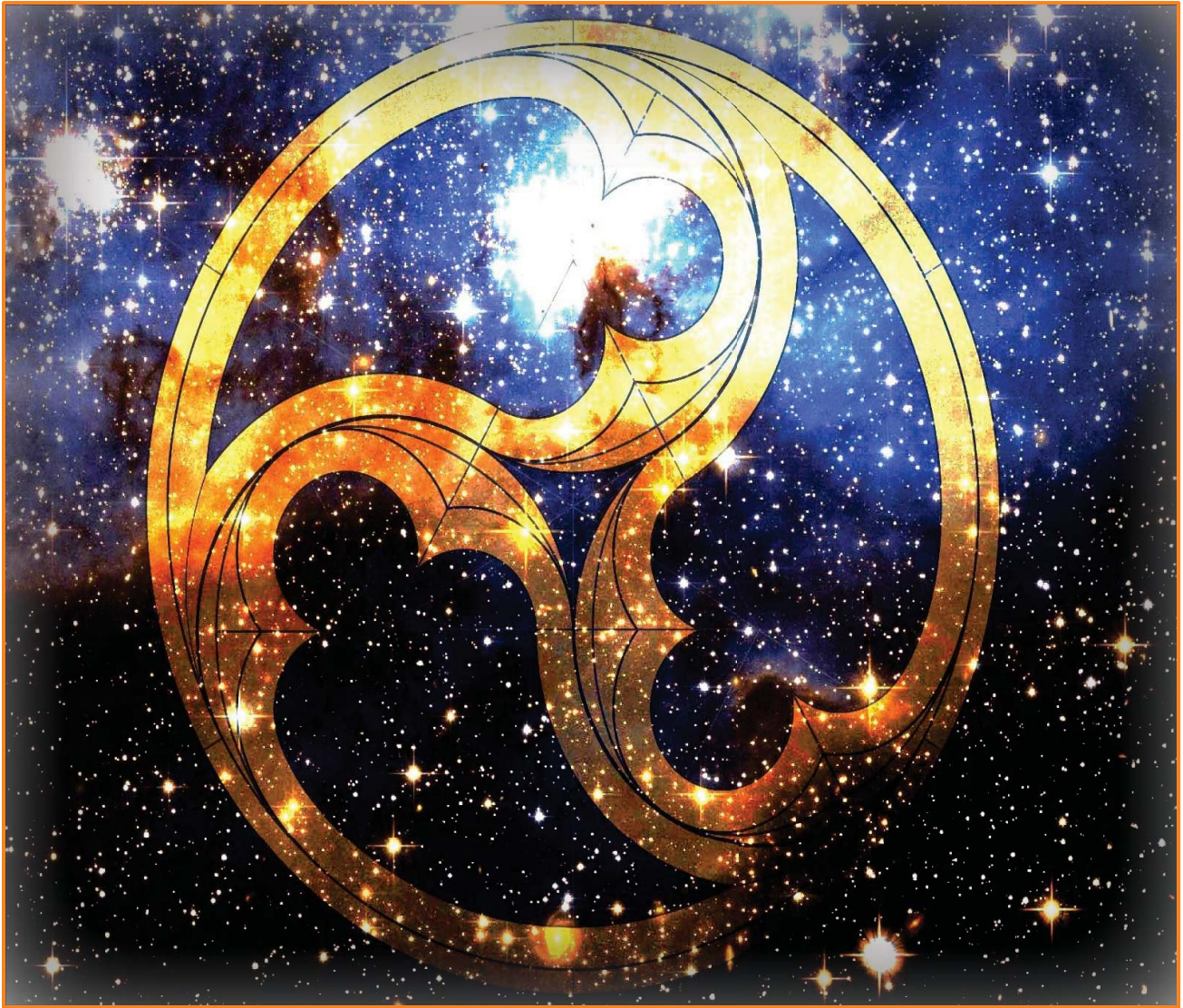


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May 31, 2026



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The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

May 31, 2026

Exodus 34:4b–6, 8–9 • 2 Corinthians 13:11–133 •
John 3:16–18

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4pm

Sunday:

9am Children's Mass | 10:30am | 12:30pm Español | 5pm

Weekday:

5:30pm Monday–Friday

(Lannon Chapel, followed by the Rosary)

