Welcome to St. Ignatius of Loyola

Moving from disciples to apostles

As a Jesuit parish community, animated by the spirit of Saint Ignatius, we welcome all to share in the joy of the Gospel and to come to “know, love and serve” God and one another.

Siendo una comunidad parroquial Jesuita, animada por el espíritu de San Ignacio, les damos a todos la bienvenida para compartir la alegría del evangelio y para “conocer, amar y servir” a Dios y a nuestros hermanos.

SACRAMENTAL LIFE
Celebration of the Eucharist
Sundays:
Upper Church: 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 12 noon, 5:30 p.m.
Lannon Chapel: 10 a.m. Family Mass
12 noon Misa en Español en la Capilla Lannon
Weekdays:
Lannon Chapel: 12:15 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Saturdays:
Lannon Chapel: 9 a.m.
Upper Church: 4 p.m. (Vigil Mass for Sunday)

On Monday holidays, there is just one weekday Mass at 9 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration
Friday: Lannon Chapel, 12:45–5 p.m.
(September–June)

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday: Upper Church, 3–3:45 p.m.
(or by special arrangement)

Ofrecemos los sacramentos y otros programas en español.

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The parish office is open Monday – Friday
9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (closed 12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.)
Sunday: 8 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Seek God in all things
and we shall find God by our side.
~ Saint Peter Claver, SJ

PRAYER FOR GENEROSITY

Lord, teach me to be generous.
Teach me to serve you as you deserve;
to give and not to count the cost,
to fight and not to heed the wounds,
to toil and not to seek for rest,
to labor and not to ask for reward,
save that of knowing that I do your will. Amen.

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STEWARDSHIP
St. Ignatius is a thriving community of over 2,200 families, Jesuit clergy, parish staff, and dedicated parish volunteers. We come together as a community to provide religious education for over 430 children, celebrate some 400 weekend Masses, holidays, and important life moments, regularly feed the homeless, clothe the vulnerable, build homes, provide spiritual direction and enrichment, and work to proclaim the Good News in a world that deeply hungers for it. Our various ministries depend exclusively on parishioners’ time, talent, and treasure. Please consider sharing your gifts with the parish community. Be sure to register. Forms are available at the back of the Church or on our website.

We encourage all parishioners to consider joining our Online or Text Giving Program. Your participation makes it possible for us to plan an appropriate operating budget and helps us to forecast income for the upcoming year. For more details, please visit our website and click “Donate.” To give via text, send a text message with the dollar amount (e.g. “$10”) to our reserved phone number (617-553-6399).

For more information on any of our activities or services, please call or email the Parish Office at 617-552-6100, ignatius@bc.edu or see our website: stignatiuschestnuthill.org
SACRAMENTS

Anointing of the Sick is a source of spiritual strength for those who are seriously ill. It is administered at special Masses during the year and in the homes or hospital of those who are sick, facing surgery, or may be approaching death. Contact Sr. Diane Vallerio, 617-552-6107, vallerio@bc.edu.

Infant Baptisms are celebrated communally one Saturday a month at 11 a.m. First time parents are expected to attend a Baptismal Preparation held on a prior Saturday. Private Baptisms and Baptisms in Spanish may be arranged if you have your own priest or deacon. Contact: Sr. Diane Vallerio, 617-552-6107, vallerio@bc.edu.

Marriage is celebrated throughout the year. Parishioners, BC/Jesuit Alumni, and others are welcome. Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Contact: Parish Office, 617-552-6102 or ignatius@bc.edu.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the primary process for adults to prepare for Baptism or become full members of the Catholic Church. All serious inquirers at all levels of knowledge, faith, and intent are welcome. Contact: Parish Office, 617-552-6102 or ignatius@bc.edu.

PARISH LIFE

Saint Ignatius welcomes and urges parishioners to participate in the life of the parish. Our ministries and groups are open to all parishioners. For further information about any of these ministries or groups, visit our parish website or contact our Parish Office at 617-552-6100 or ignatius@bc.edu.

Arts & Environment meets before major holidays to decorate the church.

Community Connections celebrates the community by organizing various parish events. Volunteers are welcome. Help is always needed.

Counters meet on Monday mornings to get the weekend collection ready for deposit. It is a once or twice a month commitment. It is a great opportunity for anyone retired or a stay-at-home parent.

Finance Commission advises the pastor on the parish budget and other business matters.

Funerals and Bereavement is a ministry of presence, in which parishioners serve at funerals. We also offer a program of caring for those who have experienced the loss of a loved one.

Liturgy Commission requires a wide variety of ministers: lectors, eucharistic ministers, bread bakers, and hospitality ministers.

Men’s Spiritual Growth meets to help men develop a deeper prayer and spiritual life.

Music Ministry enriches our liturgies with a variety of choirs and ensembles. We offer participants in this ministry a wide range of musical styles and different levels of time commitment.

Outreach Ministries reaches out to support those who live with poverty, hunger, homelessness and suffering. There are a wide variety of service opportunities.

Parish Pastoral Commission is our leadership body involved in ensuring our parish’s mission through strategic planning.

Peace, Justice & Reconciliation Commission educates and helps to inspire the parish community to take action according to the Catholic Church’s social justice teaching.

Seniors gather for social and other events throughout the year.

Spiritual Life provides opportunities to enrich the prayer and spiritual lives of our community in the Ignatian tradition. Various prayer experiences, programs, and retreats are offered.

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