

Sunday, February 17, 2008 – The 2nd Sunday of Lent

THE READINGS FOR FEBRUARY 24TH – THE 3RD SUNDAY OF LENT ARE:

Ex. 17: 3-7

Rom. 5: 1-2

Jn. 4: 5-42

Please Pray for

Sunday, February 17, 2008

8:00 Mass for the People
10:00 Raymond A. Martel
Noon Bernard J. Dwyer
5:30 Carol Bowdring

Monday, February 18, 2008

5:30 John Robley Campbell

Tuesday, February 19, 2008

12:15 Maria Clotilde Antonelli
5:30 Dr. James Powers

Wednesday, February 20, 2008

12:15 Fr. Heinrich Gierend
5:30 Mary Dafarra

Friday, February 22, 2008

12:15 Angelica Sabatino &
Peter Morello

5:30 Alexander Lempicki

Saturday, February 23, 2008

9:00 Thomas O'Leary
4:00 Michael Lydon

CATHOLIC APPEAL WEEKEND – The weekend of March 1st / 2nd will be Catholic Appeal Weekend here at St. Ignatius. God calls each of us to share our gifts with others for the building up of his kingdom. Cardinal Seán is asking every Catholic household to participate in this year's 2008 Catholic Appeal, which funds the many programs and services of our Archdiocese of Boston. The 2008 Catholic Appeal is to our Archdiocese what the weekly offertory is to our parish – so your participation and support are critical! Please begin to prayerfully consider how you will participate. Every gift matters. For more information, please visit www.BostonCatholicAppeal.org.

PROGRAM ON END OF LIFE ISSUES - Session 2 of this two part series "End of Life Issues" will be held on Sunday after noon, February 24th, from 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm in the Lannon Chapel. The topic is Hospice, Funerals, Bereavement.

"THEY'RE BACK!" The members of the parish who traveled to St. Anne's, our sister parish, in Kingston, Jamaica the last week of January have returned, and now want to tell of their unique experience with members of the parish. Please come on Sunday, February 24th, after the 10:00 am Liturgy, to share through word and media their insights into this journey over coffee, refreshments and conversation in the Friary Room. Hope to see you there!

FRIDAY EVENINGS DURING LENT: The upper church will be available for anyone who would like to pray the Stations of the Cross privately. Following

the 5:30 Mass, members of the Hispanic community will be praying the Stations, so the upper church will be open from 6:15 to 7:00 or so (except February 29th, when the upper church will be in use). Copies of various versions of the Stations will be on the table as you enter the upper church from the lower level (no other upper church doors will be unlocked).



LENTEN EVENING PRAYER- Join the parish community in song, prayer and reflection with presiding and preaching by members of the parish on **Monday evenings at 7:15 pm in the Lannon Chapel.**

OUTREACH MINISTRIES



OPERATION RICE BOWL materials are on the table in the upstairs Gathering Space and the lower level entryway.

JOIN THE ICE CREAM CLUB! Each month, a group of dedicated parishioners serves dinner at Shattuck Shelter, including the wonderful desserts that are provided by members of the parish community. Dinner is topped off with ice cream - a real treat for the Shelter Guests. Would you like to cover the \$80 cost of one ice cream "order?" If so, please contact Sr. Diane by phone or email - 617-552-6107 or vallerio@bc.edu.



SOUP AND STATIONS are on Fridays during Lent. Soup is served at 6PM in the lower level Parish Hall at Corpus Christi Church, Ash Street (off Commonwealth Avenue) in Auburndale. Stations begin at 7PM in the upper church. St. Ignatius will provide the soup and present the Stations on February 29th; our sixth through tenth grade Faith Formation students will be the cooks, servers and prayer leaders.

GREAT LENTEN ACTIVITY: Check out labelsareforjars.org. Labels are for Jars raises money to provide free, nutritious meals in Lawrence (one of the poorest cities in the country) through the Cor Unum Meal Center, which serves meals to hundreds of people every day, 365 days a year. On the homepage, click on Lent Guide to find a daily reflection guide for your prayer during Lent and a cut-off label to affix to your jar for collecting money.

LABELS ARE FOR JARS™



TIME TO START PREPARING! The Sunday, May 4th Project Bread Walk for Hunger is not really so far away! Registration materials are on the Outreach Table in the gathering space. Online registration is now open (www.projectbread.org); TEAM IGNATIUS is set up and waiting for members! Let's help Project Bread celebrate the 40th Walk in a big way.

LENTEN PROGRAM WITH MARSHA MIRKIN, PH.D. – MARCH 8TH – 10:30 – NOON IN THE FRIARY ROOM - Faith, longing, distress, hope, gratitude – the psalms give us a glimpse of the power of our relationship with God. Join us as we explore the psychological meaning of some of our beautiful psalm, how the verses can be a strength and a challenge to us during difficult times and how they they can offer us the potential for life renewed.



