I am sending the promise of my Father upon you.

Les envio la promesa de mi Padre.
Dear Parishioners,

This weekend we remember those who have died serving in our country’s armed forces. We also hear from John's Gospel Jesus saying, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid."

Hearing Jesus’s words, we are invited to ask ourselves: what truly reasonable Christian is opposed to peace, opposed to the promise Jesus gives for having our hearts be neither troubled nor afraid? In fact, with extremely few exceptions, those who have served, are currently serving, or who have died for our country in military service did so without hesitation in the name of achieving peace.

Such peace, however, is never opposed to our debating and yes even passionately arguing and disagreeing with one another about the means to foster and achieve peace.

As the American Bishops wrote in their 1983 pastoral letter, The Challenge of Peace:

"The Christian has no choice but to defend peace, properly understood, against aggression. This is an inalienable obligation. It is the how of defending peace which offers moral options. We stress this principle again because we observe so much misunderstanding about both those who resist bearing arms and those who bear them. Great numbers from both traditions provide examples of exceptional courage, examples the world continues to need ... Catholic teaching sees these two distinct moral responses as having a complementary relationship, in the sense that both seek to serve the common good. They differ in their perception of how the common good is to be defended most effectively, but both responses testify to the Christian conviction that peace must be pursued and rights defended within moral restraints and in the context of defining other basic human values."

As the Bishops acknowledged, there will always be debates and disagreements, differing ways to go about achieving peace. We must look, however, to a deeper call. Our risen Lord's gift of peace calls us to our own inner peace and to be instruments of peace, justice and reconciliation amidst the divisions throughout our Church, country and world.

Acknowledging, therefore, that we are a pilgrim people, we know, whether we like it or not, that we will always live in the tension of what is called in theology the “already, but not yet.” We “already” live in the grace of the reign of Christ’s peace, but that peace that the world cannot

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### Holy Day of Obligation
Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord

Thursday, May 30th
Masses are at 12:15 p.m. & 5:30 p.m. in the Lannon Chapel.
The 5:30 p.m. Mass on Tuesday, May 29th, will be a Vigil Mass.

### Please pray for:

**Saturday, May 25th**
4 p.m. - Alfred & Genevieve Wasilusauskas

**Sunday, May 26th**
10 a.m. - Maria Ambruzim Lorenzoni & Gabriel Lorenzoni
10 a.m. (Family) - James Garvey
12 p.m. - Mark Flaherty
5:30 p.m. - Patricia O'Kane

**Tuesday, May 28th**
12:15 p.m. - Dolores Leary
5:30 p.m. - Anne Kibrick

**Wednesday, May 29th**
12:15 p.m. - Bill Russell
5:30 p.m. - James C. Bowdring

**Thursday, May 30th**
5:30 p.m. - Stephen Poelaert

**Friday, May 31st**
12:15 p.m. - Br. Paul R. Demers, S.C.

**Saturday, June 1st**
4 p.m. - Paul Ware

**Sunday, June 2nd**
8 a.m. - Tom & Mary Shields
10 a.m. - Claire J. Bach
10 a.m. (Family) - Lionel Young
12 p.m. - Angelo Maruca
5:30 p.m. - Mary Dafarra

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### Faith Formation

#### On Monday, May 27th, the Parish Office will be closed. There will be only one Mass at 9 a.m.

#### Young Adults

**Game Night!**
Sunday, June 2nd
6:30 p.m.
Parish Office Garden Level
All 20 & 30 Somethings are invited to join us for some friendly competition after the 5:30 Mass. Bring your favorite game or a friend!

#### First Eucharist - Sunday, May 12th
Hispanic Community
Fr. César Muziotti, S.J.
Brian Alfaro
Wilbur Alfaro
Isabella Chay
Luisana del Valle
Guerrero Marquez
Emmanuel Alejandro Guerrero Vargas
Enrique Lopez
Santiago Pereira Zambrano
A warm thank you to all who helped with the preparation for this Sacrament.
give is “not yet” fully realized. Without a doubt, our journey as pilgrims must always be poised towards that full revelation. We must therefore continue individually and communally to say YES to peace. Armed with this YES, we have indeed the best way to respectfully and reverently honor those heroic lives tragically lost and remembered each year on Memorial Day.

In Christ’s Peace,
Fr. Joe

Outreach Ministries

Shattuck Fourth Tuesday:
A crew from the parish will be serving supper to the Guests at Pine Street Inn Shattuck Shelter on Tuesday, May 28th. Donations of desserts will be needed. If you can donate, please drop your dessert off at the Parish Office by 3:30 p.m. on the 28th. Thank you!

Saturday Night Service
June 22nd & July 27th
We’ll be serving supper at Cor Unum Meal Center in Lawrence. In addition to adults, young people of high school age, accompanied by a parent, may serve at Cor Unum. At least ten volunteers are needed. Servers may carpool from St. Ignatius, meeting at church by 3 p.m. or head up to Lawrence on their own. Supper is served from 4:30-6:30 p.m. Servers leave Cor Unum, after clean up, by about 7 p.m. If you are interested in being part of the crew, on either date, please contact Sr. Diane: 617-552-6107.

