believe about Eucharist?" The young Muslim thought for a moment and then answered, "Well, if you really believed you were receiving the body and blood of Christ together on Sunday, would you treat each other the way you do?" That is a



THE MOST HOLY

BODY AND BLOG



As I have watched the news coverage of protests, in the wake of George Floyd's killing, or more recently the beating to death of Tyre Nichols; as I did some remote preparation reflecting on the meaning of this weekend's feast; there were three images that kept surfacing in my imagination. The first image was that of the demonstrations in cities across our Nation proclaiming loudly and clearly that Black Lives Matter.

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The second image was of early *Corpus Christi* processions throughout the towns and villages of 13th century Europe. The third was one of the concluding scenes from the film *The Mission*. When the Spanish soldiers enter the mission village, they encounter the singing of Father Gabriel and the Guaraní women and children who march in the procession. Father Gabriel leads them carrying a monstrance with the Blessed Sacrament. After Father Gabriel is shot, a child picks up the Blessed Sacrament and continues to lead the procession.

During the peaceful demonstrations, I can readily imagine the Body of Christ in a monstrance leading these demonstrators. I can imagine that this is exactly where Christ would want to be—with his people, leading them and reminding them that they are now his presence in the world. They are his eyes, his face, his hands, his feet and his compassion in the world. They are to meet and treat each person for what they are—the body of Christ.

In his sermon The Weight of Glory, C. S. Lewis wrote: "Next to the Blessed Sacrament itself, your neighbor is the holiest object presented to your senses." Christ's body is as hidden in the least of us as it is under the appearances of bread and wine. Both require an uncommon and daring faith. As the late Cardinal Joseph Bernardin once said:



Fr. Mike

The Risen Christ is with us this day And he continues to need each one of us. Jesus needs our eyes to continue to see. He needs our strength to continue to work. He needs our voice to continue to preach. He needs our hands to continue to bless. He needs our heart to continue to love. And Jesus needs our whole being to continue to build up his body, the Church. As we believe, so let us live! Amen.





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Father's day is coming... On June 18th we will be honoring our Father's with their names displayed in the alcove at church. Look for envelopes by the doors of the church to submit your Father/ father's names!



Mass Readings

Mass Readings for Jun 11, 2023 Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9 2 Corinthians 13:11-13 John 3:16-18

Mass Readings for Jun 18, 2023 Exodus 19:2-6a Romans 5:6-11 Matthew 9:36—10:8

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SEEL Portland

Spiritual Exercises Long Retreat 2023-2024 Please share with family, friends, colleagues!

Offered by SEEL (Spiritual Exercises in Everyday Life) Portland

SEEL Portland is a ministry of Jesuits West which gives people the opportunity to experience the Spiritual Exercises of Saint Ignatius in their everyday lives over a period of nine months. The Spiritual Exercises are composed of meditations, prayers, and contemplative practices developed by St. Ignatius Loyola to help deepen a person's unique relationship with God. The Exercises pre-



ST. IGNATIUS FAMILY DAY

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St. Ignatius Catholic Church

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Join fellow St. Ignatius families for a day of fellowship and community.

We will enjoy the beautiful gifts of creation at Camp Yamhill through activities, play, eating, and celebrating mass together. Adult, children, and teen activitie will be available.

If the weather is nice, there are canoes and outdoor river play.

Cost: \$20/adult, \$10/child (\$50 family maximum). Discounts for teen and adult leaders. Financial assistance available.

Meals: Dinner & morning snacks included, bring a sack lunch.

Tentative Schedule:
Welcome & family activity,
lunch, choice & free time,
nature walk, outdoor mass
(weather permitting), dinner

sent a pathway to deeper prayer, good decisions guided by keen discernment, and an active life of service to others.

The SEEL Retreat 2023-2024

The 2023-2024 SEEL retreat will be both an online and an in-person experience. We are excited to be able to offer the Spiritual Exercises in a format that will open the retreat experience to graces in unexpected ways.

The retreat will offer...

- one-on-one spiritual direction twice a month
- a monthly Saturday morning retreat
- small group sacred listening
- a book for reflection and prayer Advance registration is required.

2023-2024 SEEL Retreat applications accepted June 1, 2023 - August 1, 2023.

Application deadline – August 1, 2023ce is limited so please apply as soon as possible!



Principal: Carol Pausz cpausz@sispdx.org Ext 246

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St Ignatius School

We enjoyed having our last Principal for the Day-TJ MacMillan. TJ visited classrooms and read a book to students in kindergarten through second grade. He declared a special dress

day and no homework. He also provided Round Table Pizza to his entire class for lunch! Principal for the Day is a popular live auction item.