8am Monday–Sunday (St. Mary's Chapel, BC)

Confession

Saturday: before Mass, 3–3:45pm

Adoration

Thursday: before Mass, 4:15–5:15pm

Please keep in your prayers:

Sunday, May 24

10:30am Sr. Clare Walsh

12:30pm Samuel Batista Ramos

5pm Patricia O'Kane

Monday, June 1

5:30pm Joseph G. Chisholm

Wednesday, June 3

5:30pm Peter McLaughlin

Thursday, June 4

5:30pm Kathleen Coary

If you have an intention at a weekend Mass and would like to process with the gifts, please speak with a Greeter when you arrive.

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2 Trinity Sunday

Reflection on the Reading

This week we return to the liturgical season of Ordinary Time. This Sunday and next, however, are designated as solemnities—special days that call our attention to central mysteries of our faith. Today on Trinity Sunday we celebrate the mystery of the Holy Trinity, one God in three persons.

In the context of today's focus on the mystery of the Holy Trinity, the Gospel calls our attention to the action of God, who reveals himself in three persons: God the Father, Jesus the Son, and the Holy Spirit. God the Father, out of love for the world, sent his Son into the world in order to save it. Through the death and resurrection of the Son, we have been given the gift of the Holy Spirit. As three persons, God acts always as a God of love; he does not condemn the world but acts to save it.

The Gospel also calls attention to the response that is required of us. God's love for us calls us to respond in faith by professing our belief in God's son, Jesus, and the salvation that he has won for us. This profession of faith is a sign of the work of the Holy Spirit in our lives.

St. Ignatius LGBTQ+ Community

Sunday, May 31, following the 5pm Mass

Join the St. Ignatius LGBTQ+ Catholic Community for a potluck social in the Friary Room. We invite LGBTQ+ parishioners and allies—young and old—to bring your favorite sweet or savory dish as we enjoy good fellowship and the opportunity to unofficially kick off Pride Month for June.

60+ Faith Sharing

Save the Date:

Saturday, June 6 | 5:00–6:45pm

St. Ignatius invites seniors to participate in a program where we can talk about our faith and share with one another the wisdom we've gathered on our faith journey. Light buffet/beverages will be available.

Registration required by Tuesday, June 2.

Register here:

<https://forms.gle/WjyMTHyCUeAK6NzD8>

Carta del Párroco

Queridos amigos en el Señor:

El domingo 31 de mayo, después de la misa de las 5 de la tarde, la comunidad LGBTQ+ de nuestra parroquia se reunirá para compartir la cena en el salón Friary, en el sótano de la iglesia. Todos los feligreses LGBTQ+ y sus amigos están invitados a participar en este evento inaugural del llamado “Mes del Orgullo”. Me alegra ver que este subcomité de la comisión de paz, justicia y reconciliación tiene previsto ser más activo y estar más presente en la parroquia. Sé que esto puede ser un tema delicado y personal para algunas personas, por lo que es tan importante que la parroquia apoye a este comité.

Me gustaría citar un extenso fragmento de un artículo escrito por el P. James Martin, SJ, que pregunta: “¿Pueden los católicos celebrar el Mes del Orgullo?” El artículo (disponible a través de un enlace en la sección de lecturas recomendadas del Flocknote de esta semana y en línea en [Outreach.faith](#)) responde afirmativamente y ofrece los siguientes puntos para reflexionar:

