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The Ignatian Year
May 20, 2021 – July 31, 2022

May 20, 2021 opens the Ignatian Year celebrating the 500th Anniversary of the injury of Ignatius at Pamplona in 1521 and his following conversion at Loyola Castle.

March 12, 2022 commemorates the 4th Centenary of the canonization of St. Ignatius, SJ, and St. Francis Xavier, SJ, in 1622.

July 31, 2022, concludes the Ignatian Year with the Solemnity of St. Ignatius.

Fr. General Arturo Sosa, SJ, declared that conversion—personal, communal, and institutional—comprises the theme for the Ignatian Year.

The motto for The Ignatian Year is
“to see all things new in Christ.”

*Inflammate Omnia
Ignatian Year Prayer*

Saint Ignatius of Loyola,
Your name means ignite, to inflame.

Set our hearts on fire
To know Jesus more intimately,
To love Jesus more intensely,
To follow Jesus more closely.

May the Holy Spirit
who animated your conversion
guide our next steps.
Help us to create all things anew in Christ
Knowing that God's love and grace are enough.
Amen.