

THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 9, 2010

THE READINGS FOR THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER ARE:

Acts 7: 55-60
Rv. 22: 12-14
Jn. 17: 20-26

Please Pray for

Sunday, May 9, 2010

8:00 Bud Grossman
10:00 Genevieve & Alfred
Wasilauskas
Noon-UC Nancy Regolino
Noon-LC Marta Tarsila
Melendez Galdamez
5:30 Mary Dafarra
Monday, May 10, 2010
12:15 Francis Stanleigh Farrell
Thomas Doherty

Tuesday, May 11, 2010

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

Wednesday, May 12, 2010

12:15 Avis Long

Thursday, May 13, 2010

12:15 Mrs. Lansche
5:30 Edward McManus

Friday, May 14, 2010

12:15 Francis Mannix & Mary
Mannix Slaughter
5:30 Sister Mary Daniel
O'Keefe

Saturday, May 15, 2010

9:00 Patricia M. Nolan

Dear Parishioners,

As always, the month of May is a busy time at St. Ignatius. Last week, we celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation with our youth and some adult members of our Latino community. On Sunday morning, we celebrated First Eucharist at our Spanish Mass. This Saturday, we had the blessing of two first Eucharists with eighty of our children receiving the sacrament. All of this activity is a sign that the Holy Spirit is very much at work in our parish life and in the lives of our parishioners.

With all that is going on, it is a good time to thank all who are involved in our Faith Formation program. I especially want to thank Amy Chapman and Jerry Sloan, the directors. They are both so gifted, generous and committed to the faith lives of our young parishioners. With them, I need to thank our catechists. These are the folks among you who volunteer their time and talents as models of faith. Supporting all these efforts is the Faith Formation Commission. I am more than grateful for their energy and creativity. Finally, I want to thank the leaders of the Arts Based Faith Formation program, especially Maria Rodrigues, Portia Durbin, Enid Levangie and Kathy Pasqualini. This past Sunday, I celebrated the Family Mass with the leadership of the children from this very creative program. It was a wonder to behold!

May is also the month when we seek candidates for our Parish Pastoral Council. The Council is a group of parishioners who, with the pastor and pastoral staff, reflect on the vision and direction of the parish. They have been invaluable to me in their concern for and commitment to our parish life. This past year, the council has been focusing on four different areas: Welcoming and Community, Latino/Anglo Integration, Ignatian Spirituality and Youth and Young Adult Ministry. In order to facilitate this work, we have gone to a different meeting model this year, which has been two days of retreat, three plenary evening sessions, and focus group meetings as determined by the group. If any of you might be interested in becoming a member of the Council for this coming year, I would be delighted to give you more information.

Finally, I want to encourage you to attend our parish retreat at our beautiful retreat center in Gloucester, the first weekend of June. This is an unusual time for us to have the retreat, so I am hoping that we can fill the house given the spectacular beauty of Eastern Point at this time of year. Since that Sunday is the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ, this will be the theme of our prayer and celebration. Please don't hesitate to inquire more about the retreat if you have any questions or concerns.

As always I am grateful for your presence and support!

Fr. Bob

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, May 9th	Contemporary Music Ensemble – Upper Church	4:30 pm
Wed., May 12 th	Parish Choir Rehearsal – Choir/Media Room	7:15 pm
	Little Rock Bible Group – Lannon Chapel	7:15 pm
	YAG – Rectory 2 nd floor	7:30 pm
Friday, May 14 th	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Lannon Chapel	12:45 pm

MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD, THURSDAY, MAY 13TH

Vigil Mass	Wednesday, May 12 th	5:30 pm	Lannon Chapel
Holyday Mass	Thursday, May 13 th	12:15 pm – 5:30pm	Upper Church

PASTA AND PRAYER - Make your reservation for the next Pasta & Prayer program on Thursday, May 20th from 6:30 – 8:30 pm in the Friary Room. Join others for conversation around the topic, “Gone Fishing, Ordinary Time, Part 1” while enjoying a simple and delicious dinner. You don’t have to be a spiritual expert; just willing to participate in the conversation. Seating is limited and you must pre-register by Monday, May 17th so we have time to plan appropriately. This is also a good time to “save the date” for the last Pasta & Prayer of the season, on June 17th when we continue our conversation about Ordinary Time.

BOOK DISCUSSION WITH AUTHOR

On May 23rd at 11:15 am in the rectory living room, Nancy Kehoe will be joining us for a discussion of her book **Wrestling with Our Inner Angels**. All are welcome!

MUSIC MINISTRY AT ST. IGNATIUS

All of our St. Ignatius Music Ministry groups are seeking new members. Please check out the flyers on our bulletin boards or check out the Music Ministry page of our website: www.bc.edu/stignatius. If interested, contact Michael Burgo at burgo@bc.edu or 617- 552-6108.



THE 6TH ANNUAL NATIVITY PREPARATORY SCHOOL GOLF CLASSIC will be held on Monday, June 14th, at the Black Rock Country Club in Hingham. For more information, please contact Rikki Gipp Bohorquez at 857-728-0031, Extension 21 or email: rbohorquez@nativityboston.org.

