My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.
Mi alma está sedienta de ti, Señor, Dios mío.
Hello!

I am happy to be joining such a wonderful Jesuit Parish and staff. I am a native of Boston, educated by the Sisters of St. Joseph, the Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul and the Jesuit Fathers and colleagues at BC High.

Following graduation, I entered the Society of Jesus at Shadowbrook in Lenox, MA. I graduated from Boston College with a degree in philosophy and with some course work at Tufts University, I taught Latin at BC High and the Cranwell School. I earned a Master of Divinity at the Jesuit School of Theology in Cambridge and was ordained at The Cranwell School in the Chapel of Christ the Servant by the Most Rev. Samuel E. Carter, S.J., Archbishop of Kingston, Jamaica. Then I was assigned back to BC High for more Latin teaching and adding on Spanish as well. Besides classroom work, I was the coach of the BC High swim team.

We Jesuits must do a special year of spirituality called “tertianship” and I did mine in Berkeley, CA. After that I returned to administrative positions at BC High and Bishop Connolly High School in Fall River, MA. I enjoyed a sabbatical year during the “anno ignaciano” (1990-1991) where I was able to spend time with Fr Pedro Arrupe, S.J. and then participate in his final days and funeral. Returning to Bishop Connolly High School for four years as Campus Minister, I felt really blessed to be in that school and town. As things developed, however, we Jesuits had to withdraw from that place and I was hired to be a Campus Minister at Boston College in 1995. I spent 22 wonderful years with amazing colleagues and students. I assisted in liturgies, retreats and spiritual direction and was invited to be chaplain to the Bands Program! I was invited into social justice events and moderated 18 student groups to immerse in the Cuernavaca Center for Intercultural Dialogue on Development in Cuernavaca, Mexico. In addition to that, I was part of the formation of the Ignatian Family Teach-In for Justice, now under the umbrella of the Ignatian Solidarity Network.

That’s a bit of who I am. I look forward to getting to know you as we journey together in faith and hope.

AMDG,

Fr. Donald A. MacMillan, S.J.

¡Hola!

Estoy feliz de unirme a tan maravillosa parroquia y personal jesuita. Soy natural de Boston, educado por las hermanas de San José, las hijas de la Caridad de San Vicente de Paúl por los padres y colegas jesuitas en BC High. Al graduarme, entré en la Sociedad de Jesús en Shadowbrook, Lenox, MA. Me gradué en Filosofía en Boston College, con algunos cursos tomados en la Universidad Tufts, enseñé Latín en BC High y en la Escuela Cranwell. Obtuve mi Maestría en Divinidad en la Escuela Jesuita de Teología en Cambridge y fui ordenado en la Escuela Cranwell en la capilla de Cristo el Servidor por el muy Reverendo Samuel E. Carter, Sj, Arzobispo de Kingston, Jamaica. Luego, me asignaron ir a BC para enseñar de nuevo Latín y me añadieron enseñar también Español. Además de enseñar, fui el entrenador del equipo de natación de BC High.

Los jesuitas tenemos que hacer un año especial de espiritualidad llamado “Tercera Probación” y lo hice en Berkeley, CA. Después, regresé a puestos administrativos en BC High y en la Escuela Secundaria Obispo Connolly en Fall River, MA. Disfruté de un año sabático durante el “Año Ignaciano” (1990-1991), en el que tuve la oportunidad de pasar tiempo con el P. Pedro Arrupe, S.J. Lo acompañé en sus últimos días y estuve en su funeral.

Regresé a la Escuela Obispo Connolly por cuatro años para ser el capellán de la misma. Me sentí bendecido de estar en esa escuela y población. Sin embargo, los jesuitas tuvimos que retirarnos de ese lugar y fui contratado para ser el capellán de Boston College en 1995. Pasé 22 maravillosos años con fantásticos colegas y estudiantes. Ayudé en liturgias, retiros y dirección espiritual y fui invitado a ser el capellán del Programa de Bandas! Me invitaban a eventos sobre justicia social y moderé 18 grupos estudiantiles para sumergirlos en el Centro Cuernavaca para el Diálogo Intercultural en Desarrollo en Cuernavaca, México. Además, fui parte de la formación de los Seminarios sobre Justicia para la Familia Ignaciana, en la actualidad bajo el paraguas de la Red de Solidaridad.

Esto es un poco de lo que soy. Tengo ganas de conocerlos mientras transitamos juntos en la Fe y la Esperanza.

AMDG,

P. Donald A. MacMillan, S.J.
Moving from Disciples to Apostles: A Celebration of St. Ignatius Parish!
Sunday, September 24th
10 a.m. - 2 p.m., & 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
This annual “parish open house” will include fun and meaningful activities for everyone—as well as opportunities to enrich your faith and become more involved—as we move together as a community from Disciples to Apostles!

