



March 3, 2019

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

Sir 27:4-7

1 Cor 15:54-58

Lk 6:39-45

Piece: *Silence*

Artist: Paris Nogari (1536-1601)

Location: Vatican Museums



Silence Regenerates Our Inner Sanctuary

Silence. This fresco where the Swiss Guards stand outside the pope's residence reminds us of an important virtue that is often absent in modern times: the capacity to be silent. "Be still and know that I am God!" (Psalm 46:11).

The figure in the fresco holds a finger over his mouth, indicating that silence starts with us. Speak less! Then we should muffle the background noise, represented by the stork with a stone in its bill to stifle its squawk.

How often do we have times of silence in our lives—and not just moments when there doesn't happen to be a radio or TV on? I mean purposeful, intentional periods of quiet to be alone with God and ourselves.

Regular times of quiet offer many benefits. They help us reflect, order our thoughts, and contemplate what's happening inside our hearts and minds. Silence is regenerative and gives us new energy, clarity, and serenity. If we add to this quietude an internal dialogue with ourselves and our Lord, it can take our inner sanctuary to a new level. One will not only find strength but also purpose and focus. Silence is the natural habitat of a flourishing soul, yet we often lock out our inner self in the mayhem of the external world, never allowing it to take in what gives it life—silence.

How about taking an hour without phones, radios, TVs, and computers to dedicate yourself to some meditative work or recreation? Or better yet, take a moment and go to a local perpetual adoration chapel to quietly sit with our Lord.

—Fr. Mark Haydu, LC

For Reflection

*Is there a daily moment when I can enjoy some silence?
What will I find in those moments? In my frenetic activity, am
I running from something that I should otherwise confront?*

When a sieve is shaken, the husks appear; so do people's faults when they speak....

The test of a person is in conversation.

Sirach 27:4-5



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Sunday Offerings

General Fund	\$4,994.00	Tuition	\$842.00
General Child	\$4.97	Lunch Money	\$250.00
Loose	\$75.86	Reg/Book fees	\$2,500.00
Votive Stand	\$19.00	CHTF	\$4,500.00
Hall Rental	\$275.00		

Total Received **\$13,460.83**

85 general offering envelopes collected,
 Including children.



Knights of Columbus Meeting
March 11, 2019
St. Ignatius Cafeteria at 7pm

Sunday ~ March 17th
Pre-K/Kindergarten Round Up
11am -12pm
Church games 12-1pm



Parish Services

Weekend Masses

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday, 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses

8:00 a.m.
 Monday, Wednesday & Friday
 Tuesday 7:30 p.m.
 and PH Devotions
 Thursday 6:00 a.m.

Confessions

Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.
 or by appointment

Adoration

Tuesday 11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
 & 5:30-9:30 p.m.

Wednesday 7:00-9:00 p.m.

Thursday 5:00 -7:00 a.m.

First Friday-8:45am-12pm

Baptisms and Marriages

By arrangement
 with Fr. Steve Robeson

St. Ignatius Assistant Cook Position
Part-Time 3 days a week
 Send your resume to Fr. Steve at
paster@saintig.com

Desserts needed for Fish Fry
on Friday, March 8th. Please
drop them off after 3pm in
Cafeteria! 

THIS FRIDAY ~ MARCH 8th



4-7pm in St. Ignatius'
Community Center

Recommend by Fr. Steve: Explore
 Thomas Merton's approach to one of
 the most pressing issues troubling our
 region and our nation on violence and
 racism on March 30th at 9-3pm for only
 \$60 for more information please call
 314-256-8804

Upcoming Events at St. Ignatius

03/03 RCIA Meeting
03/06 Ash Wednesday Mass: 8am & 7pm
03/06 Rosary & Litany after Mass
03/07 Home Economics 8am-3pm in
 Community Center
03/07 Home & School Meeting
03/08 Fish Fry in Community Center 4-7pm
03/09 Private Event in Cafeteria 11-4pm
03/10 RCIA Meeting
03/11 NO SCHOOL
03/11 Teachers of Washington Deanery
 Day of Prayer in Community Center
03/11 Knight of Columbus Meeting in
 Cafeteria 7-9:30pm
03/12 Stations of the Cross at 7pm
03/13 Rosary & Litany after Mass
03/13 Men's Coffee & Scriptures from
 6:30- 7:30am at Ulett's Coffee Shed
03/13 Parish Council Meeting 7pm - Rectory
03/14 Rectory Cleaning
03/17 RCIA Meeting
03/17 PreK-Kdg Round up at 11am -12pm
and Church games 12-1pm
03/19 Stations of the Cross at 7pm
03/20 Men's Coffee & Scriptures from
 6:30- 7:30am at Ulett's Coffee Shed
03/20 Rosary & Litany after Mass
03/20 School Board Meeting
03/21 Women's Coffee & Scriptures at 7am
03/21 Home Economics 8am-3pm in
 Community Center
03/26 Stations of the Cross at 7pm
03/27 Men's Coffee & Scriptures from
 6:30- 7:30am at Ulett's Coffee Shed
03/27 Rosary & Litany after Mass
03/27 Finance Meeting in Cafeteria at 7pm

Places to go around town.....