St. Vincent de Paul Clothing Drive
Saturday, June 8th | 2 - 4 p.m.
Sunday, June 9th | 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. & 4 - 6 p.m.
Our Lady Help of Christians Church - Newton
Donations must be clean and in good condition. This is a clothing only drive; non-clothes items cannot be accepted. Email svdp@sholnewton.org with questions.

Eastern Middlesex County Gun Buy Back
Saturday, June 15th | 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Second Congregational Church - West Newton
Help reduce the risk of suicide, accidental discharge and domestic violence. Firearms will be exchanged for gift cards. For more information: www.middlesexsheriff.org.

Not have a chance to donate?
Project Bread continues to accept Walk donations. The Project Bread website will guide you through the process.

Looking Ahead
Our Shattuck Shelter Summer Cookout is set for Saturday, July 20th. Sign-up materials, for kitchen prep, serving and food donations, will be on the Outreach table beginning June 29th.

Deacon Ramesh Richards, S.J., presiding at the Communal Baptisms on Saturday, May 18th.
Blessings to all who participated.
Reflections on a Trip to the US-Mexico Border
Sunday, June 2nd at 11 a.m. - Choir/Media Room
The Immigration Committee invites you to join us for a presentation and conversation with faculty and staff from Boston College, as they share their reflections on their trip to El Paso and the US-Mexico border.

Reflexiones sobre un Viaje a la Frontera de US y México
Domingo, 2 de junio a las 11 a.m. - Salón del Coro/Media Room
El Comité de Inmigración le invita a participar en una presentación y conversación con facultad y personal de Boston College, quienes compartirán sus reflexiones sobre su viaje a El Paso y la frontera de US-México.

Green Team
Prayer
Refresh our love for all You, O God, have made. Renew our resolve to advocate, fight, nurture and defend our fellow creatures. Thank you for those who care for the earth – the gardeners, the activists, the scientists, the zoologists. Sustain them and protect their hearts as they strive and grieve.

Action
If you are replacing a lawnmower, consider a manual lawnmower to cut down on noise, pollution and fossil fuel. Or, consider using electric tools which eliminate emissions at point of operation and are also 50% quieter than fuel-powered tools.

Spain: The Loyola Experience
July 4th – 14th, 2019
Hosted by Frs. Thomas A Kane, CSP & Julio Giulietti, S.J.
A pilgrimage tracing the life and spirituality of St. Ignatius Loyola across Spain's beautiful cities and landscapes. For more information: http://www.paulist.org/pilgrimages/loyola/

A Journey to Fatima and Portugal
October 21st – 31st
Hosted by the Maryland & UNE Provinces of the Society of Jesus
This Jesuit trip includes visits to Fatima, Lisbon, Porto, Braga and more. The price is $3,679 per person (includes round trip air fare from New York, accommodations, sightseeing, and most meals.). For more information, contact Jim Skurka atjskurka@jesuits.org or call 212-774-5548.

A Spiritual Pilgrimage to the Holy Land
Fr. Joe Costantino, S.J., Spiritual Guide
November 15th - 26th
A life-altering experience! Visit Jerusalem, Galilee, Nazareth, Cana, and more! The cost is $3,995 (guaranteed until June 15th, includes flight from Newark, daily breakfasts, all dinners, all accommodations, all transfers per itinerary by motor coach, and arrangements for daily Mass.). Space is limited to 30 participants. For more information and reservations, please contact Dr. Angie Cruz, Ph.D. at 917-607-0937 or email angiecruzphd@gmail.com.

Racial Justice Committee
In November 2018, the Catholic bishops of the United States released a Pastoral Letter Against Racism – their first in almost 40 years. Open Wide Our Hearts: The Enduring Call to Love speaks to our nation's ongoing struggles with racial injustice. This powerful letter invites us to "face courageously the vice of racism...reach out generously to the victims of this evil, to assist the conversion needed in those who still harbor racism, and to begin to change policies and structures that allow racism to persist."

We invite you to reflect on the following quote from the letter: "Love is at the heart of Christian life...You shall love your neighbor as yourself. (Mt. 22:37-39). This command of love can never be simply 'live and let others be.' This command of love requires us to make room for others in our hearts. It means that we are indeed our brother's keeper (see Gn 4:9)."

Entire letter: usccb.org/racism.

Men’s Spiritual Growth
The next meeting will be on June 5th at 7 p.m. in the Parish Office Parlor. All are welcome!
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS
Monday - Friday: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. (Closed 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.)

The Celebration of the Eucharist

Sunday
  Upper Church  8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 Noon, 5:30 p.m.
  Lower Church  10:00 a.m., Family Liturgy
                12:00 p.m., Misa En Español En La Capilla Lannon
Weekday
  Lower Church  12:15 p.m. & 5:30 p.m [Friday Adoration-- 12:45 p.m.]
Saturday
  Lower Church  9:00 a.m.
  Upper Church  4:00 p.m. (Vigil)

Other Sacraments

Reconciliation—Saturdays, 3:00 p.m. to 3:45 p.m. in the Upper Church or by appointment.
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.

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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 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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