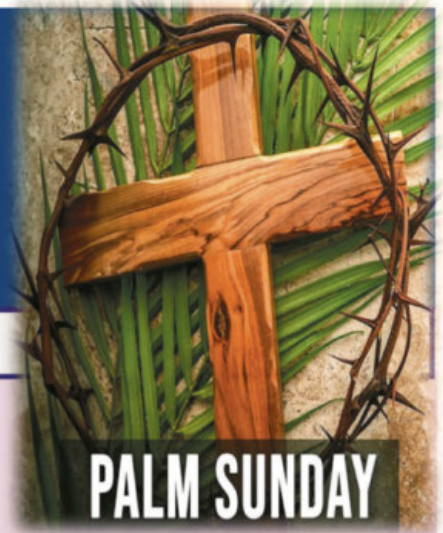




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## Mass Times

Saturday Vigil at 5:00 PM

Sunday at 8:00 AM

Sunday at 10:30 AM

Sunday at 7:00 PM

Weekdays (M-F) 8:00 AM  
At LIC—La Storta Chapel

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays -

3:30 PM to 4:30 PM

OR by appointment  
503-777-1491

## Pastoral Council



The goal of the Pastoral Council is to enhance the quality of parish life. We aid the pastor in identifying the pastoral needs of the community, develop a plan for

the parish's programs and services and evaluate their effectiveness. If you have feedback or ideas to share, please contact any of the Pastoral Council members directly or email :

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March 24, 2024

## A Message from the Pastor

The *Spiritual Exercises* of St. Ignatius of Loyola are divided into four weeks. Don't think of these weeks as calendar weeks as much as "themes." The First Week focuses on creation, fall and redemption. The Second Week starts with the Incarnation and follows the life of Christ right up to his final days in Jerusalem. The Third Week invites us into the passion and death of Jesus. The Fourth Week invites us into the hope and joy of the Resurrection.

Each week has a special grace or gift for those who enter into it. Holy Week, which commences on Palm/Passion Sunday, ushers us into the final days of Jesus Christ on earth. In terms of the *Spiritual Exercises*, Holy Week invites us into the Third Week. The grace that St. Ignatius encourages us to pray for is this—"sorrow with Christ in sorrow; a broken spirit with Christ so broken; tears; and interior suffering because of the great suffering which Christ endured for me." (*Sp. Ex. 203*)

On Palm Sunday, we will experience the events of Christ's passion from the Gospel of Mark. Two major themes run through Mark's entire passion story. The *first theme* focuses on Jesus who with intense determination gives his life for others. The *second theme* focuses on those who surround Jesus—some withering in the crucible of suffering, some exemplifying faith and courage.

On Holy Thursday, we will join the Elect in *remembering and giving thanks*. We will recall the words and actions of that last meal that Jesus shared with

friends. We will remember the meaning of Eucharist—service! We will recall Christ's haunting words, "Do you know what I have done for you? I have given you an example. What I have done for you, you must do for one another. Now that you know these things, happy will you be when you put them into practice." (Jn. 13:12-17)



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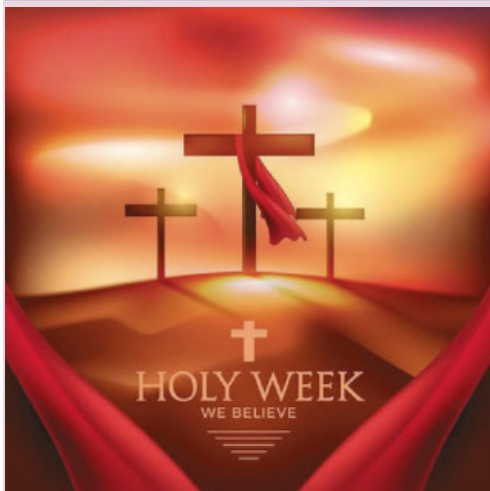
On Good Friday, we will join the Elect in recalling the great act of love in Jesus' suffering and death on the cross. We will watch as love is nailed to a cross. We will witness the extent of God's love for us in Jesus Christ. We may understand for the first time what St. John Chrysostom wrote about the cross.

Thanks to the Cross,  
we no longer wander in the desert,  
for we have found the right way;  
we are no longer outside the palace,  
for we have found the entrance;  
we no longer fear the flaming arrows of the devil,  
for we have seen where the font of water is.  
Thanks to the Cross  
there is no longer widowhood,  
for we have the Groom;  
we no longer fear wolves,  
for we have the Good Shepherd.  
Thanks to the Cross  
we no longer fear the tyrant,  
for we are by the side of the King.



