

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2010 – 5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THE READINGS FOR THE 6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ARE:

Jer. 17:5-8
1 Cor. 15:12, 16-20
Lk. 6:17, 20-26

Please Pray for

Sunday, February 7, 2010

8:00 William Franz
10:00 Bridget Mary Mattiome
Noon John Martin
5:30 Dorthe Kelly

Monday, February 8, 2009

12:15 Patricia M. Nolan

Tuesday, February 9, 2010

12:15 Francis Gallagher

Thursday, February 11, 2010

12:15 Francis Mannix and
Mary Mannix Slaughter
5:30 Carol Bowdring

Friday, February 12, 2010

12:15 Capobianco-Casaletto
Family and Judge Margaret C.
Scott

Saturday, February 13, 2010

9:00 Bettina Rice

WORLD DAY OF THE SICK

In observance of World Day of the Sick, which is February 11th, we will celebrate the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick during 4PM Liturgy on Saturday, February 13th.



BAKE SALE

NEXT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH, THERE WILL BE BAKED GOODS FOR SALE AFTER THE MASSES TO SUPPORT THE MAYAN PEOPLE OF CHIAPAS, MEXICO.

PRAYING WITH IGNATIUS

SPRING 2010 PROGRAM AT CHURCH OF ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA
SUNDAYS 4:00-5:15PM

Feb. 21	Discernment of Spirits I	(Aaron Pidel)
Mar. 7	1 st week Sin & Grace (Lent)	(Ben Osborne)
Mar. 21	Discernment of Spirits II	(Derrick Weingartner)
Apr. 11	4 th week Contemplatio (Easter)	(Chris Duffy)
Apr. 25	Overview of Spiritual Exercises and tie it all together	(Ben Osborne)

Each session will begin with a presentation of no more than 30 minutes followed by time for individual prayer and concluding with small group discussions, facilitated by Derrick, Ben, Aaron, and Chris, that will give participants an opportunity to reflect on the prayer experiences and ask questions.

LENTEN PROGRAM

Marsha Mirkin will return to St. Ignatius on Saturday, February 27th. Using psalms and readings from Isaiah, Dr. Mirkin will connect these voices from the Hebrew Testament to our own life experiences, current challenges and hopes. According to Dr. Mirkin, "Isaiah can find hope and spiritual connection even during painful times, as he tries to answer the question 'what does our God want from us individually and communally?', so that we can be in a mutual relationship". Trained as a clinical psychologist, Dr. Mirkin has been teaching at our parish for nearly ten years on psychological interpretations and the contemporary relevance of the Bible. Please join us in the Friary Room on February 27th from 10:00 – Noon for a program that is sure to enhance your Lenten journey.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, February 7 th	Collection for St. Francis House Contemporary Music Ensemble – Upper Church	All Masses 4:30 pm
Monday, February 8 th	RCIA – Friary Room	7:15 pm
Tuesday, February 9 th	Parish Life Commission Meeting – Rectory	7:15 pm
Wed., February 10 th	Transitions Meeting – Friary Room Carol Choir – Choir/Media Room Parish Choir – Choir/Media Room Young Adult Group Meeting – Rectory	12:45 pm 4:30 pm 7:15 pm 7:30 pm
Friday, February 12 th	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Lannon Chapel	12:45 pm

St. Ignatius Music Ministry - All of our Music Ministry choirs are looking for new members. Please check our website for opportunities, or contact Michael Burgo: burgo@bc.edu or 617-552-6108.

Book Discussion - There will be a discussion of Richard Rohr's book, The Naked Now: Learning to See as the Mystics See on Sunday, February 14th at 11:15 am in the rectory living room. Hope you can join us and feel free to bring your valentine!

Young Adult Social Gathering - On February 21st after the 5:30 p.m. mass, all young adults (21+, ID required) are invited to come down to the Friary Room for conversation, refreshments and snacks. See you then!



LENT IS ON ITS WAY! Each year, on the last Sunday before Lent, we burn the palm branches blessed on the prior Palm Sunday, to be used at the services on Ash Wednesday. On the weekends of February 7th and February 14th, there will be baskets at the entrances of the church for you to place these branches, so that they can be gathered up and burned before the 5:30 Liturgy on February 14th. You are also welcome to join us for a brief prayer service on the front steps of the church at 5:10 p.m. before the palms are committed to the flames.

NATIVITY PREPARATORY SCHOOL'S 13TH ANNUAL NATIVITY SPIRIT SERVICE AWARD DINNER will be held on Wednesday, February 10, 2010 at Boston College High School. This year Nativity is pleased to recognize Mr. Kevin Leary and Ms. Mary Kelleher with the Raymond J. Callahan, S.J. Service Award. Nativity is celebrating its 20th year in operation and we would love for you to join in the festivities! Ticket prices start at \$125 for an individual and \$1,250 for a table of 10. For more information, please contact Rikki Bohorquez at 857-728-0031, ext. 21 or via email at rbohorquez@nativityboston.org.

St. Ignatius purchased a table for the dinner: if you'd like to sit with the parish, please contact the rectory at 617-552-6102 or ignatius@bc.edu.

LITTLE ROCK BIBLE GROUP

We will be studying "The Gospel of Mark" this semester. The earliest account of Jesus' life focuses on the paschal events and will draw you into an examination of what it means to follow Jesus, even in his suffering. The study begins on Wednesday, February 24th at 7:15 pm in the Lannon Chapel. The cost is \$20.00, which includes a commentary and study guide and DVD presentation of the study. New members are always welcome. To register, you may call the rectory (617-552-6102) or fill out the below. If you have any questions, please call John Daffarra at 781-899-9540.

