

ST. IGNATIUS LOYOLA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Warm and Welcoming

"Give me only your love and your grace, that is enough for me." St. Ignatius of Loyola

October 15, 2023 — Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

www.loyoladenver.org

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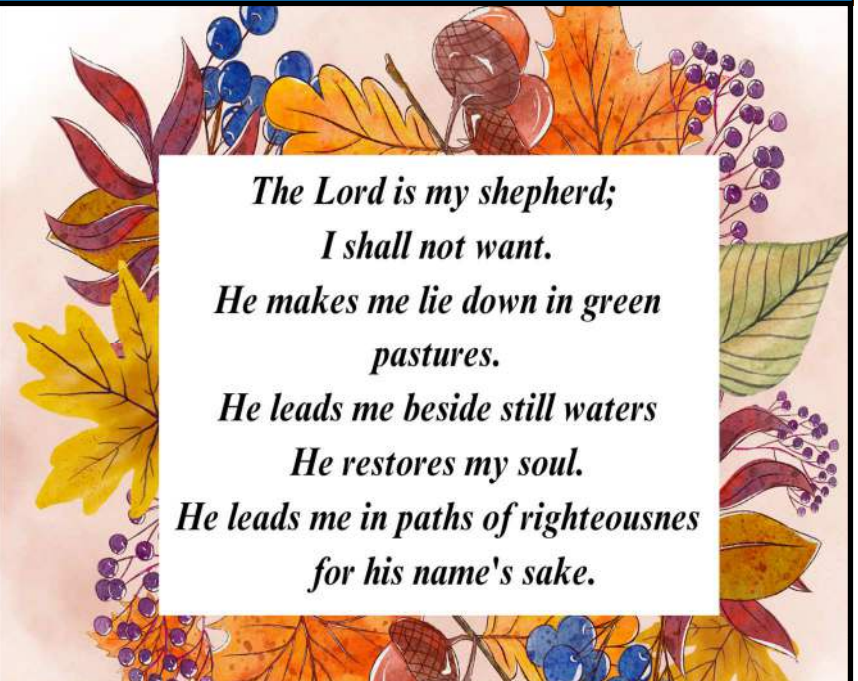
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The Lord is my shepherd;

I shall not want.

*He makes me lie down in green
pastures.*

He leads me beside still waters

He restores my soul.

*He leads me in paths of righteousness
for his name's sake.*

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil	5:00 PM
Sunday	7:30 AM & 10:00 AM
Monday — Friday	12 Noon
Holy Days of Obligation	See Bulletin for Times

SACRAMENTS

Confession	Saturday @ 4:15 PM Weekdays @ 11:15 AM Or by appointment
Anointing of the Sick	Please call the office
Baptism & Matrimony	Please call the office

OTHER MINISTRIES

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Contributions Received

October 4 – 10, 2023

Offertory.....	\$1,234.39
Children's Offertory.....	\$25.25
Building Fund	\$92.00
Gift to the Parish	\$2,000.00



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WEEKLY CALENDAR

CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME MINISTRY:

Meeting today, 8:45 am, Brady Hall.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Classes today at 8:45 am, Family Center (Kinder in the Gesu Rm.).

CHILDREN'S CHURCH: Today at the 10 am Mass.

RCIA: Monday, October 16, 6:30 pm, Curé d' Ars Church.

SEWING MINISTRY: Thursday, October 19, 10 am, Family Center.

JULIA GREELEY GUILD: Thursday, October 19, 10:30 am, via Zoom.

BIBLE STUDY: Thursday, October 19, 6 pm, Brady Hall.

UPCOMING EVENTS

November 4 & 5: Seminarians' Appeal weekend at St. Ignatius of Loyola Parish.

November 3: "The Healing Power of Love: An Evening of Song and Reflection," with W. Clifford Petty, 7 – 9 pm at Most Precious Blood Catholic Parish.

SECOND COLLECTION – NEXT WEEK

World Mission Sunday, our annual worldwide Eucharistic celebration for the Missions and missionaries of the world, will be celebrated on October 22. *Please see the insert for more information.*

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

PASTOR'S COLUMN

Dear Parishioners of St. Ignatius,

This 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time, the Gospel of Matthew presents us with the powerful parable of the royal wedding banquet. This heavenly celebration, full of rich symbolism, is an invitation to reflect upon the meaning of the mystery of the Kingdom of Heaven. The invitation to the wedding banquet of heaven extends far and wide, reaching every corner of the earth, calling each of us by name. Yet, this invitation demands more than mere acknowledgment; it requires a transformative response from the depths of our souls. As the Gospel shows us, we cannot simply show up and observe what is taking place at this banquet. We must put on the "wedding garment" — we must put on the white robes of baptism and endeavor to conform our lives to the purity of the sacraments we receive.