- El Mes del Orgullo es un reconocimiento de la dignidad humana de un grupo de personas que, durante siglos, han sido tratadas con desprecio, rechazo y violencia. Por lo tanto, el Mes del Orgullo no tiene que ver con la vanidad, sino con la dignidad humana.
- El Mes del Orgullo es un recordatorio de que las personas LGBTQ+ son hijos amados de Dios a quienes se debe tratar con “respeto, compasión y sensibilidad”, según el Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica (n.º 2359).
- Es importante que las iglesias conmemoren el Mes del Orgullo, ya que gran parte del rechazo al que se han enfrentado las personas LGBTQ+ ha sido motivado por el cristianismo —al menos por lo que mucha gente cree que enseña el cristianismo—. Las iglesias también han sido lugares donde las personas LGBTQ+ se han sentido insultadas y rechazadas, por lo que es importante que las iglesias celebren el Mes del Orgullo y recuerden a nuestros amigos LGBTQ+ que son bienvenidos en la que también es su Iglesia.
- En muchos países, ser LGBTQ+ es una cuestión de vida o muerte. En varios países, se puede ser ejecutado simplemente por ser gay o por mantener relaciones con personas del mismo sexo. En estos lugares, las cuestiones LGBTQ+ son cuestiones de vida o muerte. En unos 70 países, se puede ser encarcelado por ser gay o por defender los derechos LGBTQ+. La Iglesia siempre está llamada a apoyar a estas personas perseguidas, especialmente este mes.
- No es necesario estar de acuerdo con lo que cada persona, cada organización o incluso cada carroza de cada desfile tenga que decir. El Mes del Orgullo se centra principalmente en apoyar los derechos humanos fundamentales de la comunidad LGBTQ+: el derecho a vivir con seguridad, el derecho a ser tratado como un igual y el derecho a ser plenamente acogido en la sociedad.

Gracias a todos los que ayudan a hacer de nuestra comunidad parroquial un lugar donde las personas LGBTQ+ experimentan el sentido de pertenencia y la cálida acogida de la gran, hermosa, diversa y amorosa familia humana de Dios.

Bendiciones,
P. John

Letter from the Pastor

Dear Friends in the Lord,

On Sunday, May 31, after the 5:00pm Mass, the St. Ignatius LGBTQ+ community will be gathering for a potluck social in the Friary Room. All LGBTQ+ parishioners and allies are invited to take part in this kick-off of what’s known as “Pride Month.” I’m glad to see that this sub-committee of the Peace, Justice, and Reconciliation Commission is planning to become more active and present in the parish. I know this might be a challenging and personal issue for some people, which is why it’s so important for the parish to support this committee.

I’d like to quote at length from an article written by Fr. James Martin, SJ which asks, “Can Catholics celebrate Pride Month?” The article (available through a link in the Recommended Reading section of this week’s Flocknote and online at [Outreach.faith](#)) answers in the affirmative and provides the following points to ponder:

- Pride Month is a recognition of the human dignity of a group of people who have, for centuries, been treated with contempt, rejection, and violence. So, Pride Month is not about vanity, but human dignity.
- Pride Month is a reminder that LGBTQ+ people are beloved children of God who should be treated with “respect, compassion, and sensitivity” according to the Catechism of the Catholic Church [#2359].
- It’s important for churches to mark Pride Month since much of the rejection that LGBTQ+ people have faced has been motivated by Christianity—at least what many people think Christianity teaches. Churches have also been places where LGBTQ+ people have felt insulted, rejected and unwelcome, so it’s important for churches to mark Pride Month and remind our LGBTQ+ friends that they are welcome in what is, after all, their church too.
- In many countries, being LGBTQ+ is a life and death issue. In several countries, you can be executed simply for being gay or engaging in same-sex relations. In these places, LGBTQ+ issues are life issues. In some 70 countries, you can be jailed for being gay or for LGBTQ+ advocacy. The church is called to stand with these persecuted people throughout the year, but especially this month.
- You don’t have to agree with what every person, every organization, or even every float in every parade has to say. Pride Month is mainly about supporting the fundamental human rights of the LGBTQ+ community: the right to live in safety, the right to be treated as equals, and the right to be fully welcome in society.

Thanks to everyone who helps to make our parish community a place where LGBTQ+ people experience belonging and the warm welcome of God’s big, beautiful, diverse and loving human family.

Blessings,
Fr. John

All Are Welcome Mass

Greater Boston LGBTQIA Catholic Collective

All Are Welcome Mass

Friday, June 5 at 6:30 pm
The Paulist Center
5 Park Street, Boston, MA 02108

Festive reception to follow

For more information please email:
greaterbostonlgbtqiatholics@gmail.com

Diaper Drive

Ends June 3

The Immigration Committee will be hosting its third Virtual Diaper Drive to benefit clients at Immigrant Family Services Institute (IFSI; www.ifsi-usa.org/), a social service agency supporting immigrants in Boston, including many people from Haiti.

From May 17 through June 3, you can purchase diapers through our online registry: amzn.to/3P3XwTU. The diapers will be delivered directly to the Immigration Committee to be picked up by IFSI staff.