03/08-03/09 Co-ed Dartball Tournament \$75 per
 team for more info call 636.262.8693(Pam)
03/09 Catholic women for Christ-Touhill Performing
 Arts Center, UMSL Campus
 9am-5pm catholicwomenforchrist.org
03/10 St. John – Gildehaus Chicken Dinner
 10:30am-6pm (\$14 adult, \$5 child under 12yrs old
03/10 Sausage Dinner 11:30-6pm at Femme Osage
 UCC in Augusta
03/16 Las Vegas Trivia at IC Old Monroe reserve
 your table call 636.219.4819 \$160 per table
03/23 St. Ann's Church, Clover Bottom invites you
 to their Comedy Night Dinner & Dance at
 Washington K of C Hall. For more info go to
www.stannchurhcloverbottom.org \$45 a ticket



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, March 2

5:00 p.m. † Theodore & Rosaly Meyer

Eucharistic Ministers: Christy Engemann

Mary Glosemeyer|Janet Glosemeyer|

Bob & Patty Koch

Lector: Leo Meyer

Ushers: Bob & Patty Koch

Servers: Maddie Hellebusch & Austin Cooper

Sunday, March 3

8:00 a.m. † For the People of St. Ignatius

Eucharistic Ministers: Paul Hecktor

Sheila Shortt|Bill Schuler|Chris Engemann|

Joan Meyer

Lector: Sheila Shortt

Ushers: Chris & Gary Meyer

Servers: Alex Huddleston & Kaylee Schwoeppe

10:00 a.m. † Bob Vales

Eucharistic Ministers: Sandy Westhoff

Peggy Nenninger|Judy Bieker| Lesa Leopold|

Danielle Gratz

Lector: Vincent Leopold

Usher: Garrett & Ashley Gratz

Servers: Sam & Jenna Chambers

Monday, March 4

8:00 a.m. † Ken Jaeger

Tuesday, March 5

7:30 p.m. † Mathilda Hemmer

Wednesday, March 6

8:00 a.m. † Brittany Dubis

Thursday, March 7

6:00 a.m. † Francis Liermann

Friday, March 8

8:00 a.m. † Bob Vales

Saturday, March 9

5:00 p.m. † Anthony & Regina Schwoeppe

Eucharistic Ministers: Paul Hecktor

Jackie Heggemann|Diane Lierman

Patty Mebruer|Lori Huenefeld

Lector: Stacy Kloeppel

Ushers: Ronnie & Brent Glosemeyer

Servers: Ryan & Luke Kloeppel

Sunday, March 10

8:00 a.m. † Francis Liermann

Eucharistic Ministers: Debbie & Rick Hawkins

Norbert & Joan Engemann|Elaine Glosemeyer

Lector: Norbert Engemann

Ushers: Kevin Nenninger & Randy Heggemann

Servers: Cole Atkins & Izabella Glosemeyer

10:00 a.m. † For the People of St. Ignatius

Eucharistic Ministers: Angie Carr

Becky Schoppenhorst|Katie Engemann

Neal Kluba| Audrey Hellebusch

Lector: Allison Hoglan

Ushers: Katie Engemann & Mary Glosemeyer

Servers: Carley & Adam Kopmann

Pastor's letter to the People of St. Ignatius

Hello Lent. This Wednesday we accept the ashes and remember our humble beginnings in the dust (Genesis), and the dust of our sins, how empty we have lived our lives at times, filling them up with little more than dirt. This was not the valued work of the farmer, whose working the ground brought life from it---food for all of us. Our sins are like farming on lifeless soil, fruitless. We wanted certain things and chased after them so hard, but they didn't make us happy. Time to admit that, Church. Again on Ash Wednesday and all the Fridays of Lent, we will simplify our eating and make other sacrifices to let our bodies and our minds feel the stripping away from empty things that tempt us to sin, in order to make long-term change in our lives--change that will continue past Easter. Lent is not a sensual or emotional prison from which we get released at Easter. It is a season of liberation from our past use of our senses and pleasures in ways that do imprison us. Let the Earthen ashes on our foreheads bring us down to "humble earth" about our life prisons, and make us ready to meet the Easter Christ breaking out of the Earthen tombs of our sins and bringing us with Him into the newer and freer life that we begin living this Lent. Many new blessings!
Father Steve



Lenten News

Ash Wednesday Mass:

8am & 7pm

Lent Websites:

www.4lpi.com/2019-LentenReflections

<https://dynamiccatholic.com/best-lent-ever>

Lent Calendars:

If you have a child that does not attend St. Ignatius School, please pick up a Lent Calendar in the back of Church.

