

17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

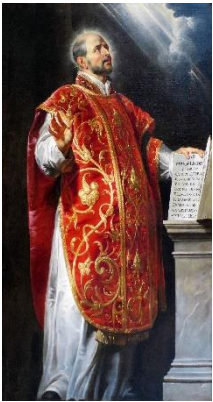


The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which someone found and hid; then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.

-Matthew 13.44



FEAST OF ST. IGNATIUS LOYOLA



July 31st, is the Feast of St. Ignatius Loyola, founder of the Jesuits. He was born in 1491 and as a young man was a soldier. In 1521, he was wounded during the siege at the fortress in Pamplona and it would be during his convalescence that he would begin to read the Life of Christ and undergo conversion. He began writing the Spiritual Exercises in 1522. His faith journey led him to Pilgrimage of the Holy Land and on

several mendicant tours through Europe. Ignatius and several others, called *companions*, worked in hospitals, studied and gave the Spiritual Exercises and were ordained to the priesthood. These companions would be the Jesuits. The fruits of Ignatius's faith are still with us today in the Spiritual Exercises and the Apostolic work of the Jesuits here at Lourdes and around the world. Ignatius was a man of faith, of calm hope and adaptability. His faith led him to a great generosity of spirit and of a life of self-giving to God.

The Feast of St. Ignatius Loyola Mass and celebration will be at 11am only at 520 Sherbourne (Our Lady of Lourdes Church) on Monday, July 31st.

Parking is also available at Monsignor Fraser School, 146 Isabella St., Toronto

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM



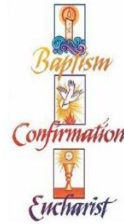
First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion

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Registration is open for First Reconciliation/First Communion. For details, please register your child or children by calling the Parish Office at 416-924-6257 or email info@lourdes.to.



RCIA PROGRAM



RCIA Rite of Catholic Initiation of Adults

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults or RCIA is designed for those who might be interested in becoming Roman Catholic. It offers a communal program of preparation for those

considering the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation & the Eucharist) and Reception into the Roman Catholic Community. The program runs from September to Easter Vigil. For details on the process of preparation for any of the Sacraments, please call the Parish office at 416-9246257 or email info@lourdes.to.



ST. JOSEPHINE BAKHITA PILGRIMAGE



St. Josephine Bakhita Pilgrimage will be on August 19, 2023 from 9:30am to 4pm. For more information, please contact Odette at 647-231-1436.

All are welcome and encouraged to join us on this pilgrimage at 16163 Ontario Highway 12, West, Midland, ON L4R 4K6.

PARISH PICNIC

Our Lady of Lourdes would like to thank everyone who came and joined our Parish picnic. And, to thank the organizers and volunteers who dedicated their time and energy to this wonderful community spirit event.



OLOL SENIOR'S BBQ

We are very grateful to all senior's who came and joined the Senior's BBQ. And to thank the team who made this event possible to give joy to the Senior's community here at Our Lady of Lourdes.



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Every 1st Friday of the Month - 8:30am to 5pm
Come and spend some quiet time in prayer!
Next date: **August 4th, 2023**

The Benediction will be at 5pm followed by Mass of the Sacred Heart at 5:15pm.



OLOL Parish Hats are available for sale at \$5.00 from the Welcome Desk and Parish Office.



**OUR LADY OF LOURDES
MOVIE NIGHTS**

Save the dates for *Our Lady of Lourdes Movie Nights* on **August 8, 15 & 22, 2023 at 7pm in the Library Hall**. Poster and details will be in the next bulletin.



**HAPPY FEAST OF
ST. IGNATIUS LOYOLA**

Please note that the Parish office is closed on Monday, July 31st.

PARISH UPCOMING EVENTS

July 31, 2023
Feast of St. Ignatius

September 23, 2023
Pilgrimage to the Canadian Martyrs' Shrine

October 5-20, 2023
Parish Pilgrimage



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, July 31

Feast of St. Ignatius Loyola

Tuesday, August 1

- 8:00am Gerry Crow + [Anonymous]
- 12:10pm Paz & Gil Capili + [Daughter]
- 5:15pm Caridad & Antonio Oliver + [Oliver Family]

Wednesday, August 2

- 8:00am John & Julietta's Intention
- 12:10pm Nilda Bercasio + [Benedicto Family]
- 5:15pm John O'Reaedon + [Family]

Thursday, August 3

- 8:00am Benedicto Family Intention
- 12:10pm Souls of the Faithful Departed [Violie Mendoza]
- 5:15pm Regina Carollo + [Chato Caballero]

Friday, August 4

- 8:00am Thanksgiving [Arlene Palma]
- 12:10pm Souls of the Faithful Departed [Cora Balatero]
- 5:15pm Marcelo Tomas + [Family]

Saturday, August 5

- 8:00am Mariza Comenta + [Ludy Comenta]
- 12:10pm Sr. Ann Delaney, C.S.J [Amy Federis]

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED:

*Marisa Comenta, Kaio Laudeanger, Nora Balitaan
Dominic Keenehan, Regina Carowlo, Mariza Comenta
Roger Fex, Leonora Ochoco*