Note: This is a Virtual Drive—do not drop off or deliver diapers to the church or parish office.

Immigration Committee

The next Immigration Committee meeting will take place on

Tuesday June 2 at 7pm via Zoom
Everybody is invited to participate.

To obtain the agenda and link, contact:
Rita M. Rodriguez through the Parish Office

Coffee After Mass

Join us for coffee, conversation, and community after the 10:30am Mass every other Sunday!

Upcoming dates: June 7, June 21, July 5

We also need hosts for July and August—
email ignatius@bc.edu to volunteer.

Corpus Christi Faithful Witness @ ICE Burlington

Wednesday, June 3 | 10:45am-1pm

Corpus Christi celebrates the body of Christ, present in the Eucharist. This year, we stand in solidarity with migrants detained and separated from Christ's body and the Church with visible Catholic presence at Bearing Witness's weekly stand-out.

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Catholics across Boston will join the St. Ignatius Immigration Committee at a special Bearing Witness @ ICE Burlington event. To carpool with other St. Ignatius parishioners, email the Parish Office at ignatius@bc.edu, and ask for Margaret Van Gelder.

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Summer Parish Read

Join our parish community this summer in reading *Return to Sender* by Julia Alvarez. This powerful novel explores themes of immigration, family, justice, and moral courage through the story of two families whose lives become intertwined. Rooted in values of human dignity and compassion, the book invites us to reflect on welcoming others and standing for what is right.

All are encouraged to read the book available in English or Spanish over the summer and join our parish discussion in September during Hispanic Heritage Month.

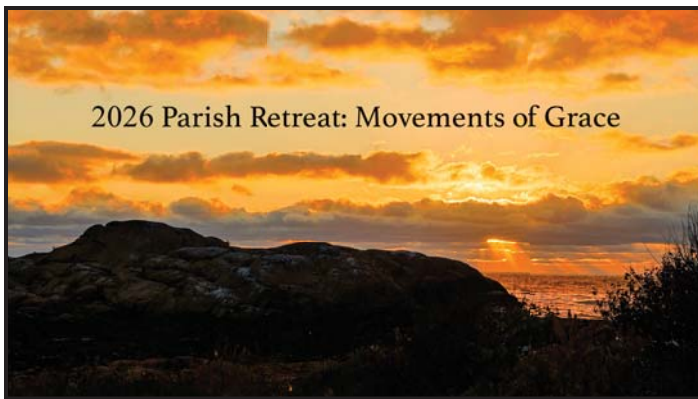
Fall Parish Retreat

October 16–18 at Eastern Point, Gloucester

As we celebrate our centennial year, we reflect on our individual and communal *Movements of Grace*. For more information contact Kathy Maher through the Parish Office.

Register:

<https://bit.ly/MovementsOfGrace>



Catholic Appeal 2026

136 parishioners have donated to the Appeal. Will you be one more? We have raised 102,316 of our goal—we're 93% of the way there. You can give online using the QR Code. Be sure to select St. Ignatius as your home parish so your gift goes toward our goal!

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Lectura Parroquial de Verano

Únanse a nuestra comunidad parroquial este verano para leer el libro *Devolver al Remitente* de Julia Alvarez. Esta poderosa novela explora temas de inmigración, familia, justicia y valentía moral a través de la historia de dos familias cuyas vidas se entrelazan. Arraigado en los valores de la dignidad humana y la compasión, el libro nos invita a reflexionar sobre cómo acoger a los demás y defender lo que es justo.

Les animamos a leer el libro, disponible en inglés y español, durante el verano y a participar en nuestra conversación parroquial en septiembre durante el Mes de la Herencia Hispana.

Bilingual Coffee Corner

Sunday, June 14 following the 10:30 Mass

EL CAFÉ DE LA ESQUINA BILINGÜE
DOMINGO 17 DE JUNIO
EN EL SALÓN DEL CAFÉ
11:30AM-12:30PM

¿HABLA EL INGLÉS UN POQUITO?
¿LE GUSTARÍA PRACTICAR HABLARLO MÁS?