As we continue through the year and important liturgical feasts, we will be celebrating some wonderful saints this month: St. Theresa of Avila (15th), St. Ignatius of Antioch (17th), St. Luke (18th), and closer to the end of the month, the feast day of St. Jude (28th), the Apostle of desperate situations. I was struck thinking about St. Jude and the image of the wedding banquet in this Sunday's Gospel. In the darkest hours, when the weight of life's trials bears heavily upon our shoulders — be they personal, familial or communal — we are never alone. St. Jude stands as a testament to the powerful effects of faith. He helps us recall that the spiritual wedding garment we have been given to wear by our baptism, is intricately woven with indestructible threads of hope, trust, and belief in divine providence.

In the upcoming weeks, our Finance Council will provide insights into the fiscal landscape of our parish. While the Parish Council exists at the invitation of the Pastor to advise him on matters that concern the life of the parish, the Finance Council studies and reviews the financial situation. On the surface, such discussions might seem distant from our spiritual pursuits. Yet, at their core, they echo the teachings of Christ about stewardship, trust, and responsibility. Just as we place our unwavering trust in God's providence, we are simultaneously entrusted with the duty of stewardship — to use what we've been given well in order to extend the reign of God. May the financial report they will present serve as a reminder of our collective mission — to further the Kingdom of God on Earth, ensuring that our temporal endeavors mirror our spiritual aspirations.

In this complex journey of life, where the temporal and spiritual often intersect, may we find solace and guidance in the teachings of the Church. May the example of St. Jude, and insights from the Word of God light our way, guiding us along the right path. They remind us that our faith is not a feeling or an idea, confined to our inner life. Instead, it is a dynamic, compelling force, inviting us, each day, to partake in the grand banquet of life, prepared for us by our Heavenly Father.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Francis Therese Krautter, CSJ

NEWS AND EVENTS

SEWING MINISTRY

Thursday, October 19

We would love to have you join us on **October 19 at 10 am** in the Family Center! We are busy finishing up shorts and dresses for a parishioner to take with her to Mexico this month. Our next project will be to sew altar banners for Advent.

BIBLE STUDY

Thursday, October 19

We will continue our study and discussion of The Gospel of John. Our readings for this week are John 2 – Jn 3:21. Please join us at **6:30 pm** in Brady Hall.

JULIA GREELEY GUILD

Thursday, October 19

Julia Greeley has been called Denver's "Angel of Mercy" and a model for the faithful in northern Colorado. Meetings of the Julia Greeley Guild are on the third Thursday of every month, 10:30 am, via Zoom, all are welcome! To receive the link, please contact Mary Leisring at mary@denvercathedral.org.

SOLEMNITY OF THE DEDICATION OF THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA

Celebrate the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass on the occasion of the 111th Anniversary of the Cathedral's Dedication, with the ability to obtain a Plenary Indulgence.

Vigil on Thursday October 26 at 5:30 pm

Friday, October 27 at 7 am, 12:10 pm, and 5:30 pm
1530 Logan Street, Denver

PLASTIC FILM RECYCLE CHALLENGE UPDATE

The Social Justice and Care for Our Common Home ministries are still collecting plastic, and through the end of September, we have collected 179 pounds! Collection bins are in Brady Hall and the north entrance. Thank you for your donations!

ARCHDIOCESEN PILGRIMAGE

In celebration of our Apostles, the Archdiocese of Denver is providing a pilgrimage to eight of its parishes named for our Church's first followers of Christ. A pilgrimage is considered an act of devotion and can become a meaningful journey. The archdiocese is blessed to have these churches located in many parts of the beautiful state of Colorado. Please consider visiting these churches:

St. Andrew the Apostle, Wray

St. James, Denver

St. John the Evangelist, Loveland

St. Jude, Lakewood

Sts. Peter and Paul, Wheat Ridge

St. Peter, Greeley

St. Peter, Kremmling

If you visit two or more, the archdiocese will send you a holy card of the Last Supper with the Apostle's Creed on the back that has been blessed by Archbishop Aquila. When you visit each church, look for a sign with the Apostle Pilgrimage participation QR code on an exterior door.

FALL FESTIVAL – OCTOBER 28

The Knights and Ladies of Peter Claver present our Fall Festival on **October 28, 2023**, from 6 – 8 pm in Brady Hall. All are welcome to this family friendly event!

Please see the back cover for more information.

LOYOLA FOOD PANTRY FOOD DRIVE

Sunday, October 22, 8 am - Noon

Our pantry continues to serve 30-35 families per week. Please help us help our neighbors by bringing any of these non-perishable items to the pantry/garage at the corner of 23rd and Gaylord: Paper towels, toilet paper, reusable grocery bags, cooking oils, mayonnaise/ Miracle Whip, mustard, ketchup, pancake syrup/mix, canned fruit and vegetables (**no green beans**), canned tomatoes, tomato sauce and tomato paste, canned tuna, chicken and salmon, soup, canned chili, sloppy joe mix, canned stews, spaghetti sauce, SpaghettiOs, canned beans, peanut butter, jelly, coffee, sugar, flour, masa, pasta, crackers, rice (**white only**), taco seasoning and shells, tortillas, Hamburger/Tuna Helper, salsa, hot sauce, honey, and cereal/oatmeal. Cookies, granola bars, juice boxes and snacks are also appreciated. **Please no expired or damaged items!** Financial donations are also accepted, checks payable to *St. Vincent de Paul Society*. Food donations can also be dropped off at the parish office Monday through Friday.