Please Pray for the Sick/Ailing/Recovering

Doug Grafrath	Betty Hellebusch	Judi Liermann
Irene Buenemann	Evelyn Tucker	Ethel Thomas
Duck Brinker	Shelbee Mauldin	Fr. Finbarr Dowling
Karen Brinkmann	Jim Grafrath	Dawn Borgmann
Pillman Family	Andrew Hellebusch	Natalie Ulett
Kim Smith	Carol Jacquin	Audrey Wagener
Tabitha Kersey	Brad Segar	Kay Wagner
Judy Brouk	Ralph Glosemeyer	Betty Schulte
Mary Ann Heggeman	Fred Borges	Marc Wagener
Tom Meyer	Richard Preiss	Laura Tellmann
Cindy Faust	Pete Reitz	Tom Glosemeyer
Kenneth Engemann	Frank Dowling	Olivia Jasper

Anniversaries of Our Dearly Departed



3/01/07 Jerome Ruether	3/20/86 Aloysius Borges
3/02/80 Eleanor Bocklage	3/21/80 Oscar Hellebusch
3/05/13 Rusty Borgerding	3/23/14 Doug Hitchcock
3/06/04 Albert Sander	3/26/09 Christine Hellebusch
3/11/94 Brenda Forbes	3/26/15 Walter Volkerding
3/15/04 Bernice Nieder	3/28/03 Angela Grotweil
3/16/76 Albert Westhoff	3/30/90 Veronica Volkerding
3/16/05 Linus Glosemeyer	3/30/14 Glenn Hellebusch
3/17/01 Merine Hellebusch	3/31/76 Henry Bocklage
3/17/01 Elmer Glosemeyer	

Calendar

Monday

MARCH 4

Weekday

Sir 17:20–24

Mk 10:17–27

Tuesday

MARCH 5

Weekday

Sir 35:1–12

Mk 10:28–31

Wednesday

MARCH 6

Ash Wednesday

Jl 2:12–18

2 Cor 5:20–6:2

Mt 6:1–6, 16–18

Thursday

MARCH 7

Thursday after

Ash Wednesday

Dt 30:15–20

Lk 9:22–25

Friday

MARCH 8

Friday after

Ash Wednesday

Is 58:1–9a

Mt 9:14–15

Saturday

MARCH 9

Saturday after

Ash Wednesday

Is 58:9b–14

Lk 5:27–32

Sunday

MARCH 10

First Sunday of Lent

Dt 26:4–10

Rom 10:8–13

Lk 4:1–13

Dear Padre,

How much talking is acceptable while waiting for Mass to begin? The chatter gets noisier as more people arrive, and then everyone starts talking louder just to be heard.

Before Mass, “it is a praiseworthy practice for silence to be observed in the church, in the sacristy, in the vesting room, and in adjacent areas, so that all may dispose themselves to carry out the sacred celebration in a devout and fitting manner” (*General Instruction of The Roman Missal*, 45). For the liturgy to produce its full effects, “it is necessary that the faithful come to it with proper dispositions, that their minds...be attuned to their voices, and that they cooperate with divine grace lest they receive it in vain” (Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy [*Sacrosanctum concilium*], 11). In this sense, we are silent together, for the Mass is not a private function but a celebration of the Church as the “sacrament of unity,” a holy people united (SC 26).

Thus, from the point of entry in a church to the time of the gathering song, which is intended to foster unity (GIRM 47), how does your faith community gather for Mass? Some churches with self-contained vestibules are ideal for offering welcome to newcomers and for exchanging greetings. Other sacred spaces are less conducive for separating this informal ritual from a place of quietude. Nevertheless, every faith community, with varying success, creates an atmosphere before Mass where individuals come together as a worshiping body, and at the same time, where people may dispose themselves in a devout manner.

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A Word from Pope Francis

When we go to Mass, perhaps we arrive five minutes early and begin to chat with the person next to us. But this is not the moment for small talk....It is the moment for recollection within the heart, to prepare ourselves for the encounter with Jesus.

Silence is so important!

—General audience, November 15, 2017



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