At this time we need your help!
Volunteers are needed to:
• Set up Lannon Chapel and reception areas on Saturday, September 23rd, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.
• Serve food and drinks, greet people, and break down the event on Sunday, September 24th 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. and 6:30 - 8 p.m.
• Donate four dozen NUT-FREE baked goods (cookies, brownies, etc.)
• Donate fruit trays
Whether you can help a little or a lot, your contribution is appreciated!
Let us know how you can help by signing up at: www.SignUpGenius.com/go/409084BA9AB29A7FD0-from

Parish-Wide Examen
Sunday, September 10th
1:30pm to 4:30pm
Fr. Ed Quinnan, S.J., the Provincial Assistant for Parishes for our Northeast Jesuit Province, will be leading us in a parish-wide examen. This examen will provide an opportunity for us to reflect prayerfully upon where we are as a parish community and to look ahead to possibilities for our future. Please mark your calendar for what will surely prove an interesting and enlightening experience of listening, learning and sharing.

Text To Give: You can now easily text your parish support. To give via text, send a text message with the dollar amount to our reserved phone number (617-553-6399). If this is your first time giving this way, you will have to fill out a short form with your billing information. After the initial setup, giving is as easy as sending a text message. Make sure to save Text Giving in your contacts for future gifts. Many thanks in advance for your text!

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, September 4th for Labor Day. There will be one Mass only at 9:00 a.m.

Please pray for:
Saturday, August 26th
4:00 p.m. - Maria & Agostino Laurenzi
Sunday, August 27th
12:00 p.m. - Anthony & Vera Taylor
5:30 p.m. - Mary Dafarra
Monday, August 28th
12:15 p.m. - Stephen Williams
5:30 p.m. - Bernard Zewlinsky
Tuesday, August 29th
12:15 p.m. - John McManama
5:30 p.m. - James C. Bowdリング
Wednesday, August 30th
12:15 p.m. - Jackie Foley
5:30 p.m. - Frank Mirabito
Thursday, August 31st
12:15 p.m. - Louise Lynch
Friday, September 1st
12:15 p.m. - Winnie Breathaney
Saturday, September 2nd
4:00 p.m. - Marguerite A. Compagnone
Sunday, September 3rd
8:00 a.m. - Howard Sullivan, Jr.
10:00 a.m. - Barbara Welch
12:00 p.m. - John Miskuly
5:30 p.m. - Timothy Frakes
Monday, September 4th
9:00 a.m. - Judy Oliver
Tuesday, September 5th
12:15 p.m. - Richard Breen
5:30 p.m. - Max Michelson
Wednesday, September 6th
12:15 p.m. - Les Brooks
5:30 p.m. - Nicholas Pitaro
Thursday, September 7th
5:30 p.m. - Nathan Lyons
Saturday, September 9th
4:00 p.m. - Marguerite A. Compagnone
Sunday, September 10th
8:00 a.m. - Susan Muller
10:00 a.m. - Denis Mahoney
12:00 p.m. - Anna & Peter Morello
5:30 p.m. - Judy Chimento

3 / Twenty-First/Twenty-Second Sunday
Outreach Ministries

THANK YOU for your outstanding generosity in our Back-to-School Items Drive. The pictures say it all!

Hearth for Homeless Elders:
On Sunday, August 27th, we’re hosting bingo at Hearth at Olmsted Green in Dorchester, a residence for formerly homeless elders. Our hope is to host bingo every fourth Sunday of the month. Four adults are needed to conduct the games and serve refreshments; children are welcome to be part of the event. Bingo starts at 2 p.m. Call Sr. Diane to sign on or for more information – 617-552-6107.

Habitat At-The-Door Collection: Our annual Habitat collection, to support a year’s worth of Habitat Build days, will be on September 16th/17th.

Senior Parishioners’ Luncheon:
Seniors will gather for 12:15 p.m. Mass, followed by lunch, on Wednesday, September 20th. If you are a Senior who would like to join with others that day, you should RSVP Sr. Diane no later than Friday, September 15th – 617-552-6107.

Companions
Wednesdays 7:00–8:30 p.m.
September 20th–November 8th
Parish Office Living Room
An educational support group for anyone in need of healing and hope after the death of a loved one.
Has someone you loved die? You are invited to be with others who understand this profound experience. Each session will begin and end with prayer and focus on healing as we share our stories, learn to embrace our grief, cope with significant moments, care for ourselves and create meaningful changed lives in the context of our Christian faith. Pre-registration is requested. For more information, contact Maureen Saldarini, St. Ignatius Coordinator, mcsaldarini113@gmail.com

Little Rock Bible Group
This semester we will be studying "Psalms I" & "Psalms II". Learn to make the psalms of descriptive praise, trust and wisdom your own prayer.
The second installment on the book of Psalms includes two lessons each on the royal psalms, psalms of lament, and psalms of declarative praise. The study begins on Wednesday, September 6th, at 7:15 p.m. in the old choir room. The cost is $20.00, which includes a commentary, two study guides, and video presentation of the studies. New members are always welcome. To register, or if you have any questions, please call John Da-farra 781-899-9540.