Thank you for your continued generosity!

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday 10-15-23

7:30 am

Theresa Weber⁺

10:00 am

People of the Parish

Monday, 10-16-23

Intentions of the Celebrant

Tuesday, 10-17-23

Jim Kindblade⁺

Wednesday, 10-18-23

Victor Viray⁺

Thursday, 10-19-23

Al Slattery⁺

Friday, 10-20-23

Fr. Thomas P. O'Neill

Saturday, 10-21-23

The Le Frere Family

PLEASE PRAY FOR . . .

Victor Abad, Jr., Elizabeth Achuil, Joyce Armstead, Eugenia Arsense, Benjamin Baszler Family, Mary Bergles, Taeja Billingsley, Raquel Sanchez Bishop, Gray Buckley, Mary Ellen Buning, Loretta Burrell, Susan Carrillo, Gerda Christiansen, Joyce & Meredith Clabaugh, Deborah Cottle, Ann Durkin, Ed Ekel, Ann Feighny, Barbara Floyd-Hall, Valerie Francis, Margie Fry, Natasha M. Garcia, Suzanne Geren, Jean Giles, Hollis Hafner, Carrie Hamilton, Gayle Hamlett, Patty Harvey, Peg Higgins, Tylah Howard, Connor Jennison, Wardell Jones, Isaac Joseph, Jamar Lindsay & Family, Lorene Lee, Jonny Lewis, Judy Lewis, Linda Parker Long, Tony Lutrey, Josephine Martinez, Brody McDonald, Mary McEnany, James McKinney, Mary Ann Montgomery, Mathue/ Nicque Moore, Antonia Moreno, Mary Muldoon, Linda Murray, Carol Nettles, Michelle Padilla, Flora Potter, Margaret Prado, Gail Pugh, Marcello Puma, Fr. Patrick Quinn, Peter Quintero, Megan Reinholtz, Cordell Robinson, Maria Rose, Robert Saldano Family, Paul Scheafbauer, Katie/Melvin Scott, Barb Sercely, William Sexton, Angelita Sims, Gary Slaven, Marc Solzan, Deneen Stevenson, Romaine Tacznosky, Ken/Carmen Therence, Linda Vialpando, Beverly Wilson, John Zimmer

Eternal Joy for . . . James Wol Jong and Deng Jong Jong
Eternal Joy for . . . Al Slattery

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Is 25:6-10a; Phil 4:12-14, 19-20; Mt 22:1-14

Please visit www.usccb.org/bible/readings for the daily reading.

**THE KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF PETER CLAVER
PRESENT**



FALL
Festival

OCTOBER 28, 2023

6 - 8 PM

COSTUMES OPTIONAL & ENCOURAGED

FOOD AND DRINK - HALLOWEEN GOODIES
ACTIVITIES FOR ALL AGES - SURPRISES

PLEASE BRING NON-PERISHABLE, NON-EXPIRED FOOD
ITEMS FOR THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD BANK

**2301 YORK ST.
BRADY HALL, LOWER LEVEL**

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

**Hearts on fire,
feet on the move**



"Were not our hearts burning within us while he spoke to us on the way and opened the Scriptures to us?" Luke 24:13

This Year's Theme: "Hearts on Fire, Feet on the Move"

Pope Francis invites us to set our hearts ablaze with faith and put our faith into action, serving God's mission with joy, enthusiasm, and tireless dedication.

"Hearts on Fire"

As Christians, we're called to kindle the fire of Christ's love in our hearts. Our burning faith fuels our actions, inspiring us to serve others in our daily lives.

"Feet on the Move"

Pope Francis encourages us to not only feel the faith but to act on it. It's our mission to move, serve, and spread the Good News, bringing God's love and peace to all His children.

What is World Mission Sunday?

World Mission Sunday is an annual global celebration within the Catholic Church, observed on the second to last Sunday of October. This special day is dedicated to the support of the missionary work of the Church through prayer and sacrifices.

Why Do We Celebrate it?

Established by Pope Pius XI in 1926, World Mission Sunday is an opportunity for every Church community worldwide to express solidarity with our brothers and sisters living in mission territories. The collection supports mission dioceses in Asia, Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe.

How to take part:

Prayers: Pray for the success of the Church's missionary efforts, missionary priests, religious brothers and sisters, and lay people. And also pray for the people served by them in Asia, Africa, Latin America, the Pacific Islands, and some regions of Europe.

Donations: Your financial support helps fund missionary activities around the world, such as:

- Training future priests and religious
- Supporting religious Sisters
- Empowering catechists teaching the faith
- Funding clinics for the sick and dying
- Providing homes for orphaned children



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