BILINGUAL COFFEE CORNER
SUNDAY, JUNE 17
IN THE FRIARY ROOM
11:30AM-12:30PM

DO YOU SPEAK A LITTLE BIT OF SPANISH?
WOULD YOU LIKE TO PRACTICE SPEAKING IT MORE?

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RMRODRIGUEZ1227@GMAIL.COM**

Seniors' Events

Would you like to join other Senior parishioners in an every-other-month weekday Mass and luncheon? If so, please call Sr. Diane at 617-552-6107 so she can get your contact information.

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Sacraments

St. Ignatius Parish Team

Reconciliation: Saturdays at 3-3:45pm in the Upper Church/Lower Church or by appointment.

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA):
For adults seeking Baptism, and/or Confirmation, contact the Parish Office.

Baptism: For infant and young child Baptisms, contact Sr. Diane Vallerio.

First Communion: Preparation begins in grade 1 and includes classes, retreats, and home instruction. Children receive First Communion in grade 2. For further information, contact Liz Turnwald.

Confirmation: Preparation begins in 7th grade; students are confirmed after their second year of Confirmation prep. For further information, contact Liz Turnwald.

Matrimony/Wedding: Parishioners, BC Alumni, and non-parishioners are welcome to be married at St. Ignatius. Contact our Office Manager, Carol Russo, for available dates and details.

Anointing of the Sick: Contact the parish office.

Sacramental Forms/Letters

Please note that you must be registered for at least six months before we can issue any verification of your status as a parishioner for godparent/sponsor letters, or permission for marriage, baptism, or confirmation in another parish.

Creating a Safe Environment at St. Ignatius

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Liz Turnwald | Kathy Maher
Helena Alfonzo | Trudy Good

Rev. John Wronski, SJ, Pastor

Rev. Matthew Cassidy, SJ, Parochial Vicar

Victor Yanez, SJ, Deacon

Carol Russo, Office Manager

Janet Kaduboski, Business Manager

Delio Barrientos, Facilities Manager

Liz Turnwald, Director of Faith Formation

Natalia Dilan, Youth Ministry Coordinator

Sr. Diane Vallerio, MFIC

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Allyn McCourt, Director of Music Ministries

Kathy Maher

Spiritual Life and Ignatian Programs Coordinator

Chase Hockema, Print and Digital Media Coordinator

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Contact the Parish Office for more information about anything in today's bulletin.

Get Involved!

The many St. Ignatius commissions, committees, and volunteer roles always welcome new members!

Peace, Justice & Reconciliation

Green Team

Racial Justice Committee

Immigration Committee

LGBTQ+ Committee

Liturgy Commission

Music Ministries

Lectors, Greeters,

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Outreach Commission

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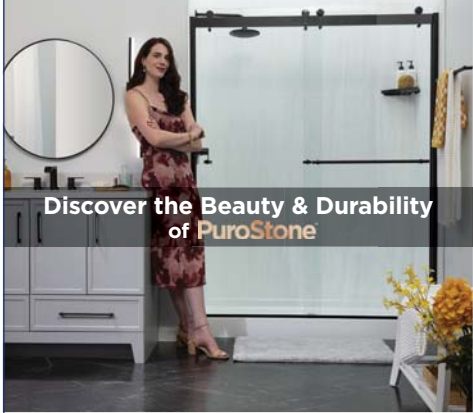
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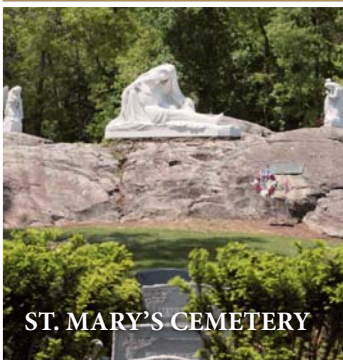
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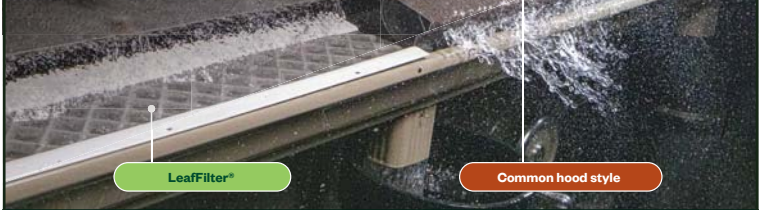
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