Fr. Mike

As the events of this most Holy Week unfold, let us stand with the Elect. Let us pray for them and ourselves that as we witness the length and breadth and height and depth of God's love for us in Jesus Christ, that the events of Holy Week can transform us into Christ's eyes and feet and heart and hands in the world today.



Holy Thursday, March 28, 2024 7PM  
Good Friday, March 29, 2024 7PM  
Easter Vigil, March 30, 2024 8:30PM

**Easter Sunday, March 31, 2024**  
8:00AM and 10:30AM Masses  
(egg hunt following 10:30AM Mass)  
(no 7PM mass)

To Sign up to help at the Easter egg hunt following the 10:30am Mass on Easter!

link: <https://signup.com/client/invitation2/secure/1012911368015/false#/invitation>

## Mass Readings

### Mass Readings for Mar. 24, 2024

Isaiah 50:4-7  
Philippians 2:6-11  
Mark 14:1-15:47

### Mass Readings for Mar. 31, 2024

Acts of the Apostles 10:34a, 37-43  
Colossians 3:1-4  
John 20:1-9



## St Ignatius School

As we head toward Holy Week and spring break for our students, we are proud to share the tremendous learning taking place.

Our 1st graders have been counting their blessings, creating coins and writing how they feel lucky on them.

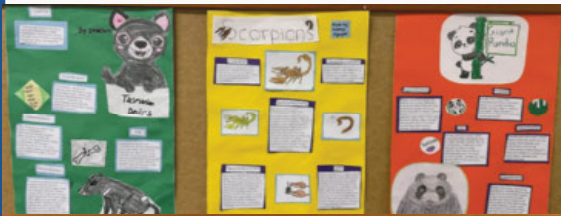


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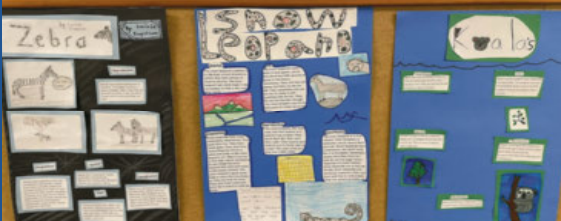
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Our 3rd graders are singing a song with video to learn about the planets and stars. Our 4th graders wrote informational paragraphs for animal reports!

The 5th graders enjoyed their Art Literacy art project this week.

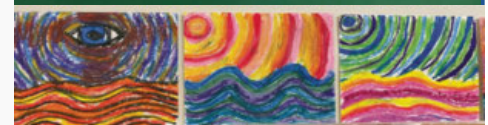


The 6th graders created Aztec Sun God art pieces during their middle school art class recently.

The 7th graders have been studying line art during their middle school art class.



Our 6th graders traveled to Courtyard for a visit with the elderly last week, and 7th grade visited this week bringing youthful joy to those in the Courtyard care facility.



Our 8th graders have set some goals for the remainder of the year. In science, the 8th graders are learning about the mass of atoms.

Our **Night of Pure Imagination** is swiftly approaching! Purchase your tickets to the event or buy a **\$25 auction raffle ticket**. This year's raffle prize is a cashier's check for **\$3000!** Imagine what you would do with **\$3000!!!**

Event and raffle tickets can be purchased on our Greater Giving site- <https://sispdx.ejoinme.org/nightofpureimagination>.



Each week, we will highlight one of our live auction items. This week's highlight is the 1st grade auction project. What a creative, fun side table for indoors or out!

As we begin Holy Week, may we remember this verse from *Ephesians 4:32*, "Be kind to one another, compassionate, forgiving one another as God has forgiven you in Christ."

Peace be with you.

Carol Pausz  
Principal

**NORTHWEST IGNATION ADVOCACY SUMMIT** Jesuit high school and university students from Washington and Oregon gathered in Seattle in late February to educate themselves on the salmon issue through the lens of Indigenous tribal members and their treaty rights. After focusing on solutions, they prepared a presentation to the staff of two Washington legislators; advocating for breaching the dams on the lower Snake River. Our own Joseph Byrd composed the musical chant that resonated through those days...“ Courage, community.....Faith and justice. “ They were joined by Jesuit Volunteers, members of parishes and other organizations. Grace Byrd and Linda and Ed Kaiel were also part of the St. Ignatius presence. itWest’s CORE initiated the event, which contained all four Jesuit Apostolic Preferences: Showing the Way to God, Caring for our Common Home, Walking with the Excluded, and Journeying with Youth.