LITTLE ROCK REGISTRATION FORM

NAME.....
ADDRESS.....
TELEPHONE
(home).....(work/cell).....
I will pay now.....I will pay later.....

OUTREACH MINISTRIES

THIS WEEKEND... our annual "Heart to Heart" at-the-door Collection to underwrite lunches for over 600 Guests at St. Francis House Day Shelter in Boston. Look for the heart-shaped box at church exits.



February 17th, throughout Lent... Operation Rice Bowl For 35 years, Catholic Relief Services' Operation Rice Bowl has offered Catholics in the United States a way to connect with our sisters and brothers around the world.

ANNUAL RETREAT FOR YOUNG ADULTS

The annual weekend retreat for young adults will be held February 26-28 at the Connors Family Retreat Center in Dover. Our theme will come from Hebrews as we focus on stress in our lives and spiritual perseverance. Participants will have the option of staying one night, two nights, or just for the day on Saturday. All young adults are welcome to attend! For more information, please e-mail Brittany Schlorff at beeleigh312@yahoo.com.

"Walk in My Shoes"

All are invited to "Walk in my Shoes: A Health Access Simulation: The Experience of Low-Income Health Care Consumers," sponsored by The Women's Table, a ministry of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Boston. This program is Friday, February 12 from 9:30am-12:00pm at the Sisters of St. Joseph Motherhouse, 637 Cambridge Street, Brighton, MA. 03135. Walk in my Shoes is an experiential workshop designed to give participants a concrete idea of what many experience when they seek medical assistance and don't have health care. To register, contact: Mary Rita Weschler, Director, The Women's Table, maryrita.weschler@csjboston.org, 617.746.2056. Registration deadline: Feb. 8, 2010. Visit <http://www.csjboston.org/> to download a flyer with details about this event.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

FEBRUARY

Sunday, 7 th	Family Mass Catechetical sessions (PS-5, Confirmation I and II) Middle School Meets
Sunday 14 th	No Catechetical sessions – February Vacation
17 th	Ash Wednesday
21 st	Catechetical sessions resume (PS-5, Confirmation I&II) Middle School Meets - ABP - Operation Rice Bowl Begins
23 rd	Faith Formation Commission Meeting, 7:15pm
26 th	Just Youth – 6-8 pm – Rectory Dining Room
27 th	First Reconciliation – 11:00 am Lannon Chapel
28 th	Catechetical Sessions – Family Mass

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

LENTEN/EASTER BOOK DISCUSSION

A reading / discussion group will meet as usual on Wednesday evenings from 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm at the Jesuit residence, 130 Beacon Street during the Lent and Easter seasons. The group will be co-led by Frs. Bob and J.A.

This discussion group will consider two books, both by the same author. The Reverend Timothy Keller, the founder and pastor of Redeemer Presbyterian Church in New York City. We start with *The Reason for God: Belief in an Age of Skepticism* (Riverhead Books, N.Y., 2008). This New York Times best-selling book has garnered high praise from so many. Keller has been called a pioneer for new urban Christians (*Christianity Today*), and “one who is likely to change many lives and ways of thinking” (*World* magazine). It is intellectually stimulating yet accessible.

The second book is *The Prodigal God: Recovering the Heart of the Christian Faith* (Dutton, N.Y., 2008). This is a much shorter and more pastoral/homiletic approach to one of the most beloved passages from Luke’s gospel – the Parable of the Prodigal Son.

We will read Part One of *The Reason for God* during the first two weeks, have a week break, then read the whole of *The Prodigal God* (during this time this parable will be read in our liturgical cycle), and then return to Part Two of *The Reason for God* for the final two sessions.

The group will begin on February 24th and end on April 14th. There will be two Wednesdays when there will be no meeting: March 10th and March 31st. (So that’s: two weeks, a break of one week, two more weeks with another break of one week, and then the final two weeks.)

It should be a stimulating time both intellectually and spiritually. Both books should be available at local booksellers (*Reason* in paperback, and *Prodigal* in hardcover. Both are available through *Amazon.com* in various additions, including Kindle editions.)

Any questions/concerns? Contact Fr. J.A. or Fr. Bob. As usual, space is limited Please let the Office know of your intention to attend (Betty at 617-552-6102 or ignatius@bc.edu).

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THE CELEBRATION OF EUCHARIST

SUNDAY UPPER CHURCH 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 NOON, 5:30 PM

LOWER CHURCH 10:00 AM, FAMILY LITURGY

12:00 MISA EN ESPANOL EN LA CAPILLA LANNON

WEEKDAY 12:15 pm - LOWER CHURCH - 5:30 PM – LOWER CHURCH

SATURDAY LOWER CHURCH 9:00 AM, UPPER CHURCH 4:00 PM (Vigil)

THE SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM

Adults are baptized at the Easter Vigil as part of the Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults. Infant and child baptisms are by arrangement.

FIRST EUCHARIST

Preparation occurs in Grade 1 and includes classes, retreats and home instruction.

CONFIRMATION

Our Confirmation program begins in the 9th grade. Students are confirmed in the Spring of the 10th grade. Young adults who have been catechized but are not yet confirmed should contact the rectory for an alternative program.

MATRIMONY

Must be registered as a parishioner six months prior to beginning Marriage arrangements.

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:15 - 3:45 PM Upper Church or by arrangement

ANOINTING OF THE SICK by arrangement