BC Campus Ministry Mass in Spanish
Beginning Sunday, August 27th
6:00 p.m. in the Lannon Chapel
For more information, please contact Marilu Del Toro, marilu.deltoro@bc.edu.

BC Campus Ministry Mass in English
Beginning Sunday, August 27th
8:00 p.m. in the Lannon Chapel
For more information, please contact Chris Darcy, c.darcy@bc.edu.

These Masses are for BC students, but are also open to high school students and young adults in the St Ignatius community.
**RCIA**

**Interested in Becoming Catholic?**
St. Ignatius Parish invites you to discern the decision to become a fully initiated Catholic through the process of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). RCIA could be for you if:
- You've never been baptized and wish to explore a relationship with God through the Catholic faith
- You're a baptized Christian who would like to share fully in Catholic communion through Eucharist and Confirmation
- You're a Catholic who hasn’t yet been fully initiated into the Church through Eucharist and/or Confirmation
- You’re an adult Catholic, eager to learn more about your faith and share it with others

Beginning in late September, we will meet weekly on Sundays, 11:15 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Sessions continue through Easter, culminating with the celebration of the sacraments at the Easter Vigil, and conclude later in April. There is also the option to join the BC RCIA group, which meets on Monday evenings, 7:00-8:30 p.m. For more information and a complete schedule, please contact Jacqueline Regan, jacqueline.regan.2@bc.edu.

**Music Ministry**

**NEW TO THE PARISH?**
Our Music Ministry groups are always seeking new members. Our website describes all the opportunities for volunteering your musical talents. If children are interested in singing, contact Matt Anderson at 552-6114 or anderson@bc.edu. All others can contact Michael Burgo at 552-6108 or burgo@bc.edu.

**Peace, Justice & Reconciliation Commission**

Thursday, September 7th | 7:00 p.m.
Parish Office Garden Level
All are welcome to attend!

Get the Parish Bulletin emailed to you each week!
Simply go to:
http://www.pilotbulletins.net/sign-up/
Scroll down (alphabetically) to St. Ignatius, Newton, and sign up. You will then receive from The Pilot a confirmation email to click on to register. It is that simple. Sign up today!

**Faith Formation**

**Registration is Now Open!**
It's time for another year of Faith Formation! Registration is now open at stignatiuschestnuthill.org/faithformation. Questions? Email faithformation.ignatius@bc.edu. There will be opportunities to receive in-person help with your registration after Mass during September.

Volunteer as a Catechist in our Faith Formation Classes
Do you want to get young people excited about the Catholic faith and a relationship with Jesus Christ? The Faith Formation program needs your help! Each year, we rely on over 40 volunteers to serve as catechists. No prior experience is necessary! We provide training and resources throughout the year. All new catechists will be paired with someone who has previously taught in our program. Opportunities are available at a wide variety of grade levels at several different times. Interested? Contact lara.ericson@bc.edu.

New Commission Members Needed
Would you like a voice in how we teach our youngest parishioners about God and Ignatian Spirituality? If so, the Faith Formation Commission is looking for new members! The Commission discusses topics of importance to the Faith Formation program and advises the Director of Faith Formation. Members commit to attending a monthly meeting on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. Any interested parishioner, whether or not you have experience as a catechist or have a child in the program, is welcome to join. Interested? Contact lara.ericson@bc.edu.

Many thanks to two generous sisters, Diane and Judy Conrad, who offered their time and talent to refurbish the Statue of Mary in our Lannon Chapel. Judy did the repair work that was needed and Diane, the painting. We are extremely grateful to them for the new beauty they brought to our Mary Statue.
Reconciliation—During the summer, the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be by appointment only.

Baptism—Adults are baptized at the Easter Vigil as part of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). Infant and child Baptisms are by arrangement.

First Eucharist—Preparation begins in grade one and includes classes, retreats, and home instruction. Children receive First Eucharist in grade two.

Confirmation—Our Confirmation program begins in 9th grade; students are confirmed in the spring of 10th grade. For young adults who have been baptized but are not yet confirmed, contact the parish office.

Matrimony—Parishioners, BC Grads and non-parishioners are welcome to be married at St. Ignatius. Contact the parish office for available dates and details.

Anointing of the Sick—By arrangement. Contact the parish office.

The Parish Staff

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Kathy Maher, Team Member, Chair
Lara Ericson, Team Member
Marc Gervais, Team Member
Mary Santapaula, Team Member

Parish Registration

Newcomers to St. Ignatius are invited and encouraged to formally register as members of the parish so that we can stay in touch with you via email with Faith Formation news, notice of special events, volunteer opportunities and more. Registration forms are available at the back of the church in the gathering space, in the parish office or on the website.

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 or sponsor letters.
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