

We welcome all visitors and thank you for worshipping with us.
 If there is anyone who is moving to the area and would like to become a member of our parish,
 please call the parish office at 906-643-7671 to register.

This week in our Parishes....

Immaculate Conception & St. Ignatius Loyola

Monday

Tuesday

Daily Mass 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday

Daily Mass 8:30 a.m.

Thursday

Daily Mass 8:30 a.m.

Friday

Daily Mass 8:30 a.m.

Saturday

Adoration St. Ignatius 11:00 a.m.
 Reconciliation St. Ignatius 3:30 p.m.

***Saturday* Immaculate Conception**

Mass 10:00 a.m.
 Adoration 10:30 a.m.
 Reconciliation 11:30 a.m.

St. Ignace Right to Life Organization

St. Ignace Right to Life meets on
 the first Tuesday of every month
 at the Catholic Center.

Their next meeting will be on
Tuesday, August 2, at 7:00 p.m.
 All are welcome to attend.



A Prayer for Priests

Eternal God, please bless our priests,
 who represent you on this earth.

Make them more greatly aware of the grace that you pour
 out through them when they minister the
 sacraments, and help them to fall more deeply in love with

You after each and every Mass that they
 celebrate. Please strengthen our priests, who shepherd your
 flock, that they may be examples of your Truth and guide us
 always on the path to you.

We ask these things of You our Eternal Priest. Amen.

**TASTE AND SEE
 THE GOODNESS
 OF THE
 LORD.**

Bishop Frederic Baraga's Words of Wisdom

On July 27th, 1835, Fr. Baraga was the first
 priest to visit LaPointe in 160 years. Without
 church or abode and only three dollars in his
 pockets, he courageously began his labors.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE CAUSE OF
 SAINTHOOD FOR BISHOP BARAGA,
 FIRST BISHOP OF
 THE DIOCESE OF MARQUETTE.**

St. Anne Altar Society News

The ladies of the St. Anne Altar Society will be meeting
 for brunch at the **League and Lounge Restaurant
 (Bowling Alley) on Tuesday, August 2nd, at noon.**

All women of the parish and of the
 Immaculate Conception Parish are invited to
 attend. Please sign the sheet in the vestibule of the
 church if you plan to attend.

Garden of Prayer Bricks Forms in the entrance of the church

Please consider purchasing a
Memorial Brick for a loved one,
 family or organization.

Sizes to consider:

21 x 14 - \$300

14 x 14 - \$250

7 x 14 - \$200

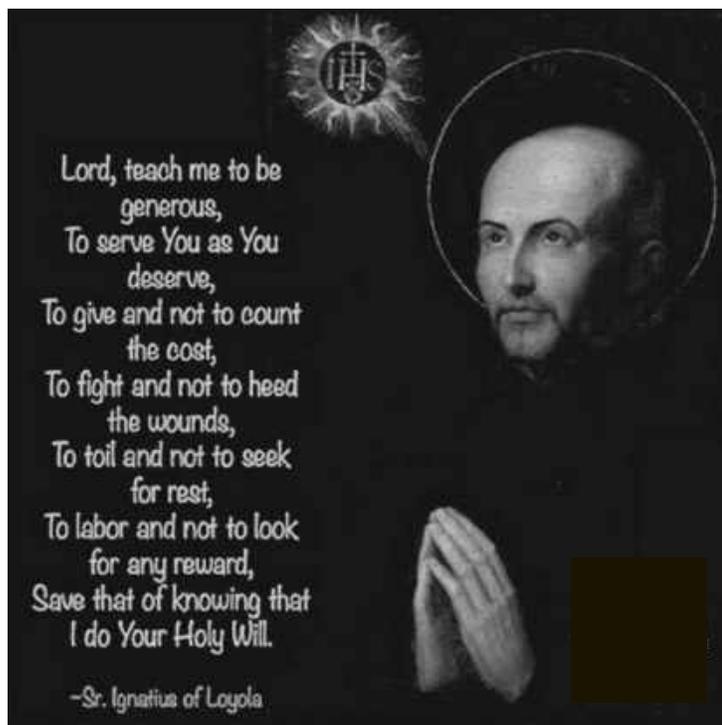
These size bricks will be placed in front of the Pavilion
 in the cemetery.

4 x 8 - \$100

These bricks will be placed in the Rosary Walk.



**The Feast of St. Ignatius of Loyola
is July 31st.**



The Wisdom of Fulton Sheen

We cannot get a real satisfaction out of our work unless we pause frequently, to ask ourselves why we are doing it, and whether its purpose is one (of which) our minds wholeheartedly approve.



PRAYER FOR PEACE

God of Mercy,
We pray for Ukraine.
For all of humanity distorted by war.
For all the lives lost, homes seized and
peace broken.
May the Spirit of comfort and compassion
envelop all who dwell in fear.
May the Spirit of wisdom and humility
enliven our global leaders.
May we affirm the dignity and rights of
all.
May we seek peace.

**ST. IGNATIUS LOYOLA
FEAST DAY JULY 31**

St. Ignatius Loyola was born in 1491. As a young man Ignatius Loyola was powered by the dream of being a soldier and eventually entered into military service. But in 1521 Ignatius was seriously wounded in a battle with the French. While recuperating, Ignatius Loyola experienced a conversion. Reading the lives of Jesus and the saints aroused Ignatius' desires to do great things. Ignatius realized that these feelings were clues to God's direction for his life.

Over the years, Ignatius became an expert in spiritual direction. He collected his insights, prayers, and suggestions in his book the *Spiritual Exercises*, one of the most influential books on the spiritual life ever written. With a small group of friends, Ignatius Loyola founded the Society of Jesus, or the Jesuits. His spirituality is expressed in the Jesuit motto, *Ad maiorem Dei gloriam*—"for the greater glory of God." AMDG can be found on the doors as you come into our church.

As part of his Spiritual Exercises, St. Ignatius developed a method to examine your day with five points:

- Remember that you are in God's presence and ask God to enable you to look at your day through God's eyes.
- Look over your day with gratitude for the day's gifts.
- Review your day ... ask the Holy Spirit to help you look at your actions and attitudes with honesty.
- Now review your day and face your shortcomings.
- Look toward the day to come. Resolve with Jesus to move forward in action where needed.

A copy of the Daily Examen has been inserted into the bulletin.

Reflections with Pope Francis

**Two Criteria of Love
Feast of St. Ignatius**



I am thinking of what St. Ignatius told usHe pointed out two criteria on love. The first: Love is expressed more clearly in actions than in words. The second: There is greater love in giving than in receiving. These two criteria are like the pillars of true love: deeds, and the gift of self.

Reflection: *So often when we make acts of mercy toward the poor or sick, it is we who receive the most. The Second Vatican Council's document Lumen Gentium states, "Man only finds himself through a sincere gift of self." Find opportunities to reach out to others and allow them to help you realize what truly matters*