BOOK DISCUSSION – On Sunday, March 9th, there will be a discussion of the book Eat, Pray, Love: One Woman's Search for Everything Across Italy, India and Indonesia by Elizabeth Gilbert. The discussion will take place in the Rectory living room after the 10:00 am Liturgy. All are welcome.



THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, Feb. 17th	Contemporary Music Ensemble – Upper Church	4:30 pm
Monday, “ 18 th	Lenten Evening Prayer – Lannon Chapel	7:15 pm
Wed. “ 20 th	Children’s Carol Choir – Choir Room	4:30 pm
“ “ “	Parish Choir Rehearsal – Friary Room	7:15 pm
“ “ “	Little Rock Bible Group – Lannon Chapel	7:15 pm
“ “ “	Young Adult Group – 2 nd floor Rectory	7:30 pm
Friday, “ 22 nd	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Lannon Chapel	12:45 pm



ST. FRANCIS HOUSE COLLECTION – Last weekend’s collection to underwrite lunches at St. Francis House totaled \$1, 950.70!

MINISTERIO PARA LA COMUNIDAD LATINA EN SAN IGNACIO DE LOYOLA (MINISTRY FOR THE LATINO COMMUNITY AT ST. IGNATIUS)

La Misa en Espanol: Los Domingos en la Capilla Lannon a las 12:00. (Ultimo domingo del mes, habrá una misa bilingüe en la Iglesia de arriba) Estamos invitando a los miembros de la comunidad Latina a organizar grupos de oración, grupos de compartimientos de la Fé y estudios biblicos inmediatamente despues de la liturgia. Si alguien pudiera beneficiar del uso de un misal que tiene las lecturas en los dos idiomas, puede encontrarlos en la mesa a la entrada de la iglesia.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

CALENDAR FOR THIS SEMESTER. Please note especially the following dates:

- o February 24th & March 2nd – Personal Safety Program
- o March 1st Mandatory Confirmation Retreat, 9am – 6pm
- o April 30th Celebration of Confirmation
- o May 10th Celebration of First Eucharist



MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL

Thursday, February 28th Prepare Soup and Stations from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm in the Rectory

Friday, February 29th – Serve soup and lead stations from 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm at Corpus Christi



SUNDAY MORNING ADULT

FAITH FORUM Share your thoughts on the scriptures of the day and discuss some of the critical issues of being a faithful Catholic. Each Sunday, following the 10:00 am Liturgies, there will be an opportunity to share in the contemporary Church. Why not join us for coffee and doughnuts after Mass (refreshments).

CATHOLIC GAY AND LESBIAN CONCERNS

In an effort to facilitate conversation for our Gay and Lesbian parishioners, as well as parents and family members of Gay and Lesbian Catholics, we are providing an informal context in which people feel free to talk about their questions and concerns. Please call Fr. Bob at the rectory or email frverec@bc.edu for more details.



ST. IGNATIUS MUSIC MINISTRY CALLING ALL INSTRUMENTALISTS If you are an experienced instrumentalist of any age, and would like to join an ensemble, we have one for you! The St. Ignatius Symphonia plays the first Sunday of each month, October through June, (and a few other liturgies throughout the season) at the Noon Mass, with rehearsal at 11:00 am the day of the Mass at which they play. Music is sent to members in advance. If you have interest or questions, please contact Timothy Zimmerman at 617-552-6114 or zimmerata@bc.edu.

YOUNG ADULT COMMUNITY WINTER RETREAT - REGISTRATION FORM

SAVED BY HOPE

We invite all young adults to join us for a weekend of contemplating hope through the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius. In addition to the Spiritual Exercises and personal reflection time, we will have plenty of social time, too. Please join us!

DATE: March 1st and 2nd, 2008

TIME: Starts at 9:00 am on Saturday, Ends after Lunch on Sunday

Location: Bellarmine House Conference Center in Cohasset, MA

Fee: \$100 (includes meals, lodging)

To Register, please complete the registration form below and mail with a \$100 check (no cash please) payable to St. Ignatius Parish no later than February 20th:

Patricia Williams
 298 Chestnut Avenue #1
 Jamaica Plain, MA., 02130

The retreat is limited to 25 people, so please be sure to register as soon as possible. If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact Patti Williams at 617-678-0449 or paw@hotmail.com

**Financial assistance is available. Please let me know if you would like to attend, but are unable to pay in full.*

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Food Restrictions/Allergies: _____

Are you able to drive others? _____ **Do You need a ride?** _____

Please indicate whether you prefer to be contacted via phone or email with directions and additional information.

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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 (Sept.-June) 10:00 AM, Family Liturgy.

12:00 Misa en Espanol (cada otro domingo en la Capilla Lannon)

WEEKDAY LOWER CHURCH 12:15 PM, 5:30 PM

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

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT - LOWER CHURCH FRIDAYS 12:45-5:00 PM

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 2 and includes classes, retreat 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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