ST. COLUMBKILLE PARTNERSHIP SCHOOL is now accepting registrations for the 2010-2011 school year. A limited number of openings are available in grades Pre-K through 8. The St. Columbkille Partnership School is an exciting learning environment where students have access to the newest curriculum materials and technology. For more information, call 617-254-3110.

OUTREACH MINISTRIES



PROJECT BREAD WALK FOR HUNGER happened!
You may still support any individual walker or TEAM
IGNATIUS - just go to: www.projectbread.org.

SPRING CLOTHING DRIVE: THANK YOU for your clothing donations to help St. Francis House Guests get through the spring/summer seasons.



Auditions for Choral Drama "Missionaries" - This fall at St. Ignatius there will be a production of the choral drama *Missionaries* by Elizabeth Swados in honor of the 30th anniversary of the martyrdom of Jean Donovan, Ita Ford, Maura Clarke, and Dorothy Kazel in El Salvador for their work with the poor and for human rights / social justice. *Missionaries* is based on the women's letters and journals and on the homilies of Archbishop Oscar Romero. Auditions for this special concert will take place on June 5 from 10am to 12pm by appointment at the McElroy building (Boston College), room 213 (up the stairs and through the dining area). Please see www.missionariesboston.org or email info@missionariesboston.org for details.

THE PARISH RETREAT AT EASTERN POINT



IN GLOUCESTER is scheduled for June 4th - 6th. We are aware that the month of June is a particularly busy one for people. If you are interested in coming to the retreat it would be helpful if you could call the rectory (617-552-6102) now to

Register. We hope that you can take advantage of this opportunity for personal renewal and refreshment. In particular, if you have never experienced a retreat or if it's been a long time since your last one, we especially invite you to join us. The cost of the weekend is \$200 with all meals included.

CALL FOR PARISHIONERS INTERESTED IN SERVING ON THE PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

The St. Ignatius Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) seeks new members for a 3 year term beginning September, 2010. If you are interested in serving on the PPC or know someone else who might be interested, please contact Fr. Bob at 617-552-6110 or frvereec@bc.edu. The PPC is an advisory body to the pastor and has as its primary focus

assisting the pastor in planning for the future of the parish. Updating and monitoring the implementation of the Parish Pastoral Plan is one of the major functions of the Council, in addition to specific planning initiatives. The PPC aims to be broadly representative of the parish in its composition. We especially invite young adults (ages 22-40) to consider serving on the council.

CONGRATULATIONS

CONFIRMANDI – APRIL 30, 2010

Nicholas Sebastian Amrhein	Daniel Kim	Karla Renderos
Elizabeth Eleanore Jude Ayoub	Daniel Lee	Vanessa Renderos
Joseph Cancelliere	Julia Lee	Devin Marie Riordan
Delia Ridge Creamer	Caroline Elizabeth Mancusi	Mary Emma Margaret Searles
Russell Contreras	Luis Cesar Mesa Martinez	Holy Hope Szafran
Tela Amelia Lucia D'Amore Morrison	Catherine Elizabeth McLaughlin	Sandra Elizabeth Lopez Teo
Mary Hannah Dober	Joseph Kellen Michael McLaughlin	Mandi J. Torrez
Nicole Cecilia Dube	Reina Esperanza Melendez Medina	Rebecca Francesca Trayner
Christine Margrett Dube	Valentine Maria Parada-Zambrano	Ivan Wolyniec
Kevin Charles Timothy Farley	Daniel Louis Dorian Pasquale	Alexandra Wyrodek
Mary Marjorie Olney Fulham	Carlos Renderos	
Annina Sabolsi Hsieh	Maggie Maloney	
Katherine Rose Kervin	Paul Romero Ignatius Greene	

FIRST COMMUNICANTS, MAY 1ST AND MAY 10TH

Leah Ansty	Elizabeth Fronsaglia	Peter Levangie
Jacob Babigian	Lillian Rose Gage	Maya Leschly
Kathleen Bennett	Thomas Glatz	Ella Lerou
Laura Braudis	Eleanor Graham	Raquel Lewis
John Broughel	Micaela Greene	Jude Littell
Chris Caceres	Charles Guerra	Anabel Marre
William Caceres	Mairead (Maggie) Hayes	Daniel Lemus Mesa
Nicholas Cloney		Stefano Micali
Daniel Collins	Katelyn Hatem	Chiara Morley-McLaughlin
Julia Davis	Alexander Hayre-Perez	Edward Murray
Isabelle DeFranco	Calvin Heberlein	Mitchell O'Grady
Michael DeFranco	Evan Hsu	Jennifer O'Sullivan
Sean Denery	Jamie Hughes	Sarah O'Sullivan
Matthew DeVita	Angelique Jean-Noel	James Patton
Isabella Donovan	Cepeda Jefferson	Jessica Perez
Charlotte Doran	Lucy Jenks	Katherine Perez
Eliza Durbin	William Jenks	Jenna Peterson
George Egan	Seth Jones	Isabella Piedrahita
Victoria El-Khoury	Ben Kaczmarek	Mikaela Pratt
Francesca Faggiano	Oksana Kelley	Jackson Riffe
James Freehill, III	Katelyn Kiely	Dominic Severo
	Tara Kirchman	Chloe Singer
		Katherine Stevo
		Isabella Vega
		Isabella Villafuerte
		Justin Walsh
		Maiya Whalen

Happy Mother's Day

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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

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