My friends. This school year, I am grateful for all of my friends, family, and teachers. Each of them have helped me and supported me throughout the entire year. I wish them all the best over the summer and getting ready for the next school year. If it were not for their love and support, I do not know how this school year would gone. All my friends and brothers in the Class of 2020 for their support, humor, advice, and more over the past few years. Grateful for my family and friends during this difficult time. My students who make me laugh each day. God has truly blessed myself and others in many ways this challenging year. Through the friendships: new and old alike, they have grown deeper and closer. Through the love shared with strangers: through service work or simple conversation and hearing their voice. Through the arts: the expression of love, joy, passion, and more through different mediums and performance Through the little moments: the moments of pain, the moments of laughter, the moments of competition and support, and every moment in between Through my teachers: the passion they put into teaching brings subjects to life and makes learning unique Through solitude: Although many of us grow a lot in the presence of others, sometimes it is the moments left in solitude that allow us to grow the most - to grow in ourselves and in faith. Grocery store workers. I am deeply grateful to God for for my job and for the time. I am grateful for hard-working colleagues who exemplify being disciples of Christ. The camaraderie fostered in the Class of 2020 and throughout all of the Saint Ignatius high school community. I thank my family, who have and are still supporting me in this pandemic. I am grateful for my older brother Alex.

Mass of Gratitude. Friday, May 15, 2020 Saint Ignatius Family, "What are you grateful for this year?"

God has blessed me by helping me become a much better student this year. He along with my parents have loved and supported me the whole time. Several of my teachers like Mr. Wolf have inspired me this year. I have come to appreciate finding time to be kind to others and working on bettering yourself more deeply. My friend Dominic sometimes makes me think more and want to get closer to God. I am grateful for the leadership and friendship of the Student Senate slate and officers. I am grateful and thankful for my AP Spanish students. I am grateful and thankful for my colleagues on the faculty, staff, and administration. I am thankful for my teachers that have gone above and beyond to ensure that the online learning protocol is the best it can be. I am grateful for the Fall Play and the fun and work that it entailed. I am also grateful for the Spring Musical because we are still doing rehearsals and those rehearsals give me something to look forward to throughout the week. Lastly, I am grateful for all of my teachers because as hard as adapting to online learning was for us, it's twice as hard to switch to online teaching as they had to figure everything out as they went with zooms and online submissions. God has blessed me with wonderful friends this year. My relationships over the four years strengthened to great levels. The entire student body and faculty has loved and supported me including my family. I never came across someone who did the opposite which shows the love the school has to offer. Many teachers and staff inspired me and changed me for the better but if I had to pick three solid people, they would be Mr. Adair, Mr. Arko and Mr. Walters. Their striving for social justice and equality made me realize how much I should be thankful for and what I should use my God given talents towards. I've come to appreciate the fellowship of people. People make each other truly happy and that fact was especially true as the four years went on. A lot of people have helped me grow closer to God. All of my teachers got me closer to God including my family who guided me spiritually. My immediate family is still pretty much healthy. Having this time together has made me appreciative of each of them. God has blessed me with great friends and family, who have supported me endeavors throughout the school year. My teachers have given me inspiration to grow in my faith and become closer to God. I am grateful for the courage, joy, hope, solidarity, and faith of my students and colleagues. I am grateful for the leadership and generous service of our Jesuit community. I am grateful for our Saint Ignatius High School Family. + A.M.D.G.

MASS OF GRATITUDE

May 15, 2020 11:00am

Saint Mary of the Assumption Chapel Saint Ignatius High School

David Haas

Opening Hymn:

We Are Called



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LITURGY OF THE WORD

1st Reading

Read by John Cugel '20

Acts 15:22-31

Responsorial Psalm:



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Gospel Acclamation:

Celtic Alleluia

Fintan O'Carroll/Christopher Walker



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John 15:12-17

Homily

Gospel

Fr. Paul Shelton, S.J.

General Intercessions

Led by Caleb Blake '20, Steven Favazzo '23, Connor Grace '22, Andrew Boeckman '21, Ben Rossi '20, Will Sullivan '20

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts: Thank You, Lord Spiritual Θ Thank thank You, Lord, You, Lord, thank You, Lord, Lord. Ι just want to thank You,_

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Verse 2: Been so good (3x), I just want to thank You, Lord.

Dan Schutte

Eucharistic Acclamations:

"Holy, Holy" from Mass of Christ the Savior



"When We Eat This Bread" from Mass of Christ the Savior



"Amen" from Mass of Christ the Savior



Fraction Rite

"Lamb of God" from Mass of Christ the Savior



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Communion Hymn:

You Are Mine

Sung by August Slawienski '20

Closing Hymn:

Sing We Now to You, O Mary

Fr. Raymond P. Guiao, S.J. '82

Recorded at the 2003 Saint Ignatius High School Graduation Mass Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist



The Alma Mater will be sung between Verses 3 & 4:

Our famed Alma Mater graces Every shrine within our hearts With her unforgotten faces And the faith that she imparts. Years in passing cannot sever Ties of new days from the old. We're Ignatius Men Forever As we hail the blue and gold.