**Baptism for infant –7yr.** Parents that are registered in parish and attend Mass, 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 on our website. Sign up on our website: [sipdx.org/baptism](http://sipdx.org/baptism)  
Next Baptism dates are: **April 6 @ 5pm Mass or Jun 8 @ 11AM**



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**IGNITE - TONIGHT! March 24, 2024 at: 5:30PM** COME with an open heart to see what it is all about **CONTEMPLATE** the presence of the Holy Spirit in your own life and experience **CONNECT** to the Mass, to the Saints, to the people of St. Ignatius, and to your heart **IGNITE** offers participants the opportunity to explore the Church, the Saints, and various sacred writings in a meditative way, inviting a personal experience of faith and spirituality. Each session includes teaching segments interrupted by breakout groups where members reflect and listen to each other. **IGNITE** includes faith sharing, sacred listening, study, and journeying with others. Information and/or zoom link & password: [IGNITE | St. Ignatius Catholic Church | Oregon's Jesuit Parish | Portland \(sipdx.org\)](https://www.sipdx.org/ignite) Or <https://www.sipdx.org/ignite>



**FirePit Young Adult Ministry - Meeting Sunday Apr. 7th - 5:00pm-7:00pm** in parish office kitchen/dining room. *FirePit* Young Adult Ministry is a ministry for those in their 20's/30's that meets the first Sunday of each month for dinner, fellowship and s'mores around the firepit. ALL are welcome! Please reach out to us for more info: [firepitpdx@gmail.com](mailto:firepitpdx@gmail.com)

**St Vincent de Paul** Do you know someone who might be food insecure or needs help paying rent or utility bills? The St. Vincent de Paul Portland Council accepts requests for assistance at 503-235-8431. Requests from our neighborhood are then forwarded to our SVdP pantry that delivers food to those in need on Saturday mornings.

You can help by **bringing non-perishable food donations to the 8am and 10:30am Masses** or making a cash donation through Realm Connect. Your support is much appreciated. Contact us at [svdp@sipdx.org](mailto:svdp@sipdx.org) if you have any questions.

"Many thanks to Boy Scouts Troop 351 for their successful Scouting for Food event this year on behalf of St. Ignatius' SVdP pantry. Their efforts resulted in 594 lbs of food donated for those who are food insecure in our neighborhood!"



2024 Seminary Tea **Portland Golf Club** | April 24 [Seminary Tea Committee](#)



All are invited to the 89th annual Seminary Tea, hosted by the **Seminary Tea Committee**. Proceeds are for the education of seminarians preparing to serve in the Archdiocese of Portland in Oregon.

**Comfort Care Campaign**



Please join in the *Comfort Care Campaign* to make our space more comfortable with air conditioning and to replace our piano!

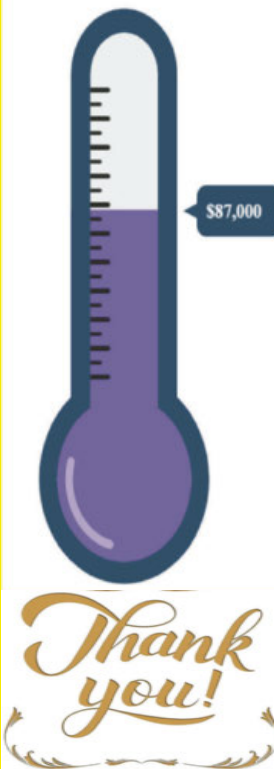
We are getting close to our goal thanks to some very

generous Parishioners!



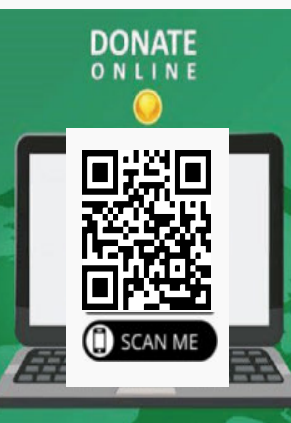
Help us to get there by using one of the **Comfort Care Campaign envelopes** found in the pews and at the doors of the church or donate on REALM using the **Building Fund** with a memo of "comfort care"

GOAL: \$150,000



**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 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, 2023—June 30, 2024) **2023-2024 Budget** \$560,000.00

Sunday Tithe received through 3-10-2024 \$369,865.90

*Thank you, for also supporting other funds like our Campus renewal/Bldg., St. Vincent de Paul, School, Novena and more!  
May you be blessed abundantly for your generosity!*

**8:00AM Weekday Mass Intentions**

Please keep in your prayers

Monday	Mar 25	†	Elvira T. Tayag
Tuesday	Mar 26	†	Adriano Tayag Sr.
Wednesday	Mar 27	†	Danilo T. Tayag
Thursday	Mar 28	†	HOLY THURSDAY
Friday	Mar 29	†	GOOD FRIDAY



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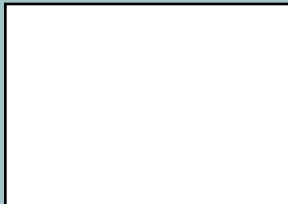
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