Our third graders read with our preschool students outside during this beautiful weather.

The last of our Art Literacy projects have taken place as we prepare to wind down the year.

We are excited to graduate our outstanding 8th grade students Tuesday, June 13th at 7:00 PM. We are so proud of all they have accomplished in their time with us. Each and every 8th grade student has contributed to our school community in positive ways and served within their own community through Arrupe service projects. We wish them well in their high school adventures and look forward to seeing them soar! Way to go, Gators!

We are pleased to announce Jane Casey will be joining our middle school team as our English Language Arts teacher next year. Jane has worked in the Catholic school system at another Jesuit K-8 school for the last ten years. We are blessed to have such an outstanding, experienced, and dedicated educator join our team.

As we prepare to celebrate the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ, may we live as people of God sharing our faith with those we encounter. "I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world," John 6:51.

Peace be with you always. Carol Pausz Principal

June – the virtue of Love

"Love ought to manifest itself more by deeds than by words."
-Spiritual Exercise 230

Ignatius would have a pause and sift through all the great good we have known in our lives. How has God moved within us and shaped us? What blessings have we received? How have we been redeemed? Ignatius asks us to look to God with gratitude and respond to God's love and grace. "Since God has first loved us love is now no longer a mere 'command'; it is the response to the gift of love with which God draws near to us." (Pope Benedict) Ignatius reminds us that love is

not only a feeling, but also a choice. May we be disposed to love one another and serve one another as our beloved friend Jesus modeled for us. https://seelportland.org/



Sacramental classes Sign up for next year,

2023/2024 Registration will be available online, visit our website at www.sipdx.org click on Faith Formation for

First Reconciliation & Communion, R.C.I.A. and for Confirmation for 7-12Graders. Classes will begin in September.

Get your paperwork done early!





Yarn. If you always wanted to learn how to knit or crochet but cannot find the time If you already know how to knit or crochet but don't have even an hour in your week to do so. If you would be willing to teach someone the finer points of either skill.

Please join us for an hour of activity from 11:30 (after the 10:30 mass) until 12:30 on June 11 (second Sunday of the month) in the Dining room in the Parish Office. Room. Bring your own project or contact Maureen at (206) 889-7820) about materials COVID precautions will be followed Any age, any level of skill welcome.

VOLUNTEER needed: Do you have two hours once a month? A volunteer is needed to deliver bread the 4th Friday of each month to the women's transition shelter, located near Burnside and NE 11th. Bread is picked up at 4:00pm from Grand Central Bakery (SE Woodstock) then taken to the women's shelter. Contact Jim Mumby at mums.the.word@comcast.net or 503-519-8991 for more details.

Baptism for infant –7yr. Parents prepare by participating in one of the Infant Baptism Preparation Sessions. If your child is seven or older, there will be an additional session for you and your child. We seek to provide a hospitable, small group setting for our sessions, so class size is limited.

The date of Baptism is listed below and the classes will be announced soon, if not scheduled yet. Sign up on our website: sipdx.org/baptism Next avail dates for 2023: July 15 at the 5:00PM Mass, September 16 at 11:00AM & November 4th at 11:00AM.

Planned Giving For several decades, St. Ignatius has been here in SE Portland serving people in faith, educating the young with hope, and engaging the world with the love of the Christ and the Good News of the Gospel in the Jesuit tradition. Please prayerfully consider including the parish in your estate plans to help us sustain this mission for future generations. If you are interested in learning more about planned giving options at St. Ignatius Parish, please see the "Ways to Give" page on our website or contact Fr. Mike.



Church tithing

Financial report (July 1, 2022—June 30, 2023)

2022-2023 Budget \$607,000.00 Rec'd to date \$546,589.64

Needed for the month of May-2023 \$55,000.00

Amount received through 5-28-2023 \$42,066.09

Thank you, may you be blessed abundantly for your

generosity!

8:00AM Weekday Mass Intentions

Please keep in your prayers

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Monday	Jun 12	+	Tristan Jimenez
Tuesday	Jun 13	+	Paul Nguyen Hun Dao
Wednesday	Jun 14	+	Norma Callaghan
Thursday	Jun 15	+	Paul Nguyen Hun Phu
Friday	Jun 16	+	Souls in Purgatory



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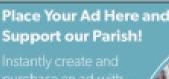


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