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Lanteri’s Corner
Spiritual thoughts from Venerable Bruno Lanteri, Founder of the Oblates of the Virgin Mary
The Exercises of St. Ignatius are, in general, a most potent instrument of Divine Grace for the universal renewal of the world, and in particular, a secure method for each one to become a saint, a great saint, and quickly.

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The Chapel Gift Shop
Item of the Week...
Books on Ignatian Spirituality by Fr. Timothy Gallagher, OMV

CHAPEL SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses
Saturday 4:00 PM, 5:30 PM, 7:00 PM en español
Sunday 8:00 AM, 9:15 AM, 10:30 AM, 11:45 AM, 1:15 PM en español, 4:00 PM, 5:30 PM

Weekday Masses
Monday - Friday 8:00 AM, 12:05 PM, 4:45 PM; Saturday 9:00 AM, 12 Noon

Confessions
Monday - Friday 11:15-11:50 AM, 12:45-4:15 PM
Saturday 9:45 - 11:45 AM, 12:45-3:30 PM

Devotions
Daily 3:00 PM: Divine Mercy Chaplet
Tuesday after Mass: Memorare; Thursday after Mass: St. Jude
Monday - Friday after 4:45 p.m. Mass: Rosary

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Monday - Friday 8:30-11:45 AM, 1:00-4:30 PM
Saturday 9:30 - 11:30 AM 12:30 - 3:30 PM; Sunday 2:30-3:30 PM

Store Hours
Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri. - 10:00 AM - 5:30 PM; Thursday - closed
Saturday 9:30 AM - 6:45 PM*; Sunday 8:45 AM - 5:30 PM*
*Closed during Sunday Masses and Saturday Vigil Masses

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Pilgrimage to Québec
with Fr. Tom Carzon, OMV
September 29 - October 1
For more information, contact Canterbury Pilgrimages at (800) 653-0017 or reservations@canterburypilgrimages.com

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St. Ignatius of Loyola

Feast Day: July 31
Patron: Dioceses of San Sebastian and Bilbao, Biscay and Gipuzkoa, Basque Country, Military Ordinariate of the Philippines, Society of Jesus, soldiers, Educators and Education
Birth: 1491
Death: 1556
Beatified: July 27, 1609 by Paul V
Canonized: March 12, 1622 by Gregory XV

Born Inigo Lopez de Loyola in 1491, the man known as Ignatius of Loyola came of age in Azpeitia, in northern Spain. Loyola is a small village at the southern end of Azpeitia. Despite the misfortune of losing his mother he was still a member of the local aristocracy and was raised accordingly. Inigio was an ambitious young man who had dreams of becoming a great leader. Seeking wider acclaim, he began referring to himself as Ignatius. Ignatius was a variant of Inigio. The young Ignatius also gained a reputation as a duelist. According to one story, he killed a Moor with whom he argued about the divinity of Jesus.

In 1521, while defending the town of Pamplona against French attack, Ignatius was struck by a cannonball in the legs. To save his life and possibly his legs, doctors performed several surgeries. There were no anesthetics during this time, so each surgery was painful. As soon as he was healthy enough to bear it, part of one leg was amputated which while painful, sped his recovery. During this time of bodily improvement, Ignatius began to read whatever books he could find. Most of the books he obtained were about the lives of the saints and Christ. These stories had a profound impact on him, and he became more devout. He sought to further his education.

Ignatius eventually founded an order known as the Society of Jesus. He imposed a strict, almost military rule on his order. This was natural for a man who spent his youth as a soldier. It might be expected that such rigor would dissuade people from joining, but it had the opposite effect. The order grew.

The Society of Jesus soon found its niche in education. Before Ignatius died in 1556, his order established 35 schools and boasted 1,000 members. The order was responsible for much of the work of stopping the spread of the Protestant Reformation. The Society advocated the use of reason to persuade others and combat heresy.

Today, the Society of Jesus is known for its work in educating the youth around the world. Several universities have been founded in the name of Ignatius and in the traditional Jesuit spirit. The Jesuits also perform many other important works around the globe.

— from catholic.org

The Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius

The Spiritual Exercises are a compilation of meditations, prayers, and contemplative practices developed by St. Ignatius Loyola to help people deepen their relationship with God. For centuries the Exercises were most commonly given as a “long retreat” of about 30 days in solitude and silence. In recent years, there has been a renewed emphasis on the Spiritual Exercises as a program for laypeople. The most common way of going through the Exercises now is a “retreat in daily life,” which involves a months-long program of daily prayer and meetings with a spiritual director. The Exercises have also been adapted in many other ways to meet the needs of modern people.

— from ignatiansspirituality.com

Mass Intentions This Week

Sunday, July 30
8:00 AM Sr. Cecilia Maria of the Holy Face
9:15 AM + Francis Xavier Michel
10:30 AM Bernard McEleney
11:45 AM + Ela Andzelm
1:15 PM (esp) + Andreina Cuevas
4:00 PM + Kevin Keefe
5:30 PM Jack Valleli — health

Monday, July 31
8:00 AM Barbara Harden
12:05 PM Andrea Beall
4:45 PM Gerardo Rivera — health

Tuesday, August 1
8:00 AM Ann Nosal
12:05 PM Lauren Shimmel — conversion
4:45 PM Gallagher Family

Wednesday, August 2
8:00 AM + Ann Feitelberg
12:05 PM + Angelica Manalang
4:45 PM + Steven Parnin

Thursday, August 3
8:00 AM Jason Feitelberg
12:05 PM + William Cline
4:45 PM + John Towle

Friday, August 4
8:00 AM Souls in Purgatory
12:05 PM + Martha Castillo Rivera
4:45 PM Edgar Guilbert

Saturday, August 5
9:00 AM + Anna Tarsa
12:00 PM Souls in Purgatory
4:00 PM Fritz Laplanche, Jr.
5:30 PM Fritz Laplanche, Jr.
7:00 PM (esp) Juan Carlos Berrio — acción de gracias
The Oblates of the Virgin Mary—USA

The Oblates of the Virgin Mary is an international religious community of priests and brothers serving in Italy, France, Austria, Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Nigeria, the United States and the Philippines. The Oblates are involved in retreat and parish missions, spiritual direction, parish work, the mass media, clergy formation, and the foreign missions.

The US Province of the Oblates of the Virgin Mary is dedicated to St. Ignatius of Loyola, and includes communities in Massachusetts, Illinois, Colorado, California and the Philippines.

The OMV US Province House is at St. Clement’s in Boston.

The OMV motto, “MARIAM COGITA, MARIAM INVOCA” “THINK OF MARY, CALL ON MARY” is taken from a homily by St. Bernard.